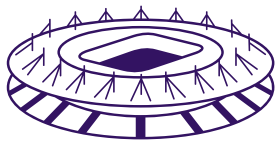




# OFFICIAL SPECTATOR GUIDE

# OLYMPIC CLOSING CEREMONY



**STADE DE FRANCE**

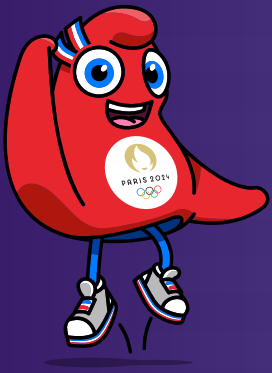


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# WELCOME TO THE PARIS 2024 OLYMPIC CLOSING CEREMONY

## **GAMES OVER!**

The Paris 2024 Olympic Games are drawing to a close, and it is with immense pride, and gratitude in our hearts, that we prepare to conclude this global event. These Games have been marked by moments of glory, of exceptional achievement and of solidarity between athletes from all over the world, and the time has come to celebrate all the heroes who have emerged and mark the end of this extraordinary adventure.

## **CELEBRATING THE ATHLETES BACK AT THE STADIUM**

As competition draws to a close, all eyes return to the Stade de France in Saint-Denis, where much of the action has taken place, the sense of excitement still ringing in the air, for a unique opportunity to bring all the participants together one last time to take part in what promises to be a true spectacle in the middle of the ceremony. As a theatre and opera director, I have harnessed the stadium setting using the tools we commonly see in live performance - lighting, sets, costumes, scenography, etc. - to create a unique celebration of the Paris 2024 Games.

## **A BRAND-NEW SHOW BASED ON THE ORIGINS OF THE OLYMPIC GAMES**

In 884 BC, in the midst of an outbreak of plague and with wars ravaging his kingdom, Iphitos, King of Elis, was intent on appeasing the anger of the gods. He consulted the oracle at Delphi and was advised to create the Olympic Games. The Games have therefore embodied these healing values we have come to know as the “Olympic Spirit”, and the peace and healing associated with them, since ancient times. This true spectacle will take us on a dystopian, dreamlike journey back to the foundations of humanity in a tribute to the creation of the Games and their revival by Pierre de Coubertin, father of the modern Olympic Games, in the late 19<sup>th</sup> century.

## **A MINDFUL CELEBRATION 19**

It is important to stress that these Olympic Games are perhaps humanity’s greatest intangible achievement when it comes to peace; a unique event that, while still possible today, is nevertheless a fragile accomplishment that must not be taken for granted. The closing ceremony of the Paris 2024 Olympic Games will be a vibrant tribute to the athletes themselves, celebrating the Olympic spirit and looking forward to a future in which the Olympic values continue to shine. Together we can make this a memorable evening that both honours the past and embraces the future in a mindful way.

**Thomas JOLLY**

Paris 2024 Artistic Director of Ceremonies

## **INSIDE YOUR GUIDE...**



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# A LAST DANCE!



## CLOSING CEREMONY AT THE STADE DE FRANCE

11 August 2024 – Start time: 9:00pm

- ✓ The athletes will come together one last time for a huge celebration at the Stade de France
- ✓ A dreamlike, operatic show highlighting the origins and values of the Olympic Games
- ✓ A tribute to all those involved in the Games over the past fortnight
- ✓ The handover from Paris 2024 to Los Angeles 2028
- ✓ A brand-new show by Thomas Jolly
- ✓ The extinction of the flame, a highly emotive moment marking the end of these Games



The closing ceremony is available with audio description on the **Paris 2024 Official Application**. Bring your earphones!

[Download the app](#) →



*“Following an opening ceremony on the Seine that will go down in history and an incredible Olympic Games that proved a great unifying source of pride and joy for France, it really is such a pleasure to be back in our national stadium! Over at the Stade de France, we will have another opportunity to celebrate these athletes, as well as our love of sport and the Games, with the whole world in the most wonderful way. Thanks to the brilliant Thomas Jolly and his teams, the show, and the many surprises it has in store, promises to be nothing short of spectacular. So, see you on 11<sup>th</sup> August in Saint-Denis!”*

**Tony ESTANQUET**  
Paris 2024 President

### KEY FIGURES

Closing ceremony

Over 200 delegations

8 200 athletes

71 538 spectators

270 artists

35 days of rehearsals

2400m<sup>2</sup> of stage



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# RETRIEVE YOUR TICKETS



## PARIS 2024 TICKETS ONLY ONE APP TO:



**RETRIEVE**  
YOUR TICKETS



**TRANSFER THEM**  
TO YOUR RECIPIENTS



**SELL THEM**  
ON THE OFFICIAL  
RESALE PLATFORM

**TICKETING FOR THIS EVENT IS 100% DIGITAL.**  
It is not possible to print your ticket to access the ceremony venue.



### THE 4 STEPS TO ACCESS YOUR TICKET AND GET TO THE CEREMONY VENUE

**1**



Download the  
“Paris 2024 Tickets” app  
on your smartphone.



