FEAST AND CULTURE

THE FEAST OF SANT ANTONI IN ASCÓ
January 2013
Declared a national and county interest
The Feast of Sant Antoni kept alive traditions that are lost in time and make it unique: the maintenance of folds, the Three Tombs, the distinction of the figures and clavari Majoral, racing horses and donkeys, the lighting of the bonfire danced right around with music and dance themselves.

FIRE AND PUSHING; SANT ANTONI IN TORRE DE L’ESpanyol
January 2013
The feast of Sant Antoni in Torre de l’Espanyol includes all the people around the campfire as a central element. The danced, and a single local custom, the pushing, give a magical touch to a traditional night of fire and the winter festival in the town.

THE FEAST OF SANTA AGDA IN RIBA-ROJA D’EBRE
February 2013
Declared a county interest
Organized by the women of the village has become a winter festival of the population due to the large number of people involved and events are held. Since its inception on 5 February 1986 was the example that has spread to most municipalities in the region.

VIACRUCIS ON GOOD FRIDAY IN MÓRA D’EBRE
Good Friday
Declared a county interest
At 7 am the Viacrucis comes from the priory church and paraded through the streets that lead us to Calvary accompanying images of the Knights of Christ, the Sorrowful and Veronica. Stresses the traditional descent of the stairs to Calvary, to the castle. A large audience is concentrated at the foot of the fortress to see the decline of the images.

THE MOORISH MORA IN MÓRA D’EBRE: THE VISIONS, ONE WORLD
7 and 8 July 2012
The residents of the market and the Christian, Jewish and Moorish neighbourhoods, give and atmosphere streets, environments and costumes, recreating an historic moment of peaceful coexistence.
The craftsmen of ancient crafts, theatre and street parades, tournaments, parades and traditional products, invites visitors to enjoy a party with an important historical character of diversity and tolerance.

EASTER FLIX: PROCESSION OF THE ENCOUNTER AND DESMES
Easter Sunday
Declared a county interest
A busy schedule of events lay as “caramelles” (typical religious songs of joy) of jacks or dance chapel on Easter Monday, and religious ceremonies, notably the Procession of the Encounter. The head of the Armed with the Samaritan followed by the flags of the Sacred Heart, Our Virgin of Remedy and Saint Anthony and the Blessed Sacrament. Close Our Virgin with the Sorrows’s Brotherhood and a group of slaves. The square is the representation of the meeting of the Virgin Mary with the Risen Christ and the Samaritan’s “Desmes” recited, ending with the breaking of the pitcher.

CORREFOC IN GARCIA
18 August 2012
Performance award for best cultural event of the Terres de l’Ebre in 2003. The festival begins with cultural shows and traditional music. A huge fireworks and thunder gives the final output. Correfoc devils and spectators from all over the Catalan Countries can run under it and enjoy a real rain of fire. End the party with a big splash and live music until sunrise. Before the correfoc, takes place the correfoc for children.

CORREFOC IN RASQUERA
4 August 2012
It is the oldest correfoc in the region. With its wellknow beast, the “Fardatxo” of Rasquera. It is, for sure, for lovers of fire.

CORREFOC IN RIBA-ROJA D’EBRE
28 August 2012
It is one of the main events in the world of fire throughout the Ebre zone and the closing of the festival. Includes a performance inspired by elements of local history [the Templars] and mythological costums.
CULTURE AND HERITAGE

CASTLE CARLIST FLIX
Around a triangular fortification tower. Built by the Carlist on a hill in the middle of the meander, a protected centennial passing boat through the Ebre towards Lleida. Considered operating since the First and Third Carlist War. Visit_By appointment on the phone: 977 41 01 53, Flix City Council.

