



5 MARIETTE PACHA SQUARE

From the top of the ramparts, check out the view of the Mariette Pacha square. Palm trees, pyramids, sphinx... Egypt has pride of place in this garden that pays tribute to the famous Egyptologist Auguste Mariette Pacha who was born at Boulogne-sur-Mer. Check out the reconstruction of Cheops's solar barge dating back to 2650 BC on the Nile «of the land of the living towards the world of the dead».



6 THE VALENTINE HUGO GARDEN

Born in Boulogne-sur-Mer in 1887 in the Capécure area, Valentine Hugo was the great granddaughter of Victor Hugo. Her talent as a painter meant she was a renowned artist. She was a remarkable book illustrator and theatre decorator, and was very connected to the artistic and literary circles from the first half of the 20th century (Picasso, Cocteau, Proust, ...).

7 THE TOWN HALL AND ITS JAPANESE GARDEN

Inside the town hall, you will find a Japanese garden covering a few square metres with the customary elements: bench, pool, stones, plants and a summerhouse.



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8 THE FLOWER SHOW

«nature against car», «Gulliver's garden», «the greedy garden», «the colours»... every year, the town of Boulogne-sur-mer organises a flower show on the central piazza of the fortified town. An unmissable event!

HOW TO GO THERE?

From the Place de France, take the free shuttle service for the town centre.

By bike: bike rental service (nearest station "Quai de la Poste").

Come alongside and visit
Gardens and green spaces

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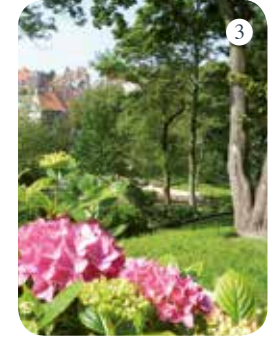
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① MARINA

The marina is your reference point for following the directions. The journey from the port to point ② takes 15 minutes, on foot.

② THE «JARDIN DES TINTELLERIES»

A portion was sold to the SNCF national railways in 1865 to make way for the Paris-Calais railway line. Destroyed during the 1939-1945 War, it was redesigned by Pierre André Dufetel, the architect of the Boulogne region. The gate is all that remains from the 19th century.

③ THE BUCCIALI GARDEN

Hidden at the heart of the hustle and bustle of the town, the Bucciali gardens are a real haven of peace.

④ THE RAMPARTS

The moat of the chateau of the Earl has been filled with water. Cross the courtyard of the chateau. Once you cross the drawbridge, turn right and there, you will see the ramparts. The four gates provide access to the rampart walk, where you can enjoy a very pleasant amble with beautiful views overlooking the entire town as far as the port area, as well as the beach and the flowered gardens at the foot of the ramparts.