

The visitor centre is open every day.
For guided walks email: walks@majjistral.org
More information at: www.majjistral.org
Send us your pictures, stories and suggestions to
info@majjistral.org



VISITOR CENTRE

Natura 2000 comprises Special Areas of Conservation (SACs) designated under the Habitats Directive, and Special Protection Areas (SPAs) designated under the 1979 Birds Directive. Natura 2000 network includes not only nature reserves, but also a lot of privately owned lands, managed following sustainable development principles, where people and wildlife can live together in harmony. In the Maltese Islands there are 34 terrestrial Natura 2000 sites, that cover approximately 13.5% of the total land area, and 5 marine sites. Other parks in the vicinities include: Ghajn Tuffieha Bay, Ghadira Nature Reserve, Foresta 2000, Rdum tal-Madonna, Is-Simar Nature Reserve



Il-Majjistral

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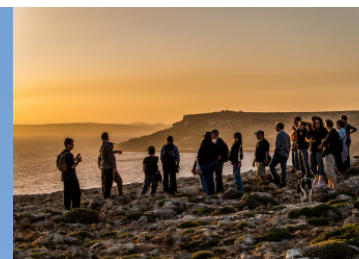
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Snorkelling and diving:

In the summer months between July and August we offer an alternative experience of the park off the beach of Golden Bay and within the Marine Protected Area of Rđum Majjiesa.

The park teams up with Sharklab-Malta to organize guided snorkeling trips for participants aged 9+ for groups. Fees include the rental of equipment where necessary and an activity fee which will help fund-raise for projects at Majjistral Park and for marine research and awareness activities conducted by Sharklab-Malta.

Spearfishing and rod fishing are not allowed in swimming zones.

Photography, birdwatching, stargazing and other events:

Park management organizes wildlife photography workshops as well as guided walks that offer opportunities for bird watching and photography.

The Park facilities can also be booked for team building courses and social events. The visitor centre is equipped audiovideo projection and information panels on flora, fauna, habitat, history, heritage and more.

DOWNLOAD THE MAJJISTRAL APP FOR FREE!



Rambling, hiking and guided walks:

The park is freely accessible to ramblers and is an ideal and quiet walking haunt during the cooler months between October and April. Sunset walks and snorkeling are good alternatives for the hotter period between May and September.

Walks for the public are held mainly between October and April on Sundays (minimum of 10 participants and maximum number of 30). Group bookings are also accepted and can be tailor-made to fit the group's needs.

Booking and info on walks@majjistral.org



SUNRISE & SUNSET TIME & PLACE

SUNRISE JANUARY 07:13

SUNSET JANUARY 16:59

SUNRISE APRIL 05:50

SUNSET APRIL 18:24

SUNRISE JULY 04:49

SUNSET JULY 19:23

SUNRISE OCTOBER 05:57

SUNSET OCTOBER 17:47



PARK VISITOR CENTRE



WALKING ROUTE



DRIVEWAY



ENTRANCE TO PARK



CHURCH



CAMPING SITE



WATER



PLAYGROUND



WATERING



WALKING ROUTE



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No vehicles



No camping



No fires

Amenities close by:

Park amenities:

The park's visitor centre is open every day from 08:00-16:00. Ramla tal-Mixquqa is a protected sandy beach ideal for swimming, diving and snorkelling.

Commerical amenities:

- Koperativa Rurali Manikata
- Golden Sands Hotel
- Popeye Village
- Apple's Eye Restaurant

Towns and villages:

- Manikata – 2km
- Mgarr – 5km
- Mellieha – 5km
- Rabat – 6km
- Mosta – 6km

These are rough distances from the park's visitor centre.

Green code:

Please follow the Green Country Code while visiting the park:

- refrain from collecting or causing harm to any specimens of flora, fauna, fossils or archaeological remains
- walk along existing paths
- avoid causing noise and light pollution
- keep clean, do not light fires
- report any fires, illegal activities or emergencies to 112

Meta iżżur dan il-park imxi ma din il-gwida:

- tiġborx u tagħmilx hsara lill-pjanti, annimali, fossili jew lill-wirt arkeologiku
- imxi mall-passaġġi
- żomm nadif, tqabbadx nar
- żomm is-skiet u tohloqx dawl żejjed
- irraporta hruq, attivitajiet illegali jew emerġenza fuq 112



Comfortable and prepared:

- A day rucksack large enough to carry waterproofs, equipment and packed lunch.
- Carry drinking water if walking for long distances
- Good quality walking boots. Avoid flip flops as the terrain can be rough.
- Good quality waterproof jacket and trousers (advisable in winter).
- Warm fleeces or other suitable mid layer clothing in winter and a windbreaker in spring and autumn.
- Warm hat and sun hat (optional).
- Suncream and sunglasses.
- Walking poles (optional).
- Insect repellent useful in the summer
- Water bottle.