

# Adventure before Dementia



The scribbles of an aged couple who are enjoying the best times of their life.

## News letter no 47

### Update 9/5/2015 Amboise

After a quick look at Boise we headed down to Amboise to a municipal site on a large island on the Loire (£10.50 per night inc electric and wi-fi) it has the most fantastic view of the château.



Amboise is, I think what we have been hoping to find in a Loire château type town, Good looking château, tidy town with lots of character, nice restaurants and shops. With the added advantage of Clos Luce, the final home of Leonard Da Vinci.





*The King of France being a friend of Leonardo asked him to live in one of his houses beside his château at Amboise. Leonardo spent the last 3 years of his life there and the French have adopted him as one of there own. It is a modest house compared to châteaux but very comfortable. If I had one criticism it is over restored, its like new.*

*The gardens and house are full of models and artwork.*



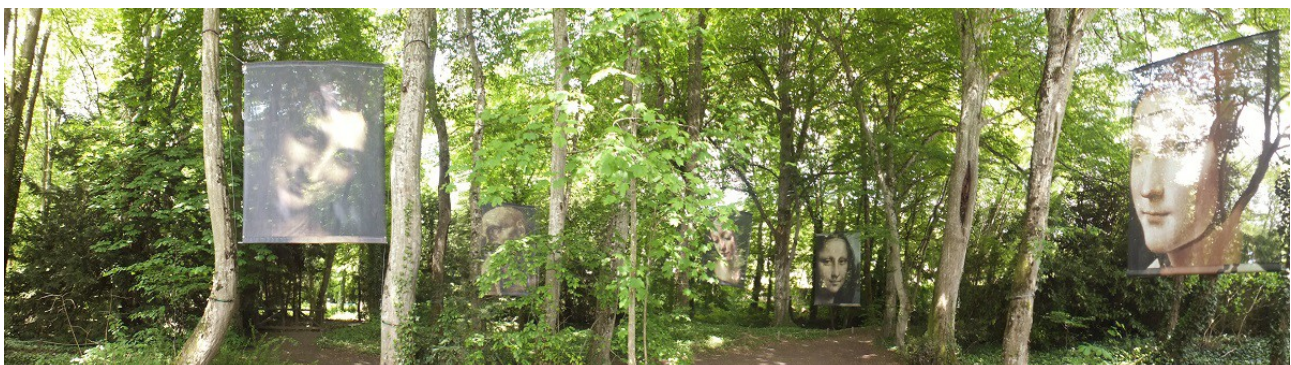
*Flying machine*



*Helicopter*



*Thro the gardens they have placed giant images of his famous artwork*





*Bike and mechanical vehicle.*



*A house built into the cliff on the way thro town.*



## Dislike of the day

*Brits who come to a French camp-site without a French 2 pin plug to blue Euro plug adaptor.*

## Like of the day.

*Sat having a drink outside the camper and watching balloons take off from the park next door.*



## Public Hollidays

*They have a lot in france this time of year*

*Friday May 1<sup>st</sup> Labour day*

*Friday May 8<sup>th</sup> V.E. day*

*Thursday May 14<sup>th</sup> Ascension day (and most take the Friday off as well.*



*Amboise Chateau.*





*Wendys Gallery.*



*Dandelion head after rain.*



Flags in the main street of Amboise.





Leonardos Dovecot.

