

**rendezvous**

1. [ˈrɒnd(e)ɪvuː] *n* (*pl* -vous [-{ˈrɒnd(e)ɪ}vuːz])

1. *рандеву*, свидание
2. место свидания, место встреч; место сбора  
the quay is a favourite rendezvous on fine mornings - набережная - излюбленное место встреч в погожее утро
3. *воен.* встреча, сбор
4. *австрал.* место отдыха стада; место сбора стада
5. *косм.* сближение до соединения; встреча  
ship-to-ship rendezvous - встреча космических кораблей  
an orbit /orbital/ rendezvous - встреча на орбите  
soft [hard] rendezvous - мягкое [жесткое] сближение

2. [ˈrɒnd(e)ɪvuː] *v* (-voused [-{ˈrɒnd(e)ɪ}vuːd])

1. *встречаться*; *прибывать на место встречи*  
the refugees rendezvoused in the valley - беженцы собрались /сконцентрировались/ в долине
2. *амер. воен.* собирать войска *или* корабли на месте встречи
3. *косм.* сближаться (*о кораблях*)

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**ren-dez-vous** [rendezvous rendezvouses rendezvoused rendezvousing] *noun*,

*verb* *BrE* [ˈrɒndɪvuː] <sup>1</sup> *NAmE* [ˈrɑːndɒvʊ] <sup>1</sup> *BrE* [ˈrɒndeɪvuː] <sup>2</sup> *NAmE* [ˈrɑːndeɪvʊ] <sup>2</sup>

*noun* (*pl.* **ren-dez-vous** *BrE* [ˈrɒndɪvuːz] <sup>1</sup> ; *NAmE* [ˈrɑːndɒvʊz] <sup>1</sup> *BrE* [ˈrɒndeɪvuːz] <sup>2</sup> ; *NAmE* [ˈrɑːndeɪvʊz] <sup>2</sup> ) (from French)

1. ~ (with sb) an arrangement to meet sb at a particular time and place
  - I had a secret rendezvous with John that evening
2. a place where people have arranged to meet
  - He didn't recognize the address of the rendezvous
  - a rendezvous point
3. a bar, etc. that is a popular place for people to meet
  - a lively Paris rendezvous

Word Origin:

late 16th cent.: from French **rendez-vous** 'present yourselves!', imperative of **se rendre**.

Example Bank:

- I have a rendezvous with Peter at a restaurant on the harbour.
- She made the rendezvous with only minutes to spare.
- The cafe is a popular rendezvous for young lovers.
- The platoon made its way to the pre-arranged rendezvous in the desert.
- He outlined his plan for a secret rendezvous with the foreign secretary.
- I took off at first light and made the rendezvous as planned.

*verb* (**ren-dez-voused** *BrE* [ˈrɒndɪvuːd] <sup>1</sup> ; *NAmE* [ˈrɑːndɒvʊd] <sup>1</sup> *BrE* [ˈrɒndeɪvuːd] <sup>2</sup> ; *NAmE* [ˈrɑːndeɪvʊd] <sup>2</sup> , **ren-dez-voused** )

*intransitive* ~ (with sb) (from French)

to meet at a time and place that have been arranged in advance

Verb forms:

verb forms	
present simple	rendezvous
I / you / we / they	<i>BrE</i> / ˈrɒndɪvʊː/
	<i>NAmE</i> / ˈrɑːndɪvʊː/
	<i>BrE</i> / ˈrɒndeɪvʊː/
	<i>NAmE</i> / ˈrɑːndeɪvʊː/
he / she / it	rendezvouses
	<i>BrE</i> / ˈrɒndɪvʊːz/
	<i>NAmE</i> / ˈrɑːndɪvʊːz/
	<i>BrE</i> / ˈrɒndeɪvʊːz/
	<i>NAmE</i> / ˈrɑːndeɪvʊːz/
past simple, past participle	rendezvoused
	<i>BrE</i> / ˈrɒndɪvʊːd/
	<i>NAmE</i> / ˈrɑːndɪvʊːd/
	<i>BrE</i> / ˈrɒndeɪvʊːd/
	<i>NAmE</i> / ˈrɑːndeɪvʊːd/
-ing form	rendezvousing
	<i>BrE</i> / ˈrɒndɪvʊːɪŋ/
	<i>NAmE</i> / ˈrɑːndɪvʊːɪŋ/
	<i>BrE</i> / ˈrɒndeɪvʊːɪŋ/
	<i>NAmE</i> / ˈrɑːndeɪvʊːɪŋ/

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1. **ren dez vʊvs** <sup>1</sup> /ˈrɒndəvʊs, ˈrɒndɪvʊs, deɪ- \$ ˈrɑːndeɪvʊ/ *BrE* <sup>2</sup> *AmE* <sup>2</sup> *noun* (*plural*

**rendezvous** /-vʊs/ <sup>2</sup>)

[Date: 1500-1600; Language: French; Origin: 'present yourselves!']

1. [countable] an arrangement to meet someone at a particular time and place, often secretly

**rendezvous with**

- He made a rendezvous with her in Times Square.
- plans for a secret rendezvous

2. [countable usually singular] a place where two or more people have arranged to meet:

Boats picked us up at pre-arranged rendezvous.

3. [countable] a bar, restaurant etc where people like to meet:

a popular rendezvous for media people

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### THESAURUS

- **meeting** an occasion when people meet in order to discuss something: a business meeting. | Mr Bell is in a meeting. | The committee will hold another meeting Wednesday.
- **conference** an organized event, especially one that continues for several days, at which a lot of people meet to discuss a particular subject and hear speeches about it: Didn't you give a talk at the conference last year? | a conference of women business leaders
- **convention** a large formal meeting of people who belong to a political party, or to an organization of people with the same interests: the Democratic Party Convention | a convention for Star Trek fans
- **rally** a large public meeting, especially one that is held outdoors to support or protest about something: There was a massive peace rally in London.
- **summit** a meeting between government leaders from important and powerful countries, to discuss important matters: A summit meeting of OPEC leaders was called to find a solution to the oil crisis. | next week's economic summit
- **caucus** *American English* a local meeting of the members of a political party to choose people to represent them at a larger meeting, or to choose a candidate in an election: Obama won the Iowa caucus in 2007.
- **teleconference / video conference** a business meeting in which people in different places talk to each other using telephones or video equipment: The chairman held teleconferences with his senior managers.
- **gathering / get-together** a situation in which a group of people come together to meet, talk, and have drinks with each other, especially friends or family: We held a small family get-together to celebrate her birthday. | She arranged social gatherings in Kettering for young people on Saturday evenings.
- **date** an arrangement to meet someone who you are having, or hoping to have, a romantic relationship with: I think I might ask her out on a date.
- **rendezvous** a meeting where two people have arranged to meet at a particular time or place, often secretly: She arranged a rendezvous with him in the hotel bar.
- **tryst** *literary* a secret meeting between people who are having a romantic relationship: a good place for a moonlight tryst

II. **rendezvous** <sup>2</sup> *BrE* <sup>+</sup> *AmE* <sup>+</sup> *verb* [intransitive]

1. to meet someone at a time or place that was arranged earlier **SYN meet up**

*rendezvous with*

\* We'll rendezvous with James in Nicosia.

2. if two spacecraft, aircraft, or military vehicles rendezvous, they meet, for example to move supplies from one to the other

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