



VIAGEM MEDIEVAL
EM TERRA DE SANTA MARIA

31. JUL
TO
II. AUG

SANTA MARIA
DA FEIRA
PORTUGAL
2019

D. FERNANDO

THE INCONSTANT HANDSOME KING



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HISTORICAL CONTEXT



REIGN OF DOM FERNANDO

At a time when great social and economic changes are taking place in the Western world, on the aftermath of the nefarious Black Death which had ripped the lives of many only two decades before, king Fernando, the Handsome, ascended the throne in 1367, and was named king of Portugal and the Algarve.

Despite these changes, the monarch was granted a peaceful kingdom and a wealthy treasure, which then enabled him to indulge his most refined pleasures, those commonly practiced by the European aristocracy, such as hunting and the latest fashions in art and culture.

Upon the death of Dom Pedro of Castile, and because of the succession crisis, Portugal began making war on this country, during three different stages. Dom Fernando claimed he was the indisputable heir to the Castilian throne, and therefore marched into conflict by invading Galicia, where he was acclaimed king in many lands for having a number of supporters in the region.

Although known for his inconstancy, Dom Fernando's reign was notable for the state of peace it maintained, also having started a project alongside queen Dona Leonor Teles. He carried out the construction of walls and main buildings in several cities, he promulgated the Fallow Land Law, he created the Torre do Tombo National Archive and the Casa dos Contos Treasury, and he also founded the Carracks Company. With these measures, the king adapted the administration to the needs of present times.

Around 1379, there are reports of an attempted assassination carried out against Dom Fernando. It is believed that he was given venom in order to kill him. Consequently, the king was left with severe health problems, which then originated a turn in the government of the country. In turn, this event promoted the active participation of queen Dona Leonor Teles in the administration of the realm, although she was despised by the people.

Dom Fernando's health slowly decayed until his death, in the year of 1383.

INAUGURACIÓN

31. JUL | WED

**OFFICIAL OPENING OF THE 23rd
EDITION OF THE MEDIEVAL JOURNEY**

praça da nau • 3.00 pm



FERNANDO PESSOA'S SCHOOL
FREE PARKING
750m, 10min



TRANSFER
EUROPARQUE »
MEDIEVAL JOURNEY

LEGEND

- | | | |
|--------------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------|
| tavern | gate | emergency exit |
| restaurant | access to the venue/ticket office | internal ticket office |
| market | tourism interactive shop | police mobile post |
| information office | nursery | first aid post |
| praças | wc for the handicapped | wc |
| food area | car park for the handicapped | |
| venue area | areas with conditioned traffic | |
| | non-accessible | accessible with help |

CASTLE

- 01 - Dom Fernando's Castle
- 02 - Climbing the Embrasures
- 03 - Little Artists
- 04 - The Soul of the Warrior
- 05 - St. Jorge Baths

CONVENT

- 06 - Little Warriors
- 07 - Convento dos Lóios

FAIR

- 08 - Lake of Spells
- 09 - Feira Franca
- 10 - Free Fair

TERREIRO

- 11 - Village
- 12 - Orders' Camp
- 13 - Terreiro das Guimbras

CARVALHAL

- 14 - D. Afonso's Archers
- 15 - Training of the Squires
- 16 - Animal Farm
- 17 - The Knight's Inn

GUIMBRAS

- 18 - Once Upon a Time... There was Dom Fernando
- 19 - Stable
- 20 - Falconry
- 21 - Military camp
- 22 - Enchanted forest



CASTILLO



01 DOM FERNANDO'S CASTLE

An authentic travel through time to the everyday life of a castle, at the time of Dom Fernando.

3.00 pm > 9.00 pm [last admission at 8.30 pm] · €3 [free for children under 6 years old]

Activities

- › **Figurants and Reenacted Stories**
- › **Royal Chambers**
- › **Crafts** [Cooper | Falconer | Carpenter | Baker | Spinster]



02 CLIMBING THE EMBRASURES

Access to the castle via a climbing net.

