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HOTELS ///

Hôtel Monte Cristo – a tribute to the work of Alexandre Dumas

This hotel just meters from Port-Royal is inspired by *The Count of Monte Cristo*, a novel by Alexandre Dumas. Dotted with exotic plants and artfully selected treasures, its eastern-themed décor invites guests on a fabulous journey. It's a sort of cabinet of curiosities scattered with antiques, objects related to Dumas, premium materials and sparkling colors. Sleep under the eaves in boudoir bedrooms that bring the writer's world back to life, or slum it in the lounge and rum bar – a nod to the author's Caribbean origins – and sample vintages from every region, including one produced exclusively for the hotel! Then continue your exotic journey in the 15-meter swimming pool. Timeless surroundings for a relaxing break.

■ **HÔTEL MONTE CRISTO. 20-22, RUE PASCAL, 5TH.**
www.hotelmontecristoparis.com

GOURMET DELIGHTS ///

La Guinguette d'Angèle opens at Bonpoint



Angèle Ferreux-Maeght.

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The secret dining spot for the stylish denizens of Saint-Germain-des-Près, 6 rue de Tournon is the go-to place for a totally new dining experience. A short walk from the Luxembourg gardens, nestled behind the façade of Bonpoint, this French-style garden with its neatly clipped lawn sweeps between townhouses

you'd never have guessed were even there! With its country-house feel, Guinguette d'Angèle – a favorite with luxury brands – has a flower-laden terrace scattered with tables and sunshades. Uber-creative chef Angèle Ferreux-Maeght serves a deliciously green, healthy and gluten-free menu along with dishes created especially for children. A shining example of the art of hospitality, this magical place is simply... angelic!

■ **LA GUINGUETTE D'ANGÈLE AT BONPOINT. 6, RUE DE TOURNON, 6TH.**
TEL. 01 43 26 14 06. CLOSED SUNDAY AND MONDAY. 11:30AM TO 5PM.
CLOSED FROM AUGUST 3 TO 31. <https://languinettedangele.com>

BEAUTY ///

GRANADO – CARIOCA BEAUTY BRAND ARRIVES IN PARIS

This Brazilian well-being brand, founded in Rio de Janeiro in 1870, has opened its first outlet in Paris. Set in an elegant décor featuring azulejo mosaic floors, sepia photos and large wooden sideboards, the store is infused with the scents of irresistibly splashable eaux de parfum and colognes. Inspired by Carioca beauty rituals, its range runs the gamut from vintage plant-based soaps to bottles of antiseptic talcum powder to potent formulas for creams, shampoos and treatments for legs, hands or feet. Reasonably priced and perfect for the whole family, it makes seduction a cinch – no wonder it's so popular with Parisians!

■ **GRANADO. 21, RUE BONAPARTE, 6TH. TEL. 01 42 39 02 90. <https://fr.granado.eu>**

