



Greenways4ALL

Catalogue of accessible tourism products in Greenways in Spain and Portugal



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INTRODUCCIÓN

Las vías verdes son rutas **no motorizadas**, que **aprovechan principalmente ferrocarriles abandonados**. Son probablemente los itinerarios más accesibles de acceso a la naturaleza y para la práctica del ocio al aire libre para todas las personas, incluidas las personas con discapacidad. Sin embargo, y salvo excepciones, a pesar de la potencialidad de los destinos que cuentan con vías verdes, los viajeros no tienen facilidades para adquirir un producto turístico accesible completo en base a la vía verde, pues la oferta de los diferentes recursos que componen un viaje no está estructurada ni organizada.

Con el presente Proyecto, cuya denominación completa es "Turismo accesible en Vías Verdes Europeas:

Vías verdes para todos" (**Greenways4ALL**), se pretende avanzar hacia un producto que cumpla con la cadena de valor de la accesibilidad avanzando desde el itinerario accesible al viaje o la experiencia accesible.

La accesibilidad será el elemento común a todos los recursos que integran el producto turístico: recorrer la vía verde, comer en los restaurantes de la zona, alojarse en el entorno inmediato a la vía verde, visitar museos o hacer algunas compras, entre otras opciones.

Greenways4ALL va a contribuir a la mejora de la accesibilidad en torno a las vías verdes, a la calidad de la oferta turística orientada a las personas con discapacidad y a la difusión de estos recursos como infraestructuras para todos.

El presente Catálogo Greenways4ALL incluye un total de **10 productos** de Turismo Accesible en Vías Verdes de España y Portugal.

INTRODUCTION

Greenways, which are **non-motorized routes that mostly make use of disused railway lines and canal towpaths**, are probably the most accessible routes providing access to nature and open-air leisure activities for everyone, including persons with disability. However, and with few exceptions, despite the potential that the tourist destinations of greenways enjoy, travelers are not offered the facilities to acquire a comprehensive and accessible tourism product based on greenways. This is because the offer of the various resources making up a trip are neither structured nor organized.

With this project, whose full name is "Accessible Tourism on European Greenways: Greenways For All" we aim to move forward towards a product which leverages the accessibility value chain, moving from an accessible route to an accessible trip or experience.

Accessibility will therefore be the element common to all the resources making up tourism product: travel the greenway, eat at local restaurants, stay in the immediate vicinity of the greenway, visit museums, or do some shopping, among other options.

Greenways4ALL will help improve accessibility to and around greenways, the quality of the tourism supply aimed at persons with disability, and the dissemination of greenway resources as infrastructures for everyone.

The present Greenways4ALL Catalogue includes a total of **10 products** of Accessible Tourism around Greenways from Spain and Portugal.

INTRODUÇÃO

As Ecopistas são rotas destinadas às deslocações não motorizadas que se aproveitam de **antigos ramais ferroviários abandonados**.

São provavelmente as itinerários mais acessíveis para todas as pessoas de acesso à natureza e para a prática de lazer ao ar livre, incluindo as pessoas com deficiência.

No entanto, e exceto algumas exceções, apesar do potencial dos destinos turísticos com Ecopistas, os viajantes não têm facilidades em adquirir um completo produto turístico acessível que tenham por base a Ecopista, uma vez que, o fornecimento dos diferentes recursos que compõem uma viagem não se encontra estruturado o organizado.

Com este projeto, cujo nome completo é "Turismo Acessível nas Ecopistas Europeias: Ecopistas para todos" (Greenways4ALL), em que se pretende desenvolver um produto que considera o valor da acessibilidade começando na rota acessível para viajar até à experiência acessível.

A acessibilidade será o elemento comum a todos os recursos que integram o produto turístico: percorrer a Ecopista, comer nos restaurantes locais, alojamento nas imediações da Ecopista, visitar museus ou fazer compras, entre outras opções.

Greenways4ALL contribuirá para a melhoria da acessibilidade no âmbito das Ecopistas, a qualidade da oferta turística orientada para as pessoas portadoras de deficiência e a divulgação destes recursos como infraestruturas para todos.

O presente Catálogo Greenways4ALL inclui um total de **10 produtos** de Turismo Acessível em torno de Greenways de Espanha e Portugal.



GREENWAYS4ALL PRODUCTS OF ACCESSIBLE TOURISM IN SIERRA GREENWAY (SPAIN)

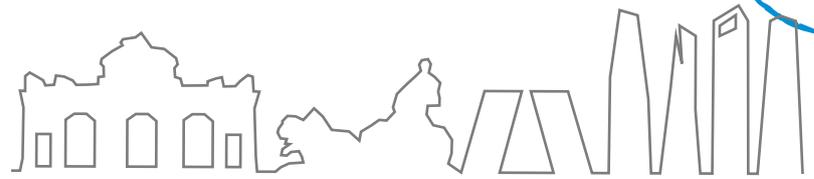
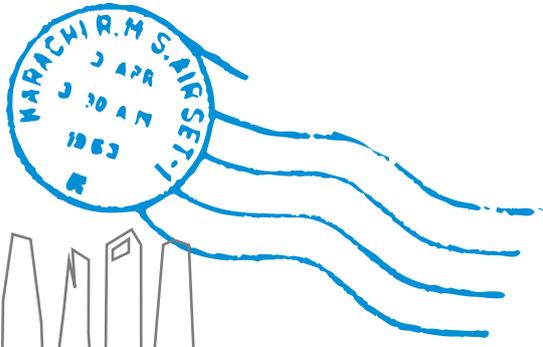