3.00 pm > 8.30 pm
[last admission at 8.00 pm] · €3 · +6



03 LITTLE ARTISTS

Thematic area dedicated to cork.

3.00 pm > 8.30 pm

Activities

- › **Artistic Expression Workshops**
€2 per participant · 3 > 15 years old
- › **"Medieval Art" Tactile Exhibition**
free



04 THE SOUL OF THE WARRIOR

Games, challenges and adventures for conquering the castle!

3.00 pm > 8.30 pm
[last group at 8.00 pm]
€3 · +6



05 ST. JORGE BATHS

Reenactment of the ancestral tradition of balneology.

3.00 pm > 12.00 am
[last admission at 11.30 pm]

on the 11th
[last admission at 10.30 pm]
€3 [adults] · €1 [4 > 10 years old]
free for children under 3 years old
It includes a sprayed leg bath, tea and rest, harp concert and dance show.

happy hour 3.00 pm > 4.00 pm
[free admission included in the purchase of an ointment]

Performances

- › **Dona Leonor's Bathing Rituals**
3.30 pm > 7.30 pm
(every 30 minutes)
- › **The Inconstancies of Dom Fernando**
8.45 pm > 11.45 pm
(every 30 minutes)
[reserved for the visitors of the St. Jorge Baths]



CONVENT



06 LITTLE WARRIORS

Activities for children under 10 years old

3.00 pm > 11.00 pm [last admission at 10.30 pm] · free

Activities

- › **The Preparation of the Warrior**
[Tour of bridges | Tree climbing | Medieval Games]
3.00 pm > 11.00 pm
- › **Arrebique: Face Painting**
3.00 pm > 9.00 pm
- › **Crafts: Tiara Design**
3.00 pm > 7.00 pm
- › **Manuscript: Comics**
[limited to existing stock]
3.00 pm > 11.00 pm
- › **Royal Portrait: Photo Time**
3.00 pm > 8.00 pm

Royal Feast: Stage Performances

- › **Performances**
4.00 pm | 9.00 pm



07 CONVENTO DOS LÓIOS

- › **Paper mill**
The manufacturing artwork of making paper.
3.00 pm > 8.00 pm
- › **Tactile Exhibition: Touch and Feel**
3.00 pm > 8.00 pm
- › **Scriptorium**
Educational and practical workshop: quill writing and illuminated manuscripts.
3.00 pm > 8.00 pm
- › **Medieval Musical Instruments Exhibition – 'Instrumentos de Tanger'**
Convento dos Lóios Museum
3.00 pm > 12.00 am [week days]*
2.00 pm > 12.00 am [weekend]*
(*) [last admission at 11.30 pm]
11th 2.00 pm > 10.00 pm [last admission at 9.30 pm]
free



FAIR



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LAKE OF SPELLS

The art of guessing and magic.

12.00 pm > 1.00 am



09

FREE FAIR

Selling and showcasing typically medieval materials and products.

12.00 pm > 12.00 am



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SOUK

Arabian products and flavours for sale.

12.00 pm > 12.00 am



TERREIROO



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VILLAGE

Reenactment of the everyday life of a medieval community settled near the margins of the Cáster River

3.00 pm > 10.30 pm · free

Reenactments

- › **Festivity I Mass** 3.30 pm
- › **Wedding** 4.00 pm | 6.00 pm
- › **Repast** 8.00 pm



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ORDERS' CAMP

Living in a military camp.

3.00 pm > 9.30 pm · free

Reenactments

- › **The Orders of the King** 4.00 pm
- › **Guided Tour of the Orders** 5.00 pm | 7.30 pm
- › **Imprisoning the Master** 6.00 pm
praça da nau
- › **Investiture and Eucharist** 9.00 pm



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TERREIROO DAS GUIMBRAS

Large scale performances.

3.00 pm > 1.00 pm · limited access
after 6.00 pm · gratuito

Shows

- › **The Calling** 6.00 pm *
- › **Flower of the Kingdom** 9.30 pm *
- › **Contests of Dom Fernando** 11:30 pm *



CARVALHAL



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D. FERNANDO'S ARCHERS

The art of archery.

