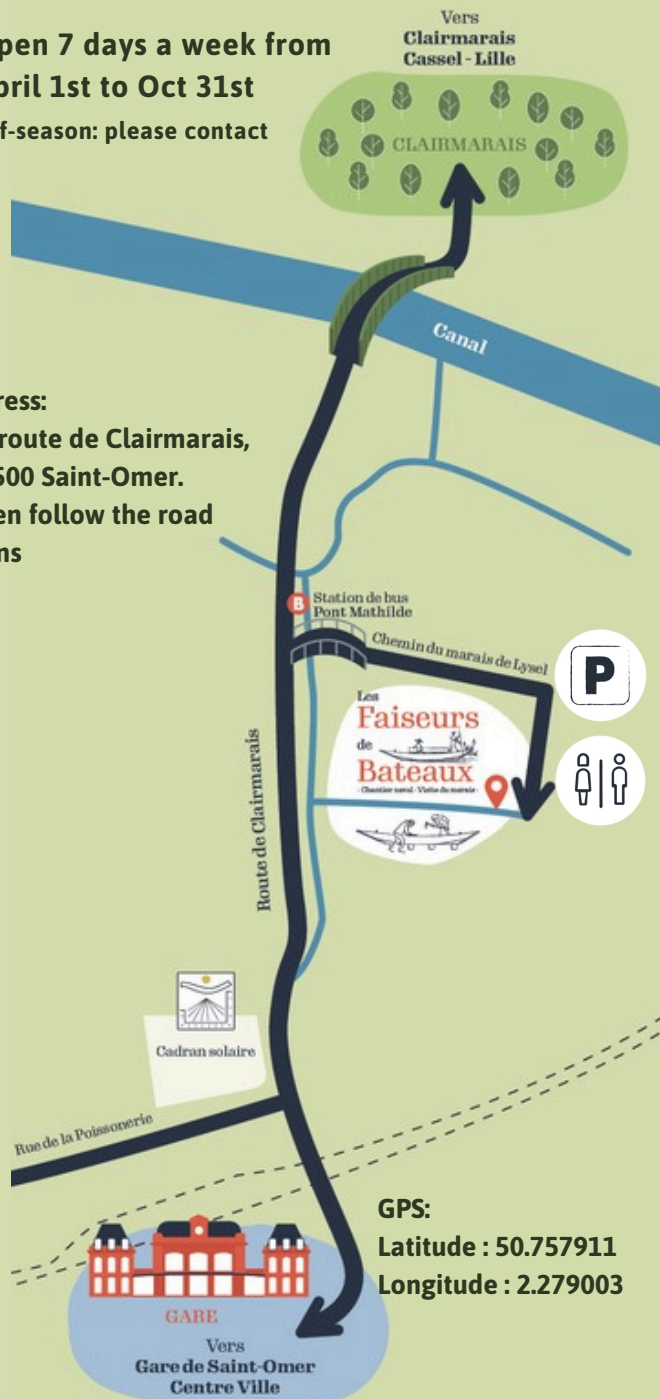




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In the heart of the Saint-Omer marsh, Rémy, Vincent Colin, and their team are the last inheritors of a unique craft: the construction of escutes and bacôves. These beautiful Flemish oak boats, long used by market gardeners, are an integral part of the Saint-Omer culture.

It is aboard these boats that the artisans invite you to discover the Saint-Omer marshes and the inner workings of their construction by opening the doors of their workshop. The workshop has held the Living Heritage Company label since 2015. This recognition of the excellence of their craftsmanship allows them to export their creations from the fortifications of Gravelines to the Palace of Versailles, passing through the Saint-Quentin marshes and the Hortillonnages of Amiens.

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