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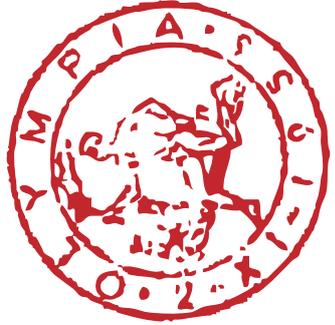
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LA SIERRA GREENWAY
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La Sierra Greenway, whose route was never crossed by any train, runs for 36 km at the foot of the most southern mountains of the Iberian peninsula. The greenway runs between the towns of Puerto Serrano and Olvera.

This exceptional route, which continues parallel to the banks of numerous rivers, passes through such spectacular places like the nature reserve of Peñón de Zaframagón, where there is a large colony of griffon vultures. These birds are controlled through a modern video surveillance.

TOUR DETAILS



TRANSPORTATION: Wheelchair Accessible Van



TOUR DURATION: 2 nights (3 days)



OPERATED: all year round



MEETING POINT: Hotel reception



PRICE:

430 EUR for 1-2 people

535 EUR for 3-4 people

640 EUR for 5-6 people

For larger groups please ask us for special prices.

TOUR CONDITIONS

The price includes:

- 2 nights at a wagon train hotel (breakfast included)
- Bicycle, handbike and adapted bike rental
- Wheelchair Accessible Taxi to bring you back to the hotel from any point in the greenway
- Gastronomic experience with local products



More information and online booking at:
www.accessiblemadrid.com



Day by day

Day 1: Arrival to the wagon train hotel and check-in. The guests will be assigned a wagon train to spend the whole stay. The rest of the day will be free time and the opportunity to enjoy the the swimming pool (equipped with hoist). Enjoy the magnificent views of the surrounding area. It will be a great idea to visit to the greenway's interpretation center.

Day 2: Handbikes and mountain bikes will be available for you to enjoy the greenway. La Sierra Greenway is the most visited in Spain and has been awarded prizes of prestigious organizations such as "Premio Andalucía Via Verde", "Premio Andalucía del Turismo 2016" etc.

We recommend to make a stop at the nature reserve in the Peñón de Zaframagón, where you can watch one the largest colonies of griffon vulture in the world. You can also visit the Interpretation center (observatory) located at this same place.

Once you get half way of the trail (Coripe Station) you can end your route there or do the second part. In both cases, you will have a wheelchair accessible taxi service to take you back to your wagon train hotel in Olvera. In the evening, get ready to enjoy a delicious gastronomic experience at your hotel. You will have different dishes made with traditional local products.

Day 3: Breakfast and check-out. End of service





ACCOMMODATION

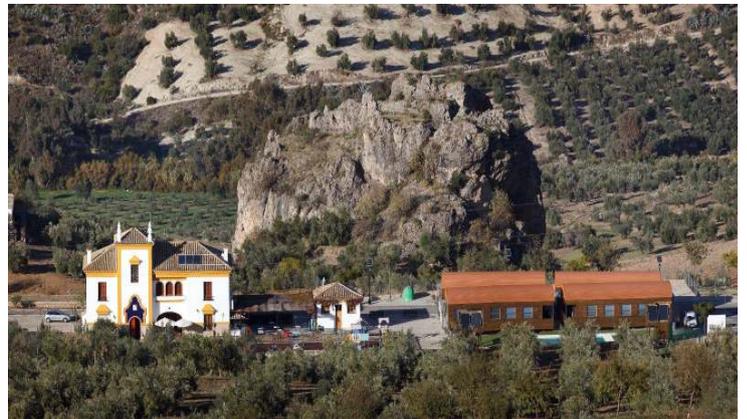
The hotel is located in Olvera Station. This is a quirky accommodation using railway carriages with very comfortable apartments. Great location and facilities.

Sleep in a train car shaped surrounded by nature. This wagons recreate those used in the old line railway lines of the 19th century in Spain.

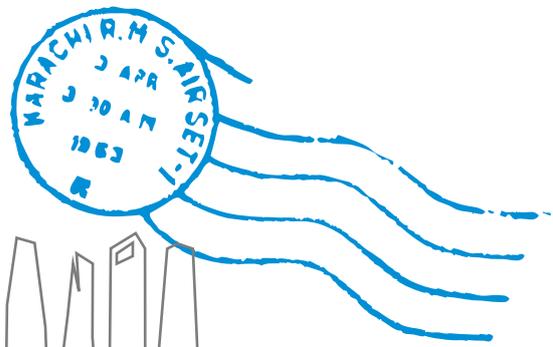
Each coach has an area of about 50 square meters and consists of 2 rooms, 1 Bathroom, 1 living-kitchen (fully equipped) and a small porch. One of this cars is adapted for wheelchair users and people with disabilities.

The complex has an outdoor saltwater pool (11.5 x 5.5 meters) with artificial lawn surrounding the area. Air conditioning in all spaces, underfloor heating, WiFi zone, etc...

