



Bandit Masters Golf Trip: St Jean de Monts 2019 19th to 25th September

- Thursday 19th Sept: overnight ferry. Depart: Portsmouth 20.15hrs, Arrive: St Malo at 08.15, Friday 20th.
- Friday 20th to Tuesday 24th Sept: 5 rounds of golf.
- Hotel: Hotel Atlantic Thalasso, 4 nights, 4 twin rooms B&B.
- Tuesday 24th Sept: overnight ferry. Depart: St Malo 20:30 hrs. Arrive: Portsmouth at 07.45, Wednesday 25th.

Fri 20th 13:10: St Jean de Monts. Par 72- 5,481m.

The course at St Jean de Monts offers wonderful, contrasting golf. The front 9 run through thick pine forest with tight fairways, whilst the back 9 offers pure links golf with several holes running along the coast. In our opinion it is undoubtedly one of the best courses in western France



Sat 21st 10:40: Les Fontenelles. Par 72- 5,975m.

Review from leadingcourses.com: The course was in very good condition despite the very dry weather of the summer. Technically, heavy hitters are favoured by wide fairways including the first 9 holes. The return requires more vigilance to avoid taking penalties on shots leaving the fairways. The large technical greens can become very difficult if the roll exceeds 3.00m, which was not the case today.



Sun 22nd 11:20: Port Bourgenay. Par 72- 5,621m.

Review from leadingcourses.com: I played the course yesterday. It is a course that I play regularly throughout the year and I appreciate its diversity: holes 4 to 11 are close to the ocean, exposed to the wind. From hole 12, it's another journey: we enter the pine forest. Some of the P & V Residences are directly on the edge of these last 7 holes. In summary, a pleasant course to do if you come to spend a few days in Vendée, near Les Sables d'Olonne.



Mon 23rd 11:00: Des Sables d'Olonne. Par 72- 5,623m.

Review from leadingcourses.com: Nice small clubhouse with very friendly hosts. Course is nice, well maintained but some greens have a fungus problem. Wide fairways and some elevated greens. Course is not too difficult and gives nice views.



Tue 24th Sept: St Malo. Par 72 - 5,578m.

Designed by Hubert Chesneau, the mastermind behind French Open venue Golf National, and set in the ancient hunting grounds of Mesnil Forest, St Malo has matured very nicely indeed over the past quarter of a century. From first (a relatively gentle par five) to last (a great closing hole with a well-guarded green in full view of the clubhouse terrace), this is amongst the very finest of the new generation of French golf courses and it's only half an hour from the ferry terminal at St Malo. There's water on 13 holes and some fiendishly positioned bunkers but don't be put off because the fairways are mostly generous and the greens true. With an on-site hotel, restaurant and bar it's also an excellent place to stay. Free trolley hire when playing this course.



Hotel & Maps

Hotel Atlantic Thalasso Valdys

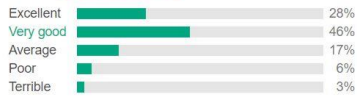
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Overview

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1,676 reviews



- Free Wifi
- Free Parking
- Breakfast Buffet
- Pool
- Non-Smoking Hotel

TRAVELLERS TALK ABOUT

- "main promenade" (3 reviews)
- "sea water" (2 reviews)
- "there is no air conditioning" (2 reviews)

