



La Plana de l'Arc is a destination in Castellón province where you can find calm, silence and a way of travelling that connects you with the rural world. Fields of almond trees, olive trees and vineyards; cuisine made without haste and with care; cycling and hiking for those who prioritise excitement over kilometres; towns where you breathe in our tradition; and art in the form of an open-air museum.

It is a **paradise for cycle touring and hiking**, landscapes, enjoying more than 300 days of sunshine a year, and a land bathed in a light that is pure magic.

It is a land for lovers of quiet, calm and unhurried journeys, who can enjoy cycling and walking along the historic **Via Augusta and the green road network** that links the seven towns with quiet, practically flat routes.

**Seven towns, one destination:** Benlloc, Cabanes, Les Coves de Vinromà, La Torre d'en Domènec, Vall d'Alba, Vilafamés and Vilanova d'Alcolea. Read about all the must-see places in each town so you can have a great experience in La Plana de l'Arc as a tourist destination.

- **Visit ILDUM, the site of a Roman inn**, to understand the importance of Via Augusta, the most Roman road in the area.
- **Go wine tasting in very homely wineries** with exquisite wines.
- **Go on the Waterwheel Trail**: a simple walk with breathtaking scenery. You will learn about the ancient cutting-edge technology used to irrigate our fields and orchards. You will also find one of the giant chairs and one of the recycled arches.
- **Walk to Calvario**, in the village itself, where there are paintings by Oilet and breathtaking views.
- **Stop for at least one coffee in the town hall square** and enjoy the **arcaded bull-ding and the peace and quiet** of this magical place. If the town hall is open, pop in to see a **Roman millarium** and ask what it was.
- **Visit the ancient olive trees**, a spectacle of living trees with sinuous shapes and beautiful colour contrasts.
- **In January, attend the spectacular San Antonio festivities**, where fire, music and horses play the starring role.
- **Discover the old town**, the remains of the city walls, and the charming, flower-filled country houses. You will also find the giant bicycle there.



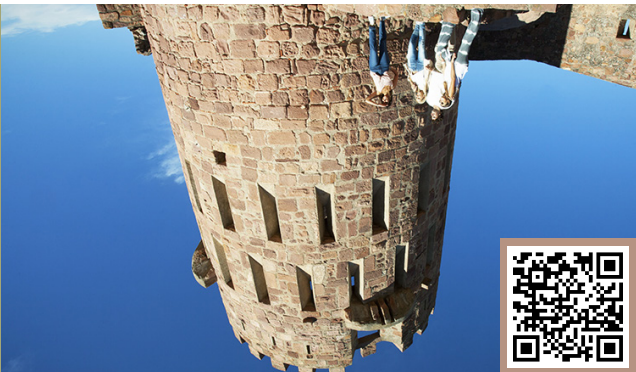
IN VILANOVA D'ALCOLEA  
Roman remains



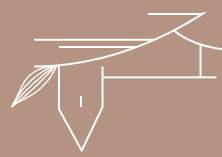
IN BENLLOC  
Wineries, turrón nougat and coca roja tart



- **Wander the cobbled streets and patial houses** made of reddish-coloured sandstone that makes your eyes sparkle everywhere you go.
- **See Roca Grossa**: a magnificent rock that defies gravity.
- **Enjoy wine tasting at any of the wineries**. You will want to fill your backpack.
- **Spend some time visiting the spectacular Vicent Aguilera Cerni Contemporary Art Museum (MACVAC)**, a leading European museum in a matchless location: a Gothic palace called Palau del Batle.
- **Go on an electric bike ride in the surrounding area**. See the giant bicycle and its magnificent scenery. You will enjoy wonderful panoramic views of the town, vineyards and olive groves.
- **A journey back in time in spring**, the entire village opens its doors at Feria 1900, showing what traditional life was like around 1900. Learn about their trades.
- **See the Civil War airfield and delve into our history**.
- **Discover the old town**, which has been declared an **Asset of Cultural Interest**. You can still see the different eras that have come and gone: Muslims, Christians, the Renaissance, the Carlist wars ... not forgetting the cave paintings in the shelter of the castle.



