

# PROGRAMME OF ACTIVITIES IN BENICÀSSIM MARCH



# BENICÀSSIM GUIDED TOURS OFFICIAL PROGRAMME

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**BENICÀSSIM KIDS** 

More info & tickets at Benicàssim Tourist Office or www.turismo.benicassim.es (bank card payment only).

#### DESERT LES PALMES NATURAL PARK

Visit one of the most emblematic natural spaces of the Valencian Community declared a "Natural Space" in 1989 due to its ecological, landscape and recreational interest. In this place you can carry out leisure activities among which there are 10 hiking and biking trails.

#### CARMELITE MONASTERY

Mass Monday to Saturday at 8 a.m. & Sunday at 12 p.m. Visit the Sacred Museum afterwards (upon request) // More info at +34 964 30 09 50 & www.desiertodelaspalmas.com

# "LA BARTOLA" DESERT DE LES PALMES INTERPRETATION CENTRE

Interactive models of the flora and fauna of the Natural Park. Everyday from 9.30 a.m. to 2 p.m. More info at +34 964 33 36 87 <u>www.parguesnaturales.gva.es</u>

#### TORRE SANT VICENT INTERPRETATION CENTRE

Guided tours every hour: €3 (€1.5 reduced) Includes official guide, audio guide and experience with virtual reality glasses. Payment will be made exclusively by credit card.

Open Friday & Saturday from 10.30 a.m. to 1.30 p.m. and from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m.

Sunday and festivities from 10.30 a.m. to 1.30 p.m. EASTER: From 22<sup>nd</sup> March to 7<sup>th</sup> April

from 10.30 a.m. to 1.30 p.m. & from 4 p.m. to 7 p.m. Ferrandis Salvador Avenue, 1 Tel: +34 964 76 68 14

More info at <u>www.turismo.benicassim.es</u>

## PARC DEL TRENET

Enjoy a miniature railway route in which adults and children can relive the experience of riding a steam train.

Open Sunday & holidays from 11 a.m. to 1 p.m. Closed on 3<sup>rd</sup> March. Plaza del Trenet

More info: www.plazadeltrenetbenicassim.com

#### EXHIBITION: «La voz del silencio» by Isabel Ramirez Torres

Open from 9<sup>th</sup> March to 28<sup>th</sup> April. Thursday, Friday and Sunday from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Saturday from 11 a.m. to 2 p.m. & 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Melchor Zapata Cultural Centre 9, Santo Tomás street

### CARMELITE WINE CELLAR

Guided & tasting tour. Visits everyday: 9.30 a.m., 10.30 a.m., 11.30 a.m.,12.30 p.m., 3.30 p.m., 4.30 p.m. & 5.30 p.m. EASTER: From Thursday to Sunday: 9.30 a.m., 10.30 a.m., 11.30 a.m.,12.30 p.m., 4 p.m., 5 p.m., 6 p.m. & 7 p.m. More info at +34 964 30 08 49 or whatsapp +34 667 67 37 16 or reservas@carmelitano.com <u>www.carmelitano.com</u> 12, Bodolz st.

#### WEEKLY MARKET

Fresh products, flowers, fashion and accessories. Open every Thursday from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m. Location: Pérez Bayer av.

EXHIBITION: «Anónimas» by Salva Ríos Open until 10<sup>th</sup> March. From Thursday to Sunday from 5 p.m. to 8 p.m. Sala Escena. Teatro Municipal Francesc Tàrrega 31, Bayer street www.benicassimcultura.es

### **BENICÀSSIM GUIDED TOURS OFFICIAL PROGRAMME**

#### **BENICÀSSIM'S EDIBLE FOREST**

Sunday, 10<sup>th</sup> March (10 a.m.- 1 p.m.) Place: Carmelite Monastery car park Distance: 4 km. (easy - medium. Recommended for hiking families.) Price: €3 (€1.5 reduced) Description: The Mediterranean forest is a hot spot of biodiversity worldwide. This translates into a multitude of uses for plants: medicinal, construction, manufacturing, food... We are allow to say that we have edible forests that offer us a multitude of services, some even unknown. Recover with us an almost forgotten ancestral wisdom! Pacommendations: sports shoes, hat lunch and a drink. Animals are not allowed during the activity (except

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#### **BENICÀSSIM: A CINEMA'S ROUTE**

Saturday, 16<sup>th</sup> March (11 a.m. - 12.30 p.m.)
Place: Torre de Sant Vicent. (Ferrandis Salvador ave., 1)
Distance: 2.5 Km (easy, recommended for adults).
Price: €3 (€1.5 reduced)
Description: A walk at sunset where we will visit the scenes of Berlanga and other directors who brought to the big screen some of the most recognized landscapes in Benicàssim.
Recommendations: Animals are not allowed during the activity (except for guide and assistance dogs).

