

## DISCOVERY OF THE COUNTRY OF THE MUSCADET WINE

**21 September 2010**

Half a day (14h-18h) - Price: 32 euros /person (incl. tax)



English-speaking guide. Travel from Nantes, by coach.

**14h00 : Departure: La Cité, Nantes events center**

**14h30 : Guided tour of Clisson.**

Discovery of the Italian-style town and its impressive medieval castle on the banks of the Sèvre and the Moine. Stroll in the old streets: the covered market "les Halles", around the castle, the viaduct and the two bridges...

**16h30: Discovery of the Coing castle**

Located in the little wine town of St Fiacre, the castle lies at the confluence of the Sèvre and Maine rivers. This is one of the only estates in this winegrowing region that has its history and its architecture devoted to the wine culture, combined with a varied «terroir» suitable for the production of its famed muscadet.

In an historical line of winegrowers the present owner, madam GUNTHER-CHEREAU, the only female owner of a vineyard in the Nantes region, keeps up the art and tradition of the winegrower. The Chateau du Coing was destroyed and burnt down during the civil wars of Vendée. That's why we can now admire the different architectural styles of the castle (from the 15th to the 19th century).

Visit and wine-tasting.

**18h00: Return to Nantes**

**Limited number of participants. This excursion will be cancelled in case of an insufficient number of participants.**