# **DIVERTING ACTIVITIES**





# GASTRONOMY

in Aragón is a synonym of diversity and quality. Tradition and vanguard merge together to offer the visitor the regional products in their tastiest and most original way.

Dishes prepared from the best raw materials and accompanied by the best wines of the area. Vegetables, cheeses, legumes, cold meats, oils, honey, nuts, mushrooms, and cared meats such as lamb represent some of the delicatessen to try, not to forget the highest level pastry, essential to guarantee a happy end to all evenings. All this together with a natural and heritage wealth that does not leave anyone indifferent. Visitors will get to visit indispensable places like: the National Park of Ordesa y Monte Perdido, the city of Jaca and the Monastery of San Juan de la Peña the towns of Aínsa, Alquézar, Albarracín, the Loarre Castle, the "mallos" of Riglos, the Tena Valley, the three Aragoneese capitals, the Piedra Monastery, the health resorts, the "mudejar" art jewels, Goya, and much more!

An unforgetable time to discover a fascinating land which has a lot to offer.

WHAT ELSE CAN YOU ASK FOR? PLEASURE IS IN THE TABLE, ENJOY YOUR MEAL!

# ACTIVITIES IN ZARAGOZA IN THE AFTERNOON AFTER THE WORKING DAY



Itinerary around the area called "el tubo" in groups of 20-25 people, accompanied by a host-guide who will make both a cultural visit and explain the gastronomy and enology of the region.

The group will stop in several bars of "el tubo" and taste their most characteristic tapas.

Prize per person: 35 - 50 € depending on the number of bars visited





## ARAGONEESE CULINARY ROUTE DISCOVER ARAGÓN THROUGH ITS GASTRONOMY

During this dinner, the guest will have the chance to experiment a different journey through the different dishes served. A culinary trip around Aragón's most significant foods. One of the main shafts will be borage, which will be tasted in different ways.

Accompanied by Aragoneese lamb meat- with clams- with "ajoarriero" (dish of cod with oil, garlic and peppers)- with our "jamón de Teruel"- as a dessert using the crystalized borage flower.

#### Prize per person: 60 - 80 €

GIN&TONIC MENU at the "Vétula" restaurant, one of the pioneers in Zaragoza.

# GUIDED TOUR "CULTURAL CROSSROAD" IN ZARAGOZA

making a tour around the city while discovering the different cultures that inhabited it through history, Christian, Muslim and Jewish.

Walking unique places of the city, enigmatic narrow streets... A mix of architectural styles that co-exist in perfect harmony.

# DAY ROUTE

# THE "CINCO VILLAS" JOURNEY

We will be able to discover one of the most representative features of this region: the romanic style.

Conserving spectacular works and prominently shaped castles.

We cannot forget the jewish remains of the area, which are very well preserved.

Prize per person: 50 €

## ROUTES IN HUESCA

#### DINNER THROUGH THE FIVE SENSES AT THE LILLAS PASTIA RESTAURANT

In a relaxed and peacefull atmosphere we make a sensorial journey of experiences and emotions. Let your imagination fly away with the company of an outstanding gastronomy.

#### Prize per person: 85 €

#### GASTRONOMIC ROUTE THROUGH HUESCA

A small itinerary aroud Huesca walking around the main monuments in the old town, full of stories, curiosities and anecdotes that will prepare the mood for the lugubrious and famous Huesca Bell.

But history is not all of it, the route will be sweetened by tasting different typical desserts of the city of Huesca.

The journey can be closed at the wine cellar of the "Ultramarinos La Confianza" shop, which is one of the oldest and best preserved grocery stores, opened since 1871.

> Prize per person: 35 - 50 € depending on the number of bars visited



#### "KINGDOM OF HEAVEN" ROUTE

Just half an hour away from Huesca you can find one of the treasures of romanic art: the Loarre castle. Best preserved medieval fortress in Europe and setting chosen by the famous director Ridley Scott for his movie "Kingdom of Heaven".





This unique and singular place located in the top of a limestone rock, 1070 metres high, is an excellent lookout to the of the plain of the Huesca bowl. The visit to this castle takes us to the Middle Ages, a time of battles, knights, and princesses where lords, kings and villains sighed to reach the "Kingdom of Heaven".

