

# PARK REGULATIONS - 2016

Entering the park implies acceptance of these regulations.

**BISC'AVENTURE®** has two activity zones:

- A treetop adventure course fitted with continuous lifelines
- Thrill Seekers zone: Free Jump; Giant Catapult; Big Jump; Climbing Wall

## BISC'AVENTURE® PARK

*(applies to all persons on the site)*

### General :

The park's visitor capacity is intentionally limited for your safety and enjoyment. You may be denied entry at any time. In the event of bad weather conditions (strong wind, storm or lightning risk, gusts, etc.) management reserves the right to temporarily or definitively evacuate the course and the Thrill Seekers zone for your own safety as well as that of staff.

### Requirements for accessing the site :

- Members of the public are prohibited from accessing the facilities outside of the opening hours.
- All persons on the site must have first taken out civil liability insurance.

Obey all signs, markers and pathways. Do not hinder the participants by loitering around or near structures that touch the ground. It is forbidden to run in the alleys.

- It is forbidden to smoke or start a fire in the play area. Dogs must be kept on leads.
- Picnics are allowed in the specified picnic area (as long as there is enough space available) but are forbidden in the play and activity zones.
- You are asked to take particular care of the environment. It is forbidden to damage trees or plants (do not trample over them; do not go beyond the barriers, etc.).

### Requirements for accessing the activities :

Anyone wanting to take part in the activities must **read and agree to the park regulations** and must pay the entrance fee. Only **people who are physically and mentally fit** enough to comply with safety requirements will be able to take part in the activities on the BISC'AVENTURE® site. Participants must be able to see and hear BISC'AVENTURE® staff. People that have consumed alcohol or any other substance that may alter their capabilities are not allowed to take part in the activities.

Minors **under 14 years of age must be accompanied by a responsible adult** when registering. This adult must have followed the safety instructions and must be present on site throughout the duration of the activity.

**You are responsible for closely following the safety instructions.**

Any comments or issues that may cause a risk in the running of BISC'AVENTURE® activities (Adventure Course; Free Jump; Giant Catapult; Big Jump; Climbing Wall) must be passed on to BISC'AVENTURE® staff.

Management reserves the right to exclude any person:

- that doesn't comply with safety requirements.
- whose behaviour is dangerous to him/herself or others.
- that is disrespectful to other people, the facilities or the environment.

**BISC'AVENTURE® assumes no liability if the safety instructions  
and these park regulations are not complied with.**

## TREETOP ADVENTURE COURSE

The entry ticket is valid for the whole day (except for groups in summer) and expires as soon as you hand your equipment back in. The entry ticket is individual and cannot be reimbursed or exchanged with another person.

If the management decides to suspend the activity, and if the ticket holder has spent less than two hours in the park (as attested by the time indicated on the receipt), the ticket's validity will be renewed.

### Definition of the activity :

BISC'ADVENTURE® offers a treetop adventure course. The treetop course enables participants to **independently** make their way through and across trees and other natural and man-made supports, much like an acrobat! The courses comprise fixed structures which are open for people to use **without specific monitoring or guidance**. The various protective devices include **equipment designed to reduce the consequences of falls and collisions**. **The treetop adventure course has certain inherent risks** which cannot be fully eliminated.

**You are responsible for your safety** and for closely following the safety instructions. These safety instructions include:

- those given by BISC'ADVENTURE® staff
- those presented in the «Safety instructions» DVD which **all** participants must watch.
- those specified on signs.

### Access requirements :

- from **4 years of age**: 3 Little Adventurer courses + 1 bouncy castle. No access for adults and children over 1.3 m.
- from 6 years of age and 1.2 m: 1 White course, 2 Yellow courses, 2 Green courses.
- from 1.4 m: 3 Blue courses, 2 Red courses and 2 Black courses. *Possibility of accessing the White, Yellow and Green courses.*

### Safety :

BISC'ADVENTURE® offers more than 170 different activities spread across 15 colour-coded courses of increasing difficulty and height. All the courses are fitted **with a continuous lifeline**, a unique and permanent safety system.

You connect your pulley at the start of the course and disconnect it at the end.

At BISC'ADVENTURE®, operators monitor the activity by zone. Monitoring points are located at the start of the courses. This allows operators to assess each participant on the implementation and operation of the safety system.

**Follow instructions on how to use** the facilities and the activities: a maximum of 2 people on the structures, and 1 person on the zip-line and Tarzan Jump; a maximum of 3 people on the platforms; do not loiter beneath the platforms.

### Equipment :

All participants must be kitted out by an operator working at BISC'ADVENTURE®. This equipment is adjusted to your size.

Participants are forbidden from removing or adjusting their safety equipment by themselves.

Choose the course level that matches your abilities. Our staff are there to advise you.