**2**



Log in using your  
Paris 2024 details  
used to purchase your  
tickets.

**3**



Click on one  
of your sessions  
to discover the different  
tickets.

**4**



Open your tickets  
by clicking on one  
of them. A secure QR  
code will be displayed  
as you approach the  
event and will be  
available offline.



### POCKET-SIZED TICKET FAQ



**What should I do if my internet connection is not available when my ticket is being checked?**

A secure QR code will be displayed on your ticket in the application, as the event approaches, to enable you to access the ceremony venue. Activation of this QR code is automatic and does not require an internet connection. It is essential to log in beforehand with your Paris 2024 login details.



**What should I do if my phone battery runs out during a ticket check?**

It is your responsibility to ensure that your smartphone has sufficient battery power to present your digital ticket on the “Paris 2024 Tickets” application at the competition site access control. We invite you to prepare your visit carefully and to take the necessary precautions.

Ticketing Help Centre →



**Hospitality customers:**

download the “Paris 2024 Hospitality” mobile application developed by the official provider On Location.



# TRANSFER AND RESELL TICKETS



## DID YOU BUY TICKETS FOR FRIENDS AND FAMILY? TRANSFER THEM NOW SO THAT THEY CAN ACCESS THE CEREMONY VENUE

1



Select one of your sessions on the homepage.

2



Select the desired ticket and click on **“Transfer”**. Then, follow the various steps.

3



Your recipient needs to download the application, log in and click on the link received. They will then be able to add the ticket to the application.

4



Their ticket has been added to the application! If they can no longer attend the ceremony, they can return it to you at any time via the app.



## CAN'T MAKE IT TO THE CEREMONY? RESELL YOUR TICKET SECURELY

1



Click on **“Resell”** under the ticket concerned or **on the “My ticket list”** page on the **“Paris 2024 Tickets”** app.

2



Select the ticket you wish to resell from the list that appears. You can also resell several tickets.

3



Double check that you have selected the correct ticket(s). Click on **“Continue”** at the bottom of the page.

4



**Your ticket is for sale!** If it is sold, you will be notified. If not, you can withdraw it at any time directly from the official resale platform.

If your ticket has been transferred to you by a specific entity or if it is part of hospitality offer, the resale is not possible.

See the full guide to the **“Paris 2024 Tickets”** App

Your Guide





# GETTING TO THE STADE DE FRANCE

AS STADE DE FRANCE IS NOT ACCESSIBLE TO MOTORISED VEHICLES, PARIS 2024 RECOMMENDS THAT SPECTATORS USE:



