

Sightseeing & Things to do

If you want to explore different things, congratulations, Costa Blanca is the right place to be!

Why not catch a boat from Benidorm along the coast to Alicante, play golf at one of the golf courses, visit the zoo, go to a museum, try Segway or spend a day at a water park?

Here is information and links to different activities in the area.

Chocolate museum in Villajoyosa. Valor, the most famous chocolate in Spain has its heritage in Villajoyosa. Visit the museum and understand the company's history, their methods of producing the chocolate and taste some chocolate.

www.valor.es/en/chocolate-museum/



Golf. You can find many gold courses in the area, such as Golf Resort Bonalba, Golf Sierra Cortina, Golf Med & Las Rejas Golf. At our homepage you can find links under the section "Things to do".



The **Santa Barbara-castle** is located at the Benacantil Mountain in Alicante. From the top, 166 meters above the sea level, you will experience spectacular views. On its slopes have been found archaeological remains of the Bronze Age, Iberian and Roman, but the origin of the fortress is in the late ninth century with the Muslim rule. Drive, walk or use the elevator to reach the top. From there you can have an ice-cream or a cup of coffee in the café. Do we need to mention the view one more time?

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



The **Museum of Modern Art in Alicante** is located in central Alicante at Plaza Sta. Maria 3. It is open Tuesday – Saturday 10 am – 8 pm (11 am – 8 pm during summer) and on Sundays and holidays from 10 am to 2 pm. Free entrance. <http://www.maca-alicante.es/>



Volvo Ocean Race Museum is situated in the marina of Alicante. What makes the Volvo Ocean Race so exciting? Learn more about the classic competition!

<http://museovolvoceanrace.esatur.com>



The Marina of Alicante. Enjoy a vibrant marina offering fantastic yachts, shopping, restaurants, bars etc. www.marinaalicante.com



The X-Door Alicante. The perfect activity for the whole family. Cooperate to find a way out. www.thexdooralicante.com



The **Water Museum in Alicante** was opened in 2009 and is located in central Alicante. Explore the different shapes of water and learn how the water is transported to our homes. (<http://www.museoaguasdealicante.es/en/>)



The **Maritime Museum in Benidorm** is situated in the marina area in Benidorm. Learn the difference between ships of all kinds. Free entrance. For more information, see section “museums” at <http://www.benidormist.com>.



Klein-Schreuder Sculpture Garden. 400 rose bushes, 100 palm trees, 60 ficus elastic trees, 400 cypresses, 1,000 bushes and lots of sculptures are to be found in this garden stretching over 20 000 m². Open to public on Sundays from 10 am to 2 pm, entrance 3 €. www.klein-schreuder.com



Tao Bike. Rent a bike in Benidorm and explore the surroundings. You can rent a bike by the hour, half day, day, week... www.taobike.es



Benidorm Segway Tours. This is fun for the whole family. Grandpa and the kids will have a blast! After some training everyone can manage to Segway along the boardwalk. www.tmrbenidorm.com



Marco Polo Expedition in Benidorm. Specialized on activities on Costa Blanca. Go-kart. Paragliding, Helicopter tours, Fishing tours etc. They have adventures that fit everybody. <http://www.marcopolo-exp.es/en/>



Capitan Kayak, Kayak tours with guide in Benidorm. www.capitankayak.com



El Castell de Guadalest. This is a very beautiful and picturesque village with 221 inhabitants surrounded by mountains, many of them reaching more than 1,000 meters. In El Castell de Guadalest there are many small museums, a castle, hiking trails taking you up to 1,200 meters, small genuine shops selling for example crafts, restaurants and cafés. The climate is a bit colder during winters and more comfortable during the summer month compared to the coastal climate. El Castell de Guadalest is situated approximately 30 km from Villajoyosa taking you there in around 40 minutes by car via road CV-70 from Benidorm. www.guadalest.es



Bodegas Mendoza is just a short way from Alfaz Del Pi, 20 km north of Villajoyosa. Visit a wine yard and learn the most important things about winemaking and of course you will be having the chance to taste it as well. Guided tours are available selected days during the week. For more information see www.bodegasmendoza.com.



The **Bodegas Faelo** wine yards is located in Elche approx. 70 km south of Villajoyosa. On a yearly basis they produce more than 15 000 kg of grapes resulting in 10,000 liters of red, white, rose and white wine. At this wine yard, you can experience a guided tour hosted by the owner. During the tour, you will have the opportunity to taste wines from the yard together with dried sausages from the area, cheeses and homemade bread. Make your reservation before the arrival at www.vinosladama.com.



Terra Natura. Benidorm's zoo stretched over an area of 320 000 m² with animals from all over the world. <http://benidorm.terrannatura.com/en/index.html>



Terra Mítica. Amusement park with about 20 attractions, shows, shops and restaurants. Open from April to late October. www.terramiticapark.com



Agua Natura. One of Benidorm's biggest water parks for the whole family. 40 000 m² with wave machines, water slides, designates area for children, sun deck, changing rooms, bars etc. <http://benidorm.terrannatura.com/en/terrannatura/13-aquanatura.html>

Note that La Vila Domus sells tickets to the water parks.



Aqualandia in Benidorm. One of the biggest water parks in the world and the biggest in Europe. The water park is 150 000 m² big with everything for everyone, from the smaller kids to the adults. www.aqualandia.net/en/

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