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SORTELHA

A unique medieval Village

From
280€

INCLUDED: accommodation & breakfast, local guide, activities indicated on the program, insurance.

NOT INCLUDED: Transfers, meals, tips & tourist tax.

NATURE & TRADITIONS

Get involved in traditions and landscapes

Minimum group: 2 people

Program: 3 days and 2 nights

Meeting point: Tourism office -
Largo do Corro, Sortelha

Authentic: Culture, trekking, wine,
local food, nature, heritage and
tradition.

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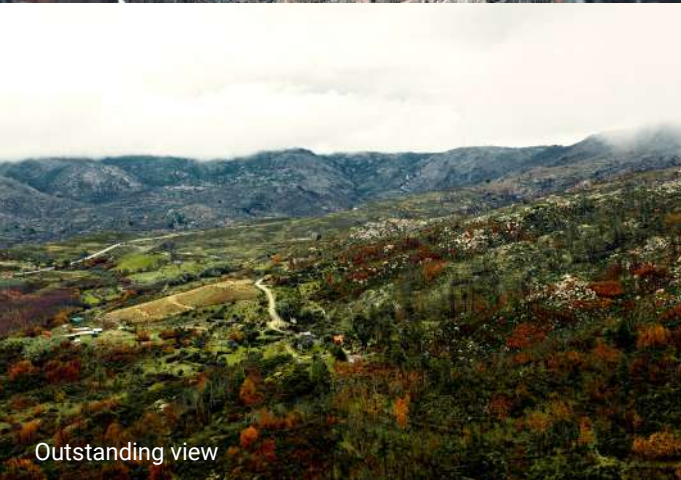
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Picturesque streets



Outstanding view



Wine Tasting



Walk in the village with a donkey

Description

Let yourself enter a very special medieval village that will surprise you with its impressive castle built on a massif rock, rich and diverse heritage, multiple corners and legends, which will make you enter this magical and mystical place. Get involved in the traditions and flavours of this secular land, discover the landscapes that surround it and its unique reality with the people who inhabit it and live it daily. We prepared three unique and memorable days, with a stay in a restored stone house in the village that we have specially chosen for you. Come and fall in love!

Our essence: Unique rurality and magical landscapes.

Itinerary

Day 1: Discover Sortelha, a mythical and magical place, in a walk through the picturesque streets, the carved granite houses and the Medieval Castle. Along the way give yourself time to admire the work of Dona Arminda's and discover an ancestral art - the "bracejo". End this walk with a taste of local products.

Day 2: Start the morning uncovering the beautiful and hillside Quarta-feira village with strong cultural and rural traditions, passing in still well preserved medieval path. Along the way make a picnic with an outstanding view. In the afternoon, visit a local sustainable farm, where you will have the opportunity to delight yourself with a wine tasting, in the company of your host! An unforgettable experience!

Day 3: Come to get to know Mimosa and Lagartixo and have a quiet walk through the village of Sortelha with a patient, affable, calm, gentle, strong and smart animal that had for a long time an enormous value and usefulness as a saddle animal, supporting us agricultural work and transport. After the walk discover how this animal used to be essential in the farming (with a demonstration of seasonal agriculture activities).



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Through traditions and customs



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REAL TRADITIONS

Discover Sortelha on the back of a donkey

Minimum group: 2 people

Program: 2 days and 1 night

Meeting point: Tourism office -
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heritage, nature and tradition.



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Discover Sortelha



Walk in the village with a donkey



Make your own piece of "bracejo" with D. Arminda



Beauty landscapes

Description

Get to know Sortelha on the back of a donkey, as people knew it in medieval times. Be welcomed by someone that will tell you the stories, legends and take you to meet the lives of so many people.

In this two days journey, don't miss the opportunity to watch from the top of the walls the beauty of the sunset and discover its rich cuisine for dinner, marked by the strong flavours of lamb, goat and game meat.

In the morning, open up to a unique experience and discover ancient art in these lands. A knowledge almost as old as everything that surrounds it. Let yourself relax and be guided by the hands of a real artist.

Our essence: Stories, legends and strong flavours.

Itinerary

Day 1: Discover Sortelha with the affable Lagartixa or Mimosa. In the discovery of the village, you will hear so many intertwined stories of the lives and experiences of so many people. This gentle animal will take you in time to meet a century-old village of unspeakable beauty.

Day 2: Give yourself time to lose yourself in D. Arminda's ability to handle the "bracejo". Discover an ancestral tradition that was passed down from mothers to daughters for centuries and which still exists today to count those times. Make your own piece of "bracejo" that you will take as a unique souvenir of a very special morning when stories and art are intertwined by the words and hands of D. Arminda. Unforgettable.



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Streets, legends and flavours



DESCRIPTION

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47€



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Rurality and donkeys



DESCRIPTION

Come to get to know Mimosa and Lagartixo and make a quiet walk through the village of Sortelha or in the mountain with picnic with a patient, affable, calm, gentle, strong and smart animal that had for a long time an enormous value and usefulness as a saddle animal, supporting us agricultural work and transport.

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28€



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Trekking in the scenic surrounds



DESCRIPTION

Uncover the beautiful and hillside Quarta-feira village with strong cultural and rural traditions. Be amazed by the stone sculptures of one of its most well-known inhabitants. Discover the typical flora and fauna of this region and marvel at the natural landscape where the granite massifs stand out, giving a unique beauty. Along the way, we will discover signs of the past that deeply marked the village of Sortelha and its surroundings, such as the mining activity, that existed here for thousands of years, and the medieval path. Along the way make a picnic with traditional products of the region, with an outstanding view.

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65€



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The old tradition of making bread and sweets



DESCRIPTION

Bread is of paramount importance in the history of man, discover with Dona Lucinda the ancient traditions of the rural people of these lands. In this workshop, we will teach you the techniques of traditional bread and pastry making and its baking...

This is an encounter with the people who keep the ancient techniques and recipes alive, in a place of difficult access, almost lost amidst mountains and valleys. In the end taste, still warm bread, and fresh out of the ancient oven, prepared by our own hands.

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49€



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The sounds of the stone



DESCRIPTION

This experience will take you in a discovery of the fine art of sculpting. Come discover, together with Mr. João the art of working these giant granite boulders that stand out in the surrounding nature. Join us in this unique opportunity to find out more about these techniques and be invited to put into practice some of these teachings. Unravel the artist that is inside of you and learn the deep therapeutic advantages that these work can bring to your life.

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55€



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The flavours and aromas of wine



DESCRIPTION

Enter the world of the demarcated wine region Beira Interior. The vineyards are planted at an altitude of 450 meters, with southern exposure, on poor granite soils that allow premium grape maturation. A very special "terroir" indelibly that marks the wines of this farm.

Come and make a very personal visit, conducted by the owners themselves to a farm of authentically sustainable wines. Its wines are classified by several distributors such as "natural wine" due to the purity of their processes.

Discover the old agricultural traditions of this region, as well as, take time to taste these very different wines and discover their colours, aromas and particular flavours.

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