# Observação de Golfinhos

Dolphin Watching Viagens Costeiras Coastal Boat Tours Batismos de Mergulho Diving Experiences **Cursos de Mergulho** Diving Courses

# marilimitado

DOLPHIN WATCHING . DIVING . RESEARCH

# CATALOG 2016

# **ABOUT US**

It was in Sagres that this team of marine biologists dreamt of exploring the ocean.

Aiming to promote an active community in the conservation of the oceans, we offer boat tours and scuba diving experiences with environmental interpretation.

Step onboard to discover more about cetaceans and seabirds, coastal routes, or simply go deeper and learn to dive!

# WHY CHOOSE US?

- We specialize in marine wildlife watching
- Personalized activities with marine biologists
- Environmental consciousness and high respect for animals
- Educational briefing prior to dolphin watching trips and dives
- We love to welcome families and children
- Participants may get in touch with our scientific research
- Our safe RIB boats offer fast sailing maximising observation experience

## **OUR PROGRAMS**

**1** DOLPHIN WATCHING

2 WILD WEST COAST

4 CAPE ST. VINCENT

**5** SEABIRD WATCHING

**3** SOUTH COAST SECRETS

**Boat Tours** 

# **Dive Centre & Marine Lab**

- 1 BUBBLEMAKER (CHILDREN)
  - **2** DISCOVER SCUBA DIVING
  - **3** SCUBA DIVER
  - **4** OPEN WATER DIVER
  - **(5)** ADVANCED OPEN WATER DIVER
  - 6 RESCUE DIVER
  - **D** BOAT DIVING FOR CERTIFIED DIVERS



# 1 DOLPHIN WATCHING

Duration:	1.30h	
Price:	Adults: 35€   Children (up to 14 years): 25€	
Minimum capacity:	4 passengers	
Departures:	Mar. – Nov.: 11.30h	
-	Jul Set.: 09.30, 10.00, 11.30, 12.00, 13.30, 14.00 and 15.30h	

During this tour guided by a marine biologist, we set off in search of the southwest marine wildlife. Besides the usual dolphin sightings, enigmatic seabird species often fly over and occasionally we are rewarded with the thrilling sight of whales, large pelagic fish (sun fish, sharks) or sea turtles. The natural scenery of this adventure is the Atlantic Ocean and we will be surrounded by breathtaking coastline views. Each trip is a unique experience: it does not have a defined route and is dependent on weather conditions. The trip is preceded by an educational briefing. Step aboard and join us!





# 2 WILD WEST COAST

Duration:	2.00h		
Price:	Adults: 40€	Children (up to 14 years): 35€	
Minimum capacity:	4 passengers		
Departures:	Mar. – Nov.:	14.00h (under booking)	

Step aboard and come explore the Costa Vicentina coastline between Sagres and Castelejo. This region flaunts one of the wildest stretches of coastline of Europe, sculpted by the strength of the sea and winds, remaining almost untouched by humans. In the Atlantic cliffs we can observe interesting geologic formations, isolated beaches, small fishing boats and seafood catchers in their dangerous fishing work. If you are a nature lover, this trip will not leave you indifferent: you will discover what is invisible from land and feel the true essence of the southwest coast.





# **3** SOUTH COAST SECRETS

Duration:1.30hPrice:Adults: 25€ | Children (up to 14 years): 20€Minimum capacity:4 passengersDepartures:Mar. – Nov.: 16.00h

Relax and come enjoy the south coast with us. Without haste, since our aim is to appreciate the moment, we will visit small grottoes, hidden corners and breathtaking wild beaches. Curiosities and details about the geology of the coast and its wildlife are also guaranteed on this trip. This is a way of simply enjoy being at the sea, among the blue and crystal colours of the beautiful south coast. Slowly, sensing the marine rhythms and fragrances of the shoreline: an unforgettable experience!





# **4** CAPE ST. VINCENT

Duration:	1.00h		
Price:	Adults 25€	Children (up to 14 years): 20€	
Minimum capacity:	4 passengers		
Departures:	Mar Nov.:	16.00h	

This scenic tour takes us to the southwest extreme of continental Europe, the Cape St. Vincent. We will travel along the shoreline, inside the bays and near the beaches, and discover small grottoes before arriving at this mythic Cape that holds the second most powerful lighthouse in Europe. During this tour you can learn curiosities about the ancient fortifications or simply enjoy the magic of this astonishing shoreline.





