

## **Geocaching course « ARCHEOCACHING SUR BRIANÇONNET »**

Premier parcours handi-géocaching du Parc régional des Préalpes d'Azur accessible en fauteuil

### **How to play:**

Geocaching is an outdoor recreational activity in which participants use a Global Positioning System (GPS).

Geocaching makes it possible to visit places thanks to North and East Coordinates.

The Google Maps application is one of the tools that allow visitors to advance on a course by integrating the provided North and East coordinates. And discover the course more often by solving riddles.

The visitor will be able to observe the various heritages which he will progressively discover.

The course often ends by the search and the discovery of a small waterproof and resistant container, including a register of visits named "logbook" and sometimes one or more "treasures".....

### **Entering North and East Coordinates in Google Maps.**

With the Google Maps Application to start your course, you will enter a latitude (North) and a longitude (East) in degrees (°) and minutes ('), in the menu bar "enter your search".

The first coordinates will always be given to you; some riddles will help you to find the following coordinates of the next steps.

For example to enter : **N 43 51.852 E006 45.420**, you must be careful to respect the spaces, the points, the comma, or (if we expressly indicate)

43space51point852commaspace06space45point420

Then start the search. Click on "itinerary" then "start" to start your course.

The practice of geocaching is under the responsibility and common sense of everyone and hiking in nature needs to have the necessary equipment and the usual protections.

Discretion is a basic principle of geocaching practice.

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### **It's your turn :**

**Car park : N 43 51.858 E006 45.421**

**Stage 1 : N 43 51.852 E006 45.420**

This water comes from a little further up.... At number 1 you can quench your thirst and note correctly the numerical code offered.

On the inscription on the bottom of the cipus (stone marker) only two numbers can be converted into Roman numerals to be used respectively to solve the following equation N 43°51. (346+X) et E006°45.(464+X) **N 43 51.(346+X) et E006 45.(464+X)** (Ces données vous amèneront à l'étape suivante).

**Stage 2 :**

What is the support of the "bas-relief " made up of 1. limestone (answer=793) 2. Cement (answer=702) 3. (answer=850) Solve N 43°51.X E 006°45.384 Then for the clue code ; A few meters from here ... many avoid it by superstition.....

### Stage 3 :

Bend down at the foot of the church and the co-ordinates of the final hiding place will be revealed to you.

The Romans used to name some of their children by numbers. Quentin is currently a derivative of a Roman name, which will give you the last key digit.

### Stage 4 : Final Location

The clue codes will allow you to fill in your log.



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