#### THE GHOST OF MÉCHAIN AND THE PARIS MERIDIAN (REENACTMENT)

Sunday, 24<sup>th</sup> March (10.30 a.m. - 12.30 p.m.) Place: Desert de les Palmes Monastery carpark Cv-147 / Km. 8 Distance: 1 km (50m gradient) easy. Recommended for families.

Price: €5 (€2.5 reduced)

Description: It is a little-known fact that one of the minds behind the metric system conducted research in the hills of the Desert de les Palmes to determine the exact length of a meter. Pierre Méchain died from a disease transmitted by a mosquito in the area and was buried in Castellón. Yet his ghost, which can be seen on nights around All Saints' Eve, continues to wander the hills of Benicàssim in an attempt to cross them and return to his native France.

Recommendations: sports shoes, cap and a drink. Animals are not allowed during the activity (except for guide and assistance dogs).

### ENVIRONMENTAL GEOCACHING AT THE LA BARTOLA INFORMATION CENTRE

Tuesday, 26<sup>th</sup> March (11 a.m.- 1 p.m.)

Place: La Bartola Information Centre carpark.

Difficulty: easy. Recommended for families.

Price: €3 (€1.5 reduced)

Description: Geocaching is one of the most fun ways for our little ones to really dive into their surroundings: using a GPS and coordinates gathered as a family, participants will arrive at a variety of places where, during this event, they will discover fun facts about the rich natural heritage surrounding the Desert de les Palmes Natural Park's Information Centre. Let's play!

Recommendations: sports shoes, hat and a drink. Animals are not allowed during the activity (except for guide and assistance dogs).

#### THE BEAUTIFUL LIFE AT BENICÀSSIM'S VILLAS

Wednesday, 27<sup>th</sup> March (11 a.m. - 1 p.m.)

Place: Torre de Sant Vicent. 1, Ferrandis Salvador ave.

Distance: 2 Km. (easy)

Price: €3 (€1.5 reduced)

Description: From engineers to singers, famous writers or eccentric film directors. 150 years makes for many stories.

Recommendations: Animals are not allowed during the activity (except for guide and assistance dogs).

# FROM BANU QASI TO BENICÀSSIM. STORIES OF THE HISTORY OF OUR TOWN. Sign-language interpreter included (Spanish)

Thursday, 28<sup>th</sup> March (10.30 a.m. - 12.30 p.m.) Place: Tourist Info Casa Abadía. 74-76, Santo Tomás st. Distance: 2,5 km (easy). Price: €5 (€2.5 reduced) Description: Discover the historical beauty of Benicàssim through its Centinela castle, its modernist heritage, its streets and squares, the Carmelitano Wine cellar or Santo Tomás de Villanueva Church. A route where we will know a town with much tradition in the cultivation of rice fields. Recommendations: animals are not allowed during the activity (except for guide and assistance dogs).

## THE LAND OF RED SANDSTONE. HIKING AROUND LAS AGUJAS DE SANTA ÁGUEDA.

Friday, 29<sup>th</sup> March (10 a.m.- 1 p.m.) Place: Ancient Monastery lookout carpark. CV-147 / KM.9 Distance: 4,3 Km. (medium, children 7+)

Price: €3 (€1.5 reduced)

Description: The peculiar sandstone geology of the territory of Benicàssim not only influences the water of our fountains or the vegetation that covers the mountains, but it also results in the most beautiful postcards in which the greens, reds and blues of the natural landscape combine in an unusual and surprising way. Recommendations: sports shoes, hat, lunch and a drink. Animals are not allowed during the activity (except for guide and assistance dogs).

#### BENICÀSSIM FROM ABOVE.

Saturday 30<sup>th</sup> March (10 a.m -1 p.m.) Place: Carmelite Monastery carpark. CV-147 / KM.8 Distance: 4 km. (easy – medium. Recommended for hiking families.) Price:€3 (€1.5 reduced) Description: We will venture into Desert de les Palmes Natural Park with a local guide who, as we follow a

simple hiking trail, will reveal the natural and cultural secrets of Benicàssim's most iconic protected area. And if that were not enough, we will be accompanied by the most breathtaking views across the valleys and mountains of the Desert along the entire route.

