

Durbuy and its surroundings



The River Ourthe flows through Durbuy and its surrounding district, which are a distillation of culture, nature, accommodation and gastronomy. This area is home to some of the best restaurants in the Ardennes. Its delightful landscape and its cultural riches make it an dream destination far from the noise and commotion of large cities.

The City of Durbuy

Durbuy is internationally famous for its charm and for the fact that it is the smallest city in the world! Its narrow cobbled streets and its old, blue-stone houses make it a hidden gem. Located at the heart of magnificent green countryside, Durbuy is also a major centre of gastronomy, with brasseries, cafés and restaurants to discover in every narrow street.

Guided tours of the town from €9/person.

Tastings of local specialities can be included if booked in advance

www.durbuyinfo.be

Topiary Park in Durbuy

Unique in Europe, this park contains more than 250 sculpted shrubs and trees, including mermaids, crocodiles and the famous Manneken Pis.

Self-guided tours or guided tours from €4/person.

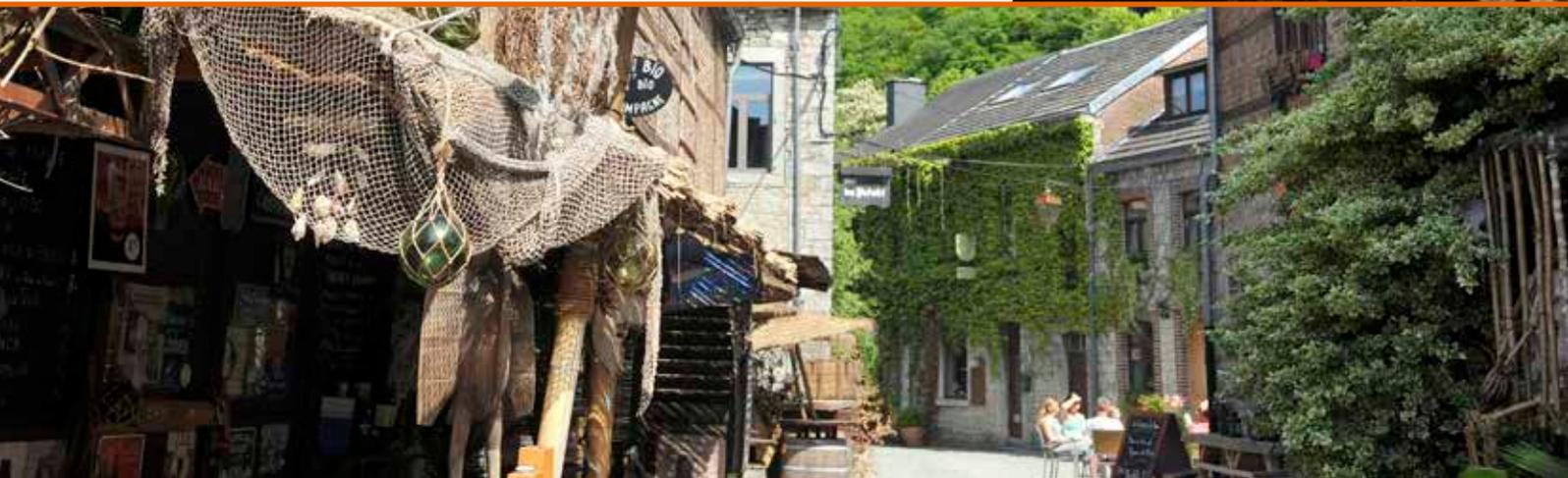
www.topiaires.durbuy.be

The Hotton Caves

The “Caves of the 1,001 nights” is the only cave complex in Wallonia to be designated an Exceptional Walloon Natural Heritage Site in its entirety. It merits two stars in the Michelin Green Guide to Belgium. It is a veritable crystal palace. Huge and spectacular, at a depth of 65m underground, is the largest cave yet discovered in Belgium.

Guided tours from €8/person.

www.grottesdehotton.be



Gourmet snacks

Taste a **Marckloff beer** in Durbuy: A naturally amber beer, the only one brewed in Durbuy. Stop off at “**La Ferme au Chêne**” to visit its micro-brewery.

Free-of-charge self-guided tours by appointment only.
lafermeauchene.be

Then pop in to the **Saint-Amour Jam Factory** in Durbuy to pick up some gourmet treats. For two generations, this family of artisans have been making 40 different types of jam, as well as flower (dandelion, lilac) and hedgerow fruit (elderberry, haw) jellies, flavoured vinegars, other edible treats, and bodycare cosmetics.

www.confitureriesaintamour.be

Enjoy **Defroidmont chocolates** in Erezée: During your visit, you will discover the different flavours of chocolate from around the world and you can watch the various stages of the chocolate-making process, from cocoa beans to finished filled chocolates.

Self-guided tours with audioguides and tasting from €10/person
www.chocolatier-defroidmont.be



Charming accommodation



Azur en Ardenne/Durbuy

High on a hill at Barvaux-sur-Ourthe, near Durbuy, this holiday park has modern, contemporary style buildings and facilities, a wellness area and a restaurant with panoramic views and sophisticated international cuisine.

Capacity: 54 bedrooms and 180 seats.
www.azurenardenne.be

Le Floréal/La Roche-en-Ardenne

Located a stone's throw from the centre of the small town of La Roche-en-Ardenne that is popular with tourists, this Ardennes holiday park includes pretty green meadows along the River Ourthe. It offers many indoor and outdoor activities: ten-pin bowling, dances, crazy golf, swimming pool, boules, gym and several sports pitches. The restaurant offers dishes made with fresh, seasonal, local produce.

Capacity: 76 bedrooms and 80 seats.
www.florealgroup.be



Don't miss

La Gargouille/ Heyd

Located on the edge of a wood, La Gargouille is a nineteenth-century farmhouse that has been converted into a restaurant with a fairy-tale atmosphere. Timber, stone and pebbles, candles and an open wood fire create a subdued ambiance with limitless originality. La Gargouille serves healthy, generous, sophisticated and colourful food, with accents of home and abroad, forgotten vegetables and spices that will transport you.

Capacity: 70 seats.
www.lagargouille.be

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