IN VILAFAMÉS  
One of the most beautiful towns in Spain



IN CABANES  
Two nature reserves



- **Follow the art route through the town centre** and discover beautiful sculptures with great messages.
- **Enjoy the panoramic view of Sant Cristòfol Chapel, the balcony of La Plana de l'Arc**. Marvel at the colourful scenery of fruit trees, impressive mountains and the charming little villages. You will find the giant bicycle along the way.
- **The Waterwheel Trail**: discover water architecture along rural paths left by the culture of Muslim farmhouses.
- **Visit the Ethnological Museum** and travel through the rural world.
- **Go to Pou de Beca fountain and washing place**, where you will also find one of the giant chairs.
- **Discover the rural schools in the districts of La Barona, La Pelajana, Mas de Torbio and Montalba**. Scenes of rural life.
- **Enjoy a good meal in any of the restaurants** with top-class cuisine.
- **A guided tour and tasting in an olive oil mill**: a delicious experience.
- **Experience at least one of the festivals** in any of the districts.



IN VALL D'ALBA  
A destination for great food



IN LES COVES DE VINROMÀ  
World heritage



- Discover the cave art in **Barranco de la Valltorta, declared a World Heritage Site** by Unesco. Visit Cueva de la Saltadora cave.
- **Try the locally-produced artisanal cheeses**, some of which have won awards.
- **Stroll along La Moreria and beside the San Miguel river, and take the watermill trail** to discover one of the most spectacular legends of Les Coves.
- **Visit Església Vella, the old church**, where the Gothic is masterfully blended with the modern.
- **Visit the Casa de les Senyoretas mansion**. The are no words for this treasure: a building that is a journey through history.
- **Cycle in silence along the green trail network** and lose yourself in a landscape of countryside and farmhouses with a rarely seen liveliness and pampered state of conservation. **Visit the arch and the giant chair** along the way.
- **Discover the most mediaeval side of Les Coves** by walking through streets filled with history, as well as the giant bicycle and **trencadis** tile mosaics.

- **Go to the San Onofre Viewpoint**, turn off your mobile phone and admire the colours of the landscape bestowed by nature and agriculture.
- **Visit Santa Quiteria Church and square**, rural architecture with an elegance you won't want to leave.
- **Stroll around the surrounding area**. Apart from the beautiful countryside, you can enjoy magnificent **open-air art**: the purple chair, the red bicycle and the recycled iron arch.
- **Taste olleta as they make it in La Torre** at the local bar: mingle with the locals and discover how friendly they are.
- **Visit the August festivities** and see the village turned upside down, enjoying the street parties, costumes and above all the **dolçina** music.
- **Sit in the fresh air** and marvel at the laughter and tales that the local people can tell.
- **See the façades decorated with plants and flowers** on the carefully tended rural homes.



IN LA TORRE D'EN DOMÈNEC  
Silence



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**LA PLANA DE L'ARC: IS AN OPEN-AIR ART MUSEUM**

Culture, recycling, nature, sustainability, time, light, history ... All this and much more is imbued in our territory, making it an open-air art museum.

Travel to Plana de l'Arc and discover the three projects that form part of the open-air museum:

**7 RECYCLED IRON ARCHES**, Trashformaciones' 2021 project, which pays homage to the Roman arch and the area's sustainable roots.

**7 CHAIRS TRAIL**, Photoalquimia's 2022 project to commemorate our slow tradition of sitting al fresco.

**SUSTAINABLE PEDALS**, Talleres Vials' 2023 project to encourage a silent and sustainable way to get around.

A museum to discover in Via Augusta, the Green Trail Network and the seven towns. In each of the seven towns you will see an arch, a chair and a bicycle. Find out the meaning of each work of art.

We recommend you visit them slowly. Plan the must-see sights in each town with the museum's artworks and combine them with great food. Stay overnight if you can.

