



LA JUGIE

FRANCE

WELCOME TO MANOIR LA CROIX DE LA JUGIE!

We hope you enjoy your stay. This handbook contains all the information you should need, but do feel free to email with any questions clio@lajugie.co.uk

WIFI network – ManoirGuest (open)

Check in time 4pm

Check out time 10am

Please leave our home neat and tidy,
ready for cleaning to take place upon departure.

•• Please respect our neighbours. No loud music outside
and keep noise levels to a minimum after 11pm. ••

EMERGENCY CONTACTS

SAMU (medical emergency)	15
Police	17
Fire (pompiers are also paramedics who can respond quickly to heart attacks etc)	18
European Emergency Number (999 equivalent)	112

NEAREST HOSPITAL

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They live just up the lane on the left in the house with the gravelled front garden and blue letter box on the gate.

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THE HOUSE

FIREPLACES

••• Do not leave fires burning unattended •••

You are welcome to use the fireplaces in the kitchen and grand salon although you probably won't need them in summer! Please make sure you empty ash under a hedge in the garden. The fire in the Grand Salon draws much better if placed at the back of the fireplace, you may get a smoky room otherwise.

Matches are on the mantelpiece, paper for lighting fires is in the bottom of the cupboard left of the fireplace in the Grand Salon and wood is in the leftmost of the stables. Please collect it in using the wicker baskets in the Grand Salon and the Kitchen.

HEATING

You may adjust the heating on each radiator using the thermostatic valves.

RUBBISH & RECYCLING

Our rubbish is collected on Tuesday mornings. Please place full binbags in the wheelie-bins kept near the front pedestrian gate during the week and the housekeeper will put out the bins after you have left.

Please recycle as much as you can, there are bins in the kitchen for separating packaging (incl tins, card, plastic) and glass.

Recycling can be deposited here:



Go into the village from the Manoir, turn left by the church, straight on until you pass the Mairie and village school, turn right immediately after that and follow straight up the road for a couple of hundred metres.

FOOD

Please empty the fridge of your perishable foods when you leave the Manoir. You are welcome to use any cupboard foods during your stay, but please replace anything you do use.

CROCKERY & CUTLERY

Crockery is kept in the cupboards either side of the fireplace in the Grand Salon (French style!), please put back appropriately. Cutlery is in the top two drawers of the kitchen next to the sink. Do not put wooden items in the dishwasher.

BY THE POOL please use the plastic glassware provided (in the cupboard under the cooker in the kitchen), do not use actual glass or crockery by the pool.

KEYS

Apart from your front door key, please leave all keys in their doors as they will easily get lost otherwise! Some doors can be stiff, do be gentle. A lot of the doors to the outside only lock when the handle is pushed upwards whilst turning the key.

WIFI

We have WIFI here (even in the middle of the countryside, yay!) but it's not broadband. It's enough to send emails and for the internet, but you'll probably have trouble streaming or downloading films. If the system stops, just unplug the socket in the Bleue bedroom, and replug in after a 3 minutes, which should sort out the problem. Do not unplug any of the units around the house as it will not work otherwise.

Network name: ManoirGuest – no password.

DVDS AND CDS

Feel free to use any of the CDs and DVDs, please put them back in the correct place when finished so that others may enjoy them too. On the top floor we have a TV with DVD player. They are controlled with separate remote controls and both need to be on to work. Please unplug when not in use.

POWER/ENERGY

Gas

The kitchen stove runs on bottled gas, which is kept outside the kitchen (turn right and right again outside the kitchen back door). Should you need to change the bottle, please call Pamela and Julian, although they will do their best to ensure that it's always full anyway.

Electricity

Storms can sometimes (rarely) trip the circuit breaker. The circuit breaker can be found in the big, full-length kitchen cupboard to the right of the fireplace. Just flick it back if it trips.

Please try to switch off lights when not in use, there are a lot of them. Do not leave electric towel rails or electric heaters on when you are not in the room.

PLUMBING

We are on fosse septique/septic tank, so please do not put anything except toilet paper down the loos, it can block the pipes and also the tank is not designed to deal with anything else.

WINDOWS

Please shut all windows when you are not in bedrooms, especially velux ones. You may be charged for water damage.

FURNITURE

Please do not put indoor furniture outside, it gets damaged if it rains and is often forgotten.

If you move any furniture around during your stay, please try to ensure it gets back to its proper home.

WASHING

You are of course welcome to do your own washing during your stay and the machines in the kitchen cupboard (next to the grandfather clock) are at your disposal. Please do buy your own washing liquid/powder. You may wish to dry laundry on the airers which are also stored in this cupboard.

