



Le Negresco unveils the 9th edition of Les Enfants Arty with Jordane Saget

Wednesday, 28 October 2026: a celebration of line, gesture and material

An iconic art hotel on the Promenade des Anglais, Le Negresco celebrates French artist Jordane Saget this autumn 2026. A distinctive figure in contemporary drawing in public space, he has been invited to introduce young visitors to his singular artistic word.

Les Enfants Arty – The origins: awakening curiosity, cultivating the imagination

Launched in 2022, Les Enfants Arty invites young minds to immerse themselves in the fascinating world of art, culture, and heritage. The programme includes exceptional workshops and inspiring encounters with prominent figures from the art scene. This immersive experience aims to spark children's curiosity and foster their creativity, guiding them on an engaging journey of discovery through artistic and cultural treasures.

Jordane Saget: the line as signature



Jordane Saget began drawing lines on paper around 2010, before the street became his open-air studio in 2015. From these beginnings emerged an instantly recognisable visual language: three curved lines, spaced with an almost musical regularity. Rooted in a childhood fascination with geometry, the lines later softened as the artist began practising tai chi chuan. Most often drawn in chalk, an ephemeral material evocative of childhood, poetry, and freedom, his works have since taken on sometimes monumental dimensions, immersing the viewer in the heart of the drawing.

'That day, I realised that drawing a line changes space. It's extraordinary! That's when I began drawing with the desire to adorn Paris.' – Jordane Saget

Jordane Saget's work enters into dialogue with land art, Keith Haring's use of chalk in the urban landscape, and Felice Varini's large-scale geometric compositions. His practice has also extended into fashion through collaborations with Jean-Charles de Castelbajac. For this new edition of Les Enfants Arty, Saget invites young participants to make his graphic vocabulary of curves, texture, and repetition their own, and to invent a personal symbol.



Programme

- **'Palette Printing' workshop**

Children explore printing with ink stamps inspired by Saget's graphic style on a white palette. Combining paint with repeated motifs, they create their own 10 × 10 cm artwork.

- **'Customise a Plate' workshop**

Drawing inspiration from Saget's ceramic work, children paint and customise a plate using the artist's technique and motifs.

- **Group 'Illumination' workshop**

Inspired by Saget's current large-scale work using Meudon white, the children work together on a composition prepared by the artist, bringing it to life with metal leaf and oil pastels in a technique reminiscent of manuscript illumination.

- **Sweet finale**

As has become a tradition, Les Enfants Arty will conclude with a gourmet interlude created by Pastry Chef Yann Le Douaron, reflecting the guest artist's creative world.

A programme true to the spirit of Le Negresco

With Les Enfants Arty, Le Negresco continues to place art at the very heart of its identity. By fostering dialogue between heritage, contemporary creation, and the art of living, it celebrates an intergenerational and engaged vision, where each event becomes an expression of an art hotel, faithful to its heritage and firmly focused on transmission. Certified a Living Heritage Company (*Entreprise du Patrimoine Vivant*), Le Negresco nurtures, season after season, this same conviction: to be a space for expression where the youngest guests are free to give their creativity full rein.

Information & Bookings

Les Enfants Arty will take place on Wednesday 28 October, from 2pm to 5pm, in the Salon Masséna. Open to children aged 4 to 13, the event is offered at a rate of €65 per child. Pre-registration is open until 21 October 2026, by email to: events@lenegresco.com.

About Le Negresco.

Le Negresco is one of the last independent French luxury hotels. Located on the iconic Promenade des Anglais and overlooking La Baie des Anges, it offers a one-of-a-kind sensory journey through 6,000 artworks spanning from Louis XIII to the modern times. More than just a place to stay, it is an art hotel where each of the 102 rooms and 28 suites is uniquely decorated with authentic period pieces reflecting centuries of French artistic heritage. The soul of Le Negresco owes much to Jeanne Augier (owner from 1957 to 2019), whose vision shaped its powerful and singular identity. Culinary excellence is led by Chef Virginie Basselot, Best Craftsman of France, at the MICHELIN-starred restaurant Le Chantecler, the contemporary brasserie La Rotonde and the hotel's N Les Bars - Le 1913 and Le Versailles. The beach club N La Plage, and recently launched N Le Spa complete the experience. A film location for over 38 movies, Le Negresco continues to inspire and enchant. A listed Historic Monument since 1975 (façade) & 2003 (Salon Royal), labelled a Living Heritage Company since 2015, Le Negresco is also a pioneer in sustainable hospitality, with certifications including Ecolabel (2014), Green Key and LHW Sustainability Leader (2024). Proud founding member of The Leading Hotels of the World since 1928. "A Legacy, A Legend."

News 2026: Restoration of the four allegorical statues on the iconic façade; continued restoration works including the coffered ceiling of the bar Le Versailles; ongoing bedroom refurbishment programme (10–15 rooms), with 13 renovated this year; completion of the second phase of the façade restoration; and renovation of the Baie des Anges Salon.

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