3.00 pm > 11.00 pm
€1 [per 3 shots by the same archer]
+8



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ANIMAL FARM

Educational area where domestic animals and game animals live together.

3.00 pm > 9.00 pm · free



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TRAINING OF THE SQUIRES

Area for medieval youth games.

3.00 pm > 11.00 pm · €1.5
+10

Activities

- Spear Throwing**
- Sack Race and Stilts Race**
- Catapult Launch**
- Contest of Gladiators**
- Horseshoe Pitch**
- Wood Beam Races**
- Big Foot Races**
- Balance Beam**
- Slingshot games**
- Equilibristics**



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THE KNIGHT'S INN

Reenactment of the everyday life in an inn near the roadside.

3.00 pm > 12.00 am · free

Performances

- › **Tales of a Minstrel**
3.30 pm | 5.00 pm · free · 20'
- › **Reginaldo, the Mischievous**
on the 31st JUL and 1st, 5nd, 6th, 7th
and 8th of AUG
9.00 pm · free · 20'



GUIMBRAS



19 STABLE

Guided tours and cavalry demonstrations.

3.00 pm > 9.00 pm
free



20 FALCONRY

Educational area allocated for the art of training falcons, with renderings of bird free-flights.

3.00 pm > 9.00 pm
free



21 MILITARY CAMP

Educational area characterised as a military camp.

3.00 pm > 9.00 pm
free

**18 ONCE UPON A TIME...
THERE WAS DOM
FERNANDO ***

**22 ENCHANTED
FOREST ***

TRAVEL WITH OUR MOBILE APP



App Store



Google play



* see information at 'A Day in the Journey'

A DAY IN THE JOURNEY

ONCE UPON A TIME... THERE WAS DOM FERNANDO



3.00 pm | 4.00 pm | 5.00 pm | 7.00 pm [guimbras]
€2 [free for children under 3 years old] · 30' · limited capacity



I'll tell you about the fairest king in Portugal!
Ingenious, ambitious and fond of the delights of love. This is the story to be told: the one of Dom Fernando, the ninth king of Portugal.

ENCHANTED FOREST



3.30 pm | 4.30 pm | 5.30 pm | 6.30 pm
[guimbras next to the castle] €2 [free for children under 3 years old] · 30' · limited capacity



If we believe in our dreams and are brave enough, we will succeed in this journey we call life!

MOMENTS OF THE KING'S LIFE

4.00 pm [starts at praça do convento] · free · 30'



Reenactment of scenes of D. Fernando's life.

TRIAL OF MINOR CASES



5.00 pm | 7.00 pm [outside the castle] · free · 20'



Trial of thieves and panders.

TOUR OF THE RELIGIOUS HERITAGE +

5.15 pm [main church] · free · 45'



Guided tour of the Main Church of S. Nicolau da Feira.
Musical moment, "regueifa doce" and wine tasting.

THE CALLING



6.00 pm [terreiro das guimbras] · free · 30'



DOM FERNANDO, KING OF PORTUGAL AND THE ALGARVE

7.00 pm · court > castle
[4th AUG | SUN]

ROYAL PARADE

7.00 pm · court > castle
[11th AUG | SUN]



THE SHOUT OF DRUMS



8.00 pm [praça do anfiteatro] · free · 30'



The sound of the drum rolls storms through the square!

FLOWER OF THE KINGDOM



9.30 pm [terreiro das guimbras] · free · 35'



Revelry and such boisterous festivities by a group of merry dancers who give joy and cheer to the passers-by.

ROYAL INTRIGUES



10.30 pm [outside the castle]
[2nd, 3rd, 4th, 9th, 10th and 11th AUG] · free · 30'

THE RETURN

10.30 pm [carvalhal > castle]
[31st JUL and 6th AUG | WED. TUE] · free



Back in their lands, the military hosts feel the disenchantment of a pointless war.

