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After six months of renovation the bistro & restaurant Chez Jeannot at Museum Tinguely is reopening!

After more than two decades in service, the bistro and restaurant «Chez Jeannot» has now been fully renovated. Having been closed since June 2019, it is due to reopen on 14 January 2020. The dining area has been given a new look and the kitchen has been completely refurbished. The result is a modern French bistro whose furnishings exude a Parisian cosiness and atmosphere, with works by Jean Tinguely on show. The new «Chez Jeannot» offers its guests an attractive setting to linger and relax. Outside regular opening hours, the bistro can be booked for private and company events. Beside the «Chez Jeannot», the Roth Bar on the museum's upper floor is open until June 2020 as an additional exclusive venue to hire for events.

The interior, designed collaboratively by Basel Superdraft Studio, the Bistro Chez Jeannot and Museum Tinguely, invites you to enjoy a cosy déjeuner as well as coffee, syrup and cakes after your visit to the museum. In the inviting interior, diners can watch the chefs at work through a large window. The long bar is ideal for after-work drinks. Popular classics like the legendary cordon bleu are still on the menu, which now includes amongst other savory novelties a daily vegetarian dish and an Angus entrecote with herb butter and matchstick fries, as well as a diverse wine list and homemade desserts. Any meal or break from a museum visit can be perfectly rounded off with a barista-made coffee.

On Saturdays and Sundays, the Chez Jeannot serves brunch. In the summer, the popular picnic baskets make it easy for visitors to eat and drink in Solitude Park, and the Beach Bar offers riverside aperitifs or ice cream with extended opening hours. In the cold season, an enlarged winter lounge serves the famous Swiss fondue on the banks of the Rhine.

The Chez Jeannot and Museum Tinguely teams are delighted with the renovation and look forward to welcoming their visitors and guests in a modern setting with contemporary cuisine.

Tip: Take advantage of Museum Night Basel on Friday, 17 January 2020, to discover the new Chez Jeannot. The bistro will be open with a special offer until 2 am.

General Information Chez Jeannot:

Opening hours: Tuesday to Sunday, daily 10 am to 6 pm

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Book a table or plan your private event: Lukas Burkart, restaurant manager

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On view at Mueum Tinguely:

Len Lye –motion composer

Until 26 January 2020

Opening hours: Tuesday to Sunday, daily 11 am to 6 pm

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