
Accommodation

Alentejo

Santiago do Cacém

Herdade da Matinha - Country House

Tourism in the Country / Country

Houses

Address: Herdade da Matinha 7555-231 Cercal do Alentejo

Telephone: +351 93 373 92 45

E-mail: reservas@herdadedamatinha.com Website:

<http://www.herdadedamatinha.com/>

Characteristics and Services:

Games room; Swimming-pool; Number of beds: 22; Number of rooms: 22; Double rooms with toilet: 5; Rooms in the main house: 9; Rooms in the adjacent building: 13; Television room; Central air conditioning; Central heating; Number of suites: 4; Internet Access; Reserved area for non-smokers; Single rooms with toilet: 7; Restaurant; Baby Sitting; Bar; Smoke free; Laundry service; Garden;

Access:

Outdoor parking; Covered garage; Buses; Train stations; Transfer service; Bike friendly;

Room facilities:

Heating in room; Hair dryer in room; Internet access in room; Air conditioning in room;

Timetable:

Breakfast timetable: 8:30 am - 11:00 am;

Payments:

Credit cards accepted; Guiding price: \$\$\$\$ (>90€);

Accessibility:

Reserved parking spaces; Accessible route to the entrance: Partial; Accessible entrance: Partial; Reception area suitable for people with special needs; Accessible circulation inside: Partial; Accessible areas/services: Bedrooms, Meeting rooms, Restaurant, Patio, Swimming pool; Care skills: Motor disability, Mental disability; Support products/services available: Motor disability, Mental disability;

Herdade da matinha, a family estate covering 110 hectares, lies 3kms from the village of cercal, on portugal's unspoilt alentejo coast.

The estate lays amongst picturesque hills and valleys where silence is golden, only occasionally interrupted by overflying birds and grazing wildlife.

The houses on the estate are converted farmers' buildings and barns.

In all, there are 20 rooms, all individually designed and tastefully decorated.

For the more active, the lush and green countryside is perfect for gentle strolls and rambling. Matinha also has a stable with 8 horses on which guests can amble through mediterranean woodland to the nearby beaches. Many of our friends opt to take a picnic hamper along too, prepared by our kitchen staff.

Once back at matinha, there are classes in yoga and pilates, and body massages for those who love feeling pampered.

Matinha is also a stone's throw away from rota vicentina, a total 350 kms of footpaths of breath-taking beauty, where one feels completely at one with nature. This is a walker's and cyclists paradise, as it is for birdwatchers.

Also along the way is the fishing village of Porto Covo, the coastal village of Vila Nova de Milfontes, and for the more intrepid, Carrapateira and Sagres further south.

Beach-lovers have got easy access to the expanses of nearby Malhão and Aivados, with miles of coastline, great surfing and clean seawater (much better and healthier than the Mediterranean sea).

Late in the day, after a shower and getting ready, there is the pinnacle that makes Matinha what it is. The gastronomy. All food is locally sourced and homemade, and the wine list includes some of the best Portugal has to offer at very reasonable prices. The atmosphere is informal and friendly, the music very chilled, and the meals exquisite. Some dinners at Matinha have been known to start at 20h and only finish after 2 a.m.

Herdade da Matinha is the authentic Alentejo experience. The author of this text knows; I have been visiting Matinha for the past 12 years and I have fallen in love with it.

And so will you.

Algarve

Monchique

Vinha do Gaio

Tourism in the Country /
Agricultural Tourism

Address: Quinta da Vinha do Gaio, CortesCC 558

Casais8550-240 Monchique

Telephone: +351 282 91 26 00

E-mail: vinhadogaio@sapo.pt Website:

<http://www.vinhadogaio.com>

Characteristics and Services:

Number of beds: 12; Number of rooms: 6; Double rooms with toilet: 6; Rooms in the main house: 6; Television room; Central air conditioning; Central heating; Internet Access; Reserved area for non-smokers; Baby sitting; Bar; Smoke free; Garden;

Access:

Outdoor parking; Buses; Transfer service; Bike friendly;

Room facilities:

Heating in room; Hair dryer in room; Internet access in room; Air conditioning in room;

Timetable:

Breakfast timetable: 8.30 am - 10.30 am;

Payments:

Credit cards accepted; Guiding price: \$\$\$\$ (>90€); "All inclusive" rates;

Accessibility:

Disabled access; Facilities for disabled; Reserved parking spaces; Accessible route to the entrance: Total; Accessible entrance: Total; Reception area suitable for people with special needs; Accessible circulation inside: Total; Accessible areas/services: Bedrooms, Restaurant, Bar/Café, Patio; Care skills: Visual impairment, Motor disability;

The farm belongs to the family for four generations. We are recreating the traditions and the traditional methods of farming, where guests can participate in our activities.

Our farm has 2 hectares, and is located next to the village of Casais, Monchique. It is 30 minutes away from the Costa Vicentina - with its fantastic beaches; Portimão and Lagos, cities and cosmopolitan beaches; Golf; Racetrack; and a few minutes of the pedestrian route: Via Algarviana.

