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## SNIPPETS

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Give the kids a summer holiday they can get their teeth into. A seven-night holiday at Le Lac des Reves starts from only £958 from 16 July. This includes access to the pools, waterslides and three children's clubs, and there is a saving of £105 for bookings made before 30 May ([www.siblu.com](http://www.siblu.com) , 0871 911 7777). During your stay, visit the Haribo sweet museum in Uzés. There are lots of tasty displays, including a marshmallow lady. Your entry fee is exchanged for sweets and tokens that kids use in sweet-making machines during their visit. Daniel Johnson **Siblu** PR Manager Tel: 0033 5 56 07 58 34

**Half Term in the Vendee for less than £50 per person!** Save 25% on a week's holiday in the sunny southern Vendee. Domaine des Oyats, a recently developed collection of contemporary holiday villas is in a pleasant wooded setting just a few minutes walk from a safe sandy beach. There is a heated swimming pool on site as well as volley ball, table tennis and mountain bike hire – a great way to explore the surrounding (largely flat!) area. One week from 28th May in 4 person villa at Domaine des Oyats from only £48 per person per week (accommodation only). Further information from [www.WakeupinFrance.co.uk](http://www.WakeupinFrance.co.uk) or tel. 01484 680855.

Bring the family together with **Matthews Holidays**. We provide a family size round table and comfortable chairs outside each mobile home so that everyone in the family can sit down together at meal times. Something that families often do not have the time to do at home, but one of the best ways to bond as a family and for children to learn to be sociable. Recent research has revealed that children and adolescents who share at least three family meals per week are more likely to be a healthy weight and less likely to have disordered eating than those who shared meal times less frequently. Matthews Holidays ([www.matthewsfrance.co.uk](http://www.matthewsfrance.co.uk) ) Press Contact: Iris Matthews - Tel: 01483 284044 or [iris@matthewsholidays.ltd.uk](mailto:iris@matthewsholidays.ltd.uk).

Summer by the Lake in France. What could be more relaxing than sitting by a tranquil lake in the sunshine? The region of Aquitaine on the south-west coast is home to countless lakes and the largest forest in France. In Aureilhan you can try some fishing or just enjoy the lake's beach, picnic tables, children's play area and walking paths. Seven nights commencing 30/07, 06/08 or 13/08 in a two bedroom apartment at the Residence Les Terrasses du Lac is only £896 in total through **Lagrange Holidays** (020 7371 6111, [www.lagrange-holidays.co.uk](http://www.lagrange-holidays.co.uk) ). Press contact: Rebecca Maffeis (020 7371 6111, [rmaffeis@lagrange-holidays.co.uk](mailto:rmaffeis@lagrange-holidays.co.uk)).

An Enchanting Cruise through Provence aboard 'Enchanté' A cruise through Provence with **European Waterways** aboard luxury 8-passenger hotel barge 'Enchanté' is like no other. After some Spring cruises along the 300-year-old Canal du Midi, she embarks in June on a series of delightful cruises along the Canal du Rhône à Sete in Provence, known for its gorgeous climate and fine cuisine.

Prices for an all inclusive 6 night cruise aboard 'Enchanté' start from £3,300pp in an air-conditioned, en suite cabin and from £23,500 for a full boat charter. The price includes gourmet meals, fine wines, an open bar, all excursions and local transfers. European Waterways are currently offering 25% off the charter price for selected departure dates in July and August.

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