

Belle-île
en-mer

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The Tourism Office's Holiday recommendations to...

...make the best of
2 days

in Belle-île-en-Mer

Day 1 - The "Interior Coast": Le Palais, Sauzon and La Pointe des Poulains

Morning:

Discover Le Palais, the island's small capital, by taking a walk through the historic centre and the town's historic walls and fortifications (1). After this tour, head towards the port of Sauzon, one of the most beautiful and picturesque ports in Southern Brittany (2).

Afternoon:

Head to La Pointe des Poulains, one of Belle-Ile's landmark destinations (3)! The Great tragedienne Sarah Bernhardt spent 30 summers here — visit her fort, completely restored to its original state. A walk to the Phare des Poulains is a must, from where you might catch a glimpse of the island of Groix. Finally, visit the Maison du Littoral, an essential place to understand the island's wild and preserved beauty.

Evening:

Choose between an island goat cheese galette or a seafood platter... the choice is yours!



Day 2 - The wild coast, the Grand Phare, the Aiguilles de Port Coton and Donnant beach

Morning:

Visit the Grand Phare de Belle-Île, one of the most powerful lighthouses in Europe (4). After climbing the 247 steps of this stone giant, enjoy the most breathtaking view of Belle-Île! From Grand Phare, follow the path through the heathland to discover the famous Aiguilles de Port Coton, immortalised by the painter Claude Monet (5).

Afternoon:

After all that effort, it's time to relax a moment and head to Donnant Beach, one of the wild coast's most beautiful (6). Sunbathing and swimming are the classic Bellilois summer pastimes after all! After making your way back to Palais late in the afternoon, treat yourself to a final ice cream on the harbour and spend some time watching ships and boats liven up the port.

Already time to leave. . . though we bet you'll be back!!!





The Tourism Office, your best ally for preparing and fully savouring your stay in Belle-Île!

A remarkable island !!

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