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Points of interest | Palafrugell

Market

Daily fish, meat, fruit and vegetable market from Tuesday to Saturday and a weekly market on Sunday. The town's main commercial area is located around the market and plaça Nova.

Opening hours: from 8 to 13 h



This large building features elements from different eras. The church was built between 993 and 1019. It was restored and expanded at the end of the 16th century and during the 17th century.



3 Cork Museum

Located in the city centre at the former cork factory known as Can Mario, this museum is the biggest of its kind in the world. Many activities are organised every week.



www.museudelsuro.cat

4 Can Mario water tank Popularly known as the Can Mario tower, the water tank has become an iconic symbol that

first go to the Cork Museum.



www.museudelsuro.cat

Points of interest | Tamariu

18 Tamariu tourist office



This cabin was built in 1872 by a group of friends from the cork industry to celebrate feasts.



Points of interest | Llofriu

21 Bassa Rocas Cultural Centre

This neoclassical style building dates back to 1889 and was the home of the Bassa Rocas family. Joan Bassa was one of the Llofriu residents who emigrated to America to seek his fortune. His wife, Irene Rocas, and their children made notable contributions to Catalan culture. The home was acquired by the Town Hall and served as a primary school.





The current building is from the mid 18th century, rebuilt on the old Romanesque church, whose first reference dates back to 1121.

23 Residents of Ermedas and Santa Margarida

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6 Can Mario Museum -**Vila Casas Foundation**

With around 220 sculptures from the 60s up to today from different artists born or living in Catalonia, this museum hosts different temporary exhibitions every year.

www.fundaciovilacasas.com

6 Josep Pla Foundation Recognized as one of Catalonia's greatest writers of the 20th Century, today Josep Pla's birthplace houses a permanent exhibition, temporary exhibitions, a private library and a

www.fundaciojoseppla.cat

documentation centre.



The former studio of the artist Modest Cuixart houses paintings from all his artistic periods, as well as temporary exhibitions and other activities. The Foundation is open for visits on Sunday from 10 am until 1 pm or upon reservation.

www.fundaciocuixart.com

8 Palafrugell tourist office -**Culinary interpretation centre**

At the Palafrugell tourism office, open all year round, you can visit the culinary centre, a space to discover the Empordà region through

www.visitpalafrugell.cat





11 The Voltes Archways and Port Bo

The Voltes Archways and Port Bo square and beach are a great example of traditional architecture and one of the most photographed spots in Calella.

Port Bo beach was Palafrugell's natural port and the centre of its business and fishing activity. The Voltes Archways, which date back to the 19th century, were used by fishermen as a shelter to make their nets and chat.



gardens are also the stage of the prestigious Cap Roig music festival.

Points of interest | Calella

9 Calella tourist office and Sa Perola

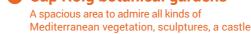
This building from the late 18th century was formerly used by the fishermen's association to reinforce their twine nets. It now hosts the Calella tourist office and the Interpretation centre of the guild of Saint Peter.



Church of Saint Peter

Featuring an eclectic style, the church was built in 1884 and renovated in 1958. The murals are by the painter Raimon Roca, while the side chapels were painted by Antoni Utrillo.

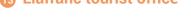




Mediterranean vegetation, sculptures, a castle and breath-taking views of the coastline. The

www.fundacionlacaixa.org/ca/jardins-cap-ro

13 Llafranc tourist office



14 Church of Saint Rose According to Josep Pla, the church of Saint Rose of Lima was dedicated to a summer visitor named Rose who helped contribute to the work. The church was opened in 1897, but



Points of interest | Llafranc

Apart from the lighthouse, the site features excavations of an Iberian settlement dating from the 6th-1st century BC, a watch tower from the 15th century, a small church built in the 18th an exhibition and an information point. The Sant Sebastià lighthouse is located 165 meters above sea level. It was opened in 1857 and its light reaches 32 nautical miles, making it the most powerful on the Catalan coast.



From its Roman past, Llafranc still conserves the vestiges of what was once a wine press and a cellar very close to the church of Saint Rose.



