# Propriano

### Distance to town:

Around a 10 minute walk

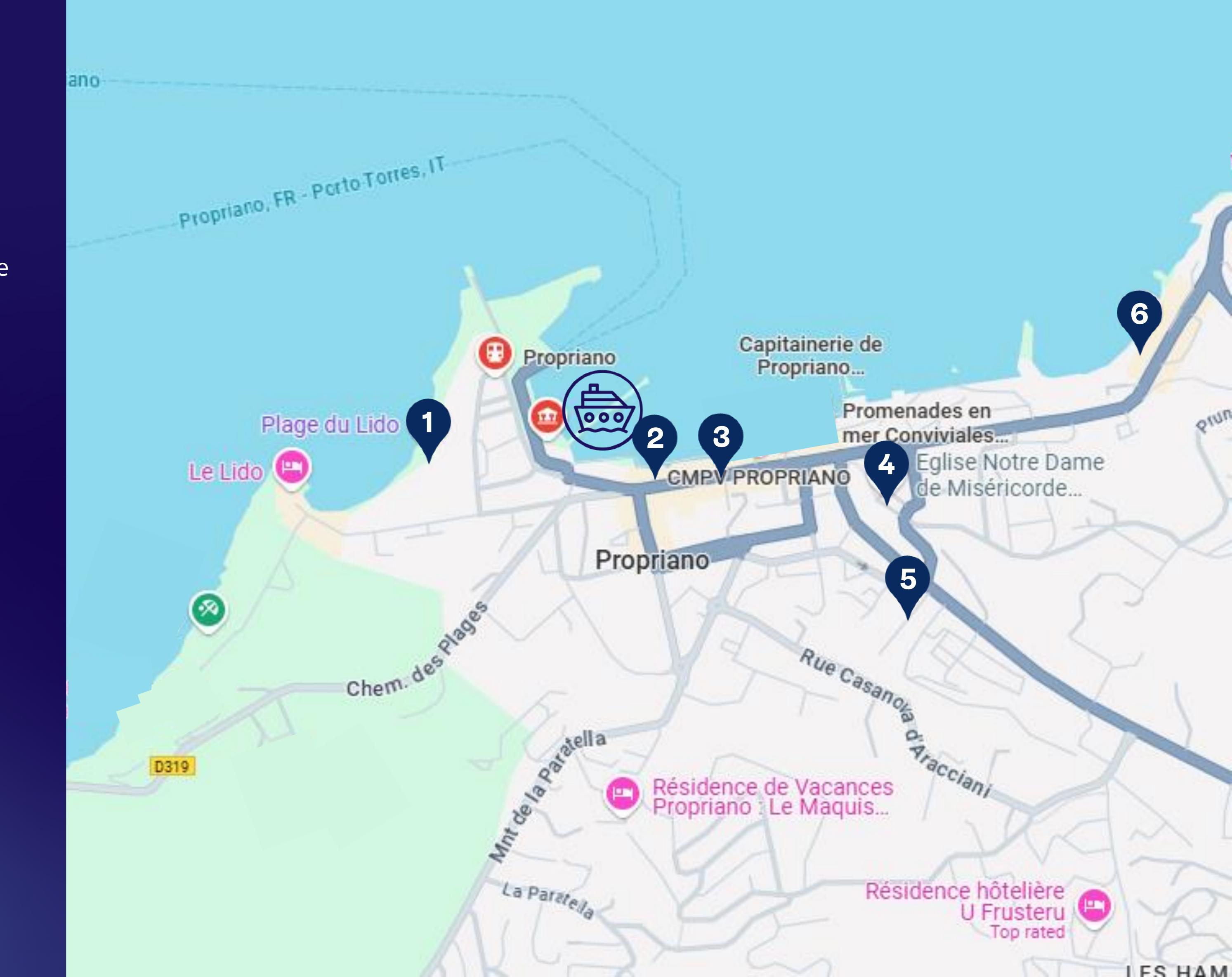
## Shopping:

Head over to Rue du General de Gaulle for some of Propriano's top places to eat and shop



## Top Sights:

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#### **AT A GLANCE**

Sandwiched between Sardinia and the tip of Italy's boot, Propriano offers a perfect slice of the laid-back Mediterranean way of life. Unlike Corsica's busier coastal spots, this charming town boasts a peaceful marina and lush, rolling hills that are sure to make you want to snap photos at every turn.

Venture beyond the seafront promenade of cafés, and you'll find narrow streets where baskets swing from castiron balconies, adding to the town's picturesque, relaxed atmosphere. Getting to town is a piece of cake—just cross the road at the port gates, take a left, and before long, you'll be strolling along the waterfront promenade.

#### **OUT AND ABOUT**

Waterfront Marina: The heart of the town, the marina offers a picturesque and serene setting with its array of sleek boats and yachts docked against the backdrop of stunning coastal views. Walk along the promenade, grab a drink at a café, or simply relax by the water.

Notre Dame de Misericorde: Standing proudly over Propriano, this beautiful church provides a peaceful retreat for locals and visitors alike. It's simple, yet charming architecture contrasts with the breath-taking views of the bay and surrounding hills. The church is dedicated to the Virgin Mary and is often visited for reflection or a moment of calm.

**Eglise Sainte-Marie:** Known for its simple yet elegant architecture, it's a peaceful place to visit, offering a quiet retreat from the lively town centre. The church is characterized by its understated beauty, with clean lines and a serene atmosphere that invites reflection.

#### **BEST BEACHES**

A short walk from the pier, Plage du Lido Beach is a tranquil, picturesque stretch of sand. With its clear, calm waters and soft sand, it's a favourite spot for locals seeking a peaceful retreat from the city. Alternatively, a 15 minute walk from the pier, Plage de Propriano boasts calm, shallow waters make it ideal for families, while the surrounding scenery adds to its charm.

#### SHOPPING

For the best shopping, head over to Rue du General de Gaulle. The street is lined with a variety of shops, from fashion boutiques and local stores to larger retail chains, offering everything from trendy clothing to unique souvenirs. You'll find both modern shops and traditional Provençal markets where you can pick up local goods like lavender, soaps, and regional delicacies

#### DO IT LIKE THE LOCALS

Try some local dishes at a café or restaurant. Corsican food is full of flavour, with specialties like figatellu (sausage), civet de sanglier (wild boar stew), and of course, local seafood. Don't forget to pair it with a glass of Corsican wine!

Embrace the laid-back pace of life, exploring the natural beauty, and savouring the local flavours, you'll be experiencing Propriano just like the locals

#### **JUST SO YOU KNOW**

As with all tourist destinations, pick-pockets can operate in crowded areas so please be mindful of your possessions.

For more information on what to do ashore, speak to the Destination Services team on Deck 5