Public transport

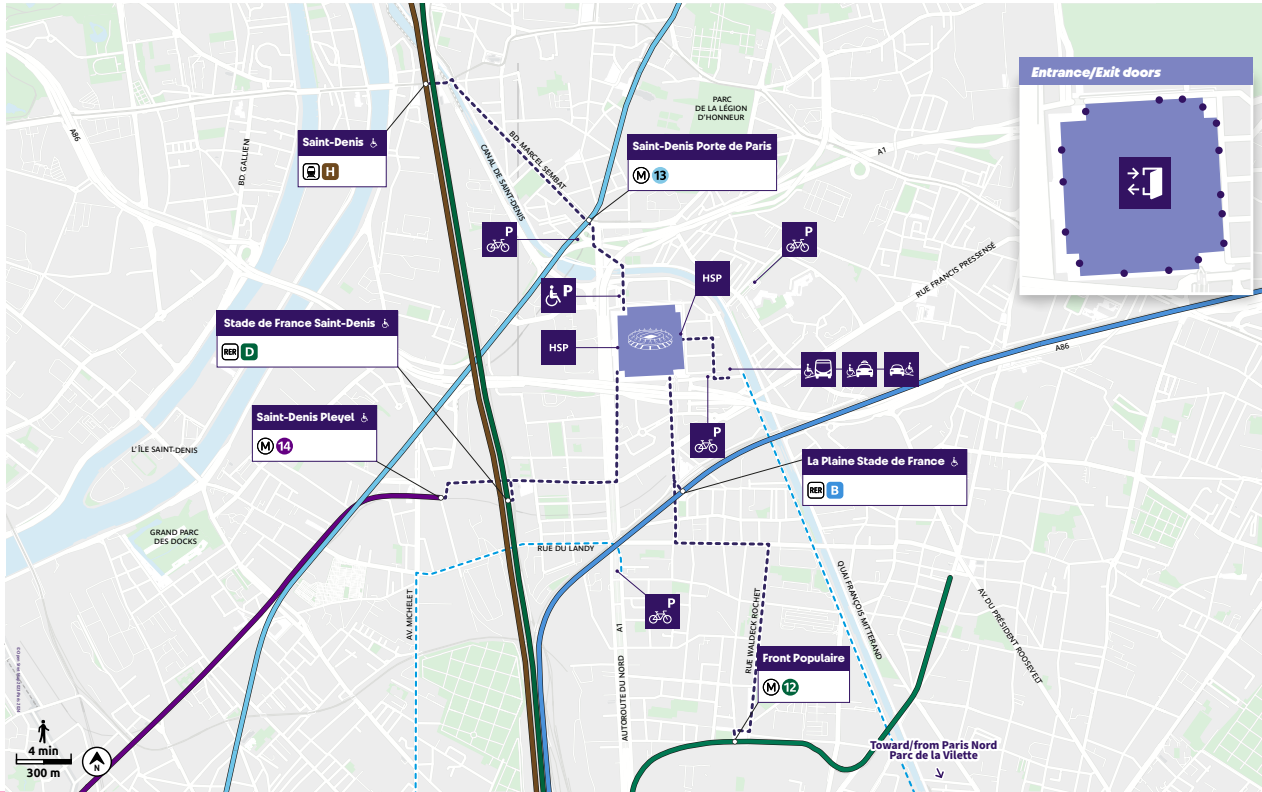


Active mobility modes

P+R

Park-and-ride facilities

- Competition venue
- Pedestrian pathway
- Cycle path
- Spectator entrance/exit
- "In-Venue Hospitality" entrance
- Accessible shuttle drop-off zone for people with disabilities
- Drop-off zone for people with disabilities
- Taxi drop-off zone for people with disabilities
- Wheelchair parking
- Bike park facility



## PUBLIC TRANSPORT

<p><b>STADE DE FRANCE SAINT-DENIS</b></p> <p></p> <p>Then 900 metres walk to the venue</p>	<p><b>SAINT-DENIS -PLEYEL</b></p> <p></p> <p>Then 1,2 kilometre walk to the venue</p>	<p><b>SAINT-DENIS</b></p> <p></p> <p>Then 1,6 kilometre walk to the venue</p>
<p><b>FRONT POPULAIRE</b></p> <p></p> <p>Then 2,1 kilometres walk to the venue</p>	<p><b>LA PLAINE STADE DE FRANCE</b></p> <p></p> <p>Then 500 metres walk to the venue</p>	<p><b>SAINT-DENIS PORTE DE PARIS</b></p> <p></p> <p>Then 300 m walk to the venue</p>



**PUBLIC TRANSPORT PARIS 2024**

Download the app dedicated to transport to plan your journey and get real-time information on transport conditions.



Buy your transport ticket(s) in advance to avoid queuing at the station.

Find out more



Take the or metro line to reach the Stade de France.

It is strongly recommended to plan sufficient time for your journey on public transport and to arrive on site as soon as the gates open at 6:00pm.



## ACTIVE MOBILITY MODES

Four free bicycle parking zones, are available to spectators on the day of the event:

- 16 Boulevard Anatole France - 93 200 Saint-Denis
- Cours du Ru de Montfort, Cité du Franc Moisin – 93 200 Saint-Denis
- Rue Ahmed Boughera el Ouafi - 93 200 Saint-Denis
- 221 Avenue du président Wilson - 93 200 Saint-Denis

Bicycles helmets, electric batteries and other equipment are prohibited within the competition venue and must be left at the parking zone. Paris 2024 may not be held liable for any theft or damage.

## P+R PARK-AND-RIDE FACILITIES

Motorised vehicles (cars, motorbikes, etc.) are not authorised to park within the vicinity of the competition venue but park and ride facilities are available.

Book your car park close to public transport links to the competition venues.