1 Dolmen in Can Mina dels Torrents

Located in the forest of mount St. Sebastià, th dolmen is a half hour walk from the beach in Llafranc following the local trails (PR). The site bears witness to the megalithic culture: a polygonal funerary construction with no corr from around 3000 BCE.





by month

Month

La Garoinada Sea urchin culinary campaign. Mid-January to end of March

Flors i Violes A festival to welcome springtime with music,

scenic and plastic arts and cuisine. Around the 1st of May

Sopars Cantats Pere Bahí Traditional dinners accompanied by tavern songs. Llafranc town festival Weekends in May

Festes de Primavera Springtime town festival with a parade and activities for all audiences. First weekend in June

Traditional boat festival in Calella de Palafrugell Last weekend in June

Calella town festival

Habaneras singing show in Calella de Palafrugell 1st Saturday of July

Palafrugell town festival

Cap Roig Festival Music and dance in an unrivalled landscape. July and August

summer concerts Classical music concerts at churches and hermitages. July and August **Habaneras singing show in Llafranc**

1st Saturday in August

Tamariu town festival

Joventuts Musicals

Llofriu town festival Next to last weekend in August

30th August Habaneras singing show in Tamariu

1st Saturday in September **Xavier Miserachs** photography biennial

Every other year (even-numbered years) From August to mid-October **Costa Brava Jazz Festival** Around 12th October

Radikal ocean 52 Open water swimming competition.