## THRILL SEEKERS ZONE (ESPACE SENSATIONS)

All participants must read and agree to the safety instructions, specifying any medical contraindications. Participants must present a ticket to the member(s) of staff supervising the activity. **In the event of a refusal, no ticket will be refunded or exchanged.**

### Safety :

When participating in the Thrill Seekers activities, it is important to:

- remove any object from your person that may fall to the ground; remove your glasses; ensure your shoes are secured
- never touch the safety equipment
- do not access the structure without being invited to do so, and without having received instructions from the supervising staff

Medical contraindications to taking part in the Free Jump, Giant Catapult, Big Jump and Climbing Wall activities

**Consumption of alcohol, drugs** or other substances that modify the behaviour of the participant: pregnancy, high blood pressure, heart disease, joint disease, neurological conditions, epilepsy, diabetes, Ménière's disease.

If the participant has one of these contraindications, a medical certificate, issued not more than 30 days prior, attesting to the participant's fitness for the Thrill Seekers activities must be provided. If the participant is unable to present such a medical certificate, he or she will be unable to take part in the activities.

## GIANT CATAPULT

### Definition of the activity :

The *Giant Catapult* is an activity which vertically ejects the participant by using elastic cords attached to the person via a harness. BISC'AVENTURE® staff place the participant in the middle of the structure and fit him or her with a harness equipped with shoulder straps. This harness is connected to the base via a "release hook". BISC'AVENTURE® staff then tauten the elastic cords attached to the sides before opening the "release hook". The participant is then ejected to a height of up to 18 metres in 2 seconds, experiencing a force of 3.5 G.

### Access requirements :

Requirements to go on the Giant Catapult: above 10 years of age, above 1.4 m in height and weight between 35 kg and 110 kg.

**1 ejection on the Giant Catapult = €12 (2 tickets at €6)**

### Safety :

It is important to:

- hold on to the straps on either side of the harness.
- Keep your head straight by stiffening your neck slightly; keep your legs straight and firm (brace yourself).

## FREE JUMP

### Definition of the activity :

The *FREE JUMP* is an activity that involves jumping from a platform (5 m and 7.5 m) down onto an air mattress that cushions the fall. The mattress is much like the ones used by professional stuntmen. The *FREE JUMP* is supervised and managed by BISC'AVENTURE® staff.

### Access requirements :

The 5 meters jumping platform is suitable for **those aged 6 and over and weighing more than 25 kg** (yellow bracelet).

The 7.5 m jumping platform is suitable for those over 1.4 m, after a first jump from 5 metres and provided they have permission from the member of staff supervising the activity (blue bracelet).

**2 goes on the FREE JUMP activity = €6 (1 ticket at €6)**

### Safety :

It is important to:

- jump only when instructed to do so by the supervisor.
- aim for the centre of the mattress (target), land on your backside or back, with your hands on your chest.
- get off the mattress in the indicated direction, feet first, by sliding on your backside (like on a sled).

## CLIMBING WALL (MUR D'ESCALADE)

### Definition of the activity :

BISC'AVENTURE® offers a climbing activity on a 10 m high man-made wall with 3 routes of increasing difficulty.

### Access requirements :

Requirements to go on the *CLIMBING WALL*: **above 6 years of age, and above 25kg** (Yellow bracelet).

**25 minutes on the CLIMBING WALL = €6** (1 ticket at €6)

### Safety :

The participant's safety and descent are ensured by a TRUBLUE safety system (1 system per route).

The participant is fitted with a self-adjustable climbing harness. These harnesses are classified by size and colour.

The BISC'AVENTURE® staff check that the equipment is fitted correctly and connect it to the safety system via a locking carabiner.

### Important:

- do not begin climbing until you obtain permission from BISC'AVENTURE® staff
- do not climb a route which doesn't match the safety system to which you are attached
- sit in your climbing harness whilst descending
- Do not stand beneath a climber

## BIG JUMP

### Definition of the activity :

The BIG jump is an activity which consists in jumping from a 15 m high platform. The participant uses a ladder to climb to the top of the tower, stands at the edge of the platform and jumps.

### Access requirements :

Requirements to go on the *BIG JUMP*: **above 10 years of age, and above 35 kg**

**1 BIG JUMP** (1 attempt) = **€12** (2 tickets at €6)

### Safety :

The participant's safety and descent are ensured by a TRUBLUE safety system.

The participant is fitted with a self-adjustable climbing harness. These harnesses are classified by size and colour.

The BISC'AVENTURE® staff check that the equipment is fitted correctly and connect it to the safety system via a locking carabiner.

### Important:

- do not begin climbing the ladder until you obtain permission from the staff supervising the activity
- position yourself facing forward and jump whilst sitting in the harness
- do not remain in the landing area