Portimão

Tapada dos Machados

Tourism in the Country /
Agricultural Tourism

Address: Sítio da Torre, Penina8500-082, Alvor

Telephone: +351 91 792 38 17

E-mail: sisabelsantos@hotmail.com Website:

<http://www.tapadadosmachados.com>

Timetable:

8:00 am - 8:00 pm; Breakfast timetable: 8:30 am - 10:30 am;

Characteristics and Services:

Swimming-pool; Number of beds: 8; Number of rooms: 3; Double rooms with toilet: 3; Television room; Central air conditioning; Internet Access; Reserved area for non-smokers; Number of apartments: 3; Currency exchange; Baby Sitting; Rooms available for smokers; Smoke free; Laundry service; Children's playground; Garden;

Access:

Outdoor parking; Buses; Transfer service; Bike friendly;

Room facilities:

Heating in room; Television in room; Hair dryer in room; Internet access in room; Air conditioning in room; Steel safe in room;

Payments:

Guiding price: \$\$\$ (60€ - 90€);

Accessibility:

Accessible route to the entrance: Total; Accessible entrance:

Total; Accessible areas/services: Bedrooms;

São Brás de Alportel

Hotel Rural Rocha da Gralheira

Tourism in the Country / Rural

Hotels

Address: Rocha da Gralheira cx 10 RG,8150-039 São Brás de Alportel

Telephone: +351 289 842 394; +351 91 757 61 04

E-mail: rochadagralheira@gmail.com Website:

<http://www.rochadagralheira.com>

Characteristics and Services:

Swimming-pool; Number of beds: 20; Number of rooms: 11; Television room; Central air conditioning; Central heating; Internet Access; Reserved area for smokers; Restaurant; Baby Sitting; Bar; Smoke free; Laundry service; SPA; Paddling pool; Garden;

Access:

Outdoor parking; Covered garage; Buses; Transfer service; Bike friendly;

Room facilities:

Heating in room; Television in room; Hair dryer in room; Internet access in room; Air conditioning in room; Telephone in room; Steel safe in room; Mini-bar in room;

Timetable:

Breakfast timetable: 7.30am - 10.00am;

Payments:

Credit cards accepted; Guiding price: \$\$ (30€ - 60€); "All inclusive" rates;

Accessibility:

Disabled access; Facilities for disabled; Reserved parking spaces;

Accessible route to the entrance: Total; Accessible entrance:

Total; Reception area suitable for people with special needs;

Accessible circulation inside: Total; Accessible areas/services:

Bedrooms, Meeting rooms, Restaurant, Bar/Café, Patio,

Swimming pool, Spa; Care skills: Visual impairment, Motor disability; Support products/services available: Motor disability;

Tavira

Herdade da Corte - Monte do Lavrador

Tourism in the Country / Country

Houses

Address: Sitio da Corte, cx postal 710A Santa Catarina da Fonte do Bispo 8800-166 Tavira

Telephone: +351 282 971 625

E-mail: herdadedacorte@herdadedacorte.com **Website:**

<http://www.herdadedacorte.com>

Characteristics and Services:

Tennis courts; Swimming-pool; Number of beds: 14; Number of rooms: 7; Television room; Central air conditioning; Internet Access; Baby Sitting; Bar; Smoke free; Garden;

Access:

Outdoor parking; Transfer service; Bike friendly;

Room facilities:

Television in room; Hair dryer in room; Air conditioning in room; Telephone in room;

Timetable:

Breakfast timetable: 9.00am - 11.00am;

Payments:

Credit cards accepted; Guiding price: \$\$\$\$ (>90€);

Towards the south, to the warmth of another Algarve, Herdade da Corte is a Rural Tourism accommodation created from a commitment of the past, the present and the well being.

Located preferentially for those who like to be by the sea but away from the traditionally touristic Algarve, the Herdade da Corte Country House offers you the ideal conditions, being the perfect base to begin exploring the contrasts of the Algarve.

Let yourself be carried away...

Centro de Portugal

Alcobaça

Vale d' Azenha Hotel Rural & Residences

Tourism in the Country / Rural

Hotels

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Alcobaça

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E-mail: reservations@hotelvaledazinha.com **Website:**

<http://www.hotelvaledazinha.com>

Characteristics and Services:

Swimming-pool; Number of beds: 50; Number of rooms: 17; Double rooms with toilet: 10; Television room; Central air conditioning; Number of suites: 2; Internet Access; Reserved area for non-smokers; Restaurant; Pets allowed; Gymnasium; Number of apartments: 6; Currency exchange; Baby Sitting; Bar; Sauna; Jacuzzi; Smoke free; Laundry service; Paddling pool; Children's playground; Garden;

Access:

Outdoor parking; Covered garage; Train stations; Transfer service; Bike friendly;

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Characteristics and Services:

Swimming-pool; Number of beds: 50; Number of rooms: 17; Double rooms with toilet: 10; Rooms in the main house: 17; Rooms in the adjacent building: 6; Television room; Number of detached houses: 6; Central air conditioning; Number of suites: 2; Internet Access; Reserved area for non-smokers; Restaurant; Pets allowed; Gymnasium; Currency exchange; Baby Sitting; Bar; Sauna; Jacuzzi; Smoke free; Laundry service; Children's playground; Garden;

Access:

Outdoor parking; Covered garage; Train stations; Transfer

Room facilities:

Television in room; Hair dryer in room; Internet access in room; Air conditioning in room; Telephone in room; Steel safe in room; Mini-bar in room;

Timetable:

Breakfast timetable: From 08h am to 10h30 am; Room service timetable: From 08h am to 10h30 am (with restrictions);

Payments:

Credit cards accepted; Guiding price: \$\$\$\$ (>90€);

Accessibility:

Disabled access; Facilities for disabled; Reserved parking spaces; Accessible route to the entrance: Total; Accessible areas/services: Bedrooms, Restaurant, Bar/Café, Patio, Swimming pool, Gym; Care skills: Visual impairment; Support products/services available: Motor disability;

Vale d'Azenha Hotel & Residences rises in a singular location one hour away from Lisbon. This almost idiosyncratic space - with its environment and location - has allowed to create a concept shaped by many influences and therefore creating a unique experience.

Assuming itself as the starting point to the discovery of an entire region and culture, Vale d'Azenha is a serenity retreat, with a comfortable rurality, in a perfect symbiosis between traditional and contemporary.

Vale d'Azenha Hotel & Residences has 17 bedrooms, 2 Suites and 6 thematic Residences "Pet friendly", which inspired by the surrounding native species, gives them a matchless environment.

At the Golden Restaurant let yourself fall in love with the local gastronomy, accompanied by a valley that extends to the sea, always in close relationship with a service of excellency.

At Vale d'Azenha Hotel & Residences you can find a thoughtful and close service. Feel at home and let yourself be involved in a natural and almost organic way with this place, so that you can come, stay and return.

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Room facilities:

Television in room; Hair dryer in room; Internet access in room; Air conditioning in room; Telephone in room; Steel safe in room; Mini-bar in room;

Timetable:

Breakfast timetable: From 08h am to 10h30 am; Room service timetable: from 08h am to 12h00 am (with restrictions);

Payments:

Credit cards accepted; Guiding price: \$\$\$\$ (>90€);

Accessibility:

Disabled access; Facilities for disabled; Reserved parking spaces; Accessible route to the entrance: Total; Accessible entrance: Total; Accessible areas/services: Bedrooms, Meeting rooms, Restaurant, Bar/Café, Patio, Swimming pool, Gym; Care skills: Visual impairment, Motor disability;

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Fátima

Luz Charming Houses

Tourism in the Country / Country

Houses

Address: Rua Principal, nº 782495-650 Fátima

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E-mail: info@luzhouses.pt **Website:**

<http://www.luzhouses.pt>

Timetable:

09 a.m - 12:00 a.m.; Breakfast timetable: 9 a.m. - 11 a.m.; Room service timetable: 1 p.m. - 3 p.m. ; 7:30 p.m. - 9:30 p.m.;

Characteristics and Services:

Games room; Swimming-pool; Number of beds: 30; Number of rooms: 9; Double rooms with toilet: 9; Rooms in the main house : 1; Rooms in the adjacent building: 14; Television room; Central heating; Number of suites: 6; Internet Access; Reserved area for non-smokers; Baby Sitting; Bar; Smoke free; Laundry service; SPA; Garden;

Room facilities:

Heating in room; Television in room; Hair dryer in room; Internet

access in room; Air conditioning in room; Telephone in room;
Steel safe in room; Mini-bar in room;

Access:

Buses; Transfer service; Bike friendly;

Payments:

Credit cards accepted; Guiding price: \$\$\$\$ (>90€);

Accessibility:

Disabled access; Facilities for disabled; Accessible route to the entrance: Total; Accessible entrance: Total; Reception area suitable for people with special needs; Accessible circulation inside: Total; Accessible areas/services: Bedrooms, Meeting rooms, Restaurant, Bar/Café; Care skills: Motor disability; Support products/services available: Motor disability;

Inspired by the history of a place and of a people, Luz - Charming Houses, located in Fatima, Portugal, offers 15 rooms with a simple and intimate decoration, a concept of a "small village", which architecture was inspired by the ancient villages in the region of Fatima.

At the "Mother House", or common area, we can find the reception desk, a small grocery store with products dating back to an ancient but not forgotten Portugal, the living room and the dining room, both of which have a fireplace, a terrace and an "honesty bar".

In the outdoor area within the trees and through the smell of the flowers, we find Luz Senses. Set in a natural cave, here we specialize in natural therapies that show the history and local knowledge, providing the visitors with various therapies and massages in a mystical place, offering a once in a lifetime experience.

The outdoor areas include other less common spaces, such as the sheep shelter, a centennial cistern and even a hermitage where our visitors may simply reflect and meditate, yet the perfect venue for special and intimate events.