A DAY IN THE JOURNEY

PILGRIMAGE

10.30 pm [castle > misericórdia church]
[1st and 7th AUG | THU. WED] · free



During medieval times, it was common for the Christians to carry out a pilgrimage to Santiago de Compostela.

THE UPRISING

10.30 pm [towards praça do convento]
[5th and 8th AUG | MON. THU] · free



There were several uprisings throughout the country as the people expressed its dissatisfaction with the marriage of Dom Fernando. The most remarkable one took place in Lisbon, led by Fernão Vasques, a tailor.

CONTESTS OF DOM FERNANDO

11.30 pm [terreiro das guimbras] · free · 35' · +6

MARIA FROM FAR AWAY

11.30 pm [praça do convento] · free · 30'



Handsome and homely, Maria from far away is looking for her soulmate...

HISTORICAL CHARACTERS



In the city fair, the panders, beggars, laundresses, merchants and inspectors wander the streets...

TERRATREME

11.45 pm [praça do anfiteatro] · free · 30'



Evening. Drum rolls are heard from a distance... the earth quivers once more.

SLEEPING DRAGON

12.15 am [castle] · free · 30'

MOVING ANIMATION



Acrobats, jugglers, musicians and actors jump around the streets and cheer the fairs and all places.

THE CALLING

6.00 pm [terreiro das guimbras] · free · 30'



On the verge of entering the war with Castile, the king must call every knight in the kingdom and train the largest military form: the cavalry. Noblemen and liegemen, every man with a horse gets ready.

FLOWER OF THE KINGDOM



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9.30 pm [terreiro das guimbras] · free · 35'



A fine young man, brave and handsome, good-looking, great lover of women... that was king Dom Fernando, until he met Dona Leonor Teles de Menezes, the «Flower of the Kingdom».

ROYAL INTRIGUES



01

10.30 pm [outside the castle] · [2nd, 3rd, 4th, 9th, 10th and 11th AUG | FRI. SAT. SUN] · free · 30'



The marriage of Dom Fernando to Dona Leonor does not please the people. The royal fickleness, combined with conflicts and battles, rise suspicion and an unbreakable web of treason and conspiracy, both inside court and in the kingdom.