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# ACCESSIBILITY

## TRAVEL OPTIONS



### SHUTTLE BUSES FOR WHEELCHAIR SPECTATORS

A dedicated transport service for spectators with a accessible or wheelchair ticket and their accompanying person will be provided to reach each of the competition venues for the Paris 2024 Games from several stations in Paris. This service is only accessible with early booking, possible up to 48 hours before the start of your session.

**Spectators with disabilities are advised to use this service in light of the expected high number of travellers on public transport networks.**

Find out more →



### MOTOR VEHICLE

A drop-off zone for disabled spectators is available at 2 Rue Jesse Owens (93200 Saint-Denis). Parking spaces for wheelchair users can be found at Rue de la Couture Saint-Quentin (93200 Saint-Denis).

**Find all access arrangements on the accessibility page of the Paris 2024 official website.**

Find out more →



### PUBLIC TRANSPORT

**Find the recommended public transport lines and stations for people with disabilities on the Paris 2024 official website.**

Public transport accessibility →

**From the accessible shuttle drop-off zone and from the wheelchair parking, spectators with disabilities will be accompanied to the venue entrance.**

## ON-SITE ARRIVAL



**People with disabilities or with specific needs will be greeted on site by Paris 2024 volunteers.** This service notably includes priority access to the venue, mobility assistance, the provision of hearing assistance, as well as a dog-friendly area. Full details of this service can be found at the Information Desk which can be located using the interactive map available on the following page.



# SERVICES AVAILABLE ON SITE



## DISCOVER THE INTERACTIVE MAP OF YOUR VENUE!

THANKS TO THE INTERACTIVE MAP OF THE STADE DE FRANCE MAKE IT EASY TO GET AROUND THE SITE!

FIND INFORMATION POINTS, FOOD AND BEVERAGE CONCESSIONS, ENTERTAINMENT AREAS AND MUCH MORE!



AVAILABLE ON THE PARIS 2024 OFFICIAL APPLICATION



Interactive map of the venue



### NO LOCKERS ON SITE

Please bring only essential items. Any prohibited items shall be confiscated and will not be returned on exit.



### ATMs

For payments onsite, we accept only Visa card and mobile payments, along with cash.



### SMOKING BAN

Smoking and vaping are prohibited throughout the venue.



### WASTE SORTING

Recycling bins are available at the competition venue.



A selection of products for all tastes can be found at the food and beverage concessions to provide delicious, more local and more plant-based nutrition. This selection is accompanied by a choice of non-alcoholic drinks.



Head to one of the official stores at the venue to pick up your own Paris 2024 Olympic souvenirs.



Fountains with drinking water are available free of charge at the venue. Remember to bring a metal or plastic bottle, 75 cl maximum, with you (glass is prohibited).



Make the most of the entertainment provided to add to the festive experience with the activities offered by Intel-Samsung and Samsung.



### VOLUNTEERS

Our volunteers (Paris 2024 and host cities) are available to help from start to finish. We're counting on you to make sure their contribution is recognised.

### MEDICAL ASSISTANCE

If you require assistance, look for a medical station or a person wearing a red bib. Automated External Defibrillators (AEDs) are installed at the venue and are freely accessible.





# SPECTATOR CHECK-LIST

PLAN YOUR ARRIVAL

ON THE DAY

ONCE THE SESSION IS FINISHED

## THERE ARE NO LOCKERS ON SITE.

Make sure to take the bare minimum to make the access control process as smooth as possible.

Prohibited items will be confiscated and not returned on exit.

In addition to the standard safety checks, a systematic check of liquids is planned.

## PROHIBITED ITEMS



Luggage, Bags > 25 L



Motorbike and Bicycle Helmets



Alcoholic Beverages



Weapons or objects that can be misused as a weapon



Explosives, Flammable Substances



Tools



Glass, Cans and Bottles > 75cl



Rigid Poles



Golf, Stick Umbrellas



Illegal Substances



Wireless Routers, Drones



Means of personal locomotion and batteries



Camcorders and Professional Cameras



Camera Lenses > 20cm



Animals



Objects Producing Excessive Noise



Political, Religious, Vulgar, Commercial Messaging



Laser Pointers



Flags > 1x2m and flags of countries and territories not participating in the Games – flags (current and historical) of, and other items that may be associated with, countries whose athletes are allowed to participate exclusively as individual neutral athletes

## AUTHORIZED ITEMS



Walking sticks



Metal or plastic water bottles up to 75 cl (glass prohibited)