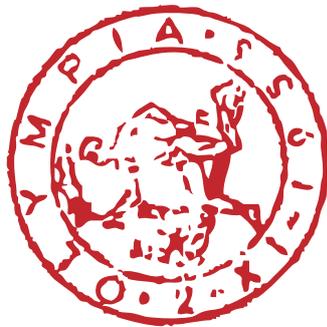
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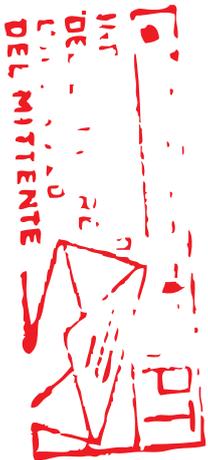
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**LA SIERRA GREENWAY AND
WHITE WASHED VILLAGES**
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CHARMING WHITE WASHED VILLAGES

Ronda, Olvera, Setenil de las Bodegas and La Sierra Greenway

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The peculiarity of the white villages is its facades painted in white color, in order to maintain away the stifling heat of the Andalusian summer. In contrast to the monochrome of these villages, you can delight in the striking colors of the flowers that adorn their narrow streets. This is a singular and colorful spectacle.

The villages were built on top of the hills and they were fortified to defend the inhabitants the enemy attacks. The essence of the White Villages will take you back to the Andalusian culture (legacy of Al-Andalus), although its history is much older.

TOUR DETAILS:



TRANSPORTATION: Wheelchair Accessible Van



TOUR DURATION: 3 nights (4 days)



OPERATED: All year round



MEETING POINT: To be confirmed by the client



PRICE:

1.180 EUR for 1-2 people

1.300 EUR for 3-4 people

1.500 EUR for 5-6 people

For larger groups please ask us for special prices.

TOUR CONDITIONS

The price includes:

- 3 nights in wagon train hotel (breakfast included)
- Bicycle, handbike and adapted bike rental
- Wheelchair adapted taxi service to take you back to the hotel at the end of your route in the greenway
- Gourmet experience with local products
- Full day tour visiting Setenil de las Bodegas and Ronda
- English, German or Spanish guide



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Day 1: Arrival to the wagon train hotel and check-in. The guests will be assigned a wagon train to spend the whole stay. The rest of the day will be free time and the opportunity to enjoy the the swimming pool (equipped with hoist). Enjoy the magnificent views of the surrounding area. It will be a great idea to visit to the greenway's interpretation center.

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Day 3: Full day accessible tour in which we will visit two of the most charming villages of Spain: Setenil de las Bodegas and Ronda.

Setenil de las Bodegas: The uniqueness and extreme beauty of its streets make this village one of the main tourist destinations of the Sierra de Cadiz. The village is famous for its dwellings built into rock overhangs above the Rio Trejo. The town extends along the course of the Rio Trejo with some houses being built into the rock walls of the gorge itself, created by enlarging natural caves or overhangs and adding an external wall. There are special and charming spots like Calles de las Cuevas a la Sombra (Cave streets in the shade) y Calles de las Cuevas al Sol (street caves in the sun). The town has a medieval origin and where the Villa is located, originally was an Almohade settlement.

Ronda: In the thousand year old Ronda, we can find one of the most multicolored and interesting towns of Andalusia. The landscape, urbanism, history, the romantic legends of famous bandits, make Ronda a unique and vibrant town. Here things move slow and so the route that we will follow. You will appreciate in detail the features of the Ancient Arab medina, on the south bank of the Guadalquivir River. The medina still maintain part of its former walls. We will cross the new bridge and stroll along the Alameda del Tajo. We will have time enough to make several stops to enjoy the hidden spots and beautiful buildings that open their doors to the visitor; We will also make a stop for lunch to taste a good selection of local dishes from the serranía.

Day 4: Breakfast and check-out. End of service.



ACCOMMODATION

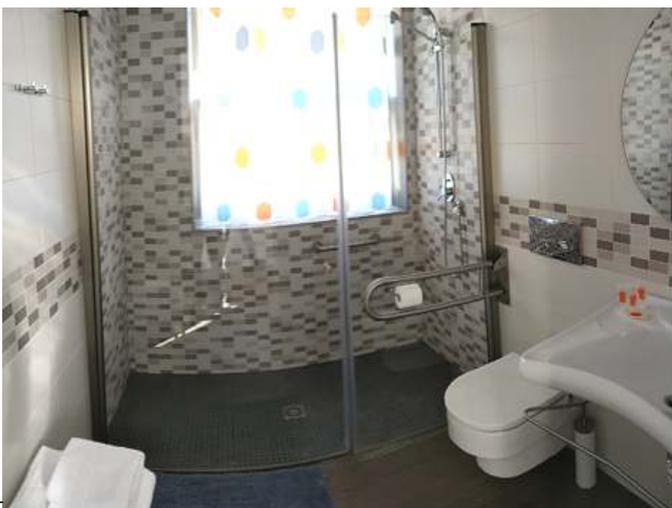
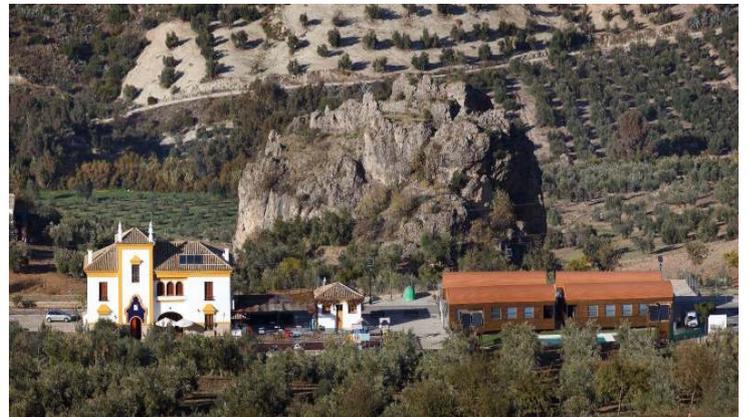
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Terms & Conditions

