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Dinant carnival: folklore, traditions and giant puppets

Event planned for the month of March 2025



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Ville de Dinant

Come and see Dinant's great carnival procession with its amazing costumes and giant puppets.

Fancy dress is highly recommended. You can also join the wheelbarrow decorating competition.

Meet the giants

 Guinguet, Cafonnette: back in 1815, the three brothers Debri, nicknamed "the Guinguets" succeeded to stop 2,000 Cossacks at the Bayard pass and saved Dinant in the process.

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 Cheval Bayard: the legend says this horse could cross the Meuse in a single bound... which he did Dinant, bouncing from a rock which was split by the blow of his hoof. The information contained herein is provided as a guide only.

We recommend that you check with the local supplier before you leave.

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