Bags up to 25 liters and 50H x 30 W x 20D (cm)



Foldable small umbrellas



Pushchair



Personal mobility devices for people with disabilities



Portable oxygen bottles for medical use



Guide and service dogs



Cameras with lenses shorter than 20 cm



Food in reasonable quantities and baby food



Sun cream in the form of sprays and mists



External battery for mobile phones



Flags of the countries and territories participating in the Games, without rigid poles. Flags must not exceed 1x2 metres in size

## PLAN YOUR ARRIVAL

## ON THE DAY

## ONCE THE SESSION IS FINISHED



### DOWNLOAD THE PARIS 2024 OFFICIAL APP

The must-have tool for the full Paris 2024 experience:

- **Key information** to plan your arrival
- **Real-time notifications** for your session
- **Dedicated features** on site
- and much more...



Download the app →



### PREPARE YOUR ON-SITE PAYMENTS WITH VISA

Paris 2024 proudly accepts only Visa for card and mobile payments, along with cash, at Olympic and Paralympic venues to pay for food, beverages and official licensed products.

For spectators arriving without a Visa product, visit a Visa Prepaid Card Kiosk location or download the Visa Go app to add money to a virtual Visa Prepaid Card\*



And to get even more out of the experience, **log in to your ticketing account.**



\*Terms and conditions apply

### TIP FOR INTERNATIONAL SPECTATORS

I stay connected, I film, I comment, I share with my friends stayed at home! Our top tip: I buy my SIM card or my Orange Holiday eSIM before I leave and benefit from a 10% discount with Orange.

Buy my eSIM →

## PLAN YOUR ARRIVAL

## ON THE DAY

## ONCE THE SESSION IS FINISHED



### Check that your phone is charged and that you've downloaded the necessary apps:

- "Paris 2024 Tickets" app
- Paris 2024 Official app
- "Public Transport Paris 2024" app



**Check the weather forecast and plan accordingly** (wide-rimmed hat, sun cream, sun glasses, foldable small umbrella, water bottle, etc.). For more information on prevention measures, see [here](#).



**Use public transport or active mobility modes. Make sure you have a valid transport ticket for the outward and return journey** and check traffic conditions.

Buy your ticket →



**Plan to arrive as soon as the gates open at 6:00 pm.** Entrance is closed 30 minutes before the end of the ceremony. **Any exit from the venue is final.**



**In case of lost items,** go to the Information Point or the **dedicated page**. The page is due to go online at the start of the Games.



**Victim of or witness to violence?** Find your nearest security agent or a person wearing a red bib.

Visuel non contractuel

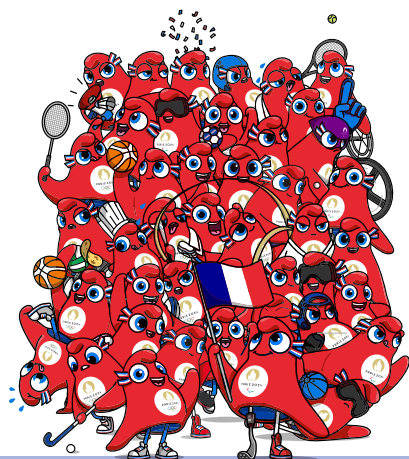


**ALL OF THE FESTIVE EVENTS ACROSS FRANCE CAN BE FOUND ON THE GAMES MAP ACCESSIBLE VIA THE PARIS 2024 OFFICIAL APP.**

Game map →

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Come and soak up the multicultural and festive atmosphere of the Paris 2024 Games and join in the enthusiasm of supporters from around the world. Combining sport and culture in one, Club France and the Hospitality Houses of the National Olympic and Paralympic Committees invite you to celebrate the Games together.



**EXTEND YOUR PARIS 2024 ADVENTURE!**

**NEW TICKETS GO ON SALE EVERY DAY FOR THE PARALYMPIC GAMES. IT'S NOW OR NEVER!**

Click here to find tickets →

**THE CLUB 2024 ZONES**  
(ACROSS FRANCE)

Freely accessible celebration venues to share the experience of the competitions at the heart of Seine Saint Denis

**THE CULTURAL OLYMPIAD**  
(ACROSS FRANCE)

Cultural events held near the sporting events.



**And that's everything you need to be ready on the big day!**  
We can't wait to share with you this unforgettable experience together at the Paris 2024 Games!

**Have a question?**

Get in touch with the general public Paris 2024 help centre.

Help centre →



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