

ROTARY CAMP SIERRA DE GUADARRAMA (Madrid)

From July 28th to August 9th 2014



**Organized by the Rotary Club Majadahonda
in collaboration with the Rotary Clubs
from Madrid and Castilla-León (Spain)**



PROGRAMME DETAILS

- PARTICIPANTS:** 25 students (one boy and one girl ONLY per country. No students for D2201 - 2202 – 2203 will be accepted)
- AGE:** 18 – 25 years old
- DATES:** 28th July to 9th August 2014
- ACCOMMODATION:** Casa de la Cueva Youth Hostel (Peguerinos, Ávila) and Youth Hostel Santa Cruz de Marcenado (Madrid)
- PROGRAMME:** Nature and culture
- LANGUAGE:** Spanish / English
- AIM:** To encourage friendship and understanding among people from different backgrounds and cultures.
- CLOSING DATE:** Applications should be received by 15th May, 2014
- INSURANCE:** All participants are responsible for their medical insurance policies, according to the guidelines in Rotary International Code of Policies on Travel Insurance for Students, which covers illness, accident, third party damages and personal effects. European participants should bring their European Health Insurance Card.
- ACCEPTANCE AND PAYMENT:** Students will be accepted provisionally on receipt of a scanned application form on a first come first served basis, allowing for gender balancing. Payment should be done upon arrival.
- CAMP FEE:** 250 Euros.
- POCKET MONEY:** We advise participants to bring some pocket money for their personal expenses.
- APPLICATION:** Send your application to: jucasado@telefonica.net with a copy to the following e-mail address: campguadarrama@hotmail.com

TRAVEL ARRANGEMENTS

- ARRIVAL:** 28th July 2014 (between 10am and 2pm preferably)
Place: Youth Hostel Santa Cruz de Marcenado
C/ Santa Cruz de Marcenado, 28
28015 - Madrid
- DEPARTURE:** 9th August 2014 (from 10am)

PROGRAMME

28th July (Monday):	Arrival to Madrid. Gathering at: Youth Hostel Santa Cruz de Marcenado, Santa Cruz de Marcenado, 28, 28015 - Madrid.
29th July (Tuesday):	Guided tour in Madrid city centre, capital of Spain. Journey to Youth Hostel "La Casa de la Cueva" (Peguerinos-Ávila). Summer Camps rules.
30th July (Wednesday):	Visit La Granja de San Ildefonso Palace and gardens. Visit Segovia. Return to Casa de la Cueva.
31st July (Thursday):	Hiking, cultural and sport activities.
1st August (Friday):	Visit Salamanca famous in the world for its culture and for its student atmosphere. In fact, the University of Salamanca is said to be the third oldest university in Europe, founded in 1218. Return to Casa de la Cueva.
2nd August (Saturday):	Casa de la Cueva. Rotarian day. Lunch with members of the R.C Majadahonda.
3rd August (Sunday):	Day trip to Peguerinos, nearby village. Meeting with the Mayor of Peguerinos.
4th August (Monday):	Visit Ávila, well-known for its amazingly intact wall surrounding the city. Saint Tomás and Saint Vicente Monastery. Tour in the old town. Return to Casa de la Cueva.
5th August (Tuesday):	Casa de la Cueva day. Sports and Culture Activities.
6th August (Wednesday):	Visit El Escorial, Royal Site and Monastery declared World Heritage Site by UNESCO in 1984. Visit the Town Hall and El Valle de los Caídos (a Catholic basilica and a monumental memorial). Return to Casa de la Cueva.
7th August (Thursday):	Casa de la Cueva activities and International Dinner.
8th August (Friday):	Trip back to Madrid. Visit Bernabéu Stadium (Real Madrid Football Team). Other venues to be confirmed. Stay at the Hostel Santa Cruz de Marcenado.
9th August (Saturday):	Breakfast, farewell and departure.

OBJECTIVE

We intend to offer participants an enjoyable time that includes cultural activities and the practice of different sports, surrounded by nature up on the hills near Madrid.

RULES

In order to guarantee the correct functioning of the camp, we have established some general rules:

- Be on time for the activities
- Take part in all activities
- Keep the house and rooms clean and tidy
- Follow activity leaders instructions
- Maintain a good relation with the other students
- Respect nature and follow our moto:

Treat others the way you would like others to treat you

LIST OF THINGS TO BE BROUGHT

- Student Card (extremely important)
- Sleeping bag
- Towel
- Hiking boots or trainers and socks
- Swimming clothes (costume and sandals)
- Jumpers or fleece (temperatures can go down to 10° C at night)
- Long trousers
- Toilet bag
- Torch and water bottle

Bear in mind that we will alternate day trips to towns with hiking and sports days. Therefore, plan your luggage accordingly.

Optional: you can bring some traditional products from your country for the International Dinner.

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