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WALKING SPECIAL, MARCH 2009

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WALKING: FRANCHE-COMTÉ, THE KINGDOM OF THE WALKER

From the Vosges Massif to the foothills of the Jura, more than 800 km of signed paths stretch out between the mountains and the plains for your walking pleasure. From the Ballon d'Alsace and its 1247 metres, you can look all across Franche-Comté, Alsace and Lorraine: A high point on the walks where the famous GR5 and E5 cross, as well as a multitude of paths suitable for family walks. Let yourself be transported to the rhythm of carefully preserved nature... your feet will surely take you to the fairytale Mille Étangs (thousand lakes) plateau.

THE INNUMERABLE TREASURES OF THE MILLE ÉTANGS

In the south of the Vosges, the Mille Étangs plateau boasts incredible natural scenery: seen from the sky it is reminiscent of the vast expanses of the Nordic countries. On the walking paths there is also enchantment for the walker, who will find exceptional flora and fauna protected in the Regional Nature Park.

A WALK THROUGH A THOUSAND LAKES

Come and feast your eyes and your spirit in the "Little Finland" in the Vosges. These 15 km one-day walks will allow you to discover enchanting places, revealing all the richness of remarkably well-preserved nature.

>> 3-day / 2-night stay, 1/2 board



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ON THE ROAD OF THE PAST

It is to the splendour of its fortifications that Belfort owes its reputation: The work of Vauban represents a precious heritage dating from the Middle Ages. Set in the beauty of the Franche-Comté countryside, the paths offer walkers a voyage through time and nature: you are guaranteed a change of scene!

THE FORTS TRAILS



Wander down the paths of times gone by and follow the ring of fortifications around Belfort and its surrounding area. With mountains, plains and pools, this thrilling excursion for young and old will make you feel the pleasure of nature and will plunge you into the history and culture of Franche-Comté.



>> 6-day / 5-night stay, full board

FOOTHILLS OF THE BALLON DES VOSGES

The Ballons des Vosges Regional Nature Park takes its name from the numerous rounded summits scattered across the countryside. The multiple facets of this area contain forests and heaths, meadows, pastureland, bogs, cliffs, rivers and lakes. This diversity makes it a great area for walking where you will never cease to be amazed.

THE TOUR OF BALLON D'ALSACE



If you need to breathe in a great lungful of fresh air and nature, come and discover the Ballons des Vosges Regional Nature Park on this ramblers' path intended for seasoned walkers. And for the hardest souls there is a treetop adventure course at the end of the itinerary.



>> 2-day / 1-night stay, full board

RENDEZ-VOUS WITH NATURE

"1 000 STEPS TO THE MILLE ÉTANGS" WALKING FESTIVAL

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From 26 April to 20 June 2009 there are several days of walking on offer with various departure points. On the specially signed paths, walk in a family group and adapt your route to everyone's speed and preferences. An enjoyable moment drinking in nature. It just has to be experienced as soon as the fine weather returns!



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