

## (E 12-Coastal Path/guide 2022) Paulilles Site - Elmes Beach/ Banyuls-sur-mer



Côte Vermeille - PORT-VENDRES





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# The wild beauties of the Vermilion Coast!

This hike begins with the exploration of the classified Paulilles site: the Catalan boat workshop, the museum of the former Nobel dynamite factory, and the gardens with lush vegetation. Then you reach the cove, a sublime spot to join the coastal path that leads you through wild landscapes, all the way to Banyulssur-Mer.

#### **Useful information**

Practice: Hiking

Duration: 1 h 30

Length: 2.8 km

Trek ascent: 115 m

Difficulty: Medium

Type: Traversée

Themes : Flora, Géologie, Histoire, Littoral, Artisanat,

Patrimoine

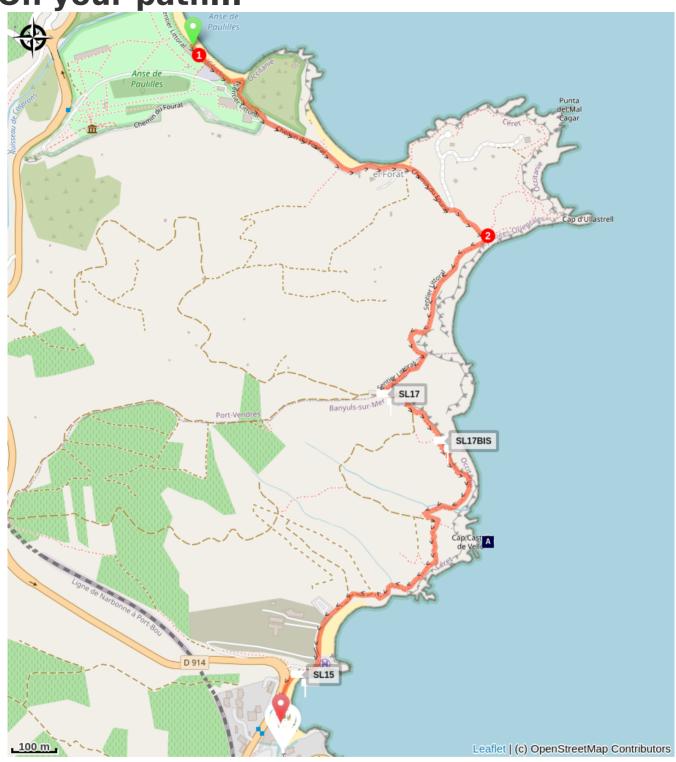
### **Trek**

Departure : Paulilles Site

Arrival : Elmes Beach in Banyuls-sur-Mer

- 1. Set off from the Paulilles cove towards Fourat Beach.
- 2. At Cap d'Ullastrell, continue following the markers until you reach Elmes Beach in Banyuls.

On your path...



Sphinx (A)

### All useful information

#### **A** Advices

The best part during the beautiful season: Bring a swimsuit, mask, and snorkel for a swim in the coves to observe the underwater wildlife. You enjoy nature, you love it, take care of it...

You are hiking on a trail along which regular household waste collection points are at your disposal. Out of respect for this exceptional area, used by several tens of thousands of hikers and walkers each month, we invite you to deposit all your waste (glass, paper, food scraps, etc.) and any you may unfortunately discover during your walk at these collection points.

With these simple but essential actions, let's keep this site clean, just as nature has graciously offered it to us.

#### **Environmental sensitive areas**

Along your trek, you will go through sensitive areas related to the presence of a specific species or environment. In these areas, an appropriate behaviour allows to contribute to their preservation. For detailed information, specific forms are accessible for each area.

#### Zone Natura 2000 Directive Habitat

Sensitivity period:

Zone Natura 2000 Directive Oiseaux

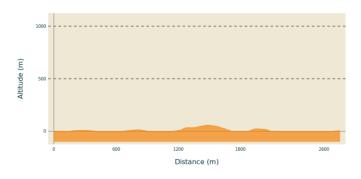


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#### **Altimetric profile**



Min elevation 0 m Max elevation 59 m

#### **Transports**

Access

Bus 1€ D914

#### **Advised parking**

Paulilles Site Parking

### On your path...





### Sphinx (A)

When Egypt invites itself on the Côte Vermeille. Observe the coastline and you will discover an authentic sphinx ... with a little imagination. This cape located near the Plage des Elmes is a beautiful place. You have to take the Chemin des Douaniers, by the Plage des Elmes to get there.

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