# TICKETS AVAILABLE: at <u>www.turismo.benicassim.es</u> or at Benicàssim Tourist Office. (bank card payment only).

DAY	TIME	ACTIVITY	PLACE
Friday 1 <sup>st</sup>	7.30 p.m. & 10.30 p.m.	<b>Cinema: «Poor things»</b> Original version in English with Spanish subtitles. Tickets: €3 (16+)	Francesc Tàrrega Municipal Theatre Constitucio Square
Saturday 2 <sup>nd</sup>	7.30 p.m. & 10.30 p.m.	Cinema: «Poor things» Dubbed version in Spanish. Tickets: €3 (16+)	Francesc Tàrrega Municipal Theatre Constitucio Square
Sunday 3 <sup>rd</sup>	7.30 p.m.	<b>Cinema: «Poor things»</b> Original version in English with Spanish subtitles. Tickets: €3 (16+)	Francesc Tàrrega Municipal Theatre Constitucio Square
Friday 8 <sup>th</sup>	7.30 p.m. & 10.30 p.m.	<b>Cinema: «Perfect Days»</b> Original version in Japanese with Spanish subtitles. Tickets: €3 (7+)	Francesc Tàrrega Municipal Theatre Constitucio Square

Saturday 9 <sup>th</sup>	7.30 p.m. & 10.30 p.m.	Cinema: «Perfect Days» Dubbed version in Spanish. Tickets: €3 (7+)	Francesc Tàrrega Municipal Theatre Constitucio Square
Sunday 10 <sup>th</sup>	10 a.m.	BENICÀSSIM GUIDED TOURS OFFICIAL PROGRAMME «Benicàssim's editable forest» Tickets: €3 (€1.5 reduced). www.turismo.benicassim.es or at the Tourist Info Office.	Carmelite Monastery carpark CV-147 / km.8
	7.30 p.m.	Cinema: «Perfect Days» Original version in Japanese with Spanish subtitles. Tickets: €3 (7+)	Francesc Tàrrega Municipal Theatre Constitucio Square
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup>	6 p.m.	BenicàssiM'educa conferences: «How to build an emotional-sexual education beyond porn» (talk in Spanish) By Marina Marroquí. Free entrance until capacity is completed.	Casa de Cultura 4, Metge Segarra st.
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup>	6 p.m.	<i>Educación Consciente, Educación Valiente</i> 8 <sup>th</sup> Edition «Hooked on the screen» Talk given by Laura Díaz. Free entrance. Adults only.	Casa de Cultura 4, Metge Segarra st.
Friday 15 <sup>th</sup>	7.30 p.m. & 10.30 p.m.	<b>Cinema: «The Holdovers»</b> Original version in English with Spanish subtitles. Tickets: €3 (12+)	Francesc Tàrrega Municipal Theatre Constitucio Square
Saturday 16 <sup>th</sup>	Two sesions: 10 a.m. 12 p.m.	<i>Educación Consciente, Educación Valiente</i> 8 <sup>th</sup> Edition «Memories of Africa» Immersive sensory experience (From 1 to 6 years old, accompanied by an adult) Free upon registration in Town Hall (SIC). Limited places.	Sports Hall 43, Torre de Sant Vicent st.
	11 a.m.	BENICÀSSIM GUIDED TOURS OFFICIAL PROGRAMME «Benicàssim: a cinema's route» Tickets: €3 (€1.5 reduced). www.turismo.benicassim.es or at the Tourist Info Office.	Torre de Sant Vicent F. Salvador ave, 1
	7.30 p.m. & 10.30 p.m.	Cinema: «The Holdovers» Dubbed version in Spanish. Tickets: €3 (12+)	Francesc Tàrrega Municipal Theatre Constitucio Square
Sunday 17 <sup>th</sup>	7.30 p.m.	<b>Cinema: «The Holdovers»</b> Original version in English with Spanish subtitles. Tickets: €3 (12+)	Francesc Tàrrega Municipal Theatre Constitucio Square

Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	7.30 p.m. & 10.30 p.m.	Documentary: « <i>La memoria finita</i> » (The eternal memory) Original version in Spanish. Tickets: €3 (12+)	Francesc Tàrrega Municipal Theatre Constitucio Square
Saturday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	6.30 p.m.	Theatre: Colectivo Milímetro presents «Ciudades, arquitecturas en movimiento» Recommended for all audiences & especially for children. Tickets: €3 (+5)	Francesc Tàrrega Municipal Theatre Constitucio Square
Sunday 24 <sup>th</sup>	10.30 a.m.	BENICÀSSIM GUIDED TOURS OFFICIAL PROGRAMME «The ghost of Méchain and the Paris meridian» (reenactment) Tickets: €5 (€2.5 reduced). www.turismo.benicassim.es or at the Tourist Info Office.	Carmelite Monastery carpark CV-147 / km.8
	7.30 p.m.	Documentary: «La memoria finita» (The eternal memory) Original version in Spanish. Tickets: €3 (12+)	Francesc Tàrrega Municipal Theatre Constitucio Square
Tuesday 26 <sup>th</sup>	11 a.m.	BENICÀSSIM GUIDED TOURS OFFICIAL PROGRAMME «Environmental geocaching at the Bartola Information Centre» Tickets: €3 (€1.5 reduced) www.turismo.benicassim.es or at the Tourist Info Office.	La Bartola Information Centre carpark
Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup>	11 a.m.	BENICÀSSIM GUIDED TOURS OFFICIAL PROGRAMME «A beautiful life at the villas of Benicàssim» Tickets: €3 (€1.5 reduced). www.turismo.benicassim.es or at the Tourist Info Office.	Torre de Sant Vicent F. Salvador ave, 1
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup>	EASTER 2024 From 28 <sup>th</sup> March to 1 <sup>st</sup> April		
	10.30 a.m.	BENICÀSSIM GUIDED TOURS OFFICIAL PROGRAMME «From Banu Qasi to Benicàssim» Sign-language interpreter included (Spanish) Tickets: €3 (€1.5 reduced). www.turismo.benicassim.es or at the Tourist Info Office.	Tourist Info Casa Abadía 74-76, Santo Tomás st.
	After 6 p.m.	SAN SAN FESTIVAL From 28 <sup>th</sup> to 30 <sup>th</sup> March Two Door Cinema Club, Viva Suecia, Depedro, Fuel Fandango	Festival venue N-340, KM.986

Friday 29 <sup>th</sup>	10 a.m.	BENICÀSSIM GUIDED TOURS OFFICIAL PROGRAMME «The land of red sandstone. Hiking around <i>las Agujas</i> <i>de Santa Águeda</i> » Tickets: €3 (€1.5 reduced). www.turismo.benicassim.es or at the Tourist Info Office.	Old Monastery Lookout carpark
	11 a.m. & 12.30 p.m.	BENICÀSSIM KIDS: «The treasure of the Sant Vicent tower» Recommended for children between 5 and 10 years old. Tickets: €2.5 More info: www.turismo.benicassim.es or at the Tourism Information Office	Torre de Sant Vicent F. Salvador ave, 1
	After 6 p.m.	<b>SAN SAN FESTIVAL</b> <b>From 28<sup>th</sup> to 30<sup>th</sup> March</b> Amaral, La Oreja de Van Gogh, Álvaro de Luna, La La Love You	Festival venue N-340, KM.986
	6.30 p.m.	<b>Cinema for families: «Migration»</b> Dubbed version in Spanish. Tickets: €2. Especially recommended for children.	Francesc Tàrrega Municipal Theatre Constitucio Square
	10.30 p.m.	<b>Cinema: «Bastarden» (The promised land)</b> Original version in Danish with Spanish subtitles. Tickets: €3 (16+)	Francesc Tàrrega Municipal Theatre Constitucio Square
Saturday 30 <sup>th</sup>	10 a.m.	BENICÀSSIM GUIDED TOURS OFFICIAL PROGRAMME «Benicàssim from above» Tickets: €3 (€1.5 reduced). www.turismo.benicassim.es or at the Tourist Info Office.	Carmelite Monastery car park CV-147 / km.8
	11 a.m. & 12.30 p.m.	BENICÀSSIM KIDS: «The mystery of Parc del Trenet» Recommended for children between 5 and 10 years old. Tickets: €2.5 More info: <u>www.turismo.benicassim.es</u> or at the Tourism Information Office	Parc del Trenet 13, Font Pollosa St
	After 6 p.m.	SAN SAN FESTIVAL From 28 <sup>th</sup> to 30 <sup>th</sup> March Arde Bogotá, Vetusta Morla, Despistaos, Iván Ferreiro	Festival venue N-340, KM.986
	6.30 p.m.	<b>Cinema for families: «Migration»</b> Dubbed version in Spanish. Tickets: €2. Especially recommended for children.	Francesc Tàrrega Municipal Theatre Constitucio Square
	10.30 p.m.	Cinema: «Bastarden» (The promised land) Dubbed version in Spanish. Tickets: €3 (16+)	Francesc Tàrrega Municipal Theatre Constitucio Square

Theatre: Cía Leamok presents «Hanle, una versión más que libre de Hamlet» Tickets: €3 (+16) Francesc Tàrrega Municipal Theatre Constitucio Square

# **BENICÀSSIM TOWN HALL – TOURISM DEPARTMENT**

## TOURIST INFO BENICÀSSIM CASA ABADIA

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Timetable:

From Monday to Friday: 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. and from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. Saturday, Sunday and holidays from 10.30 a.m. to 1.30 p.m. EASTER: Friday 29<sup>th</sup> to Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> open from 10.30 a.m. to 1.30 p.m. and from 4 p.m. to 6 p.m. Monday 1<sup>st</sup> April from 10.30 a.m. to 1.30 p.m.

More information: <u>www.turismo.benicassim.es</u>

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