



Hidden Trails

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*Equestrian Vacations
- on & with Hidden Trails*

About Hidden Trails



Hidden Trails is owned and operated by nature enthusiasts who love horses and adventure activities. We have been involved with riding and other outdoor vacations for over 20 years.

With our partners Voyage du Cheval (France), Pegasus (Germany) as well as Equitour (Switzerland and France) we have collected the best riding destinations all over the world in some hidden places we would like to share with you.

These rides are about galloping on endless beaches, forging rivers, cantering through forests, trotting along age-old trails, gazing at beautiful vistas and encountering foreign cultures. But most of all, these trips are about getting away from the cycle of too much work and never enough free time.

Escape from the rituals, which long ago froze our nights and days into little more than routine and away from the worries of our new tense times. It is so satisfying when we take the plunge of adventure - it's unfortunate that we invent so many reasons to put aside living our dreams of adventure. It is sometimes a tangled web that we weave through life. Some of the threads reveal a work-a-day world of commitments, duties and obligations. Other threads are of a quiet fabric of hope, responsibility and refreshment.

On our adventures you see the real country, its back country and meet the locals. The love for horses has no boundaries but possesses a common language we all speak and understand. The majority of the overseas rides are from inn to inn, some from castle to castle and a few are camping rides.

You will experience new countries and their customs and make new friends. The Hidden Trails trips are the best you can find.

They have been tested by our staff or associates and received our stamp of approval. If you are considering a special riding vacation anywhere in the world, call us first and let our experienced consultants match the perfect trip with your dream.

We will listen to you and give you objective advice to help you choose the best destination and adventure.

Your vacation is the most precious time of the year and we are committed to making it the most memorable time of your life. Wherever you go, have a great time and bring back some peace of mind.

Thank you for your continued support.

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Monte Velho Dressage Clinics - Portugal, Europe

Tour Code: IT-PGMV02
7 days / 6 nights ~\$2,255.00
Dates: All year round

Trip Rating : ●●●●●
Difficulty : ●●●●●
Lodging : ●●●●● Exceptional

Tack: Portuguese & English for trail rides a...

Horses: Pure bred Lusitano horses

Pace: Moderate during trail rides with oppor...

Walk,Trot,Canter,

Airport: Lisbon Airport



Introduction

Alentejo / Blue Coast, Portugal

This package is ideal for those who wish to improve their dressage skills while staying in a comfortable accommodation surrounded by nature.

You will stay in a tastefully decorated eco-resort with wonderful amenities, set in a relaxing environment. The resort is also home to a renowned stud farm, breeding beautiful Lusitano horses and training them for dressage competitions.

Here, it is possible to take dressage lessons for all riding levels.

Accommodation

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This is a stationary ride so all nights are spent at the same accommodation.

Description

You will be staying in a beautiful Eco-Resort that blends with the surrounding countryside.

Each room opens to a furnished balcony with an amazing view to the dam. The rooms all offer modern conveniences, including air conditioning, wireless internet, a multi-channel television, and a Nespresso coffee machine. The ensuite bathroom is separated from the bedroom by a glass wall and features a modern shower cabin.

Your package includes accommodation in a Standard room (20 square meters) but it is possible to upgrade to a Premium room (25 square meters) for an extra fee. The Premium rooms offer the same amenities as the standard rooms but they also feature a balcony.

The rooftop pool offers amazing panoramic views. There are few seating areas around the pool with umbrellas and sunbeds, where guests can relax.

The resort also features a Jacuzzi and a Sauna, that guests can enjoy at no extra fee. It is possible to book massages for an extra cost (please, inquire for rates).

Room Occupancy

Single travelers must pay a single room supplement.

Meals

The package includes all meals from dinner on Day 1 to breakfast on the last day.

The meals are served buffet style. We offer an alleged version of Portuguese cuisine. Our buffet always includes some bread and cheese as well as cold meats, salads, vegetables, one meat of fish course and a desert. We try to vary the options during the week.

