



Penacova



Canoeing - Mondego River

From 19€



Description

Activity performed in Mondego, the longest Portuguese river. 12km between the weir of Carvoeira (Penacova) and the River Beach of Palheiros/Zorro (Coimbra). This is the most requested tourist animation activity in Portugal, indicated for those who initiate canoeing. The river presents dazzling natural surroundings with diversified vegetation and numerous birds. During summer, 3 small rapids provide some excitement. Halfway down (around 1 PM) there's a stop on the riverbank to have a snack, which participants must bring from home to the activity.

Duration: 3/4 hours.

Meeting Point: 9h30 - Parking at Palheiros Fluvial Beach / Zorro.

Coordinates: <https://goo.gl/maps/561uYciAQXDbEjgh9>



Price

Price per person:

- Groups over 8 paxs: 30€
- Groups over 10 paxs: 25€
- Groups over 15 paxs: 22,5€
- Groups over 30 paxs: 20€
- Groups over 50 paxs: 19€
- Children from 6 to 12 years old (inclusive) as long as they are groups over 10 people and as long as the child goes in one of the 2 paying kayak seats, 50% discount. Children under 5 years old or who go in the middle seat (where they do not pay) pay 5€;
- Offer 1 gratuity for each group of 25 paying.

Includes canoeing equipment, insurance, framing, guides and transportation between the end and beginning of the descent. Minimum number of participants: 8.

Logistics

After parking the cars at the river beach (beginning) at 9:30 am, bring your material for the descent (towel, food, water, etc) and cross the pedestrian bridge on foot to the right bank of the river. As soon as the footbridge ends, turn right and walk up the path to the national road, where the guide will be. This way, when you finish the activitie, you have the vehicles at the end of the descent.



Enrollment

For the registration to be complete must be provided the name and phone number of the person leading the group. Also, a payment of 50% is required up to 5 days in advance using IBAN: PT50004534534027764108953 (proof of payment must be sent to geral@transserrano.com). A list with the complete names and birthdates, of all participants, must be sent by e-mail up to 2 days in advance (geral@transserrano.com).

What you should bring

SUMMER: hat and sunscreen, light clothing (shorts and t-shirts, always depending on the weather), water bottle, light lunch (sandwiches, fruit, energy or cereal bars), old sneakers or closed sandals (flip flops are not recommended), dry clothes for the end and a bath towel.

WINTER: warm and light clothing to wear under the wetsuit (thermal shirt or lycra), water bottle, light lunch (sandwiches, fruit, energy or cereal bars), dry clothes for the end and a bath towel. If you do not wear neoprene boots, we recommend a pair of old sneakers.

Recommendations

During winter or in periods of high precipitation, river flow may vary rapidly in a few hours, so the activity is always dependent on the analysis and evaluation of the river at the exact time, also taking into account the participants' experience and their age group. Trans Serrano may have to cancel the activity immediately before it starts. During autumn and winter, we do not recommend the participation of children and young people under the age of 16. Participants wearing glasses must pay special attention to them.

Make sure to bring a glasses' cord to avoid getting them lost in the river. We do not recommend the use of mobile phones, cameras and other electronic devices along the activity. Also, during the activity, there should be nothing visible inside the cars. And everything considered of value should be placed in a backpack (which will always be with the participants or with the organization).



Extra Activities

Only available for groups over 15 participants and with previous booking (Dependent on weather conditions). Prices per person: Slide: 10€ - Slide + Rappel: 12,5€ - Rappel or Archery (bow or blowpipe): 5€ - Paintball / MTB: 12,5€

Other Conditions

- Insurance is included to the final price: **a) personal accident insurance** - includes death's coverage or permanent disability - 20.000€ and treatment costs - 3.500€ (insurance policy 202126631, Allianz Portugal); **b) civil liability insurance** - includes 75.000€ coverage per incident (insurance policy 203249524, Allianz Portugal).
- **Add to the presented prices the current legal IVA Tax.**
- Trans Serrano may cancel or change the activity if the weather, fitness of the participants or other conditions put in danger the safety of the group.
- If, without any notification, the group does not appear or, in case of cancellation, 24 hours before the activity, Trans Serrano reserves the right to withhold or demand payment of 50% of the activity price.
- In the event of a dispute, the consumer can use the CACRC (Centro de Arbitragem de Conflitos de Consumo da Região de Coimbra), on the website www.centrodearbitragemdecoimbra.com, head office at Av. Fernão Magalhães, N.º 240, 1.º, 3000-172 COIMBRA, phone number +351 239 821 690, email geral@centrodearbitragemdecoimbra.com or or directly at the Online Complaint Book. More information on the consumer portal www.consumidor.gov.pt.

Lunch Options

- **Mobile lunch:** 2 sandwiches, 1 mini meat pie, 1 chocolate, fruit, water, juice. Price per person: 7,5€ (minimum of 10 payers);
- **Meals at the end of the descent in Praia Fluvial de Palheiros / Zorro:**
 - Menu 1: Mixed Grill / Menu 2 - Barbecue Chicken / Menu 3: Churrascão - pork, picanha and maminha (group must choose a dish equal for all), all dishes with garnish, 2 drinks and coffee - Optional / Extras: Starters and Dessert - ask us by email for menus and prices.



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