

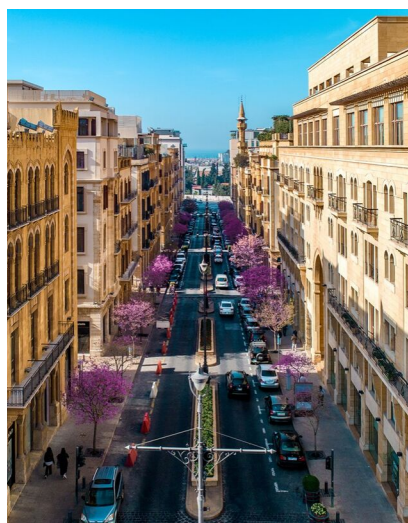


NEO-TRAVELERS OF A SPRING IN LEBANON

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It's not by chance that you ended up here ! You are receiving this newsletter because at some point you shared with us your interest for Lebanon, organized a trip there or helped Neosafar through one of its steps. Don't worry, Neosafar will only send you one newsletter per quarter to make you discover an essence of each season at the country of the cedars.

Click on the links in **blue** for direct access to our highlighted good addresses. No, we're not advertising but simply sharing with you some good catches we tested!



WEATHER FORECAST

Sunglasses, open air outings and lunches on patios are not to be missed!

Our flowering season has warm temperatures and lots of sunny days !

Legend has it that Lebanese people go skiing in the mornings and swimming on the coast in the afternoons... we will let you decide if you feel like doing so!



THE MUST-SEES



THE DISCOVERY TYPE...

Spring rhymes with nature and walks !



Darb el Karam, the generosity path, invites you to spend a day along wild edible plants: harvesting and cooking in the selected villages await !



Embark on a hike with the **Lebanon Mountain Trail** to explore our mountains and countryside. Don't miss passing by Hammana to admire the apple and cherry trees in full blossom !

... OR CULTURE CURIOUS?



... and as in Lebanon pleases everyone, improve your cultural score in the cities !



Go on a *street art tour* to discover the hidden world of Lebanese artists and their creations! Look up and watch out for surprises hiding on the building facades of Beirut...



Reserve your spot on Saturday mornings to join the alternative tour of downtown Beirut through the eyes of local passionate guides. Our capital will reveal all its secrets to you !



FOR THE TRUE FOODIES



You cannot visit Lebanon on Easter season without tasting the Easter sweets: the maamouls. These Lebanese cookies filled with crushed dates, pistachios, nuts or almonds and covered with a thin layer of icing sugar are sold in all pastry shops or even better... homemade!



Spring is undoubtedly the best season to sit on the seaside and enjoy a fresh seafood meal in one of our great restaurants of Tyre or Batroun (Pierre & Friends for instance!)

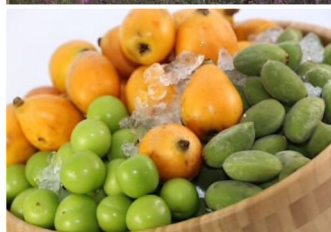


Enjoy a well deserved meal outdoors at **Tawlet Ammiq** or else at **Soufrat el Oumara**, two delicious tables d'hôte of our country. *Sahten / Bon appétit !*



FOR A FESTIVE TOUCH

- During Easter in Lebanon, a curious and fun tradition exists in all families: the famous colored boiled eggs fight! Don't miss it if you have the chance... and may the hardest egg win!
- With the warm spring nights breeze, start enjoying the first evenings sipping drinks outdoors on rooftops and in gardens: in Mar Mikhael, Achrafieh or Badaro neighborhoods. Parties at **Music hall** are unforgettable and last until early next day!
- Check out **Beirut spring festival** : concerts, live shows, open air screenings and other activities are on the schedule... a cultural event not to be missed!



Don't forget to taste our seasonal local fruits : *jankerik* (sour green plums), fresh green almonds to dip in salt, *balah* (fresh dates), *akedeneh* (loquats/medlars), ...

LET'S KEEP IN TOUCH



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All this makes you want to come check out Lebanon? Get in touch with Neosafar to create together your perfect trip, according to your desires!

Need more info or have a trip in mind? Please share it with us **here** !

Yalla, menchoufkoun !
(See you soon)