CLEANING & WASHING UP

Cleaning products for spillages and everyday tidying/cleaning can be found under the sink. Washing up liquid is found next to the kitchen sink along with sponge and hand soap and dishwasher tablets are under the kitchen sink.

We are in the countryside: please clear up excess food and spillages as it will attract wildlife.

GROUNDS & GARDEN

You are welcome to explore the whole grounds, the garden and the small field behind the stables as well as the large field further up. You are responsible for your group's safety and be mindful that we are in the midst of farming country: don't stray onto neighbouring fields if you don't want to get run over by a tractor!

THE OLD BREAD OVEN

The Old Bread Oven (padlock code 876) at the corner of the courtyard contains a small bike collection, a couple of croquet sets and bats and balls for you to play around with. Please put everything back when you have finished. If you have ordered bikes in advance from bikehiredirect.com, they will deliver to the Manoir.

GARDENERS

Our housekeepers/gardeners, Pamela and Julian, come once a week, usually on a Thursday or Friday. They won't get in your way, but feel free to say hi!

BERGERIE

The Bergerie is the small cottage at the other angle of the courtyard. It contains the ping pong table and bats/balls and is a nice space for kids to hang out in. You must leave it clean and tidy at the end of your stay.

YOGA SPACE

Please feel free to use the yoga space, which is in the Bergerie/Guest Cottage at the other side of the courtyard. Please put back any equipment once you've finished using it.

SWIMMING POOL

The pool cover is ideally covered each night to conserve heat and ensure child safety. Please ensure pool gate is closed also. The cover meets French safety regulations for pools, but only if it is used consistently. You are responsible for your group's safety in and around the pool.

Any damage to the pool liner, cover, paving, pool equipment or sun loungers and umbrella may be charged for.

... Opening the pool cover ...

You must watch the video on how to open and close the pool cover.
www.lajugie.co.uk/during-your-stay

You must remove the buckles before rolling the cover otherwise it will damage the cover. You may be charged for any damage to the cover.

Please do not use glass or china in the pool area, plastic cups and plates can be found under the stove.

Pool towels are those with the blue stripes on your beds, use only these towels outside.

We have a little Comptoir in the Village (open 7-10am and 4-7pm) which sells last minute provisions, local delicacies, bread and meat. It's also a bar and holds concerts and other events every few weeks. It's run by the community, hence the odd opening hours.

PIERRE BUFFIERE (10km)

Bakery

Butcher

Small supermarket

NEXON (11km)

Bakery x 2

Delicatessen

Pharmacy

Hairdresser

Large Supermarket

ST YRIEIX-LA-PERCHE (22km)

Small market town with a bigger selection of shops, eg multiple supermarkets and other shops, including specialist shops in the centre. It has a beautiful medieval quarter and is a market town, as well as a market on 2nd and 4th Friday of the month (all day) AND 1st and 3rd Saturday of the month (morning).

CHATEAU CHERVIX

Local producers market 4pm every Friday

HYPERMARKET

Carrefour is at Jct 37 of the A20 (we are Jct 39). We find people get very excited about it! Please note it's not open on Sundays.

We have plenty of leaflets on local activities in the metal boxes in the front hall. Do take your suggestions from there or visit our website for further help: www.lajugie.co.uk/explore-the-area

There's SO much to do, but don't miss:

LIMOGES

For the medieval old town, beautiful cathedral and botanical gardens, shops, history of beef, covered market and plenty more!

JUMILHAC-LE-GRAND

For the chateau.

ST-YRIEIX-LA-PERCHE

For a potter and lunch.

CHALUCET

For the beautiful ruined chateau and walk up to it.

ORADOUR SUR GLANE

An extremely moving place of WW2 remembrance.

GET OUTDOORS

Local fishing, walking and cycling.

DO NOTHING

Relaxing by the pool! Curling up with a good book.

Clio Wood, who owns the Manoir with her husband, has a background in interior design, previously running her own upcycling and interiors label. Her mark is on the house in its evolved selection of furniture, homeware and art, but it is in the personal family touches that you'll find the Manoir's unique charm.

You'll find old family furniture, cultural and travel souvenirs and flea-market finds as well as upcycled and designed pieces by Clio herself.

Do ask if you are interested in purchasing any of the pieces or in finding something similar. We can point you in the direction of local vide-greniers (attic or car boot sales), junk and antique shops and markets to root your own treasure; or Pamela and Julian can root it out for you on their scouting trips.