

Jerez: Wine



The Equestrian Art Museum

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The Equestrian Art Museum shows a display of communication between human beings and horses from a distant time; communication which would ongoingly sublimate until acquiring its present art category. The Horse Carriage Museum is unique in its type: it is the place to admire carriages, saddlery, harnesses, horses and equestrian wear. Both museums are alive and interactive and are at the avant-guard of the new museography. The Palace of Recreo de las Cadenas, a French “Louis XV” style building was designed by Charles Garnier, Architect of the Paris Opera House and of the Casino Montecarlo. It was inaugurated in 1864 by H.M. King of Spain Francisco de Asis de Barbón. A large botanical garden with species from all over the world surrounds this palace. The Horse Carriage Museum, on Pizarro Street, occupies a XIX century sherry house which was founded by the very same promoter of the palace, Mr. Julian Pemartin.

The show: ‘How the Andalusian Horses Dance’ is an authentic equestrian ballet with choreographies based on the Traditional and Cowboy Methods of Taming Wild Horses, with genuine Spanish music and full XVIII century costumes. This exhibition, which is regarded as the best equestrian ballet in the world by some critics has gained acclaim in many countries.

Exhibitions: How the Andalusian Horses Dance
Tuesdays and Thursdays on the Arena at 12:00

Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays:

11:00 to 14:00: Saddlery, Equestrian Art Museum, Palace, Stables, Carriage Museum and Gardens:

11:00 to 13:00: Training on the Arena

Tuesdays and Thursdays:

Saddlery, Equestrian Art Museum, Palace, Carriage Museum and Gardens:

Saturdays:

Equestrian Art Museum, Palace, Carriage Museum and Gardens

In Arcos:

Equestrian activities have a long and prestigious tradition in Arcos. Riding lessons and riding routes are available at the Las Nieves Equestrian Centre.

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Yeguada de la Cortuja - Hierro Del Bocado

Finca Fuente del Suero

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Open Saturdays-

11:00 Reception and guided tour throughout the facilities: Central Patio, clinic, surgery room, mare stall, arnés room, carriages, etc.

12:00 Exhibition in the main arena: Demonstration of free running colts of different ages, carriages, “cobra” of breeding mares, dressage, etc.

13:00 Farewell

The old estate of Fuente del Suero shelters the most important reserve of Andalusian Horse, Cartujano lineage worldwide. The Yeguada de la Cortuja-Hierro del Bocado is located next to the Cartuja Monastery, near Jerez de la Frontera and in the valley of the Guadalete River. Since its foundation in the XV century the Cartuja monastery became the cornerstone of Jerez horse breeding. The essential aim of this breeding farm is to preserve the genetic heritage that holds this lineage and to contribute to the improvement of the Andalusian Horse.

Beauty, strength and spectacular nature are some of the qualities that have given international prestige and national pride to this stud farm.