CONTESTS OF DOM FERNANDO



11.30 pm [terreiro das guimbras] · free · 35' · +6

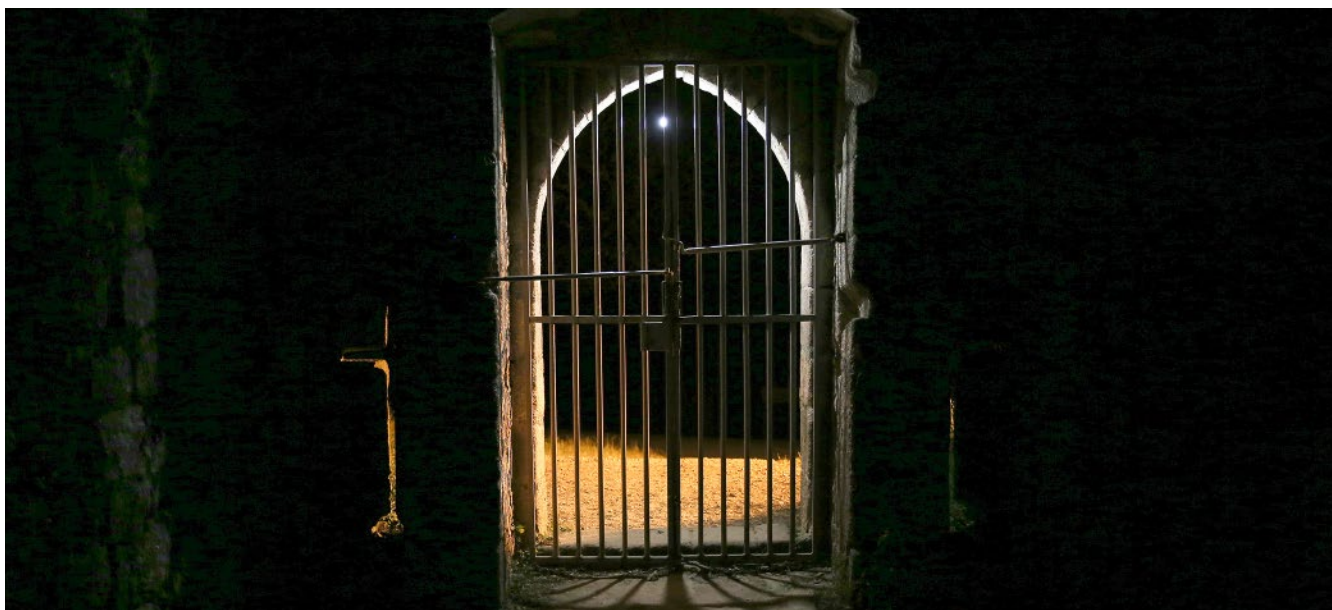


Dom Fernando, considering the interests of the kingdom as well as his own, promotes diplomatic action in several kingdoms, establishing alliances and signing treaties. However, his efforts are not recognised and war becomes inevitable.

SLEEPING DRAGON



12.15 am [castle] · free · 30'



Get to know the story of a growing young man and his faithful companion as they stroll through adventures together, only to find that facing fears is the only way to win.

FURTHER DETAILS

MEDIEVAL JOURNEY TIMETABLE

31. JUL. > 11. AUG.
12.00 pm > 1.00 am

ACCESS TO THE EVENT

> Admission control

MON > FRI 2.00 pm > 1.00 am

SAT > SUN 12.00 pm > 1.00 am

> Day Ticket [valid for one entry]

31. JUL, 1st, 5th, 6th, 7th and 8th AUG - €2.5

2nd, 4th, 9th and 11th AUG - €3.5 | 3rd and 10th AUG - €4.5

> Bracelet [valid for the duration of the event]:

€6 [early sale until 15th Jul];

€7 [early sale from 16th JUL to 30th JUL];

€8 [during the event];

> Early Sale TICKETLINE, check the points of purchase at www.viagemmedieval.com;

> Free for children up to 1.30m in height.

'SAFE CHILD Bracelet'

Available at the ticket offices and the information offices. It is recommended that the filling of the bracelet and its placement is done right after entering the venue [free]

'Bracelet ESTOU AQUI® | Child'

Available at the PSP (Police) mobile station [free]

Children must be supervised by an adult at all times..

THEMATIC AREAS TICKET OFFICES | SHOWS

Internal ticket office

CHANGING FACILITIES

[RECANTO DOS INFANTES] 

Baby's hygiene, food and breastfeeding
12.30 pm > 12.00 am

EXPERIENCE TICKETS

[previous appointment is mandatory]

Exclusive experiences for the visitor who wants to live the event in an intense and sensorial way.

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[experience point at municipal swimming pools]

UNIQUE EXPERIENCES:

> A day in the life of a Knight

[child experience]

> Princess for a day

[child experience]

> From Royalty to Villager

> Warrior for a day

> Picnic in the Village

> Get married at the Journey

> A repast on the Village

> Guided tour and the History of the Castle

> Guided tours and History

> Living the Journey

ACCESSIBLE JOURNEY

> Accessible guided tours with Portuguese Sign Language [PSL] interpretation

> Guided tour for Participants with limited mobility

> Guided tour for Blind participants

7th and 8th AUG. [2.00 pm > 5.00 pm]

previous registration by phone: +351 918 172 or by e-mail: comunicacao@cm-feira.pt

Inclusive shows and thematic areas with interpretation in Portuguese Sign Language:

3rd, 7th, 8th and 10th AUG.

> Once upon a Time... there was Dom Fernando

5.00 pm · €2 [free for children under 3 years old]

> The Calling

6.00 pm · free

> Little Warriors

Royal Feast · 8th and 10th AUG · 21:00 · free

Accessible Tour

For further information, please contact the Tourism Interactive Store (+351) 256 370 802

OFFICIAL STORE

> Wooden Shields Painting

max. 15 participants · 45' [approx.]

