



SLOW LIFE
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Sea and mountains: spring holidays in the inland of the Axarquía region

Enjoy the sunny spring of the Axarquía region.

Experience the colors and tastes of the slow-paced Andalusian way of life.

If you are looking for genuine emotions, traditional fairs, fantastic landscapes, unique activities, delicious food, warm people and a truly Mediterranean way of life, the eastern Costa del Sol is your destination.

Where

- In the Axarquía region, which lies on the Eastern Costa del Sol, at just 45 min. drive from Malaga International Airport (AGP).
- Axarquía enjoys a typical Mediterranean climate, with hot summers and mild winters, and 320 days of sunshine a year.

Number of participants

- 8 to 10

Spoken languages

- English, Spanish, German, French, Italian

Duration

4 days / 3 nights

When

Month	Start Vacation	End Vacation
April 2016	Sat 23	Fri 29

Suggest an alternative date: holidays are available to existing groups (min. 6 people)

Vacation Itinerary

Day 1: Welcome cocktail, Stroll & on the sea promenade of Torre del Mar, Dinner in a restaurant

- Meeting at the airport or train station of Malaga, short trip to *Villa el Pino*.
- Room assignment, time to explore the house and chill out in the garden or on the poolside with your fellow guests
- Welcome cocktail, introducing to the spaces of *Villa el Pino* and the programmed activities.
- Stroll on the sea promenade of Torre del Mar and dinner in a restaurant.

Day 2: "Día de la Morcilla Canillera" (Canillas Sausage Day) at the village of Canillas de Aceituno, Torrox Costa, Dinner in a Chiringuito on the beach

- Rich breakfast at *Villa el Pino*.
- Transfer to the white village of Canillas de Aceituno, to take part to the *Día de la Morcilla Canillera* (Canillas Sausage Fair).
- At this unique Fair, declared of Regional Tourist Interest, It will be distributed sausage and *muscatel*/wine to all the participants
- In the afternoon, transfer to Torrox Costa for a relaxing stroll along the sea promenade, that culminates with a dinner in a real Andalusian *Chiringuito* on the beach.

Day 3: Village of Nerja, Balcon de Europa, Lunch in a Chiringuito at the beach, Cave of Nerja, Vélez-Málaga & Tapas tasting in the bars of the Old Town

- Hearty breakfast at *Villa el Pino*.
- Transfer to Nerja, visit to the *Balcón de Europa*, stroll around and shopping on its narrow streets, lunch in a real *Chiringuito* on the beach.
- On the afternoon, visit to the spectacular geological formations of the cave of Nerja, the largest in Europe of karstic origin (CO2 dissolving action of rain).
- Late in the afternoon, we celebrate the day with a visit of the old town of Vélez-Málaga, with tapas tasting in its typical bars

Day 4: White village of Frigiliana, Old sugar mill tour, Lunch at the El Acebuchal village, Stroll on the natural park, Andalusian dinner with surprise at Villa el Pino

- Rich breakfast at *Villa el Pino*.
- Transfer to Frigiliana, considered one of the prettiest villages in Andalusia and stroll through its beautiful streets, visit to the old sugar mill (unique in Europe)
- Short trip to the El Acebuchal village, located at the foot of the Natural Park of Sierra de Almijara, for a delicious Andalusian lunch. Later on we enjoy a lovely stroll around.
- Return to *Villa el Pino* to end the day with a lovely Andalusian dinner and a...surprise!

Day 5: Relaxing morning at Villa el Pino, Moorish Tea House of Algarrobo, Natural Park of Almijara, Walk in the nature, Dinner with Flamenco show

- We enjoy a morning of relax at *Villa el Pino*, with a rich brunch that last until noon.
- Short trip to Algarrobo, to taste the aromatic teas and pastries from the *Tetería Moruna* (Moorish tea house).
- Transfer to Alcaucín, for an inspiring walk in the magical environment of the Natural Park of Almijara.
- We enjoy a lively evening with dinner & *flamenco* show at the restaurant in the park.

Day 6: Sea promenade of Rincón de la Victoria, Lunch in a Chiringuito on the beach, Wine tasting and tapas at local bodega, BBQ in Villa el Pino

- Sumptuous breakfast at *Villa el Pino*.
- Short trip to Rincón de la Victoria, pleasant walk along the sea promenade, lunch in a typical *Chiringuito* on the beach.
- Visit to a local *Bodega* and wine & tapas tasting.
- Return to *Villa el Pino* and relax. We celebrate the end of the holidays with a great BBQ in the garden.

Day 7: People come and people go but friendship stay. Hasta la Vista Amigos!

- Rich breakfast and transfer to the airport and / or train station.

