

La Petite Maison

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The petite maison is a 19th Century, two-storey cottage built in stone. For many years its attractive appearance was hidden beneath a faded yellow mortar rendering. It has been renovated and has new electrical, water, and heating systems. The roof has been renewed and insulated. It is cool in the summer and warm in the winter months.

There is central heating throughout the cottage. Towels, bed linen and tea towels are provided, and gas, electricity and water are included in the price. Please bring your own towels for outdoor use.

The owner's property is set in one hectare of land, which is available to you. The petite maison has its own street entrance and courtyard. There is plenty of off-road car parking.



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Dining/living-room



Gallery twin-bedded room

On the ground floor the cottage has a open-plan kitchen off the spacious living room. The large shower room has a WC and a washbasin unit.

Upstairs is a large double-bedded room, and a twin-bedded gallery room, each with storage for clothes and personal effects. A gate closes off the stairwell. Extra visitors have use of the convertible sofa.

We have a cot and a high-chair; but please bring your own cot-sheets and bedding, beaker, potty, etc.



Kitchen

The petite maison has a separate laundry room with washing-machine, iron, and ironing board. There is a courtyard with table and chairs and a barbecue. A hairdryer and a radio/CD player are provided.

It is an easy 15-minute stroll to the centre of the village where there are two bakers, two hairdressers, a general food store, chemist, post office, two cafés, hotel/restaurant tobacconist, a dentist, and two doctors.

There are two bicycles that you can use during your stay with us, and if you have any particular requirements please let us know, and we will research them before you arrive.



Principal double-bedroom



Shower and toilet



Extensive garden



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Fontaines has about 2100 inhabitants, and is made up of seven hamlets. It boasts five lavoirs (wash-houses), and calls itself a village of stone and water.



The octagonal lavoir



Tower of St. Hilaire

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| Village centre | 1 mile |
| Nearest restaurant | 1 mile |
| Voie Verte (canal-side cycle/walking) | 1 mile |
| Supermarkets/mptor fuel | 5 miles |
| Swimming pool | 5 miles |
| Chagny (Sunday street market) | 5 miles |
| Chalon sur Saône (Major town) | 8 miles |
| Beaune | 15 miles |
| Dijon | 48 miles |

Dijon is described in the Lonely Planet guide as one of France's most appealing provincial cities, with medieval and Renaissance buildings, it is only 60 minutes drive away.

Beaune with its *Hotel-Dieu*, a Flemish-Burgundian-Gothic building, is worth a visit and is only 30 minutes away.

Other activities close by or within an 30 minutes car journey is wine tasting, ballooning, petanque, karting, fishing, and golf. Chalon has an Olympic size swimming pool, along with two other pools on the same site. There are also zoos, amusement parks, museums, art galleries, cinemas, concert hall, and theatres to visit.

The train from the station at Fontaines will take you to Chalon sur Saône, Chagny, Dijon, Macon and Lyon .

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