OUR TOURS

Cancellation policy: 85% refund with at least 15 days notice, 50% refund with at least 4 days notice, no refund with less than 4 days notice.

In those Tours or Packages with airline, boat or train tickets reservations, the customer will pay the entire cost the service. Also applicable for Hotel with non refundable rate.

Not included: snack/meals and gratuities



PAYMENT METHOD

To make a reservation, please make a payment of 50% by bank transfer to:

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ES27 0049 6757 58 2916227458
BANCO SANTANDER
CODIGO SWIFT: BSCHEM33

Once you have completed the payment, send us an email to:
info@accessiblemadrid.com



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Telephone numbers of interest:
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Stars and Nature in La Sierra Greenway

2 days / 1 night

Alojamientos Turísticos 
Estación de Olvera - Casa Vagón

DESCRIPTION

If you like nature and the stars, enjoy a getaway accessible to wheelchair-users where you can go along the beautiful La Sierra Greenway (Cadiz and Seville) and marvel at the immensity of the starry night sky: professional telescopes, Astronomy talk, souvenir photos and a toast under the stars are waiting for you.



ITINERARY

DAY 1:

12:00 h. - Arrival at the accommodation.

Free time for lunch and optional extra activities.

20:30 h. - Dinner at the hotel.

22:00 h. - Private and exclusive Star Gazing Observation:

- Introductory talk on astronomy.
- Workshop on the recognition of stars and constellations.
- Stargazing observation with high quality telescopes.
- Souvenir astrophotography session.
- Snacks and a toast with a glass of wine or champagne under the stars

02:00 h. - End of session (estimated time)

DAY 2:

10:00 h. - Breakfast.

12:00 h. - End of our services.

Free time for optional extra activities.

INCLUDED:

- Overnight stay in hotel.
- Dinner and breakfast.
- Star Gazing Session.
- The support of a private astronomical monitor for your Star Gazing Session
- Use of high quality telescopes.
- Souvenir astrophotography session.

NOT INCLUDED:

- Transport to the town of Olvera.
- Lunch.
- Optional extra activities.

OPTIONAL EXTRAS ACTIVITIES:

- Visit to the museum "Casa la Cilla " next to the Arab Castle of Olvera.
- Hire of adapted bicycles to ride along the Green Way.
- Visit to the Observatory of Birds of Zaframagón in the Greenway.

CADIZ - SEVILLE

2 days / 1 night

Price from:

300€

(price per person)

Included:



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You



Greenways by bicycle

By the greenways of the Cadiz mountain range

WHERE WE WILL WAITING FOR YOU

In Olvera (Cadiz), very close to Ronda, starts this "Via Verde de la Sierra", one of the most attractive itineraries in our Country. We are surrounded of nature, between Cadiz and Seville, and only one hour and a half away from Malaga.

THE IDEA FOR YOUR GETAWAY

A stay to enjoy the bicycle, but also the most traditional in our gastronomy and everything that makes us feel authentic.

DAY 1. We will be waiting for you in Olvera to accompany you to your railway wagon. After having lunch, we will walk around the town to visit its Interpretation Center and its Castle. So, don't forget your camera because views are amazing. We will have dinner based on the typical regional cuisine.

DAY 2. After a great breakfast based on toasted bread with oil we will start our route. Our first stop will be in Navalagrulla Station (7km), before following to Zaframagon Vulture Observatory (9km) where we will see vultures in their natural habitat. We will arrive in Coripe (6km) and will be accommodated in its Ancient Station.

DAY 3. After having breakfast, we will go to "Chaparro de la Vega" Natural Monument, simply amazing (500m), Then we will ahead until Puerto Serrano with a stop in Guadalete River (9km) to enjoy views. We will have lunch in Puerto Serrano's (6km) Train Station and will enjoy one of the better sunsets in Andalusia.

A PROPOSAL TO ENJOY YOURSELVES

A perfect getaway to do it with family or friends. Our proposal is walking by bicycle in the morning, with stops in short lengths, and in the afternoon to enjoy unique experiences in the White Villages of the Sierra Norte of Cadiz.

ORGANIZATION AND STAY

One night accommodation in a railway wagon and one night in an ancient station, both configured as apartment totally accessible and adapted as we have chosen specially for you. Only dedicate yourself to enjoy.

