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OUR MARKETS

Craftsmanship, tradition, and nature: a soulful getaway to discover the Guadarrama mountain

The Guadarrama mountain offers much more than breathtaking landscapes and pure air: it is also a refuge for traditional knowledge, local talent, and experiences that connect you to the authentic.

Through a carefully curated route across the craft, antiques, and organic product markets of our villages, you will discover unique creations, handmade by local artisans, set in privileged natural surroundings.



Charming Sundays in Navacerrada

Craftsmanship, history, good food, and a stroll with views

Antique Market

Every Sunday, from 10:00 to 15:00, the square at the entrance to the village, near the reservoir, transforms into an open-air market showcasing objects with history: antique furniture, vintage clothing, jewellery, rare books, and artworks.

Craft Market

On alternate Sundays, the Fuente de los Españoles garden becomes a stage where local artisans present their creations: ceramics, decorative objects, glassware, and jewellery.

Navacerrada Classic: where classics come to life

From 10:00 to 14:00 at Plaza del Doctor Gereda. Only vehicles prior to 1995 allowed.

On the first Sunday of every month, Plaza del Doctor Gereda in Navacerrada transforms into an open-air museum, gathering classic car enthusiasts who display automotive gems from before 1995.

After a morning of antiques and craftsmanship, nothing beats sitting down at one of the town's restaurants to enjoy a quiet and delicious meal made from local products, traditional recipes, and that unique flavour only mountain cuisine can offer. The experience is topped off with a gentle stroll by Navacerrada Reservoir, where the reflection of La Maliciosa on the water and the fresh breeze complete a day made for peaceful enjoyment.

Soulful Weekends in Manzanares El Real

Authentic craftsmanship, mountain flavours, and a stroll by the reservoir

Craft Market

On the first weekend of every month, Plaza del Pueblo and Calle del Cura transform into a bustling market where creativity and tradition go hand in hand. From 10:00 to 17:00, local and regional artisans showcase their works: ceramics, textiles, natural cosmetics, and gastronomic delights that reflect the soul of the Guadarrama mountain.

After your visit, there's nothing better than a quiet meal in one of the town's restaurants, where traditional flavours are reinterpreted with love and respect for the local product.

To end the day with the peace it deserves, take a walk along Santillana Reservoir. The silhouette of the castle reflected in the water, the flight of birds above the surface, and the golden light of sunset create a scene that invites you to walk, contemplate, and let yourself drift.



Sundays with History and Crafts in El Boalo, Cerceda, and Mataelpino

Authentic craftsmanship, antiques with soul, and a walk along the Camino de Santiago

El Boalo Craft Market

Every second Sunday of the month, from 11:30 to 15:00, Plaza de la Constitución hosts a craft market featuring local craftsmanship, art, eco-friendly products, fair trade goods, and antiques. A place where hands tell stories and every object has a soul.

Antique and Second-Hand Market in Mataelpino

On the first Sunday of each month at Plaza de España, you'll find unique and curious items, many of them antiques. A walk through nostalgia where each object has a story to tell.

For a harmonious end to the experience, nothing beats a quiet stroll along a stretch of the Camino de Santiago, which connects these villages with gentle trails through dehesas, oak groves, and open views. Walking here means connecting with history, with yourself, and with the legacy of walkers from all times.

The day can continue with a restful meal at one of the local restaurants, where homemade cooking, local products, and a welcoming atmosphere create an environment that invites you to stay a little longer.

Becerril de la Sierra: Light, Art, and Tradition Among the Mountains

Charming markets, magical events, and a stroll by the water

Night in Candlelight

In July, Becerril de la Sierra celebrates Night in candlelight, a cultural event that transforms the town with candlelight.

During this night, a craft market is organised where over fifty local and regional artists present their unique creations, from leather masks to natural cosmetics.

Craft Market

In December, Plaza del Ayuntamiento hosts the traditional Christmas Craft Market, offering a variety of handmade products perfect for gifts and decoration.

To complete any of these experiences, indulge in their excellent dining offer and finish the afternoon with a walk to Navacerrada Reservoir.

A gentle walk between water and forest, perfect for breathing deeply, contemplating, and closing the day with a smile.



Soto del Real: Art, Memory, and a Stroll Between Mountains

Markets with soul, historical pieces, and a natural walk to remember

Craft Market

Every second Sunday of the month, from 11:30 to 15:00 at Plaza, this market is a must for lovers of craftsmanship and authenticity. It's usually held on the third Sunday of each month, from 10:00 to 15:00, but during the summer months, like August, the market moves to Saturday afternoons and evenings to avoid the high temperatures.

