

# Welcome to ...

## Paris Yank

*a Benevolent Yankee in France*

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**Paris Yank Wiki** V 0.9 is a 🐼 [Minimum Viable Product](#), (early Beta version)

- To Receive Feedback from testers and
- To Introduce the concept of this website.

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## Introduction

Welcome to **Paris Yank**, a guide crafted by Parisians, tailored for anglophone visitors to Paris. Whether you're planning your first trip to the [City of Light](#) or you're a seasoned traveler, Paris Yank provides an authentic, local perspective to help you explore, enjoy, and experience Paris like a true local Parisian.

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## Our Mission

Paris Yank aims to bridge the gap between the local charm of Paris and the needs of English-speaking visitors. Our goal is to make your visit smooth, enjoyable, and memorable, offering insider tips and practical advice, especially for those unfamiliar with city life. By the way, "Our" Mission means we the Community of Paris Yank contributors.

Note that this website is in a Wiki Style and does not present flash and pow as many current websites present. Our goal is to present as much information as possible to the reader without a lot of 'blah, blah.' It's just our style

Although Paris Yank offers a variety of features, the main goal is to provide a guide of Paris [and other cities] written by locals of those cities.

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## Connect and Share

Paris Yank is not just a guide; it's a community. Engage with fellow travelers and locals through our

social features:

## Chat and Q&A

Ask questions, share experiences, and get real-time advice from Parisians and other visitors. Whether you need a quick recommendation or detailed travel advice, our community is here to help.

- **Live Chat:** Real-time chat support for urgent inquiries.
- **Discussion Forums:** Thematic forums for various interests (e.g., art lovers, foodies, history buffs).

## Dining Guide and Recipe Exchange

Share your favorite recipes and discover new ones. Our recipe exchange includes traditional French recipes and international dishes contributed by our diverse community. It's a great way to connect over a shared love of food and cooking.

- **Recipe Categories:** Starters, main courses, desserts, and drinks.
- **User Contributions:** Highlight popular recipes from visitors.

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## Additional Social Elements

To enhance the community spirit, we also offer:

### Event Calendar

Stay updated on local events, festivals, and happenings around Paris. Plan your visit around these

events to make the most of your time in the city.



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- **Upcoming Events:** A calendar with detailed descriptions of events.
- **Submit an Event:** Allow users to contribute events they know about.

### Photo Gallery

Share your travel photos and browse through the visual stories of others. It's a wonderful way to get inspired and see Paris through different lenses.

- **User Galleries:** Personal photo albums from visitors.
- **Photo Contests:** Monthly themes and contests to encourage participation.

## Blog and Stories

Read and contribute to our blog, featuring travel stories, tips, and personal experiences from our community members.

- **Featured Articles:** In-depth articles on Parisian culture, history, and lifestyle.
- **Guest Posts:** Invite users to share their own stories and travel experiences.

Join Paris Yank today and start your journey to experiencing Paris with the insight and warmth of a local. Bon voyage!

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## Site Navigation

With so many links, pages, subjects and discussions...this Wiki website may be complex. This Wiki runs on a mobile phone but navigation is more difficult because the menus do not fit on a mobile phone screen.

There are several ways to navigate

1. **Logo** on the top left side: click to reach the Wiki Homepage
  2. **Left-hand column** will contain list of contents within the subject within you are located. For example... "Go → Paris" will have a list of contents specifically for Paris.
  3. **Upper right page** has a list of contents for the page that you visit
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