The whole itinerary is perfectly accessible for cycling or walking



Enjoy the best gastronomy and best tapas for all the family



Wagon house in Sierra's Greenway in Olvera (Cadiz)



I am Carmen, your host during your stay to share unique experiences

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Included: 3 days and 2 night in adapted apartment-bungalows with capacity for 4 persons, with half board (wine and water in meals). Transfer of your vehicle to the starting point. Rental of bicycles, included the adapted ones, local host in visits, entrances and travel assistance insurance.

Optionally: We will accompany you to an oil mill to you will taste the best Extra Virgin olive Oil, or to a Bakery where to move the mass that we will use to make our pastries, or also, you will be able to do your own cheese.



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From
410€
per person



Cycling in Andalusia

Walking the Greenways better adapted

THE IDEA OF YOUR TRIP TO SPAIN

A perfect tour to discover the most authentic in Andalusia. Six days to roam Malaga, Ronda, Jerez de la Frontera and Sierra de Grazalema Natural Park. You will enjoy our gastronomy and our White villages' culture, with Greenways as a unique enclave.

DAY 1, Malaga. We will be waiting for you at Malaga's Airport to transfer you to your hotel in the downtown. Then we will do a route from the famous Larios Street to Picasso Museum before having lunch in a typical tavern. Afternoon dedicated to Pompidou Center and promenade. Dinner in the hotel in Malaga.

DAY 2, Ronda. In the morning we will drive to Ronda, where we will enjoy a visit around the city and will meet its famous bridges Old and New. Then, we will go to a familiar, ecological winery where we will learn about grapes varieties. We will have lunch there, in a terrace lookout. In the afternoon, we will go to a stud farm with Andalusian bullrings and horses. Dinner in the hotel in Ronda.

DAY 3, Olvera. Today we will go to Olvera to start our itinerary through Greenway, from Olvera station to Coripe station we will cover ranches, glens, bridges and we will spot vultures in their natural habitat. Dinner and accommodation in Coripe.

DAY 4, Puerto Serrano. We will leave Coripe by bicycle oncoming Puerto Serrano, where we will have lunch, in its station. In the afternoon we will go to Jerez de la Frontera, horse's city. After visiting a winery that produces Sherry wine we will enjoy having dinner in one of its famous mesons. Accommodation in Jerez.

DAY 5, Jerez de la Frontera. Today we will have a calm day in Jerez. We will have time to learn more about this city and its less known spots. In the city center, we will have lunch based on traditional local dishes cooked with proximity products. Free afternoon and dinner in the hotel.

DAY 6, Malaga. After having breakfast, we will have time to last buys before going to Malaga's Airport to come back home.



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Included: 6 days and 5 nights in adapted apartments with a capacity of 4 persons, with half board (water and wine on meals). Transfers, bicycle rental (hand-bike included). Accompaniment of local guide in all visits. Entrances and travel assistance insurance. Transfer from and to the airport. VAT not included.

Important: Please, inform about allergies or dietary requirements.
FLIGHT FROM ORIGIN COUNTRY NOT INCLUDED



From
850€
 per person

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TOURISM IN THE OLIVE OIL GREENWAY
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JAEN - CORDOBA

2 days / 1 night

Price from:

210€

(price per person)

Included:



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The Olive Oil Greenway under the Stars

2 days / 1 night

Apartamentos Rurales Vía Verde
del Aceite - Alcaudete



DESCRIPTION

A getaway which is totally accessible for people in wheelchairs in the Olive Oil Greenway (Jaén-Córdoba). Tour of the Greenway by bike, visit to oil mill with tasting and astronomical observation: professional telescopes, astronomy talk, souvenir photographs and a toast under the stars An experience difficult to forget.

ITINERARY

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12:00 h. - Arrival at the accommodation.

Free time for lunch and optional extra activities.

20:30 h. - Dinner at the hotel.

22:00 h. - Private and exclusive Star Gazing Observation:

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- Snacks and a toast with a glass of wine or champagne under the stars

02:00 h. - End of session (estimated time)

DAY 2:

10:00 h. - Breakfast.

12.00 h. - End of our services.

Free time for optional extra activities.

INCLUDED:

- Overnight stay in hotel.
- Dinner and breakfast.
- Star Gazing Session.
- The support of a private astronomical monitor for your Star Gazing Session
- Use of high quality telescopes.
- Souvenir astrophotography session.

NOT INCLUDED:

- Transport to the accommodation close to Alcaudete.
- Lunch.
- Optional extra activities.

OPTIONAL EXTRAS ACTIVITIES:

- Hire of adapted bicycles to ride along the Greenway.
- Visit an olive oil mill.



Accessible Olive Oil Greenway

Live the nature, live the greenway!

Enjoy nature in one of the old traces of the railway (Train of the oil) transformed into a Greenway, in an accessible way with wonderful views of the Subbética mountain range, between different locations – Doña Mencía, Zuheros, Luque Station and more...It can be done by bicycle, scooter or motorized chair!

Departures from Monday to Sunday at 10 am.
Fully accessible tour.

Includes guide and vehicle with driver.
You can order a power chair or an electric scooter.

Minimum 5 people, maximum 15 people.

Departures from Córdoba, Andalucía, Spain

Meeting point: Railway Station Córdoba, Old Luque Station and/or Old Station of Doña Mencía.