Second-Hand Market

Soto del Real also hosts other similar events, such as the Second-Hand Market, held three times a year at Plaza de la Villa. This is where you can sell, buy, exchange, or give away items such as toys, antiques, books, clothing, crafts, small furniture, and tools.

After exploring the market, there's nothing like a stroll along the Green Ring, a circular, accessible, and gentle route that loops around the town, passing meadows, ash groves, and offering stunning views of the mountains. It's the perfect walk to stretch your legs, breathe deeply, and connect with nature.

And if hunger strikes, the town's restaurants serve the best of mountain cuisine, with fresh produce and traditional recipes, all served in an atmosphere where the service is warm and time seems to slow down.

Miraflores de la Sierra: Serenity Among Flowers, Memory, and Nature

Charming markets, unique pieces, and a walk that caresses the soul

Flower Market

Every first Saturday of the month, from 10:00 to 14:00, the Casa de las Flores transforms into a garden of creativity. Here, local and regional artisans exhibit their works: from delicate pieces of jewellery and embroidered textiles to aromatic soaps and felt and leather objects.

Vintage Market

If you love objects with soul and history, don't miss the Vintage Market, held on the third Saturday of the month, also from 10:00 to 14:00, at the same Casa de las Flores. Here, the most cherished antiques wait to be discovered by curious eyes and nostalgic hearts.

Weekly Market

Additionally, on non-holiday Tuesdays and Saturdays, from 9:00 to 14:00, Calle de la Estación hosts the weekly market. A place where everyday life intertwines with tradition, offering fresh products, textiles, and, of course, local craftsmanship.

After the market, enjoy high-quality cuisine in the pleasant streets and squares. To end the afternoon, nothing beats the sound of water and the rustling of trees during a stroll by Miraflores de la Sierra Reservoir. A peaceful route, with wide views and gentle paths, ideal for walking slowly, breathing deeply, and simply enjoying the moment.

Guadalix de la Sierra: living history, hidden treasures, and calm nature

Between markets with essence, medieval tradition, and a stroll by the water

Medieval Fair

During the last weekend of July, Guadalix transforms into a medieval village with its Medieval Fair, featuring a craft market, live music, workshops, street theatre, and horse tournaments. Activities take place in Plaza Consistorial, Calle Pozo, and the Medieval Camp near the Polivalente Building Car Park.

Second-Hand Market

The Second-Hand Market is an initiative that allows locals to sell, exchange, or give away items they no longer use, promoting sustainability and the circular economy.

It is held on specific dates, so it's recommended to check the Town Hall's social media for the upcoming events.

To complete the day, there's nothing like a good meal followed by a walk to Pedrezuela Reservoir, where the tranquillity of the water and the whisper of the wind through the trees invite you to walk without haste. A serene setting, perfect for pausing, contemplating, and breathing deeply.

Moralzarzal: Creativity and Landscapes to Lift Your Spirits

Artesanía original, paseo entre miradores y una mañana con mucho encanto

Craft Market

Plaza de la Constitución, First Saturday of each month, from 11:00 to 14:30.

Discover unique creations: from lamps made with pipes to cold porcelain and fire enamels.

A feast for the senses and imagination.

And after indulging your senses, Moralzarzal offers the perfect plan to stretch your legs and feed your soul: the lively atmosphere of the Plaza de Toros, filled with bars and restaurants, followed by a stroll towards the Fuente de Borrico and the Mirador de los Buitres. An accessible route that combines natural freshness, spectacular views, and the possibility of spotting, from the heights, the majestic flight of griffon vultures over the mountain landscape.



Hoyo de Manzanares: flavours of the land, artisan hands, and history-filled nature

A market with soul, living traditions, and a stroll under the shadow of a legendary tree

