



# ART WINE PASSION

AUGUST 2012



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**The days at the beach are coming to an end, but this should not be a motive to not dive into other activities. Get to know our suggestions for gastronomic trips with Bacalhôa and prolong your summer by diving into our wine.**

During the month of September, discover various gastronomic offers in our country with suggested routes by Bacalhôa. The Group's wine tourism presents a collection of stunning art including the Bacalhôa Palace, National Monument, pieces of African art, a collection of Portuguese tiles, and many other exhibitions, linked to wine and the art of its production.

In good company, get to know Aliança Underground Museum, the Buddha Eden-garden of peace- the Palace and the Qunita da Bacalhôa. To perfect your visit, take the opportunity to know the local gastronomy accompanied by Bacalhôa wines.

### DISCOVER BAIRRADA AND VISIT THE ALIANÇA UNDERGROUND MUSEUM

The Aliança Underground Museum is an exhibition space, displayed along the traditional wine cellars of Aliança Vinhos de Portugal. Including eight private collections, the public has access to diverse dimensions, such as archaeology, ethnography, mineralogy, paleontology, ceramic tiles and tins, covering millions of years. Being part of the great universe of Berardo Collection, these collections are the result of the constant effort of José Berardo in collecting and caring for objects of scientific, artistic, historical or sentimental importance.

#### WHERE TO SLEEP

**Termas da Curia Spa Resort\*\*\***  
2780-501 Tamengos, Curia  
Tel. (+351) 231519800

**Curia Palace Hotel Spa & Golf\*\*\*\***  
3780-541 Tamengos, Curia  
Tel. (+351) 231510300

**Hotel Molicheiro\*\*\*\***  
Rua Doutor Barbosa de Magalhães 15  
3800-154 Aveiro, Portugal  
Tel. (+351) 234377400

Timetable: Monday to Sunday - 10:30 am, 11:30 am, 2:30 pm, 3:30 pm, 4:30 pm  
Requires appointment for visits. Visits carried out according to availability.  
Tel: (+351) 234732000

Those who visit Bairrada should try the traditional suckling pig. After a visit to the Aliança Underground Museum, and getting a glimpse their impressive collections exhibited in the old cellars of Aliança, enjoy a great meal in the company of Sparkling Wine Aliança.

#### WHERE TO EAT

**Casa Vidal**  
Almas da Areosa  
3750-043 Aguada de Cima, Águeda  
Specialities: Bairrada suckling pig, Rojões (fried pork meat)  
Tel. (+351) 234666353

**Trincadeira**  
Rua Clube dos Galitos nº 23  
Aveiro - Portugal  
Specialities: Bairrada suckling pig, Rojões (fried pork meat)  
Tel. (+351) 234045228

**Magnus & Company**  
Zona Industrial de Troviscal  
3770-410 Troviscal  
Specialities: Fresh roasted fish, Picanha, octopus risotto, Clams in Bulhao Pato style  
Mobile. (+351) 960024268



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## OTHER PLACES TO VISIT IN THE REGION

### Espaço Bairrada - Old Curia Train Station

This is the former Train station of Curia where you can purchase local handmade crafts, regional products, books, and wines from the producers associated with the Bairrada Route.

Timetable: Tuesday to Saturday - 10:00 am - 1:00pm ; 2:00 pm - 7:00pm Tel (+351) 231503105

### Aveiro Estuary and Moliceiros Boats

Visit the "Venice of Portugal" navigating through their channels in "moliceiros", emblematic boats of Aveiro

Timetable: Monday to Sunday

### Buçaco National Forest

The Buçaco Forest has more than 700 different plant species, some of centuries old. It is a unique and original natural forest.

Summer timetable: Monday to Sunday: 8:00am - 8:00pm

## EASTERN TOUR IN BOMBARRAL

At the entrance of Buddha Eden, you will go down through a ramp facing a gate that leads the passage of the Western world into an oriental garden. Along the way, you will get involved by surrounding landscape with Buddhas lined up on the right side, welcoming a lake that extends through the left side, filling the garden of life and light. This Garden of Peace wants people to find reconciliation between religions, ethnicities, nationalities, ages, art movements, nature and humanity. The Buddha Eden invites union, communication, meditation and relaxation. The Buddha Eden is a place to encourage guests to meditate about the opposite way of the destruction of human beings and try to spread the culture of peace.

Opening hours (summer):

Monday to Saturday: 10:00am - 7:00pm

Opening hours (winter):

Monday to Sunday: 9:00am - 18:00pm

T. (+351) 262 605 240

In the Bombarral and Lisbon wine region, enjoy the local specialties. The fish is delicious in this area, prepared in many different ways and is irresistibly fresh, ideally served with Quinta dos Loridos sparkling wines.