Duration: 2 hours

Rentals at your disposal: Motorized chair,
Electric scooter



More info and contact

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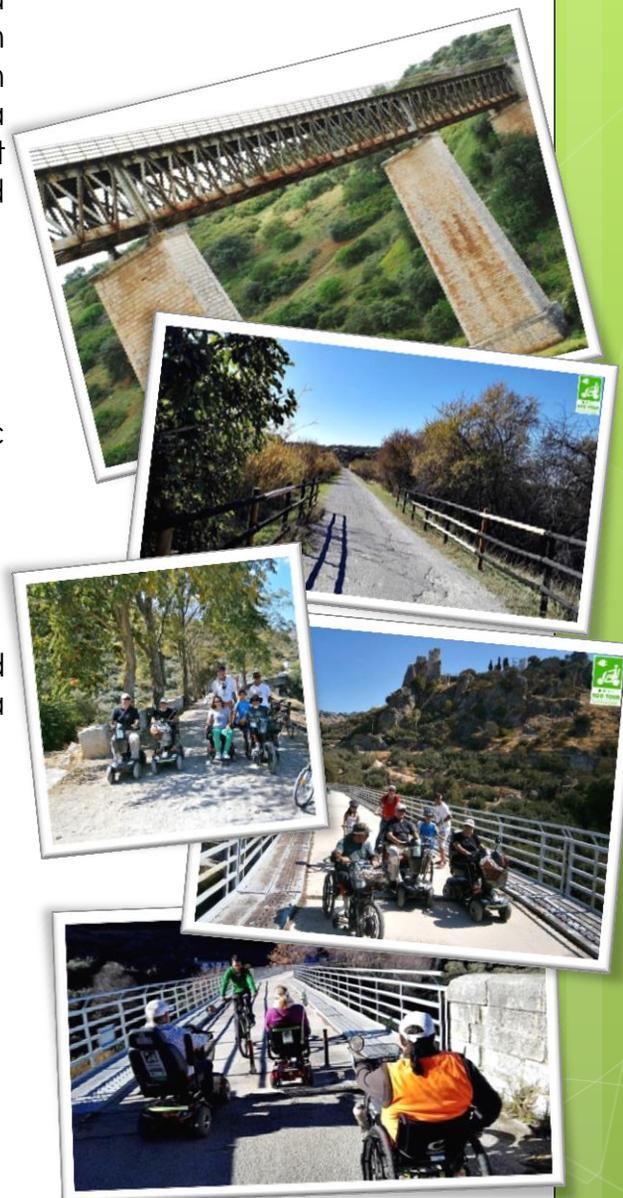
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Vía Verde del Aceite



Four accessible stages along the Olive Oil Greenway of Córdoba (Subbética Mountain Range).

ACCOMMODATION

Price: From 249€

Luque Station– Hostal Niccol´s
 Zuheros – Hotel Rural Hacienda Minerva ****
 Doña Mencía – Mencía Hotel Subbética ***
 Cabra – Hotel Villa María

*Accommodation is not included in the offer and is subject of availability.



Important to know...