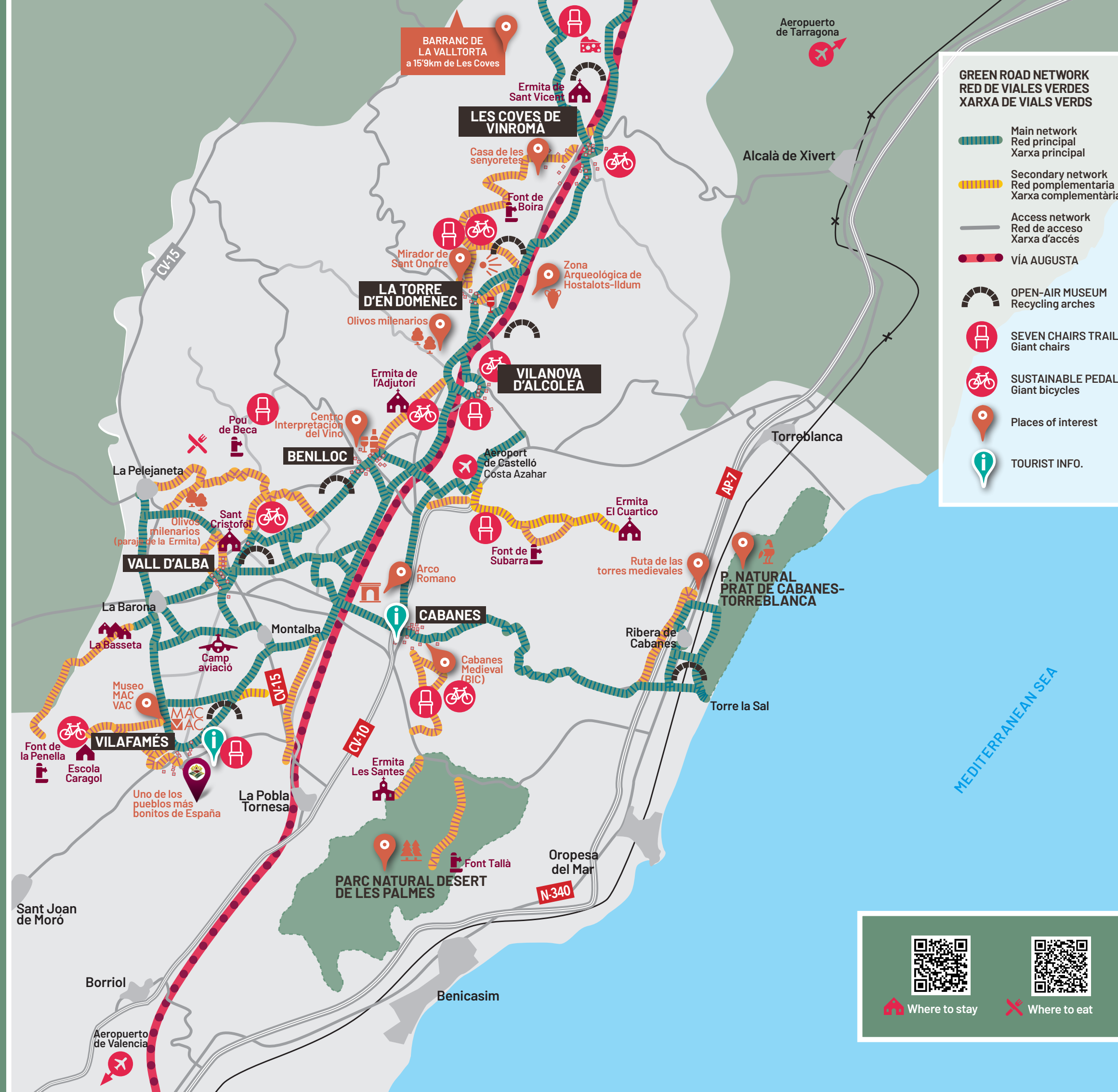
The PLANA DE L'ARC Product Club member companies are committed to sustainable, slow tourism and invite you to enjoy a wide range of experiences for all tastes. Discover your experience through the QR link.



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**VIA AUGUSTA AND THE GREEN ROAD NETWORK**

We recommend you visit our region sustainably through our GREEN TRAIL NETWORK. We have signposted VIA AUGUSTA and the countryside trails so you can get around by bicycle, on foot and on horseback. More than 200 km of signposted routes through La Plana de l'Arc with practically no motor traffic and spectacular scenery. This network of signposted trails connects Via Augusta with the seven towns. It is linked to EuroVelo and the main train connections from Castellón and the airport. GET AROUND SLOWLY AND SUSTAINABLY IN PLANA DE L'ARC. Plan your route: all the information is available on our website or the network app.

**WE RECOMMEND**

IN JANUARY-FEBRUARY: Bathe in a sea of almond blossom!

IN SPRING: The colourful flowers of peach and other fruit trees.

IN SUMMER: The blue of the Mediterranean and the local festivities of its towns and villages.

IN OCTOBER: The ochre tones of the vineyards that herald the coming of winter.



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Green road network  
(Downloadable guide)



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