

Embark on an unforgettable journey through history, art, and culture. Your adventure awaits! Explore the wonders of Portugal! Whether you're a history buff, an art enthusiast, or simply seeking adventure, Portugal has something special for every traveler.



The Estoi Palace in Faro, is a wonderful option to consider. Originally built in the second half of the 18th century, Estoi Palace (Palácio de Estoi) is considered one of the best examples of civil architecture and which is notable for its eclecticism. The palace is also considered by many scholars to be the clearest example of romanticism in the Algarve and it is said to have been inspired by the National Palace of Queluz in Sintra, in the district of Lisbon.



The Sagres Fortress is also a great option, as well as being a known as a surf town, Sagres also has a significant maritime history which makes the Sagres fortress a popular attraction unlike anywhere else in the Algarve region. This monument offers visitors an opportunity to revisit the period of the maritime discoveries and to enjoy one of the most beautiful landscapes in the world. The Fort was ordered to be built by D. Henrique, the navigator and dates back to the 15th Century.



The castle of Silves was classified as a National Monument in 1910 and overlooks the busy town of Silves. "The castle is considered the best preserved of the Moorish castles in Portugal, where it is believed to have been built on the site of late Roman or Visigothic fortifications from the 4th/5th centuries and was occupied by the moors around 715 who expanded it." This powerful remnant is definitely worth a visit if you are interested in Portuguese history as the castle is an impressive example of Islamic military construction in Portugal.



With great connections at low prices, why not make the journey to Lisbon from Faro and enjoy the capitals varied offer such as taking a tram ride, visiting São Jorge Castle or even enjoying a live Fado performance in Chiado. Additionally, we would recommend taking a short train ride to enchanting Sintra, where some worthwhile options are visiting the Pena Palace or the Quinta da Regaleira.



If you are looking for something different, why not visit the beautiful city of Coimbra where you can visit the Capela de São Miguel, or visit Portugal dos Pequenitos where visitors can see traditional Portuguese houses from all over Portugal. The Monastery Santa Clara a velha and a nova, and the Biblioteca Joanina, which is nestled on the famous Paço das escolas are also great cultural experiences.



Finally, for those who wish to travel further north you can enjoy the plentiful offer of Porto, where you can cruise the Douro River or enjoy a show at Casa da Musica to name a few things to do.

So, lace up your shoes, pack your curiosity, and get ready for an unforgettable journey filled with history, art, flavours, and endless wonders!

Properties Of The Week

Frontline Refurbished Marina Apartment

Introducing a stunning property that perfectly captures the essence of coastal living in Vilamoura! This remarkable apartment offers a delightful combination of comfort, style, and breathtaking views of the marina. Recently refurbished and furnished in soothing beiges and creams with accents of Mediterranean blue, it harmoniously blends with its picturesque surroundings.



Ref. <u>OH2621</u> Price €415,000



Luxurious and Modern Townhouse in Vilamoura

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