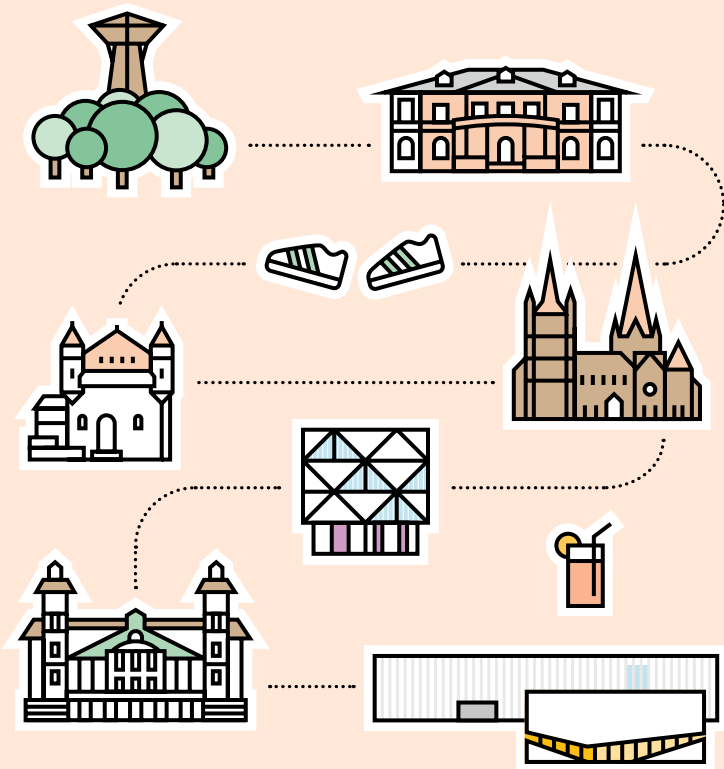


PANORAMIC STROLL



Discover Lausanne's 10 most beautiful vantage points!

Both an urban and lakeside town, Lausanne represents the dolce vita in a breathtaking natural setting with Lake Geneva, the Alps and Jura mountains as a backdrop. Voted best small city in the world, this town on a human scale can easily be visited on foot. Make the most of this downhill walk to discover Lausanne's 10 most beautiful vantage points, as well as some key spots of the Olympic Capital and pleasant places to quench your thirst and enjoy Lausanne's atmosphere.

1 SAUVABELIN TOWER

This 35-metre-high tower is located in the heart of Sauvabelin Forest. Climb its 151 steps to make the most of 360° views over Lake Geneva, the Alps and the Juras.

2 SIGNAL DE SAUVABELIN

You'll discover a panoramic view over the city and its surroundings, and see both of the Cathedral's towers set against the backdrop of Lake Geneva. Don't hesitate to use the town's binoculars!

3 HERMITAGE PARK

This magnificent landscaped park boasts one of the best vantage points over Lausanne and Lake Geneva. Lying in the grass to contemplate the view, it's difficult to imagine that the town centre is only a ten-minute walk away.

4 ST-MAIRE CASTLE ESPLANADE

From the Cité Hill where the St-Maire Castle is located, you'll discover part of the town as well as an outlook on Lake Geneva and the Jura mountain range.

5 LAUSANNE CATHEDRAL

In the heart of the Cité, the Cathedral dominates the town. After climbing the belfry's 224 steps, you can admire a magnificent panorama with an opening on the Alps.

6 FROM THE FLON FOOTBRIDGE

On one side, you'll discover the modern district of the Flon and on the other, you'll see the Jura mountain range.

7 MONTBENON ESPLANADE AND PARK

In the heart of the city, this park is one of the most beautiful balconies over the lake. A statue of Guillaume Tell – Switzerland's mythical hero – stands proudly in front of the court building.

8 IN THE VICINITY OF THE COLLÈGE DU BELVÉDÈRE

This is another spot that offers a generous balcony over Lake Geneva, which becomes more impressive the closer you get to the terrace bordering the school.

9 ON THE LANGUEDOC HILLSIDE

Sit on a bench and bask in this spot close to the hearts of Lausanners, in the middle of vineyards as well as the town centre.

10 THE CRÊT DE MONTRIOND

Make the most of a walk in the Botanical Garden to climb to the top of the hill. It's steep, but the vista is worth the trip.



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With its 500 m difference in height, Lausanne's topography offers many exceptional view points over the town and beyond, over Lake Geneva, the Lavaux vineyards, the Alps and Jura mountains.

STARTING POINT: from the Pinte du Lac de Sauvabelin
ARRIVAL POINT: Place de Milan

Public transport [t-l.ch](https://www.t-l.ch)

DURATION: 2 hours
DISTANCE: 6 km



CHECK OUT THE WALK ONLINE



THE PANORAMAS

- 1 SAUVABELIN
Tower, forest, park
- 2 SIGNAL DE SAUVABELIN
Sentier du Signal
- 3 HERMITAGE PARK
Avenue Louis-Vulliemin
- 4 ST-MAIRE CASTLE ESPLANADE
Rue de la Barre 6
- 5 LAUSANNE CATHEDRAL
Place de la Cathédrale
- 6 FROM THE FLON FOOTBRIDGE
Passerelle du Grand-Pont
- 7 MONTBENON ESPLANADE AND PARK
Allée Ernest-Ansermet 3
- 8 IN THE VICINITY OF THE COLLÈGE DU BELVÈDÈRE
Chemin des Croix-Rouges 24
- 9 ON THE LANGUEDOC HILLSIDE
Chemin du Languedoc 16
- 10 THE CRÊT DE MONTRIOND
Milan Park

