

# Landing safely and responsibly at Petite Terre

## Let's Contribute to preserving this Natural Reserve together.

You are going to discover an exceptional site where nature is protected from the impact of human activities. It is an area dedicated to the conservation of the Guadeloupien archipelago's habitats and biodiversity. Petite Terre is a refuge for many endemic, rare and threatened species. This priceless patrimony is one for everyone. It is our responsibility to leave it intact and pristine for future generations.

To contribute to the preservation of this delicate site, we have to respect few common sense rules. Moreover, some species (⚠️) can present a real danger for the imprudent swimmer or walker. Here it is strictly forbidden to feed, to take, to introduce or to manipulate any animal or vegetal species.

Thanks a million and enjoy your time!

Lagoon side



### Mooring

Anchorage is strictly forbidden. You have to use the buoys installed in the lagoon. You must check the well state of the mooring. The current can be strong. No litter whatsoever is permitted : leftover food, used water, sewage.

**Recreational boaters**  
(13 white buoys 10T maximum)

**Professionals**  
(5 white buoys 30T maximum)

**Small crafts**  
(9 white buoys)

### Disembarkation


The use of boat annexes is limited to the disembarkation of the passengers in the coconut grove. No boat annexes can land on the beach. The maximum speed allowed in the lagoon is 3 knots.

**Boat annexes**  
(White buoys)



### Activities

Water-skiing, jet skiing, kite surfing, drone and kites are forbidden. While you are snorkelling, **take care not to trample on corals or sea grass beds, not disturb animals and respect protected areas.**

 Access prohibited area

 Coral barrier



# Terrestrial side



## Leisure

Some tables and some barbecues are available on the coconut grove. Carry the remainders of food, waste and cigarette butts with you. No litter of any kind is permitted in the lagoon nor on the ground. It is forbidden to start fires outside the fireplaces built for this purpose. Camping is not permitted. Of course, usual rules of mutual respect and courtesy are recommended.

## Discovery

At the beginning of the coconut grove, take the direction of the beacon where you will find an exhibition hall, then take the discovery and history trail, which are buoyed. Take care not to disturb animals, not to degrade or take plants. For more information, please contact the guards who are regularly present on the reserve.



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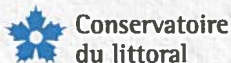
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### Managers

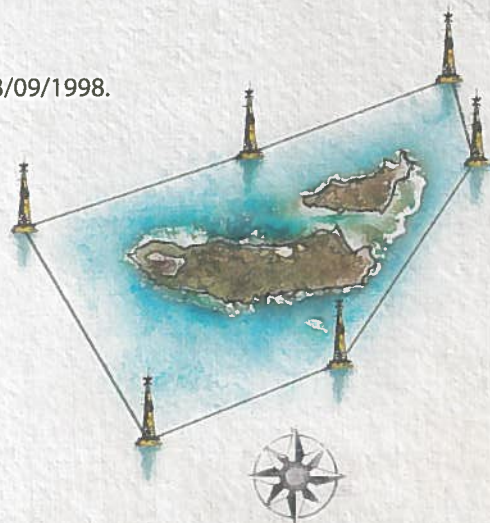
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### Owners

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