### WHERE TO EAT

#### Mãe D'Água

13 de Maio Street, 26

2540-467 Carvalhal

Specialities: White Grouper Lasagna, Sword Fish fillets, Grouper medallions, Octopus fillets with fish eggs

T. (+351) 262605408

#### Tasca do Joel

Lapadusso Street, 73

2520-370 Peniche

Specialities: Everything done in wood oven: Cod fish and steaks in clay pots

Tel (+351) 262782945

#### Mirandum

Herois do Ultramar Street, 2520-423 Peniche

Specialities: Seafood

Tel (+351) 262782958

### WHERE TO SLEEP

#### Praia D'El Rey Marriott Golf & Beach Resort \*\*\*\*\*

Address: Av D. Ines Castro # 1, Vale de Janelas – Amoreira

2510-451 Óbidos

Tel (+351) 262905100

#### Pousada do Castelo \*\*\*\*

Address: Paço Real - Apartado 18

2510 - 999 Óbidos

Tel (+351) 262955080

## OTHER PLACES TO VISIT IN THE REGION

### Óbidos

Visit one of the most picturesque villages of our country. You will appreciate the Town Gate, St. Peter's Church, Church of Mercy, St. Mary's Square, St. Mary's Church, Straight Street, Castle, Game Ball, among others. Due to its location on a hill near the sea, the first buildings in Óbidos date back to Paleolithic times and they have always been inhabited.

### Praia D'El Rey

Take the opportunity to swim in the sea or walk by the beach. Praia D'El Rey has a long sandy beach surrounded by dunes.

## AN HISTORIC VISIT TO THE WORLD OF WINE AND ARCHITECTURE

In Vila Fresca de Azeitão among cypresses is the entrance gate of Quinta da Bacalhôa, considered one of the finest vineyards of Portugal. It was the house of D. Brites, mother of Manuel I, in the fifteenth century and bought by Brás de Albuquerque, the eldest son of Afonso de Albuquerque. This new owner embellished the palace with panels of coloured tiles, changing the turrets of the house and building a new house near the lake. Take a walk through the gardens of this house and taste the wines of Bacalhôa Wines of Portugal after a visit at the winery.

Monday to Saturday: 9:30am; 10:30am, 11:30am, 2:30pm, 3:30pm, 4:30pm

(Fridays and Saturdays afternoon entrance fee is higher)

Minimum: 2 people/ Maximum: 40 people

Duration of each tour with Wine Tasting: 60 minutes

Minimum: 6 people/ Maximum: 40 people

### WHERE TO SLEEP

#### Hotel Sana Sesimbra \*\*\*\*

Av April 25

2970-634 Sesimbra, Portugal

Tel (+351) 210064372

#### Hotel Rural Club D'Azeitão \*\*\*\*

Quinta do Bom Pastor

Vila Fresca de Azeitão

Setúbal

Tel (+351) 212198590



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In the region, the specialty is fresh fish and seafood. Here are our suggestions. Enjoy your meals with wines from Bacalhã Vinhos de Portugal.

## WHERE TO EAT

### O Pescador

Rua de São Gonçalo, Store # 171-4 Brejos Azeitão  
2925-254 Azeitão  
Specialties: Grilled fish and shrimp panada  
Tel (+351) 212191843

### O Velho e o Mar

Rua Joaquim Brandão 30 and 32  
2970 - 637 Sesimbra  
Specialties: Fish and seafood  
Tel (+351) 210879995

## OTHER PLACES TO VISIT IN THE REGION

### Sesimbra and the Cape Espichel

With a very rich cultural heritage by the sea, Sesimbra is one of the biggest attractions in the Setúbal Peninsula region. Visit the Medieval Castle, the Chapel of the Holy Spirit of the Seafarers, the Sanctuary and the Cape Espichel Fortress of Santiago. The views of these sites are exciting and if you are photography lover, you will have the opportunity to take fantastic pictures.

### Arrábida

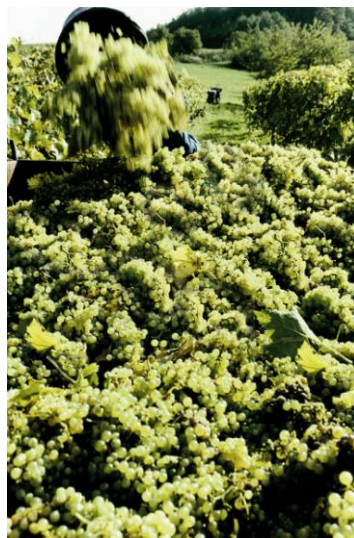
The Arrábida is distinguished by the predominance of green that stretches almost to the sea. The Mediterranean vegetation is of immense wealth, so Arrábida was transformed into a National Park to protect it. Explore the Park and get involved by its natural beauty.

## The Grape Harvest Has Begun

The Group Bacalhã grape harvest has begun yesterday (August 22nd) and the first white grape, Fernão Pires and Viognier, were harvested in the vineyards of Alentejo. Hugo Carvalho, winemaker responsible for the wines of this region, underlined his enthusiasm with the quality of the grapes.