CASTLE MIRAVET
Imposing Moorish castle and temples built in the thirteenth century in a privileged position on the Ebre.
Visit_All year Tuesday to Sunday, including holidays: 1/10 to 31/05; from 10 to 13.30 and 15.00 to 17.30 pm; on 1/06 to 30/09 from 10 to 14 and from 16 to 20. Closed Mondays except holidays, 25 and 26 December and 1 and 6 January. The ticket office and entrance close 30 min. before closing time. Tel. 977 40 73 68

CASTLE MÓRA D’EBRE
Located in the upper old town, was owned by Entença Barony. In the tower stands rifle restored.
Visit_Easter. Summer: July, August and until 11 September: from 10.30 to 13 and 17 to 20 pm (closed on Mondays). Free admission.

INTERPRETATION CENTER OF RAILWAY MÓRA LA NOVA
Interactive multimedia that brings visitors to the historical reality of the world’s railways.
Visit_Saturdays, Sundays and holidays from 11.30 am to 13.30 pm and 17.00 pm to 19.00 pm. Other days by appointment phone: 667 418 899. More information: www.appfi.net and tel. 977 190 572 – 667 418 899.

INFORMATION CENTER OF POWER IN ASCÓ – NUCLEAR POWER PLANT
The center tries to explain, in a very clarifying way, the basic and many times unknown concepts of energy generation models, the radiation safety and nuclear fuel. Fully interactive.
Visit_By appointment on the phone: 977 41 52 30 or via web form www.anav.es

ARCHPRIEST CHURCH OF SANT JAUME IN TIVISSA
Magnificent temple which mixes the Gothic, Renaissance and Baroque. Includes three parts: old church, the chapel of Roser and the new church. The most curious and makes the church unique is that on the laps of the ancient temple, in the nineteenth century, they built a new church, so that there is one inside the other. Information and visits_Sightseeing tours by reservation in the tourist office (977 41 75 51 / turisme@tivissa.alta.net).

OLD CHURCH IN GINESTAR
Located in the old, unique building is the oldest of the population. Built in three historical stages have: a late-Roman ship of the thirteenth century, two side sections and a Gothic chapel with around the fifteenth century and a late Renaissance agrandizement. Visit_By appointment on the phone: 977 40 90 05, Ginestar City Council.

IBERIANS’ ROUTE
IBERIAN SETTLEMENT OF CASTELLET DE BANYOLES - TIVISSA
6 km west of Tivissa Iberian sites is one of the largest and most important of Catalonia. It occupies an excellent strategic position, with an extraordinary view over the river Ebre and orchards.

IBERIAN SETTLEMENT SANT MIQUEL - VINEBRE
On the left bank of the river Ebre, just over a mile southwest of Vinebre. We found remains of buildings dating from the last quarter of the second century BC and the second half of the first century BC. The first weekend in October, in the Iberian Weekend, there is a torchlight walk from the Iberian establishment to the town, and a typical Iberian snack.
FAIRS

LIVESTOCK AND CRAFTS FAIR IN RASQUERA
5 and 6 May 2012
Meeting the varied craft complement the spectacular descent of white goat herds.

MEDIEVAL MARKET AND ARTS AND CRAFTS FAIR IN ASCÓ
19 and 20 May 2012
You will find a large sample of craft, accompanied by food crafts, shows, music exhibitions with period instruments, camels, workshops for the young and the old...

BOOK FAIR EBRENC · LITTERARUM, LITERARY FAIR EVENTS MÓRA D’EBRE
1, 2 and 3 June 2012
Book fair of the Ebre counties and fair of the Catalan language shows.

DAY OF THE CHERRY AND THE FAIR OF “CANTERERS” MIRAVET
10 June 2012
Dyad festive and popular activities revolve around the town’s two flagship products, cherries and “càntirs” (pitchers). You will find an exhibition of these products directly from the hand of its producers.

THE PEACH FESTIVAL IN BENISSANET
15 July 2012
Fruit Companies and cooperatives in the area are over fifty varieties of peaches that are grown in Benissanet.

THE HUNTER FAIR – CAZAFIR IN MÓRA D’EBRE
8 and 9 September 2012
Contest monograph devoted to the hunting of recognized importance inside and outside Catalonia.