Eco and Artisan Market

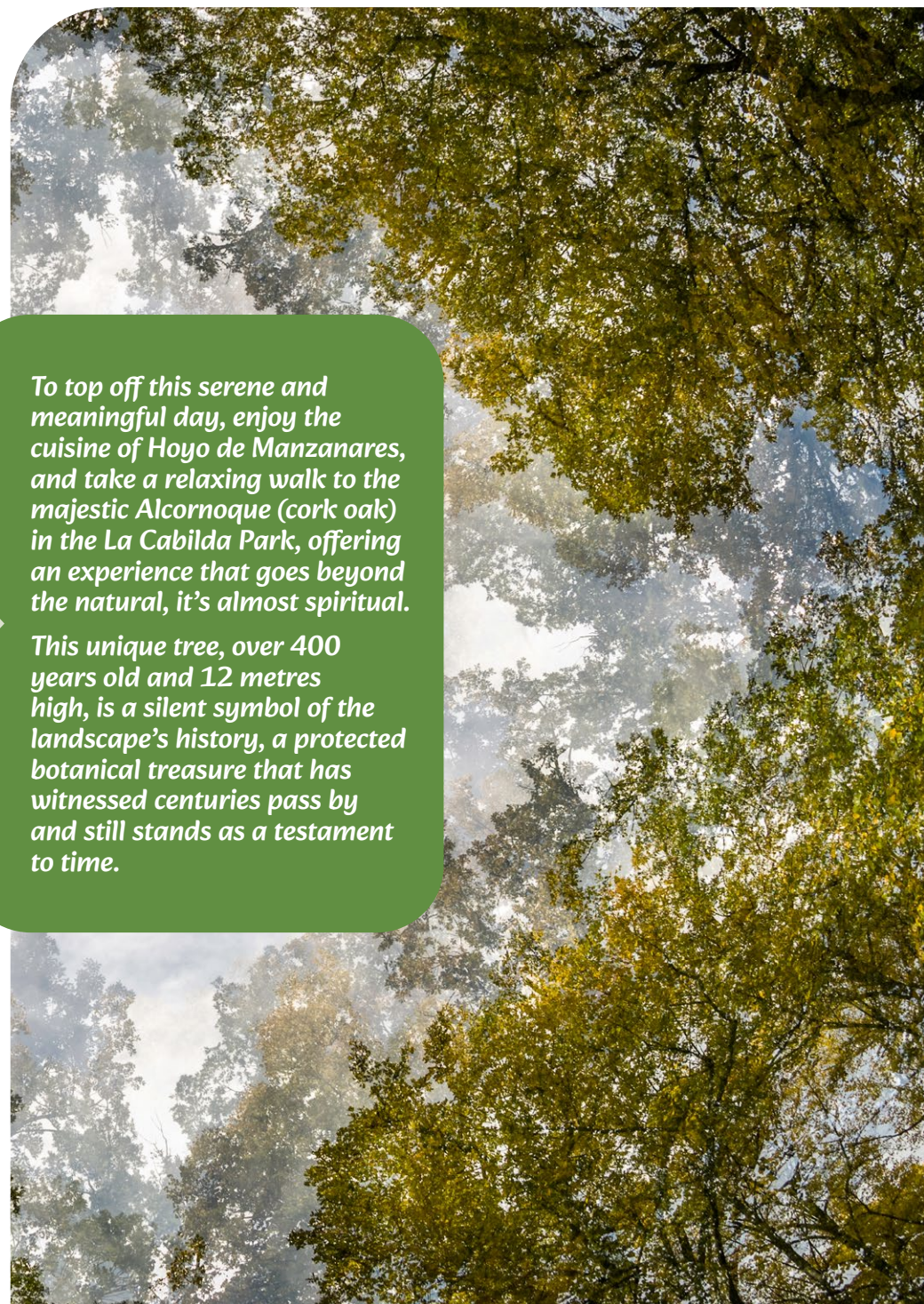
This market started in 2005 during the Ecology Week, and due to its success, it became a monthly event. It's a space where certified organic products such as bread, honey, olive oil, sausages, teas, fruits, and vegetables meet with a rich display of local craftsmanship. The artisans, from Hoyo de Manzanares and nearby towns like Cercedilla, Collado Villalba, and El Escorial, offer unique pieces made with traditional techniques adapted to contemporary tastes.

European Craftsmanship Days

Hoyo de Manzanares hosts events like the European Craftsmanship Days, held in early April. During this week, the town fills with life through participatory workshops, trades showcases, and visits to artisan workshops. It's an opportunity to immerse yourself in the richness of both traditional and contemporary craftsmanship.

To top off this serene and meaningful day, enjoy the cuisine of Hoyo de Manzanares, and take a relaxing walk to the majestic Alcornoque (cork oak) in the La Cabilia Park, offering an experience that goes beyond the natural, it's almost spiritual.

This unique tree, over 400 years old and 12 metres high, is a silent symbol of the landscape's history, a protected botanical treasure that has witnessed centuries pass by and still stands as a testament to time.



Collado Mediano: Tradition Between Craft Hands and Roman Footprints

Spring, local art, and a walk through history

Spring and Craft Market

From 11:00 to 14:30 and 16:00 to 21:00, this market is held every May in La Fuente Municipal Park, coinciding with the San Isidro festivities. This market stands out for its festive and traditional atmosphere, where local artisans present handmade products and antiques.