To complete the visit we will have lunch or dinner at the Venta del Sotón restaurant, where we will be able to try a regional menu composed by "migas a la pastora", "bacalao ajoarriero", Huesca lamb and endless culinary delights of our region. Finally, the meal can be liven up by a folk "jotas"group.

#### Prize per person: 75 €

#### MEDIEVAL VILLAGES AND "SOMONTANO" WINES

The tour begins with the visit to the town of Aínsa, penetrate into this legendary medieval village, which was declared artistic-historical ensemble. No doubt, the best way to meet this town: walking around its streets, discovering its mansions, getting lost in its picturesque corners...those will be the means to take us to the past.

We will make a break to eat at the Callizo restaurant.

Trip to Alquézar, medieval town located at the Vero river's last stretch, an impressive surrounding, setting that offers a great diversity of activities for nature and sport lovers too. During sunset we will visit a selection of cellars producing Somontano certificate of origin wine.

#### Prize per person: 60 €

#### CHEESE TASTING: A MERGE OF FLAVOURS AND AROMAS

Either at the Ultramarinos La Confianza wine cellar or the cholocate factory in Zaragoza.

Tasting of different traditional Aragoneese cheeses, combined with regional wines. This will be alternated with the tasting of crystalized flowers, workshop where we will take a look to the inside of edible flowers.

Benabarre cheeses- Flor de Aspe cheese- Radiquero cheese- Sieso cheese- Albarracín cheesefreixneda de cabra cheese.

Prize per person: 50 €



#### SAN JUAN DE LA PEÑA, JACA AND ARAGÓN VALLEY

Tour devoted to the Aragón Kingdom's birthplace; early in the morning we will walk around Jaca, first capital of the Aragón Kingdom and arcade to the St. James' way.

After this the group will take a bus that will take them to the Benedictine Monastery of San Juan de la Peña, cultural and tourist banner of the Alto Aragón region. The small highlander village of Santa Cruz de la Serós will be visited too. There we will be able to see the singular San Caprasio temple, unique example of Lombardy romanic style.

Lunch at "El Boj" restaurant, which offers a natural season cuisine with a gourmet touch.

In the afternoon we will make a panoramic visit to the Aragón valley, through which one of the stretches of the St. James' way run. This itinerary allows us to enjoy the Pyrenean peaks, surrounded by meadows and lush forests. The emblematic Canfranc Train Station will be visited too.

#### Prize per person: 80 €





## DAYTRIP TO ALBARRACÍN

Guided tour of Albarracín, walking around its streets, whose design adapt to the difficult topography of the land. Stairs, passages, and irregular walled mansions in tense balance, make of this town one of the considered "most beautiful in Spain".

Lunch at "El Batán" restaurant, which has recently been awarded with a Michelin star. Personal cusine defined by its respect to the raw materials, but with a lot of creativity and modern and original techniques.

Visit to the cheese factory in Albarracín- where the cradle of ancient traditions followed by generations of shepherds and craftmen to make one of the oldest foods, cheese, is found.

Prize per person: 75 €

## MATARRAÑA ROUTE

Valderrobles is the most popular town in the Matarraña region. It was declared artistic-historical ensemble and perfectly preserves the medieval urban design. The itinerary beginns from the medieval bridge, historical access that crosses the Matarraña river and the "Portal de San Roque". We will visit the old town stopping at the façades of the main civil buildings. And we will ascend to the monumental compund formed by the medieval castle and church, two of the "must see" in the matarraña region.

Calaceite. The cultural capital of Matarraña gives

us the opportunity to enjoy an excelent ensemble of medieval and modern stately mansions, with magnificent chapel-gates that access the village. The tours begins at the "Calle Mayor", main road leading into the square where the XVII century town hall, one of the best examples of civil Renaissance architecture, is found. The visit ends at the Juan Cabré museum (free entrance), archaeology pioneer in the Historical Bajo Aragón region during the XX century.

Lunch in Calaceite at the Fonda Alcalá.

#### Prize per person: 65 €



Footnote: the mentioned prizes are estimated, always counting on the participation of a minimum of 10 people in the activities.

Information and reservations

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