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How to Celebrate
Valentine's Day in the
City of Love



GREAT GIFT IDEAS
FOR HIM AND HER

FABULOUS
APPOINTMENTS FOR
EXCLUSIVE ACCESS
TO THE CITY

EXPERIENCE TOKYO
IN PARIS



Olivier Rouy

Head Concierge at the Hilton Arc de Triomphe, and member of the Clefs d'Or, Olivier Rouy shares his favourite spots in Paris.

See his suggestions below in red.

30 things we love about Paris



1 Affordable and sassy accessories from **Lollipopps**. 60 rue Tiquetonne (2nd)

2 **Takkoda's** fun Pets Rock lip balm, available at Bathroom Graffiti. 4 rue de Sèvres (6th)

3 Wickedly delicious breakfast of brioche and juice at **Bread and Roses**. 25 rue Boissy d'Anglas (8th)

4 **Sweet Fan**, Chinese designer Frankie Xie's chocolate and citrus dessert served at Café de la Paix. 5 place de l'Opéra (9th)

5 **Le Bon Marché**, the exquisite department store on the Left Bank.

6 The praline chocolates from **La Maison du Chocolat**. 8 blvd Madeleine (9th)

7 **Panerai's** remarkable craftsmanship in timepieces. 3-5 rue de la Paix (2nd)

8 Taking in an exhibition on a lazy Sunday afternoon at **Centre Georges Pompidou**. p. 41

9 **Serge Lutens**. Unique and decadent scents. Palais Royal, 142 Galerie de Valois (1st)

10 **L'Atelier Gentlemen**, the exclusive barber shop in Montmartre. 17 rue Caulaincourt (18th)

11 Brunch at **Le Bal Café**. 6 impasse de la Défense (18th)

12 **Goyard's** ultra-chic leathersgoods selection. 223 rue Saint-Honoré (1st)

13 Traditional French fare at **Le Boudoir**. 25 rue du Colisée (8th)

14 People watching while enjoying a smooth red on the **Champs-Élysées**, the most beautiful avenue in the world.

15 **Hackett's** superbly tailored suits. 37 blvd des Capucines (2nd)

16 Discover the talents of the **street performers** usually found near the Notre-Dame.

17 **Aesop's** skin care products for him and her. 20 rue Bonaparte (6th)

18 **La Pâtisserie des Rêves'** sinfully sweet and decadent pastries. 111 rue de Longchamp (16th)

19 Taking in a relaxing exhibition at **La Pinacothèque**. 28 place de la Madeleine (8th)

20 Lunching on a fromage **crêpe**.

21 Shopping in the **Marais** neighbourhood on Sundays.

22 Spending the whole day as a family and acting like children in the happiest place in the world, **Disneyland**.

23 **Dancing!** Hit the dancefloor at Paris' hot club, the VIP Room. 188bis rue de Rivoli (1st)

24 Watching the sun set from **Place de la Concorde**.

25 The burgers and cheese fries at **Breakfast in America**. 4 rue Malher (4th)

26 The merry-go-rounds for kids at **Place du Trocadéro**.

27 Going up the **Eiffel Tower**.

28 **Anne Fontaine's** crisp white shirts for her. 370 rue Saint-Honoré (1st)

29 Discovering how royalty lived while visiting the **Château de Versailles**.

30 Making it all the way up the stairs to the **Sacré Coeur** and taking in the magnificent panoramic view.

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