THE “RAURE”, TRADITIONAL ARTS AND CRAFTS FAIR IN GINESTAR
30 September 2012
Exhibition of products and traditional crafts of Ginestar and the region, where you can find demonstrations of ancient crafts and traditional crafts products and street animation.

AGRICULTURAL, LIVESTOCK AND INDUSTRIAL FAIR IN MÓRA LA NOVA
25, 26, 27 and 28 October 2012
Since 1831 it has been held continuously. It is multisectoral. Agriculture, livestock and machinery exhibitions are held. It includes a wine fair.

OTHER FAIRS IN MÓRA LA NOVA: INTERCOMARCAL FAIR OF OIL _ 26 and 27 January 2013, FAIR USED VEHICLES _ 14 and 15 April 2012, ANTIQUE FAIR _ 16 September 2012, TRADING FAIR FOR CHRISTMAS _ 15 and 16 December 2012

CHRISTMAS FAIR AND A SAMPLE OF CAVA ASCÓ
1 and 2 December de 2012
Fair dedicated to Christmas: trees, nativity scenes, gifts, home ornaments, Christmas workshops, performances...
There are also a fair where cavas from Catalunya show and sell their products you can taste the cava as well as, products of Ribera d’Ebre.
GASTRONOMY
LOCAL PRODUCTS

CLOTXA
This dish is typical of farmers from the Ribera d’Ebre present today in many popular
events. Every year, around February, the Feast of Clotxa is organized, in a different
municipality. Clotxa starting to have a presence in the restaurants of the region.

PASTISSETS
It has a traditional cake very wellknown in Rasquera and in many towns and villages.
Pleasant surprises: cake with spring clasp, muffins almond and egg white, coke fast,
“corassons”, brownies or cake recapte if you do not so sweet.

VIMBL ANC
The vimblanc of Vinebre is a sweet wine. It has a strong tradition in the region, used
in liturgical acts. Made with white wine, from the ancient grape variety of Garnacha
and with Macabeo nowadays.

SWEET FRUIT
From the 60s and due to the expansion of irrigation, the cultivation of peach extends
mainly south of the county. Today there are many varieties of peaches and nectar-
ines, some very early and high quality reputation throughout. Along with the cherry
are now an indispensible source of wealth for the region.

WINE AND OIL
The wines of Ribera d’Ebre, covered by DO Catalunya, areas as belonging to the DO
Montsant or DO Tarragona. The emergence of new wineries witch look for the quality
of many cooperatives have make appear high quality wines at great prices.
Cooperatives and private oil mills have adapted effectively to the quality parameters
required by the present oil market and is exceptional for varietal diversity, the way of
culture or process, which produces oil “extraverges” and fruity, in many cases only
because its composition is olive varieties that are not present in other regions.

OTHER
Also highlight the cheeses, sausages, honey, olives and nuts.
NATURE NAVIGATION THROUGH THE EBRE

RIVER NAVIGATION FROM ASCÓ- TO MIRAVET. LLAÚT “LO ROGET”

From Easter until the end of September, everyone can enjoy a trip in a faithful reproduction of the old llaüts (ancient boat). Musealized and with audio guides makes the trip from Miravet to Ascó.

Information: Tourist Office of Ascó. Tel. 977 40 65 83 · turisme@asco.cat www.asco.cat

RIVER NAVIGATION AND ADVENTURE SPORTS

Canoeing, BTT, archery, hiking... ROGLES AVENTURA
Trav. de Llevant, 1 _ FLIX _ Tel. 669 60 58 65 – 977 41 02 40 · www.rogles.org

Kayak rental. AIGUADINS
C. Ample, 8 _ GINESTAR _ Tel. 620 55 44 92. www.aiguadins.com

Canoe rental. MORAVENTURE
C. Verge de Montserrat, 11 _ MÓRA LA NOVA _ Tel. 977 40 11 46

Navigating the Ebre by boat _ RIU NATURA
C. de Bonaire, 79 _ MÓRA D’EBRE _ Tel. 977 40 07 52 – 607 63 70 35 / Fax 977 40 17 66

The reservoir of Riba-roja d’Ebre, rental house-boats to sail on the Ebre river.