# **5** SEABIRD WATCHING

Duration:2.30hPrice:Adults: 45€ | Children (up to 14 years): 35€Minimum capacity:4 passengersDepartures:Mar.–Nov. (Book in advance): 09.00h

Sagres is nowadays known to be one of the few places in continental Europe where some pelagic seabird species may be observed. After navigating south, the boat will stop and chum may be used. It is possible to watch in close proximity and photograph some of the rarest species. Depending on the season, we highlight the presence of Wilson's storm petrel, Manx, Balearic and Great shearwaters, Long-tailed skua or Audouin's gull, among others that fly over more frequently.





# **OTHER SERVICES**

# **CREWED BOAT CHARTER (BOAT TOURS)**

Duration:	On request
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Price:150€ / HourDepartures:On request

Our RIB's have a maximum capacity of 12 seated passengers and are available to be chartered with crew. Ideal for tailor made programs, private or professional (birthdays, shooting, scientific research, etc.).



# **DIVING EXPERIENCES FOR BEGGINERS**

# Bubblemaker (Diving Baptism for children)

Any child older than 8 years can experience the feeling of breathing underwater, accompanied by an instructor.

Duration – ½ day Requirements – minimum age: 8 years old Price – 50€

#### Structure

1 theory session (fun included!)

1 underwater session (max depth 2m)



**Includes** Full equipment Insurance

Skills acquired Experience the underwater environment and the "zero gravity" sensation Experience the sensation of breathing underwater

# **2** Discover Scuba Diving (Diving Baptism)

If a diving course seems to be a big step for the client this program allows experience diving without the commitment of making a course.

Duration – ½ day Requirements – minimum age: 10 years old Price – 80€

Structure

1 theory session 1 underwater session (max depth 6m)

**Includes** Full equipment Insurance

#### Skills acquired

Get familiar with the dive equipment Experience the underwater environment and the "zero gravity" sensation Basic competences and basic safety rules inherent to diving Equivalent to the 1st theory and practical session of the Open Water certification, valid during 12 months



# **LEARN TO DIVE**

# **3** Scuba Diver (Course)

This is the first permanent PADI certification and it is equivalent to half of the Open Water Diver course. It allows you to dive under the supervision of an Instructor or Divemaster to 12m and upgrading later on to the Open Water course at any PADI dive centre.

Duration – 2 days Requirements – minimum age: 10 years old Price – 250€

#### Structure

2 theory sessions2 dives in confined waters (pool or beach)2 dives in open water (4 required + 1 extra – offered by us)

#### Includes

Study guide Full equipment Boat transportation (when needed) Certification Insurance



Skills acquired Recreational diving to 12m depth

# 4 Open Water Diver (Course)

This recreational scuba diving course teaches the basic skills that allow diving autonomously and discovering the underwater world. It is the most popular scuba diving course in the world. The certification is recognized internationally and allows diving independently to 18m depth.

**Duration** – 4 days **Requirements** – minimum age: 10 years old **Price** – 400€

**Structure** 4 theory sessions 4 dives in confined waters (pool or beach) 4 dives in open water (4 required)

Includes Study guide Full equipment Boat transportation (when needed) Certification Insurance Diving



Skills acquired Independent Recreational diving to 18m depth

# **UPGRADE YOUR DIVING SKILLS**



This course will allow the diver to improve his/her knowledge and diving skills. There are several experiences available from which 5 have to be selected, introducing the divers to new environments and diving techniques such as underwater navigation or deep diving up to 30m.

The certification is recognized internationally and allows diving independently to 30m depth.

#### Duration – 2,5 Days

**Requirements** – minimum age: 14 years old | Open Water Diver Certification (PADI or equivalent) **Price** – 340€

#### Structure

5 theory sessions 5 dives in the open water

#### Includes

Study guide Full equipment Boat transportation (when needed) Certification Insurance

#### Skills acquired

Recreational diving to 30m depth Underwater navigation Surch and recover Pic performance buoiency Night dive

# 6 Rescue Diver (Course)

Learn more about safety in diving and how to rescue other divers, enhancing your self-confidence and becoming a more complete diver. Other divers will want to join you in your dives!

