

Le Mazeau

For your information



Please refrain from using any breakables around the pool to avoid any problems with safety issues and pool maintenance.

The swimming pool is sometimes given a clean during your stay if needed and normally early in the morning so as not to interfere with your holiday.

Please be aware that **no sanitary products** can be put down the toilets, the septic tanks here are very easily blocked because they are environmentally friendly.

The pool alarm is re-activated automatically when the water is still and there is nobody in.

De-activation code: 1978

Please ensure children are watched at all times in the pool.

The bins are outside the gates, round the corner, opposite the neighbours bins, which is where they are picked up from each week.

The yellow recycling bin is for all plastic, wrappings and tins. (please do not put glass in here or the bins will not be emptied)

Glass and paper recycling can be done in most villages.

From our experience with large numbers, using the glass rinse cycle for glasses and cups only, helps to make your stay more relaxed and the clearing up more manageable, everything else can be washed on the plate cycle.

No smoking in the house, if smoking outside please use ashtrays as the countryside is very dry.

The fence around the swimming pool is not structural, so please ensure that children do not climb it.

The liner in the pool is fragile, please be careful that no sharp objects or dangerous toys are in the pool at any time. A new liner is very expensive and would interfere with future bookings.

The automatic petrol pumps often refuse foreign cards, therefore you will need to get diesel/petrol within the supermarket opening times which can take a little getting used to!

There is a boulangerie in the local village of Le Mazeau.

There is also boat hire in the local village.

Benet is the closest town with all amenities.

Magne has the closest big supermarket.

Coulon has a very pretty restaurant on the edge of the river with a play park which is great for children.

Damvix has several restaurants. There is a lovely creperie with a play area which is very friendly with good food, we advise to book.

'Le Chat Botte' is a Michelin recommended restaurant in Ars-en-Re on the Il-de-Re where the food is superb.

In La Rochelle, we would recommend 'Andre's' in the port for an amazing fruit-de-mer experience, or 'Les Quatre Sergents' which is also just off the port and is a beautiful restaurant in an Orangerie, both guarantee a great gastronomic evening!

If you are after an unforgettable restaurant, there is a Michelin star restaurant on the front in La Rochelle called Restaurant Christopher Coutanceau.

Oceanile is the nearest waterpark towards Noirmoitier, roughly 2 hours away.

Futuroscope is in Poitiers, roughly an hour away and is the nearest adventure park.

'Puy de Fou' is an historical theme park just over an hour away, boasting the largest evening show in the world, having won the 'Worlds Best Theme Park' in 2012, incredible experience for all the family.

Fontenay le Comte has a market every Saturday morning in the centre of the town.

Niort has a market every day except Monday and is a lovely town to visit, being only 40 mins away.

Please could you strip the beds at the end of your stay as we are very restricted with the time between parties.

Please could you leave the house in the same condition as you found it, or if you would like a get up and go service where you can just leave and pay for a cleaner then please let us know.

Hope you have a fantastic holiday!

Useful numbers:

Fire brigade: 18

Ambulance: 15

Matt's mobile: 0033 782657752

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Email: matt@biginfrance.com
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Wifi Code: on the box in the kitchen

Full address

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Vendee

If you go down the lane to the very end, past a farm on your right, the road veers round to the left and there is a black gate. This is the property. If there is a lock on the gate, the code is 000.