



WELCOME !

A bit of history...

Opened since June 12th, 1993, the home of the fishing and the nature of levallois is a public equipment of an unique caratère in France.

Situated in the path Claude Monet in the island of la Jatte, a well-known island of impressionnistes, faced with the pedestrianized footbridge which links up the island with the continent of Levallois.

This building of marble and glass integrates perfectly with a park to break 15 000m2, faced with the new quarter of Levallois.

Next to the Seine, near the famous apiary and the near honeybees, symbols of the city of Levallois the home of the peach and the nature dominates the riversides of the river, especially done up for the fishing.



Financed, constructed, and equipped by the municipality of levallois, the home of the fishing and the nature also shelters AAPPMA 92 & 75, one of the most important associations of fishing and protection of the aquatic middle of France, which manages Seine and ponds on the department of the "Hauts de Seine" as well as the ponds of the wood of boulogne.

The first objective of this equipment is, in an urban environment, to contact a very broad public of children and adults for a pedagogic, scientific and play discovery of fish, aquatic circles, protection of environment and fishing.



REMEMBER YOU...

*You do not have to knock on the windows of aquariums this movement frightens fishes which risk to injure themselves. Some fishes are immovable it is in their nature.

*Food, to drink, and to smoke inside the museum is not to allow.

*For the calmness of other visitors, one asks for it you not to run and shout in the museum. Rollers is forbidden, thank you for leaving them at the entrance.

*The access of the animals is prohibited, safe for the dogs accompanying disabled persons.

*Thank you for not touching the animals and the naturalized fish, they are extremely fragile

A RIVER OF POSSIBILITES

Workshops Fishing and Nature

We offer you workshops of discovery of aquatic middle and introduction in the peach. They contact the children from 7 to 17 years old and allow to discover different types of fishing: Blow, throwing, carpus, carnivorous and fly. These workshops take place every Wednesday after midday or in training period of week during scholastic vacation.

Reception of the groups

Our workshops " to Know and to Act for our environment " are especially developed for the scholastic groups or leisure centres, the children discover their environment there and implement actions in his favour. Some themes: Birds of gardens, aromatic plants, insects, cycle of water, fish of the Seine..

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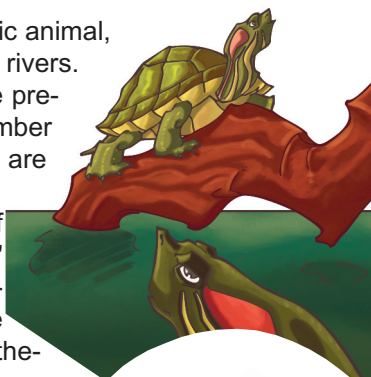
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5 Aquatic Turtles

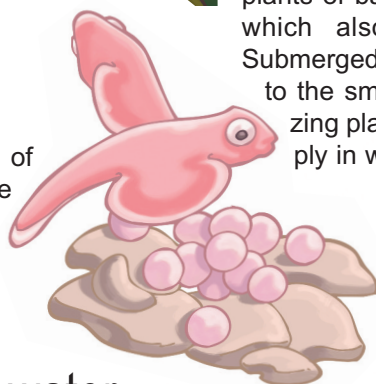
The turtle of Florida, domestic aquatic animal, is a blight when he is released in our rivers. In effect, these "nice" turtles are true predators in our nature and their number must be controlled or other kinds are going to disappear...

For it, we participate in the "Turtles of Florida Program : do not reject me" and let us receive turtles of the individuals who like to part from it. We introduce you some specimens gathered in the course of the year here.



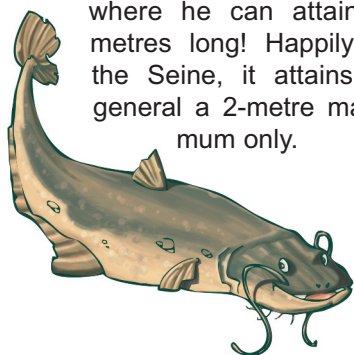
4 Nursery workshop

Thanks to our nursery, veils you within the reach of the smallest fish of our river. Will you notice these young fishes? They were born this year in the Seine or in the ponds of wood of Boulogne. Their scales are still transparent and let foresee bones and their organs...



3 Welscatfish, Giant of fresh water

The welscatfish is not a catfish. It is originally from Russia where he can attain 5 metres long! Happily in the Seine, it attains in general a 2-metre maximum only.



Not at it seems " Shark of fresh water", it is a fish which saw in the bottom and feeds in most cases on white surdensitaires fish, like the bream and crayfishes. And is precious regulating predator and a fish of big sports appreciated by the fishers. It is also appreciated in eastern France gastronomy under the name of "Merval".

2 Golden Carassins, fish from China

The golden crucian is the original species of the famous goldfish. It exists in different forms of fins, heads, bodies and colors: Chinese sail, Lion's head, Shubunkin, Ryukin, Comet fish, Telescope fish ... The history of goldfish is 1000 years old. It descends from a silver crucian called "Huna" that is native to East Asia. This fish was very popular in ponds and water gar-

dens of the Tang Dynasty. A natural genetic mutation produced the golden color and the specimens began to be reproduced intentionally ... It is the most commercialized pet in France, unfortunately often in a small ball aquarium where he can not flourish and has a very shortened life expectancy.