#### Duration: 2 days

**Requirements:** 12 years old | PADI (Junior) Adventure Diver certification & Underwater Navigation Adventure Dive | EFR® Primary and Secondary Care training within 24 months. Training may be completed along with rescue diver course. **Price:** 360 euros

**Structure:** 10 exercises and 2 scenarios

#### **Includes** Study guide Full equipment



Diving



Boat transportation (when needed) Certification Insurance

**W** Other courses available (ask us!)

Emergency First Response Nitrox diving O2 Provider Dive Master ... & more



# **DIVE WITH US**



Boat diving for certified divers who want to get to know Sagres underwater and explore new dive sites.

#### Duration - 2h30

**Requirements** – Minimum age: 10 / Open Water Diver certification (PADI or equivalent) **Includes** - Boat transportation | Dive guide | Tank and weights | Insurance

#### Prices

. Equipment included	1 Dive (½ Day): 45€ 1 Double dive (½ Day): 80€
. Equipment excluded:	1 Dive (½ Day): 35€ 1 Double dive (½ Day): 60€

<u>Note</u>: All activities for clients with no previous experience/certification will take place in Baleeira beach (only in exceptional cases activities will take place in a pool).

### **OTHER SERVICES**

Diving equipment rental and sale Filling station (Air, Nitrox and Trimix) Scientific, Technical & Commercial Diving services Participation in Scientific projects as volunteer is possible Diving Boat Charter



# **GENERAL INFORMATION**

# **OUR BOATS**

All trips take place aboard of our 7.5m RIB's with a maximum capacity of 12 seated passengers each (jockey style seats). The boat used for diving is an open boat without seats. Our 4-stroke engines have improved fuel efficiency and reduced emissions and meet the latest standards.

Capacity:

Minimum Number of Passengers per boat/trip: 4 Maximum Number of Passengers per boat/trip: 12

Safety:

Our boats meet all safety standards required. Everyone aboard must use safety lifejackets.

# **RECOMMENDATIONS | BOAT TOURS**

#### **AGE / PHYSICAL CONDITIONS**

The recommended minimum age is 12 months. There is no upper age limit recommended. Navigation at sea is sometimes done in adverse conditions. For your safety, if you possess any health or physical condition (back problem, pregnancy, etc) please inform our staff at time of reservation.

#### **RECOMMENDATIONS ON BOARD**

Follow our crew instructions at all times.

We recommend using sunscreen and comfortable clothing suitable to the weather (bring long sleeves even on hot summer days). It is safe to bring cameras onboard, but we advise you to bring a splash guard.

# **BRIEFING | BOAT TOURS**

Our team has a broad sea experience and is multilingual.

All trips are preceded by a briefing explaining the trip course, safety instructions onboard and expected sea conditions. Depending on the trip, the briefing will include information on local species and curiosities (cultural, historical or geological).

### **PRICES**

Prices include: VAT, fuel, crew, licences and insurances Children price valid up to 14 years | Children up to 24 months are free

# **CANCELATION POLICY**

Mar Ilimitado reserves the right to cancel any trip without previous warning (e.g. due to sea conditions)

# **LICENCES & INSURANCES**

Licence RNAAT 88/2010; Insurances 85/21174 and 85/21020 (Mutua dos Pescadores)



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# **LOCATION**

OFFICE/BOOKINGS Porto da Baleeira | Sagres harbour (next to the beach) DIVE CENTRE Porto da Baleeira | Sagres harbour, Wharehouse 9 (opposite to the beach) CHECK-IN At the Office Or Dive Centre, 15 or 30 min before activity EMBARKING Boarding stairs at Porto da Baleeira (Sagres harbour)



# **SEASONS | TIMETABLES**

REGULAR March-November (Daily) WINTER December- February – Bookings up to 24h in advance. We are flexible: just contact us! DIVING All year round! Contact us!

# **BOOKINGS | CONTACTS | BOAT TOURS**

#### Book early to avoid disappointment!

Tel:(+351) 916 832 625E-mail:tours@marilimitado.com(up to 4 days before trip)

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