Location: Córdoba, Andalucía, España

Municipalities: Luque, Doña Mencía, Cabra, Zuheros

Greenway: Olive Oil Greenway

Accessibility level: Good



 **More info and contact**

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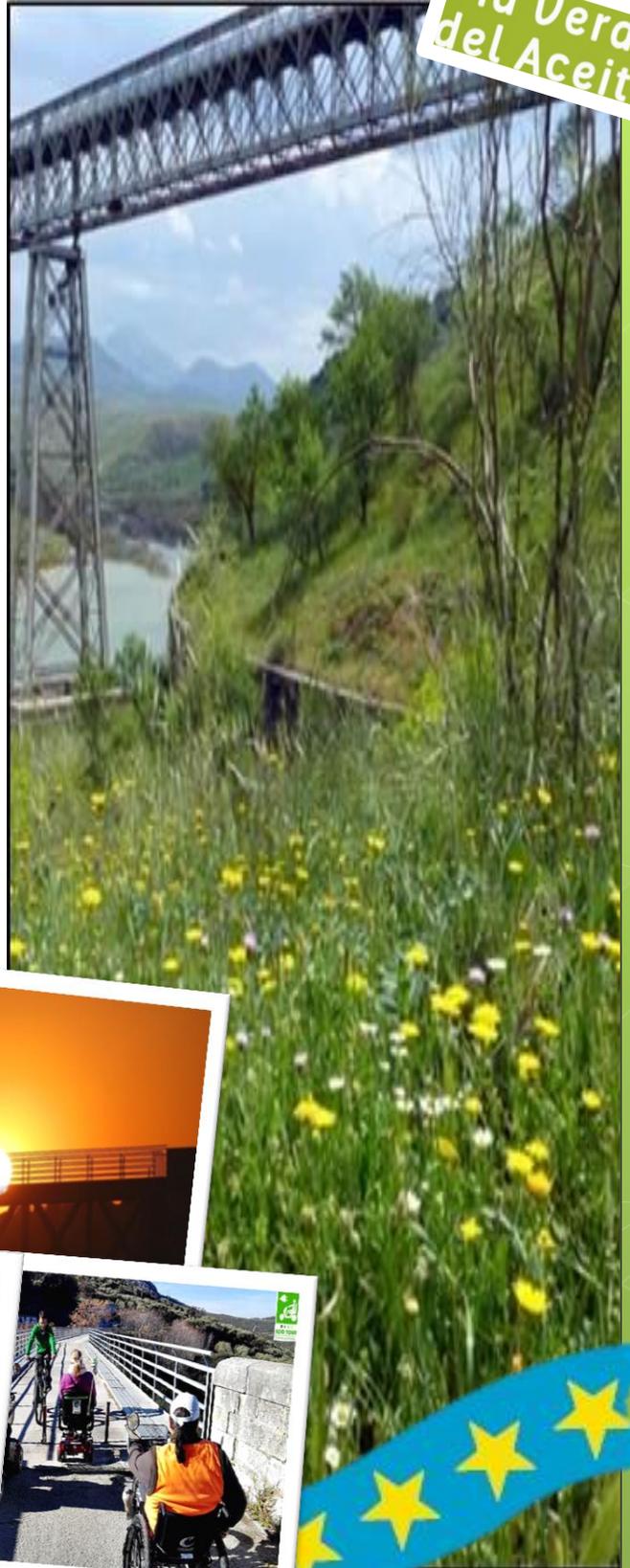
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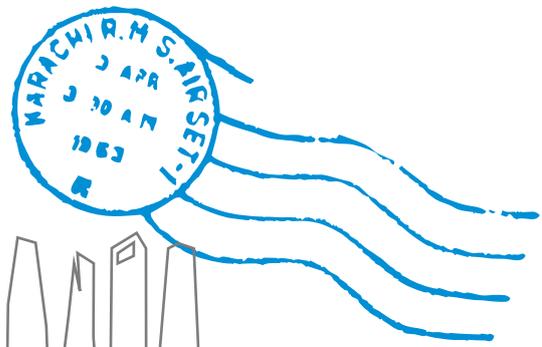
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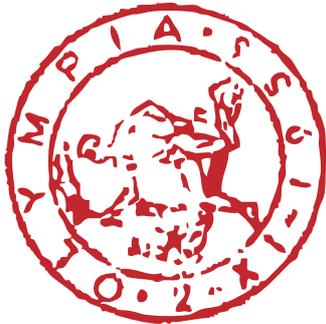
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AVILA, SALAMANCA, VISEU AND DO DAO GREENWAY

Discover two of the best preserved medieval cities in Spain and enjoy a relaxing experience on the renewed Do Dao greenway. This is a four-day trip from Madrid to Avila, Salamanca and (Do Dao greenway) in Portugal. We will travel in a wheelchair accessible vehicle with air conditioning and with guide to the wonderful walled city of Avila. Avila is a World Heritage Site by the UNESCO. We will discover the main attractions of Avila, including its cathedral-fortress and the Basilica of San Vicente. We will visit the city of Salamanca (declared a World Heritage Site by UNESCO), a city built with sandstone and famous for its 12th century University. We will admire the wonderful Plaza Mayor, the facade of the entrance of the university and other Points interest.

Finally we will enter in Portugal to enjoy and discover the relaxing Do Dao greenway. This greenway (an old disused railway line turned into a non motorized and accessible path) is one of the most beautiful places to visit in central Portugal. There are plenty of things to do there. A visit to the city of Viseu is a must.

TOUR DETAILS



TRANSPORTATION: Wheelchair Accessible Van



TOUR DURATION: 4 nights (5 days)



OPERATED: all year round



MEETING POINT: To be confirmed by the client



MAXIMUM NUMBER OF PEOPLE: 6 people



PRICE:

2.930 EUR for 1-2 people

3.685 EUR for 3-4 people

4.480 EUR for 5-6 people

For larger groups please ask us for special prices.

TOUR CONDITIONS

The price includes:

- 4 nights at 4* hotels (breakfast included)
- Staff available 24h during your trip
- Transfers in private Wheelchair Accessible Vehicles
- Gastronomic experience with local products
- Guides and tickets for selected attractions
- Liability insurance
- Lunch at Cota Máxima restaurant

The price does not include:

- Snacks and drinks
- Shows
- Additional services
- Gratuities



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Avila: The cradle of Sta. Teresa

Our journey begins with a stop at Los Cuatro Postes hill to admire the panoramic views of the city of Avila, dotted with church towers and Gothic palaces and declared "World Heritage" by UNESCO. Avila is a very important pilgrimage site as it is the birthplace of the writer Santa Teresa de Jesús (1515-1582). We will wander through the old city contemplating the amazing variety of churches and the Romanesque and Gothic styles of Avila. This tour will take us to the Basilica of San Vicente. Finally we will visit the Cathedral of Avila: A perfect combination of Gothic and Romanesque

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- St. Vincent basilica
- Walls
- Sta. Teresa convent
- Cathedral
- Panoramic view



Virtuous Salamanca

We will visit the Plaza Mayor and the cathedral complex; The Historical Building of the University, in whose facade one must find a figure of a frog; At our own pace we will admire the so known "Casa de las Conchas", famous for its facade decorated with hundreds of shells and a the beautiful cloister; Right after we will contemplate the Clergy and Pontifical University, both located just opposite. After this pleasant walk we stop to rest and gather some strength. Salamanca has an excellent creative cuisine using local products. There are dozens of excellent restaurants in the city with a quality offer.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Main square
- New and old Cathedral
- University
- Shell's house
- Roman bridge
- Lis house
- St. Esteban convent
- Calixto and Melibea orchard
- Emblematic squares and churches