€7,5 [per participant]

> Castle Painting or Saint Mary's 'Fogaça' in Plaster

max. 15 participants · 45' [approx.]

€7,5 [per participant]

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20th > 30th July 3.00 pm > 7.30 pm

31st July > 11th August

[MON > FRI] 2.00 pm > 12.30 am

[SAT > SUN] 12.00 pm > 12.30 am

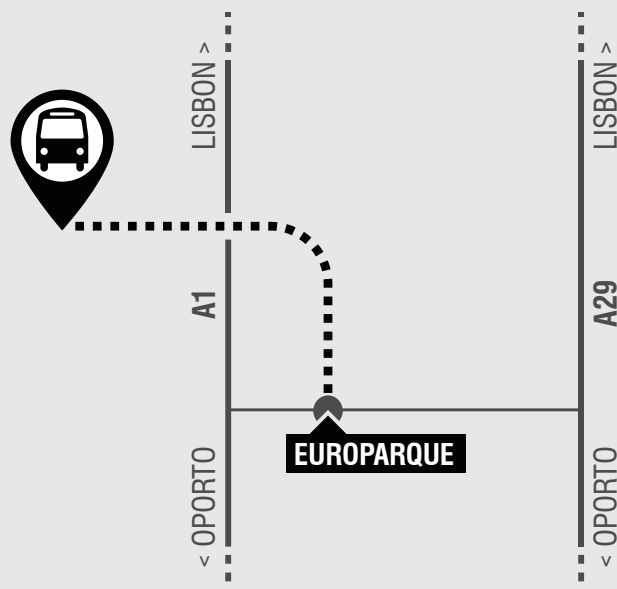
WARNINGS

Cats and dogs are required to use collars or breast band harnesses when circulating in the pathway or any public space. The collar must contain the name and address or phone number of the owner. (Decree-law 314/03). Dogs may not circulate in the park unless in the presence of the owner and equipped with a functional muzzle. In the case of harmful or potentially harmful dogs, apart from the muzzle, the dogs must be equipped with the appropriate containment means determined by law.

The programme may be subject to change in the event of unexpected weather or logistics limitations.

TRANSFER EUROPARQUE >> MEDIEVAL JOURNEY [entrance gate 7 . carvalho]

- >> €1 round trip
- >> From 2:00 p.m. to 1:00 a.m.
- >> Free parking in Europarque



PARTICIPATING ORGANISATIONS

Santa Maria da Feira

- › Academia de Música e Artes de Rio Meão
- › Alvorada
- › Associação Cultural e Artística de Lourosa
- › Associação Cultural e Desportiva da Lavandeira
- › Associação Cultural Recreativa e Desportiva Escapães
- › Associação Grupo de Danças e Cantares Regionais da Feira
- › Associação Grupo Folclórico As Lavadeiras de S. J. Ver
- › Associação Juventude de Fiães
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- › Clube Desportivo Fiães
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- › Museu Convento dos Lóios
- › Museu de Santa Maria de Lamas
- › Museu do Papel Terras de Santa Maria
- › Noivas de Santa Maria
- › Ofícios com História
- › Paróquia de S. Nicolau da Feira
- › Ponto Produções
- › Provedoria Municipal para o Cidadão com Deficiência

- › Rancho Etnográfico de Rio Meão
- › Rancho Folclórico As Florinhas das Caldas S. Jorge
- › Rancho Folclórico Recreativo Cultural 'As Florinhas de Rio Meão'
- › Rancho Folclórico S. Tiago Lobão
- › Rancho Folclórico Sta. Eulália Sanguedo
- › Saltério
- › Scalarium
- › Sótão do Vizinho
- › Termas das Caldas de S. Jorge
- › Troupe da Villa
- › Tuna Musical Mozelense
- › Volarius
- › Voltado a Poente - Associação Cultural
- › Zoo de Lourosa- Parque Ornitológico

Portugal

Spain

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