

# The château life



3 days / 1 night

## ***Friday: welcome to our home town***

We, Geneviève and Sandrine, welcome you at the airport of Lyon or Lyon city centre before taking you to your place of accommodation <http://www.chateau-de-champlong.com/fr/> where you will be having lunch once settled in.

After this, Eric Chatanay, your swordsman for the weekend from the Compagnie d'armes de Lyon <http://www.lyonescrime.fr/escrime-de-spectacle> will welcome you and explain the various activities of the weekend. You will then be ready to start your initiation to stage combat.

In the evening, enjoy a candle-lit gala dinner and immerse in the ambience of knights and princesses.

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## ***Saturday: show and dance***

A hearty breakfast is necessary since a busy day awaits the knights and princesses. With Eric Chatanay, swordsman of the Compagnie d'armes de Lyon <http://www.lyonescrime.fr/escrime-de-spectacle> you will learn yet more about stage fencing – teams will make up a scenario and perform it for the group later on that day. Eric will of course be present to guide you through this, and help you give it all out.

Today, you will also learn some ancient dance routines, to be ready for the masked ball in the evening, that all of you princes and princesses are invited to.

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## ***Sunday***

After a hearty breakfast, you can try your hand at 'canne de combat', a French martial art in which a wooden stick is used as a weapon. This way, you will have had the opportunity to handle several weapons and techniques during your stay.

In the afternoon, the golf course is available for putting some balls down, as well as the archery centre and horse paddock. This is your time for choosing an activity if you wish to, even if just taking a walk or taking the time to explore the pretty surrounding villages.

Late in the afternoon, it will be time for you to be driven back to Lyon, in the company of Sandrine or Geneviève.