Viseu and Ecopista Do Dao

Once in Portugal, there is nothing like starting your visit through historical town center. From Rossio the visitor can find several narrow streets (typical medieval layout). It is worth visiting and discovering houses from the sixteenth century with their gargoyles and gothic window frames. The ecopista connecting the cities of Viseu, Tondela and Santa Comba Dão is a very interesting and beautiful tour surrounded by natural landscape. This was the old railway line of Dão. The visitor has the chance to see the old trains, roman roads and bridges, the Ortigueira bridge designed by Eiffel and the charming village of Mosteirinho.

TOUR HIGHLIGHTS

- Ecopista do Dao
- Santa Comba do Dao
- Ortigueira Bridge
- The historical old quarter of Viseu
- Grao Vasco Museum
- Wine Museum
- Cathedral Square
- San Francisco church
- Famous squares



Day by day

Day 1: Departure from the hotel at 9:00am in Madrid heading the city of Avila. Visit to the 11th century walls surrounding the city of Avila. We will observe how the 90 fortified towers and circular turrets seem fresh out of a story. We will visit this city during the whole day making a stop to eat. In the afternoon we will continue our way to Salamanca.

Night in Salamanca

Day 2: After breakfast we will visit the medieval city of Salamanca. This city is also a UNESCO world heritage city, best known for its 12th century university and its wonderful medieval and baroque architecture. For lunch we will make a stop in a nice restaurant. In Salamanca, there are many traditional restaurants, with good quality, where they use local products. In the afternoon we will continue our trip to the Viseu - Dao Lafoes region in Portugal.

Day 3: In the morning we will travel to Tondela and we will cross the greenways heading Santa Comba do Dao bathed by the Albufeira. We will also cross the bridge of the Granjal to see the beautiful landscape with huge granite stones. Then we will visit the town of Santa Comba Do Dao, where we will stop for lunch in a restaurant next to the river with beautiful views.

Day 4: We will make the most of the day visiting Viseu and its old quarter center full of medieval streets and traditional stores. Then we will visit his wine museum since Viseu is the heart of the wine region of Dão, known for its remarkable wines that seduce the palates of all the world.

Day 5: Return to Madrid, transfer to the airport / railway station. End of our services.





ACCOMMODATION

Once you are in Viseu and you follow the indications to the old quarter, you will be approaching the Pousada Viseu without knowing. Clean streets, well-kept houses and beautiful manicured gardens increase the feeling of well-being and tranquility. Once you find the old hospital street, the bewilderment increases. This old hospital, has been completely renovated and adapted in 2009 by the architect Gonçalo Byrne. The magnificent Pousada Viseu is an exclusive historic inn offering the finest quality accommodation and service for the most discerning guests

Over 200 years later, the Charm Pousada's grand open spaces, minimalist contemporary furnishings and striking architectural details reflect the impressive workmanship required to remodel the building. Unique features include a captivating atrium surrounded by cloisters and a luxurious spa complex - The Pousada offers pool service, restaurant, bar and free Wi-Fi. Wheelchair adapted room with roll-in shower.





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In those Tours or Packages with airline, boat or train tickets reservations, the customer will pay the entire cost the service. Also applicable for Hotel with non refundable rate.

Not included: snack/meals and gratuities



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A journey to discover the best and most authentic of northern Portugal. An itinerary that will take you to navigate the Douro River, walk through vineyards, visit old wineries, and taste local gastronomy; but especially, you will enjoy with its friendly people and feel like one of them. Six unique days through the Ecopista do Dão.

DAY 1, Porto. We will be waiting for you at the airport to transfer you to your hotel, located in the downtown area of Porto, near the river, to enjoy the best views of the wineries. At your arrival, we will walk through the downtown area to enjoy the best sunset.

DAY 2, Viseu. Early in the morning, we will go to Viseu, a university city with a lot of history, museums and a monumental center that will transport you to another era. Today we will have a quiet day, enjoying the scenery and we'll also take part in a short cycle ride of acclimatization by the Ecopista, an old railway track that has been recovered for the ride. We will dine in a typical tavern.

DAY 3, Viseu. After breakfast, we will take our bicycles and cross the first section of the track that takes us to Tondela. For lunch we will have a picnic in a very special place. In the afternoon, we will be back to Viseu to visit its most unique museums and buildings.

DAY 4, Viseu. In the morning, we will do the second section of the track, in direction to Tondela, where we will cross the Ecopista and its Albufeira. Today we will eat in Santa Comba do Dao, in a restaurant by the river in the middle of nature.

DAY 5, Castelo di Paiva. On our way back to Porto, we will stop at Castelo di Paiva to take a boat tour of the Duero and visit a wine cellar in the heart of the Dão wine region. We will arrive to Porto in time to wander around its most attractive neighborhoods, and thus take a complete experience of your stay.

DAY 6, Porto. Time to make the last purchases in the local market and transfer to the airport.

Porto is one of the most beautiful cities in Europe and our first stop



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