And if, after a good meal, you feel like moving a bit, the walk to Fuente Vallejo and the Roman Site of “El Beneficio” is a delight. Between gentle paths and generous nature, the remains of an ancient Roman villa are uncovered, a silent testament to a millennia-old past that can be touched, walked on, and felt.

A perfect route to end the day with a dose of history and landscape.



Alpedrete: Craft, Stone, and Fantasy Between Markets with History

Local craftsmanship, medieval spirit, and a walk among oaks and quarries

Local Craft Market

First Saturday of each month, from 11:00 to 15:00, at Plaza de la Constitución.

This market is a celebration of local talent, where artisans from the area showcase their unique creations. You can find everything from silk painting and basket weaving to ceramics and handmade jewellery.

Medieval Market

In June, at Plaza de la Villa and surrounding streets.

For three days, Alpedrete transforms into a medieval stage with craft stalls, gastronomy, and live performances. Enjoy parades, music, jugglers, and activities for all ages in an atmosphere that will transport you to another era.

To round off the day, nothing beats a good meal and a lovely walk through Dehesa de Boyal, a green lung scattered with peaceful paths leading to the ancient quarries of Alpedrete.

This natural setting, full of history and beauty, invites you to walk slowly, contemplate, and let yourself be enveloped by the serenity of the landscape.

Guadarrama: living tradition between craft hands and a forest with its own light

Markets with soul, medieval heritage, and a stroll through silver shadows

Craft Market

Every Saturday morning, Plaza Mayor transforms into a showcase of local creativity. From 10:00 to 14:00, artisans exhibit and sell their works in metal, wood, ceramics, textiles, and more.

Medieval Market

In the first week of August, Guadarrama steps back in time to celebrate its traditional Medieval Market. The streets are filled with craft stalls, falconry displays, music, theatre, and activities for all ages. An experience that blends history and entertainment in a magical setting..

To complete this experience, enjoy a hearty meal with a refreshing breeze, and then take a walk through the Silver Forest of La Jarosa, a magical corner of easy paths and constant shade, where the light filters through the pines and the silence invites you to walk, breathe, and observe.

A gentle and accessible walk, perfect for ending the day in harmony with nature.

Los Molinos: Summer of Craft and Nature in its Purest Form

Creations with soul, living tradition, and a walk through flowers and water

Craft Fair-Market

Every summer, Los Molinos celebrates its traditional Craft Fair-Market, an event renowned for its authenticity and warmth. Now in its 30th edition, the fair takes place every July at Plaza del Antiguo Colegio. This market brings together artisans who present handmade products crafted from a variety of materials, fostering creativity and local trade.

But Los Molinos is also about gastronomy and nature, and one of its best-kept secrets is the walk to Irrios Dam, especially beautiful in spring, when the cambroño flowers turn the landscape golden with their fresh aroma. A simple route, perfect for walking slowly, accompanied by the murmur of the water and the shade of the trees. A moment to be enveloped by the serenity of the surroundings and the fresh mountain air. Los Molinos offers a serene and authentic experience, ideal for those who enjoy handcrafted art, peaceful landscapes, and the value of things made with the heart.

Cercedilla: Craft with Roots and Trails with History

Fairs with mountain flavour, enduring trades, and a stroll among millennial stones

Summer Craft Fair

Usually held in August, at Plaza Nueva, organised by the Cercedilla Artisans and Artists Association. Here, you'll find local crafts, children's workshops, storytelling, concerts, and live demonstrations. In Cercedilla, craftsmanship enjoys a renowned reputation, represented by professionals with long traditions, ranging from wood carving, saddlery, and handmade furniture to jewellery and ceramics. During spring and summer, they also have a market at Plaza María Mínguez.

Trades and Traditions Fair

First weekend of June, at Plaza de Toros and Avenida de los Toreros.

You'll find demonstrations of traditional crafts such as forging, pottery, and shearing, alongside music, folk games, and a craft market.

Natural and Craft Market

Dates vary, please check the Town Hall website. At the Plaza de Toros Esplanade.

Find organic and handmade products such as award-winning cheeses, infusions, honey, and natural cosmetics.

A photograph of a forest with tall pine trees and a wooden picnic table in the foreground. The ground is covered in dry pine needles and some green grass. The trees are dense and tall, with sunlight filtering through the canopy.

And to wrap up the day with a deep connection to the surroundings, nothing beats a good meal and a lovely walk through Cercedilla's Dehesas, starting at the Las Berceas Reservoir and following the first stretch of the Roman road. Among pine forests, ruins, and fresh air, this route invites you to pause, listen, and breathe in the soul of the mountains.