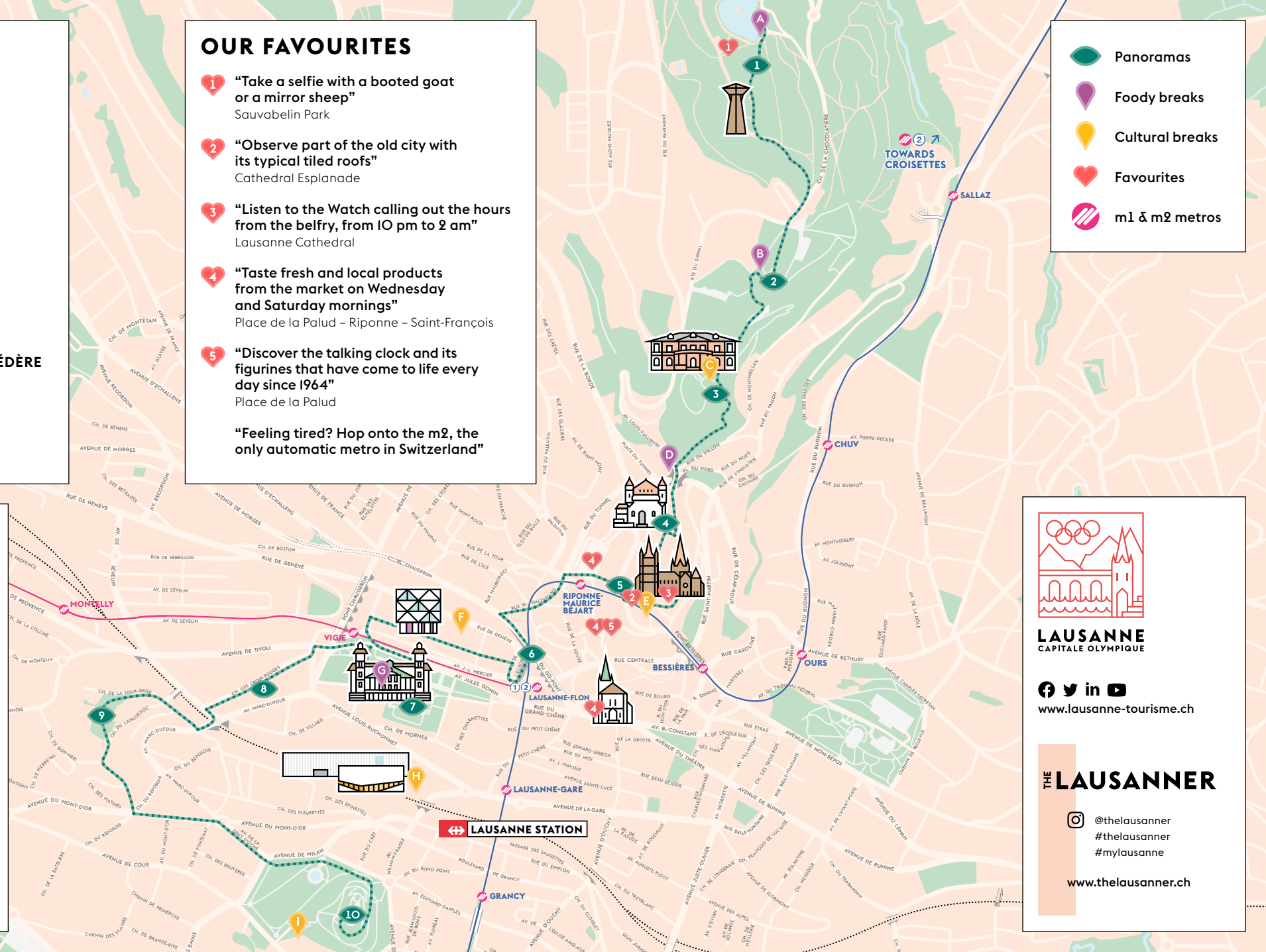
OUR FAVOURITES

- 1 "Take a selfie with a booted goat or a mirror sheep"
Sauvabelin Park
 - 2 "Observe part of the old city with its typical tiled roofs"
Cathedral Esplanade
 - 3 "Listen to the Watch calling out the hours from the belfry, from 10 pm to 2 am"
Lausanne Cathedral
 - 4 "Taste fresh and local products from the market on Wednesday and Saturday mornings"
Place de la Palud – Riponne – Saint-François
 - 5 "Discover the talking clock and its figurines that have come to life every day since 1964"
Place de la Palud
- "Feeling tired? Hop onto the m2, the only automatic metro in Switzerland"

FOODY AND CULTURAL BREAKS

- A PINTE DE SAUVABELIN
Chemin des Celtes 1
- B CHALET SUISSE
Route du Signal 40
- C FONDATION DE L'HERMITAGE
Route du Signal 2
- D JACQUES RESTAURANT
Rue de la Barre 5
- E LAUSANNE HISTORY MUSEUM
Place de la Cathédrale 4
- F FLON DISTRICT
Restaurants, bars, galleries, cinema, nightclubs
- G BRASSERIE DE MONTBENON
Allée Ernest-Ansermet 3
- H PLATEFORME IO
Vaud Museum of Fine Arts, mudac, Photo Elysée
- I BOTANICAL MUSEUM AND GARDEN
Avenue de Cour 14 bis

-  Panoramas
-  Foody breaks
-  Cultural breaks
-  Favourites
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