Accommodation at Villa el Pino

- *Villa el Pino* enjoys superb views of the mountains of Axarquía.
- You can relax in the large garden with flowers and plants, on the poolside, under the veranda, or in the cozy lounge room.
- It has 5 rooms furnished with good taste and attention to detail:

<http://slowlifecostadelsol.com/it/villa-el-pino.html>



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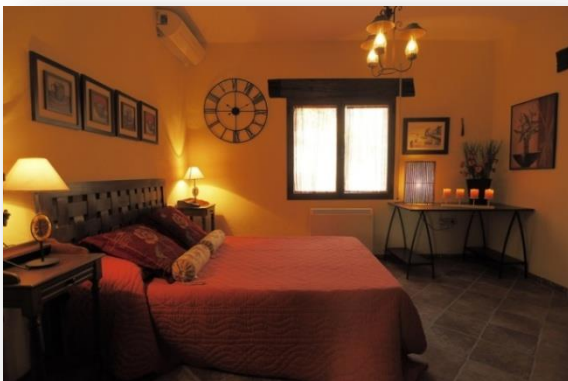
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The Rooms

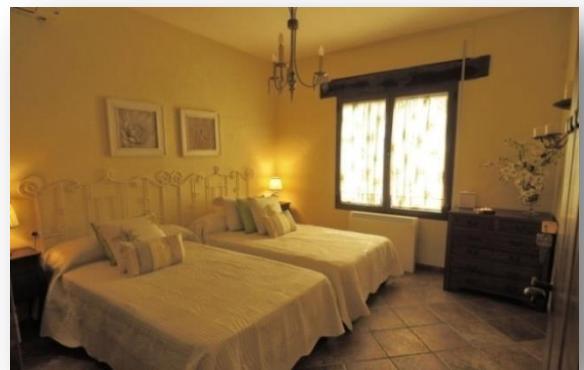
1 Premium Room with a double four-poster bed, reading area, private bathroom, air conditioning, WI-FI



2 Standard Rooms with double bed, shared bathroom between two rooms (with private key for the guest), air conditioning, WI-FI



2 Standard Rooms with double single beds, a shared bathroom between two rooms (with private key for the guest), air conditioning, WI-FI



Single travelers

- You can book a room for single use, with supplement, or share a double room at no additional cost.

Food

- The vegetarian food served at *Villa el Pino* is based on genuine local products. We select our local providers for the quality and authenticity of their offer.

Price per person (VAT included)

- Standard room shared € 990
- Standard room single use € 1237
- Premium room shared € 1190

The price per person includes

- 6 nights / 7 days accommodation at *Villa el Pino*
- welcome cocktail
- 6 full breakfasts at *Villa el Pino*
- 1 brunch at *Villa el Pino* (includes lunch)
- 3 lunches at restaurant
- 4 dinners at restaurant
- 2 dinners at *Villa el Pino*
- climate controlled van transportation for all the excursions
- transfer to and from the airport and/or train station
- tours, activities and entrance fees to the cave of Nerja
- local guide speaking: English, Spanish, German, French, and Italian
- Wi-Fi at *Villa el Pino*

The price per person does not includes

- on day 2 lunch is not included, there will be free tasting of local products.
- cost of travel (flight, train, or by other means) from abroad or from Spain.
- other food and drinks than those specified in "The price per person includes".

Additional information

- We can replace some activities resulting from weather conditions or circumstances beyond our control. In that case we will propose alternative activities of similar value.
- We have a liability insurance on the property, and on the activities carried out. In any case, at the time of booking, we recommend our guests to get a travel, cancellation, and medical insurance.
- Check-in any time after 4 pm on the first day (in special cases it is possible enter before 4 pm).
- Check-out before 12:00 am on the last day, after breakfast.
- If you leave the vacation for any reason after it has started, we are not obliged to make any refunds for unused services.

Touristic relevance

- The landscapes of the Axarquía region are among the most picturesque of Andalusia. His territory hosts mountains, valleys, white villages, natural parks, and the sunny beaches of the

Costa del Sol.

- Each one of the 31 municipalities of the region has its own particular cultural and gastronomic heritage to be enjoyed during all seasons.
- The Mediterranean climate, with hot summers and mild winters, attracts international visitors throughout the year.
- The culture, traditional cuisine, the warmth of its people, makes the visit of this region an exciting adventure.

links of touristic interest

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=G8hOUbCjAyE> (Axarquía region)

<http://www.rtve.es/alaharta/videos/conectando-espana/conectando-espana-frigiliana-malaga/1435182/> (Frigiliana)

http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=f_ICQkFBf3E (Cave of Nerja)

<http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=1d-dz43ALGg> (Nerja)

Meeting Point

- Malaga International Airport (AGP), Malaga Maria Zambrano Railway Station, or directly at *Villa el Pino* in Sayalonga (Malaga)

Information for the traveler

On arrival: the free transport service from the airport (or railway station) to *Villa el Pino* will take place at 3.30 pm. Guests who arrive at the meeting point in the terminal after 3.30 pm can consult us for an alternative, not for free, service.

On the way back: the free transport service from *Villa el Pino* to the airport (or railway station) will take place at 11 am.

How to get to Villa el Pino

You can do it by car in just 45 min. from Malaga International Airport or downtown. You must take the *Autovía del Mediterráneo* (A-7, N-340), follow the signs to Almería, and take the exit (277) to Algarrobo. From there you'll follow the signs to Sayalonga (MA-103). After crossing Algarrobo, take the MA-104 and keep driving until the Km 11. You will see the indication for *Villa el Pino* on the right hand. Drive up hill, follow the prompts, and there we are.

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