On August 22nd, the first grapes harvested for Bacalhã Group's wines entered the winery at Quinta do Carmo.. Hugo Carvalho believes that this harvest will be very good and is very pleased with the quality of the grapes. The next harvest of white varieties, Antão Vaz, Arinto and Roupeiro, grapes used at Quinta do Carmo White, will begin next Monday.

On August 17th, 2011 grapes were being cut at the legendary Quinta do Carmo, registering a slight delay compared to last year. The quality in this year's harvest, though there is a delay in picking the grapes, has surpassed expectations. The high temperatures in July caused a lower yield of the vineyard. The berries are smaller which potentially confers a greater focus on wines produced. In August, the nights have been cooler, helping the grapes to increase the acidity levels gradually and



slowly ripen, ensuring higher quality. Vasco Penha Garcia, coordinator of enology, believes that the first white wines are promising.

Next week, the winery at Vila Nogueira de Azeitão in the Setúbal Peninsula and the main winery at Aliança Vinhos de Portugal in Bairrada, will be receiving the first white grapes. At Quinta dos Loridos, grape collection will also begin after the weekend for the base wines for the sparkling wines.

At the beginning of September it is expected that the harvest will begin for the grape variety Encruzado in the Dão region. In the Douro, the red grapes for the Quinta dos Quatro Ventos wines will be received at the winery also at the beginning of the month. The vineyard in the region of Beiras will be the last to be harvested, scheduled for the end of September.



## BUY JP Azeitão Rosé 2011 on-line in [store.bacalhã.pt](http://store.bacalhã.pt)

In [store.bacalhã.pt](http://store.bacalhã.pt) you can buy on-line **JP Azeitão Rosé 2011** or another wine from Bacalhã and Aliança Vinhos de Portugal. When you buy 75€ or more worth of wine, you will receive 3 bottles of sparkling **Aliança Reserva Tinto Bruto**.





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## JP Azeitão White and Red in Bag-in-Box - Summer packaging

This summer Bacalhóa Wines of Portugal suggests the packaging Bag-in-box (BiB) and launches the JP White Azeitão 2011. Together with JP Azeitão Tinto 2011, also in BiB, the Bacalhóa Wines of Portugal highlights the benefits of using this type of packaging in leisure time right at this time of year.



The JP Azeitão White 2011 enters the market shaped in 3 liters Bag-in-Box (BiB). Will join JP Azeitão Red 2011, also in BiB, forming the perfect duo for socializing and leisure activities so common at this season. To take to the beach or the countryside, for picnic or barbecue, the advantages of this type of packaging are unlimited.

The Bag-in-Box is a very practical proposal for summer tours. The wine is stored in a flexible resistant bag and suitable for the preservation of wine. Wine is vacuum packed inside the bag and closes on itself as air is withdrawn from it, this prevents the entry of air and subsequent oxidation of the wine.

Another advantage relates to the weight, since a 3 litre container is about 38% lighter than four bottles of 0.75 l. They are undoubtedly good reasons for this summer, to choose for JP Azeitão White and Red in BiB.

The good news does not end there. This type of packaging does not break; it is resistant, 100% recyclable and allows dosing the wine to be served through the tap associated with the flexible bag. Once opened this kind of packaging, guarantee the quality of the wine for a longer time, between 1 up to 2 months, being a factor undoubtedly superior to what happens with traditional glass bottles.

For all these reasons, this summer, we recommend beach and countryside, barbecue and picnic with JP

White and Red 2011 in Bag-in-Box.

## THE HOLIDAY DESTINATIONS OF OUR WINEMAKERS



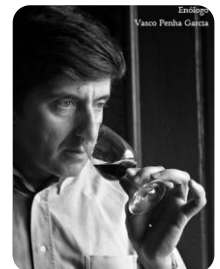
Winemaker  
Filipa Tomaz da Costa



Winemaker  
Francisco Antunes



Winemaker  
Hugo Carvalho



Winemaker  
Vasco Penha Garcia

Where did you spend the Vacations?	On the beach	At home	Vila Nova de Mil Fontes	On the beach and in the countryside
Wich wine you always take with you?	White wine	Sparkling Wine	None	Sparkling wine, white wine and some red wine
What is your preferred drink for the holidays?	White wine	Lemonade and water	Wine, water and beer	Water
What is your preferred dish for the holidays?	Grilled sea bass	Grilled fish and meat and salads	Grilled fish	Grilled mackerel
What is your favorite reading for the holidays?	Books	Newspapers	Newspapers	I read a book about World War II
What is obligatory to do during the holidays?	Go to the beach	Sleeping, fishing and go to the beach	Go to the beach	Swimming
What is your dream destination?	I have no dream destination. The important thing is being with family and friends.	Argentina and Chile	Australia	Cruise on the North Atlantic