



# **Famtrip Doñana**

International Meeting of Ecotourism & Birdwatching Tourism.

Doñana Natural Life & Doñana Birdfair

14 - 19 APRIL 2020



Dear friend,

On behalf of **Turismo de Andalucía**, the public organization devoted to the promotion of tourism linked to the **Ministry for Tourism of the Regional Government of Andalusia**, together with **Tourspain** and the **provincial tourist boards from Huelva and Sevilla**, we would like to invite you to participate in the **Famtrip Doñana: International Meeting of Ecotourism and Birdwatching Tourism. 14-19 April 2020.** 

This professional meeting is taking advantage of the two fairs **Doñana Natural Life** and **Doñana Birdfair** and intends to show the local tourist potential as well as the facilities for birdwatching, nature tourism and ecotourism in all possible formats.

Therefore, you will have the opportunity to get in touch with the local suppliers from this region in the workshop organised on Thursday 16 April and also discover singular places during this famtrip.

More details in the draft programme.

We thank you in advance for your interest in this meeting and wish to welcome you very soon in Andalusia.

Yours sincerely,
Dirección de Promoción y Comunicación **Turismo de Andalucía** 

















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## **TUESDAY, 14 APRIL**

- Arrivals to Sevilla Airport or Sevilla Train Station. Arrivals preferably before 12:00.
   Passengers may are grouped in some arrival transfers.
- Transfers from airport or train station with tourleader towards Sierra de Aracena, Huelva (approx. 1h30 drive).
- Check in Hotel Barceló Aracena. Lunch in the hotel.
- Carretera Nacional 433, Sevilla a Lisboa Km 88 -Aracena **T.** 902 101 001 **W.** www.barcelo.com
- Morning programme for early arrivals. At your arrival you will receive more information.
- 16:00 · Visit to the cave "Gruta de las Maravillas": cave with stunning formations of stalactites and stalagmites on limestone rocks from "Cerro del Castillo" - mountain.
- 17:00 Departure to Jabugo, Huelva (approx. 20 min. drive).
- 17:30 Visit to Jabugo Protected Designation of Origin Headquarters. This institution is in charge of protecting and certifying the quality and origin of ham from shoulders and hind legs, which are dried and matured in natural bodegas in the villages within the Sierra de Aracena and Picos de Aroche Natural Park.

  W. www.dopjabugo.es
- 19:30 Departure to Higuera de la Sierra, Huelva (approx. 30 min. drive)
- 20:00 Dinner at Restaurante Jacarandá.
- **W.** https://restaurante-jacaranda.negocio.site/
- Back to the hotel and overnight in Aracena, Huelva. Hotel Barceló Aracena.

#### **WEDNESDAY, 15 APRIL**

- · Breakfast in the hotel and check out.
- **08:30** Transfer towards **Huelva** (approx. 1h45 drive).
- 10:30 Visit to the Natural Site "Marismas del Odiel": declared a Biosphere Reserve by UNESCO in 1983 and is situaded at the mouth of the river Odiel. This marshy area of 7,185 hectares is complemented by salt marshes, forests, dunes, lagoons and beaches. Spoonbills, flamingos, sea hawks, etc.
- 13:00 Transfer to Bollullos Par del Condado, Huelva (approx. 45 min. drive).
- 14:00 Visit to "Centro del Vino Condado de Huelva". Interpretation center of the wine's history and its environment.
  - W. www.diphuelva.es/centrovino
- 15:00 Lunch at Bodega Iglesias or Juncales.
- 17:00 Transfer to the hotel in Matalascañas (Almonte, Huelva) and check in Gran Hotel del Coto.
  - Polígono, sector Dunas 2º Fase. Matalascañas **T.** 959 440 017 **W.** www.granhoteldelcoto.com
- 19:00 Site inspection to Gran Hotel del
- 19:30 Transfer to El Rocío (Almonte, Huelva) (approx. 30 min. drive).
- 19:30 Horse carriage ride through El Rocío, including site inspection to Hotel La Malvasía.
  - W. www.hotellamalvasia.com
- 19:30 Dinner at Restaurante Toruño. W. www.toruno.es
  - Back and overnight in Matalascañas. Gran Hotel del Coto.



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## THURSDAY, 16 APRIL

- · Breakfast in the hotel.
- 08:30 Coach transfer to El Rocío (Almonte, Huelva).
- 09:00 Accreditation and assistance to the Workshop International Meeting of Ecotourism and Birdwatching Tourim: beginning of the workshop between the local suppliers (mainly from Sevilla and Huelva) and the national and international buyers.
- 13:30 End of the workshop.
- 14:00 Open air terrace cocktail lunch at Restaurant Aires de Doñana.

**W.** www.airesdedonana.com

- 16:00 Departure from Restaurant Aires de Doñana in fourwheel cars to Doñana.
- 16:30 Visit to the National Park
  Doñana natural reserve with an
  extension of 53.709 hectares has a
  biodiversity that is unique in Europe.
  Declared World Heritage Site by UNESCO
  in 1994

W. www.donanavisitas.es

- 19:30 Back to the hotel and time to rest.
- Dinner in the area.
- Back and overnight in Matalascañas. Gran Hotel del Coto.

### FRIDAY, 17 APRIL

- · Breakfast in the hotel and check out.
- 08:30 Transfer to El Rocío (Almonte, Huelva).
- · Visit to IV Fair Doñana Natural Life.



- 10:30 Transfer to La Puebla del Río, Sevilla (approx. 1 h drive).
- 11:30 Arrival to VII Doñana Birdfair.



- Opening and visit to the fair. Lunch.
- Guided visit to the Nature Reserve, marshes and rice fields in **Doñana**.
- Transfer to Osuna and check in Hotel Esmeralda\*\*.

**W.** https://hotelesmeralda.es

- Dinner in Osuna.
- Overnight in **Osuna, Sevilla. Hotel Esmeralda.**



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## SATURDAY, 18 APRIL

- Breakfast in the hotel.
- Drive to the **Endorheic Complex of** Lantejuela Nature Reserva (Sevilla) and lunch en route.
- Visit to the endorheic complex and the countryside of the province of Seville: The Endorheic Complex of Lantejuela Nature Reserve comprises two shallow lakes, La Ballestera and Calderón Chica. These wetlands form part of what used to be a large endorheic area that spread over the countryside of Osuna and Écija, covering approximately 315 km<sup>2</sup>. The area occupied by the nature reserve is located between the depression of the Guadalquivir and the first Andalusian mountain ranges, in a landscape of gentle hills and slopes.
- Farewell dinner with Flamenco show.
- · Overnight in Osuna, Sevilla. Hotel Esmeralda.

### **SUNDAY, 19 APRIL**

- · Breakfast in the hotel and check out.
- Trasfers to Sevilla Airport or Sevilla **Train Station.**
- Departure preferably after 12:00. Passengers may are grouped in some departure transfers.
- Free morning or optional visits for afternoon departures, including lunch.

This is a draft programme subject to changes. In the final programme you will find up all the details of this trip. Programme subject to weather conditions. Thank you in advance for your understanding.





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