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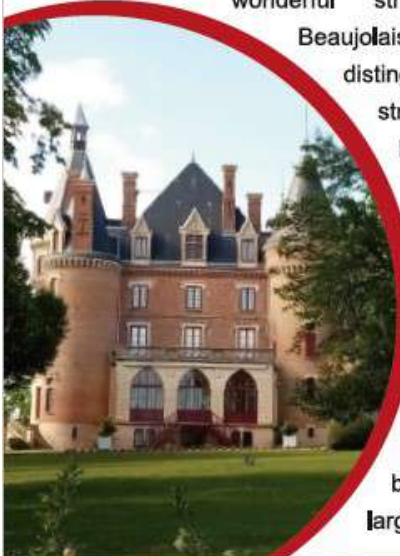
Tavernost Castle

Built in the town of Cesseins, the Chateau de Tavernost dates back to the 13th century. Only the two square towers remain from the original structure, built out of typical large red savoyards bricks. At a later time, during the 18th century, the rest of the structure was built, using numerous bays and projecting turrets in the corners.



Vataneins Castle

Constructed in 1882 on the site of old hunting grounds, this chateau was redesigned multiple times. This wonderful structure overlooks the Beaujolais panorama, and distinguishes itself with the striking colour of its red bricks, which were used for the construction of the whole building. Inside this massive structure we can find a timber roof truss structure, as well as large mullion decorated windows. The main building is flanked by a large octagonal tower.



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Hiking in Val de Saône Centre

CASTLES CIRCUIT



Biking - Hiking



7,6 km



2h00



FRANCHELEINS

14

📍 From the car park in "jeu de boules" street in Cesseins (commune of Francheleins)

🚦 Yellow marking

- 1 Follow the rue du jeu de boules westwards. At the crossroads, turn right onto the D75g. Cross the D27 (be careful) and continue on the Chemin de Beybleu opposite. The road soon gives way to a wide path between the fields. At the road, turn right. Ignore the next three crossroads and continue straight on.
- 2 At the place called "Le Merle", (view on the pond of Beybleu), turn right. Ignore the dead end on the left. At the crow's feet, go up the right road then, at the cross, turn left. Cross the D75 and go straight ahead.
- 3 In front of the entrance to the château de Tavernost, 🏰 turn right along the long avenue of plane trees which leads to the D27. Turn right for 50 metres before turning left twice. Take the next road on the right. Cross over the D75 and continue straight ahead.
- 4 Continue to the right for a quick round trip to admire the Château de Vataneins. 🏰 Return to the crossroads and follow the D75g towards Cesseins. At the crossroads, turn right to get back to the starting point.