Dietary Restrictions

We can cater to most dietary restrictions with advance notice.

Riding

* Please note that anyone who is over the weight limit will not be allowed to ride onsite in order to protect our horses.

The Eco-Resort features its own Stud Farm. The owners have been dedicated to horse breeding of Lusitanos since 1994. Our Stud Farm, was originally formed by a group of five Alter Real mares, which were crossed initially with the stallion Xaquiro, with the goal of creating well conformed horses morphologically and especially with very good gaits.

Most of our horses show a great aptitude for dressage which is the main objective of the Stud Farm. Please, note that none of the horses used on this program are able to perform at Grand Prix level.

Children

We are able to provide riding lessons and trail rides to kids 10 and older, with a good riding level. Younger kids or those with less experience might be able to attend riding lessons on request.

Weight Limit

Our Lusitano horses are amazing and very fun to ride but they tend to be a little more fragile than other breeds. In order to protect our horses, we will not allow riders weighing over 200 lbs (90kg). Riders who are over the weight limit will not be allowed to ride on site and no refund will be issued. Please, be truthful about your weight to ensure an enjoyable experience for everyone.

Itinerary

We offer 2 different dressage clinic programs:

- Standard option (5 lessons)
- Intensive option (9 lessons + 1 trail ride)

Please, note that Sunday is a rest day for horses and the instructors. Because of this, we recommend that guests arrive at the resort on a Sunday.

Rates and Dates 2026 - IT-PGMV02

Rates include: Accommodation in standard room, All meals & Riding days according to program

Packages and Options

Season	Description	EUR	~US\$
A 2026	7 day trip (High)	€1880	\$2255
	Upgrade to Premium room, dbl, pp	€150	\$180
	Single supplement	€360	\$435
	Single supplement with upgrade to Premium Room	€540	\$650
B 2026	7 day trip (Mid)	€1600	\$1920
	Upgrade to Premium room, dbl, pp	€150	\$180
	Single supplement	€300	\$360
	Single supplement with upgrade to Premium Room	€420	\$505
C 2026	7 day trip (Low)	€1390	\$1670
	Upgrade to Premium room, dbl, pp	€210	\$255
	Single supplement	€180	\$215
	Single supplement with upgrade to Premium Room	€360	\$435
D 2026	7 day trip - Intensive (High)	€2530	\$3035
	Upgrade to Premium room, dbl, pp	€150	\$180
	Single supplement	€360	\$435
	Single supplement with upgrade to Premium Room	€540	\$650
E 2026	7 day trip - Intensive (Mid)	€2150	\$2580
	Upgrade to Premium room, dbl, pp	€150	\$180
	Single supplement	€300	\$360
	Single supplement with upgrade to Premium Room	€420	\$505
F 2026	7 day trip - Intensive (Low)	€1940	\$2330
	Upgrade to Premium room, dbl, pp	€210	\$255
	Single supplement	€180	\$215
	Single supplement with upgrade to Premium Room	€360	\$435

The US Dollar Rate is based on a EUR Exchange Rate of 1.2 and subject to currency fluctuation

Transfer Option

Description

2026	Transfers from/to Lisbon airport, one way, per car (up to 4 pax)	€240	\$290
2026	Transfers from/to Lisbon airport, one way, per car (up to 3 pax)	€160	\$195
2026	Transfers from/to hotel in Lisbon, one way, per car (up to 4 pax)	€260	\$315
2026	Transfers from/to hotel in Lisbon, one way, per car (up to 3 pax)	€180	\$215