BADIA TUCANA
Ctra. de Faió, km 6,8 _ RIBA-ROJA D’EBRE _ Tel. 977 26 51 61 - Fax 977 26 50 61 www.badiatucana.com

THE RIVER FESTIVAL

In Riba d’Ebre, racing “muletes” or “pontones” a part of the most traditional festivals Flix, Móra d’Ebre and Móra la Nova.

Day 4 August 2012 Móra la Nova
Day 15 August 2012 Flix
Day 25 August 2012 Móra d’Ebre

11th RIBERA D’EBRE DOWNRIVER (FROM MÓRA TO ASCÓ)

September 2012
It takes place a competition of llaüts (ancient boats) which punctuates in the Catalan league.

SPORT AND NATURE
FISHERMAN’S PARADISE

The reservoirs of Riba-roja and Flix and over 40 kilometres of the river make it possible. During the year we organize competitions at county, national and international level.

SEBES NATURE RESERVE IN FLIX

Exuberant vegetation, a reference point in watching birds, storks, horses... Complete structure of attention to individual visitors or groups: shelter, trails, viewpoints, observatories, walkways, signage. An ideal learning environment.

Information: Sebes Nature Reserve
Tel. 977 26 51 12 – 977 41 01 53
www.reservanaturalsebes.org · www.fut.es/~freixe/ · www.flix.altanet.org
At the “Mas Pitoia” there is the Interpretation Centre Camí de Sirga [a path next to the river witch helped moving the ancient boats for the trading). It has a small museum and it makes a revision of the antique uses of the riber.

Walking around ... Ribera d’Ebre

There are forty routes for walking, cycling paths and marked trails in the region. You can download the guide at this link: www.riberaebre.org/ilercavonia/rutes/rutes.pdf

GR-99

The Ribera d’Ebre is included in the GR-99 long-distance natural path along the river Ebre (from its source to its mouth). More than 1200 km in 42 stages.

VIA FERRATA

In Tivissa you can find two via ferrata, one in the Margarita Tormo and another one in Barranc de la Foig [a gully]. With difficulty levels: low, medium. Located in rock walls very close to the population.
GUIDED TOURS

ROUTE THROUGH THE OLD TOWN OF TIVISSA
1 hour and 30 minutes.
Throughout the year
Advance booking: Tourist Office (tel. 977 41 75 51 or turisme@tivissa.altanet.org)

ROUTE FOR SIGHTS OF VINEBRE
About 3 hours. Includes visit to Ca Don Joan, building of the sixteenth century and the birthplace of St. Enric d’Ossó, house-museum.
Advance booking: 977 40 57 81 or aj.vinebre@altanet.org - www.vinebre.altanet.org/

ROUTE THROUGH THE OLD TOWN OF ASCÓ
Approximately 2 hours
Throughout the year
Advance booking: Tourist Office (tel. 977 40 65 83)

LITERARY ROUTE ARTUR BLADÉ “BENISSANET, LITERARY LANDSCAPE” AND VISIT TO THE BOMBSHELTER OF THE GREAT SOURCE
Approximately 2 hours
Throughout the year
Advance booking: Tourist Office (tel. 977 40 79 15)

ROUTE TO THE IBERIAN SETTLEMENT OF TIVISSA
Approximately 1 hour
Throughout the year
Advance booking: Tourist Office (tel. 977 41 75 51 or turisme@tivissa.altanet.org)

GUIDED TOUR OF HISTORIC FLIX AND THE BOMBSHELTER OF ST. JOSEP STREET
Approximately 1 hour
Advance booking: Flix City Council [tel. 977 41 01 53]. More information www.flix.cat