6 Aquatic Garden

Life in water implicates the manufacture of oxygen, this role is devolved in the aquatic plants, they are really the lung of the watercourse. It is by the photosynthesis that they produce some oxygen in the daytime and liberate the night from some carbon dioxide. Plants act has different levels, you will notice plants of banks and plants semi-submerged roots of which also assure the stability of riversides. Submerged plants which assure protection and food to the small aquatic animals and to fish and amazing plants of surfaces which bath their roots simply in water without needing land...



1 Tactile Pond

This tactile pond is intended for the children but will also awaken the curiosity of adults. Here you can touch fishes of our fresh water such as mirror carps, leather carps and common carps or big goldfishs,

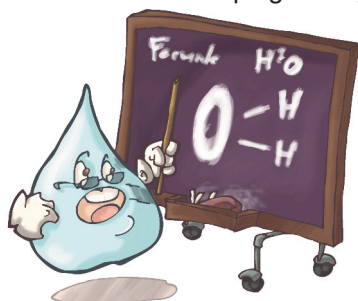
without forgetting our two stars of the pond : the Koï carps and the Siberian sturgeons... Don't worry they don't bite ! If you wish to feed them ask to the presenter for some granules, he will please to give you.



7 Aquaponic Basin

The word "aquaponics" is a contraction of "aquaculture" (fish farming) and "hydroponics" (growing of plants above ground). Aquaponics is therefore a symbiosis of plants, fish and bacteria, it is a mini eco-system natural re-created, where the waste of one element become the food of another element in the system.

The fish that live in this basin produce droppings. They are transformed by bacteria into food for plants (nitrates). Plants absorb them to grow and so clean the water to make it fish-friendly. Everyone wins!



8 Crayfish's Kingdom

They live under water like fish but do not have fins, they are of the same family as shrimps and crabs but live only in fresh water, it is, these are ... crayfish! There are many species in France : American crayfish, Louisiana crayfish, Turkish crayfish, Californian crayfish. These crayfish from other countries now populate most of our rivers. They have replaced our native crayfish: the Red-legged and White-legged crayfish that have been decimated by pollution, the destruction of their habitats and a very virulent disease: the "crayfish plague" brought by ... American crayfish! Try to find them ...

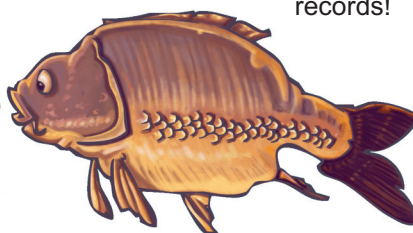


9 Monster Carp & Carnivorous fishes

Admire the impressive mirror carp standing in front of you! It weighs 37 kg and was taken in 1981 in the Yonne (77) by a fisherman, it is officially one of the world records!

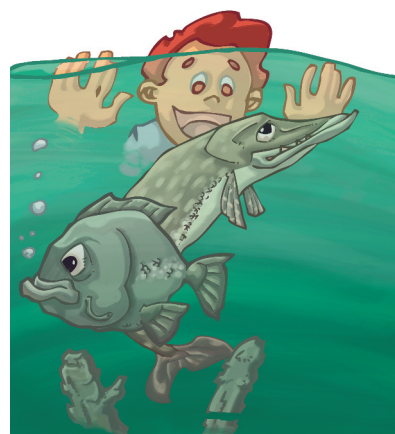
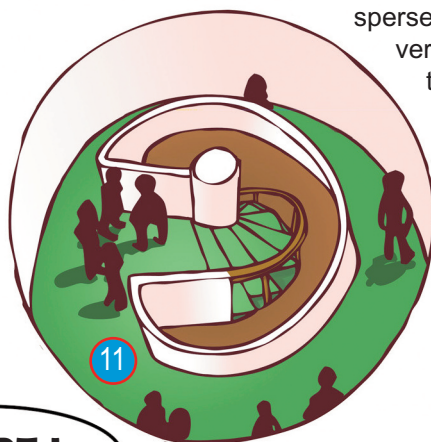
She is accompanied by a TV star, a magnificent Atlantic Salmon, a migratory fish caught in 2008 at the Suresnes dam and who made the headlines in the press and television news!

They are accompanied by an exhibition on the "Carnivorous fishes of the river Seine" with many naturalized predatory fish to discover.



10 Panoramic Aquarama

Strong of 18 basins of 300 litres each, this living fresco introduces you all fish fauna of a river as Seine, from its source to its estuary, by way of torrents of mountain, meanders of medium and big rivers, ponds and lakes, what which interperse his parcours. You will discover more than 30 kinds of fish there! Read the fish sheet, you will learn full of things about their way of life, as Chabot which uses its big mouth as engine, or else the Pike and his army of 700 teeth, an efficient but unfortunately threatened predator...



11 Museum of French Fishing

Use the liner-like staircase to climb to the 1st floor of the Aquarama tower, its zenith lighting will guide you to the Fishing Museum. You will find an A-to-Z of Parisian fishing from the 20s to the 80s with utensils, lures, gear, vintage photos, rods classified by type will show you technical progress, a collection of reels, unique in its kind, you will be amazed by some unusual pieces. Enjoy !



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