Tour Dates

Season	Tour Dates		
A 2026	01/01/2026 - 01/03/2026	7d / 6n	7 day trip (High)
D 2026	01/01/2026 - 01/03/2026	7d / 6n	7 day trip - Intensive (High)
F 2026	01/04/2026 - 02/21/2026	7d / 6n	7 day trip - Intensive (Low)
C 2026	01/04/2026 - 02/21/2026	7d / 6n	7 day trip (Low)
B 2026	02/22/2026 - 03/28/2026	7d / 6n	7 day trip (Mid)
E 2026	02/22/2026 - 03/28/2026	7d / 6n	7 day trip - Intensive (Mid)
D 2026	03/29/2026 - 06/27/2026	7d / 6n	7 day trip - Intensive (High)
A 2026	03/29/2026 - 06/27/2026	7d / 6n	7 day trip (High)
B 2026	06/28/2026 - 08/29/2026	7d / 6n	7 day trip (Mid)
E 2026	06/28/2026 - 08/29/2026	7d / 6n	7 day trip - Intensive (Mid)
D 2026	08/30/2026 - 11/14/2026	7d / 6n	7 day trip - Intensive (High)
A 2026	08/30/2026 - 11/14/2026	7d / 6n	7 day trip (High)
B 2026	11/15/2026 - 11/28/2026	7d / 6n	7 day trip (Mid)
E 2026	11/15/2026 - 11/28/2026	7d / 6n	7 day trip - Intensive (Mid)
F 2026	11/29/2026 - 12/16/2026	7d / 6n	7 day trip - Intensive (Low)
C 2026	11/29/2026 - 12/16/2026	7d / 6n	7 day trip (Low)
A 2026	12/17/2026 - 12/31/2026	7d / 6n	7 day trip (High)
D 2026	12/17/2026 - 12/31/2026	7d / 6n	7 day trip - Intensive (High)

Min/Max: 1/18

Shorter program (3 nights minimum) available on request

Sold Out Dates (as of 11/8/23): Jan 10-12 + 21-27, Feb 4-23, Mar 7-18 + 24-28, Apr 7-18, Apr 21 to May 3, May 5-8 + 12-14 + 19-23 + 26-31, Jun 5-7, Aug 25-31, Oct 6-11, Nov 6-9 & Dec 1-6

Rates do not include: Gratuities & Transfers

Reservation Form

Tour : _____ **Code #:** _____ **from:** _____ **to :** _____

The Travelers (Last Name, First Name)	Male Female	Single room / or tent	Birth Date MM/DD/YY	Height	Weight	Special diets													
						Special diets	Beginner	Novice	Intermediate	Strong Intern.	Advanced	ride English	ride Western	mostly arena	mostly hacking				
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Special Diets: _____

Your fitness level: Excellent Moderate Poor How long have you been riding? _____

How often do you ride? _____ Have you been on other riding tours? No Yes last trip when? _____

If Hidden Trails offers a transfer from the local airport/station: I would like the transfer to be included: YES NO

In an emergency, name and phone number of contact: _____

Attention: Please, if there is more than one participant, all have to sign the reservation form - make copies if needed

With my signature I confirm my reservation of the listed program(s) under the Hidden Trails Booking Conditions. I'm aware, and I made all participants aware of the risk involved with these outdoor adventure activities. All participants have read and agree with the Hidden Trails Booking Conditions and the Hidden Trails Recreational Activity Release and Indemnity Agreement in this brochure or as listed on the Internet.

I (we) will sign and forward the Recreational Activity Release and Indemnity Agreement at least 10 weeks before trip starting date.

Last Name and First Name (The Traveler) _____

Street _____ e-mail _____

City _____ State _____ Postal/Zip Code _____

Phone (wk) _____ (hm) _____ Cell _____ Fax _____

Date _____ Signature (mandatory) 1. _____

Please, charge a 25% deposit (minimum \$ 350 per person) now and full payment 10 weeks before the travel date to my credit card.

For payments by VISA or Mastercard (no debit cards)

Cardholder: _____

Card # _____ 3 digit Security # _____

Exp.Date: _____ Signature _____

Billing Address for Credit Card (if different than mailing address):

I have enclosed a check for the deposit

Additional Signatures:

2. _____
3. _____
4. _____

Travel Cancellation Insurance Credit Card required

Sign me (us) up initial _____

No, we will provide our own initial _____

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