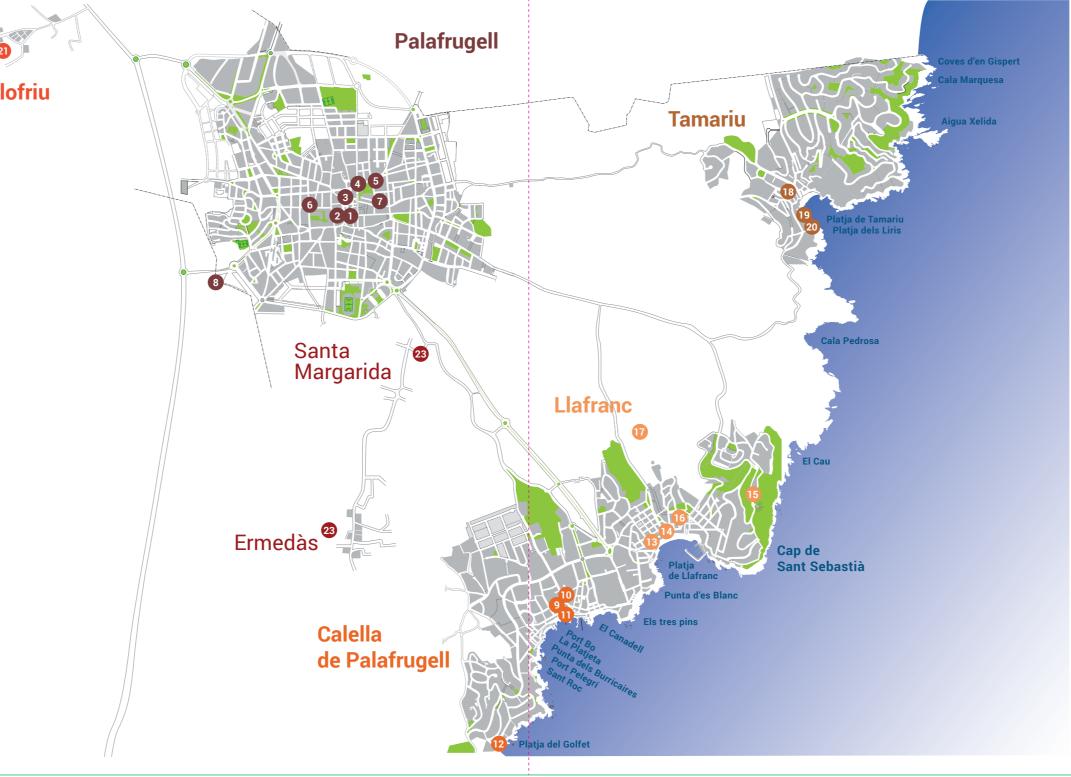
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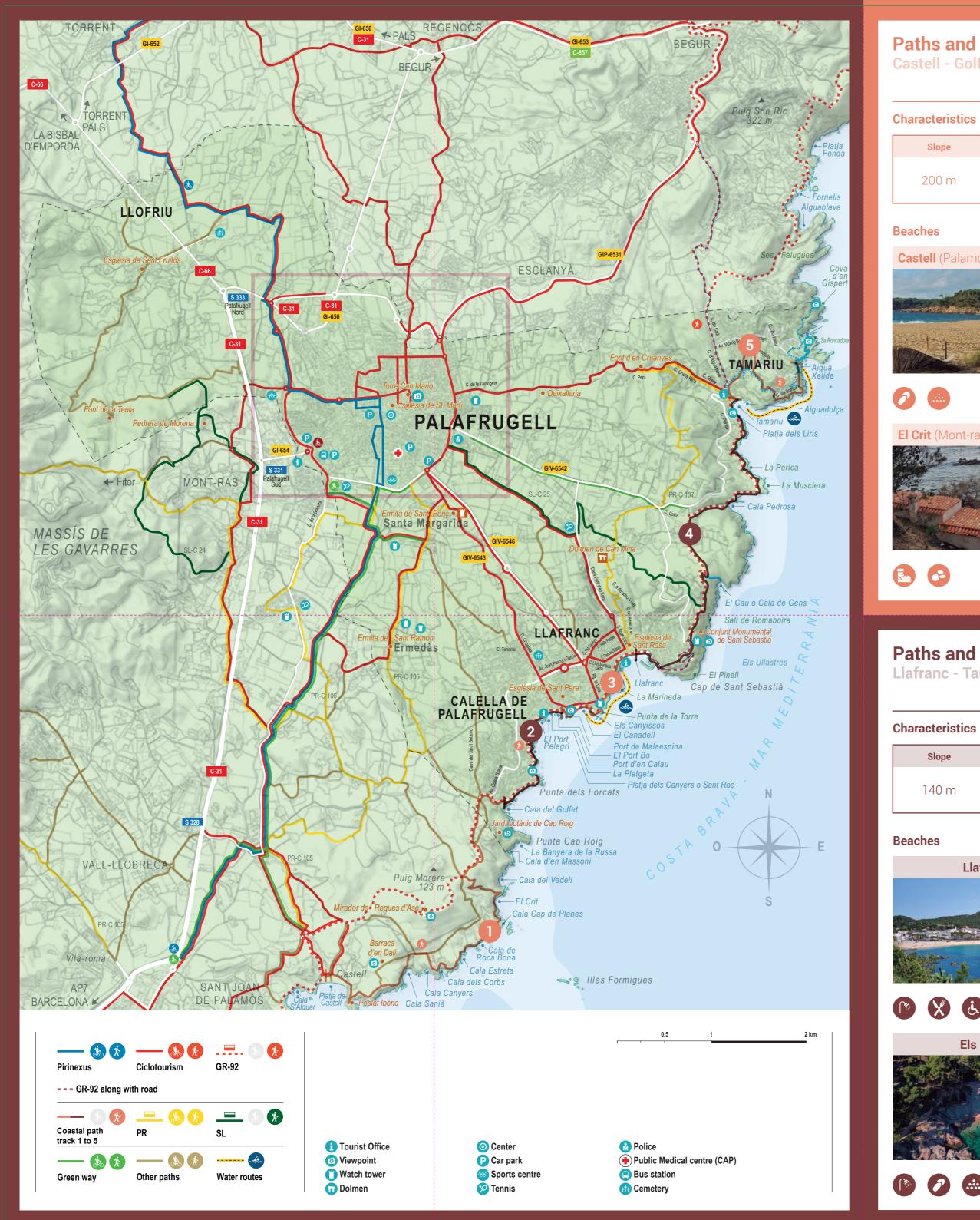
A traditional winter dish from Palafrugell. From October to December

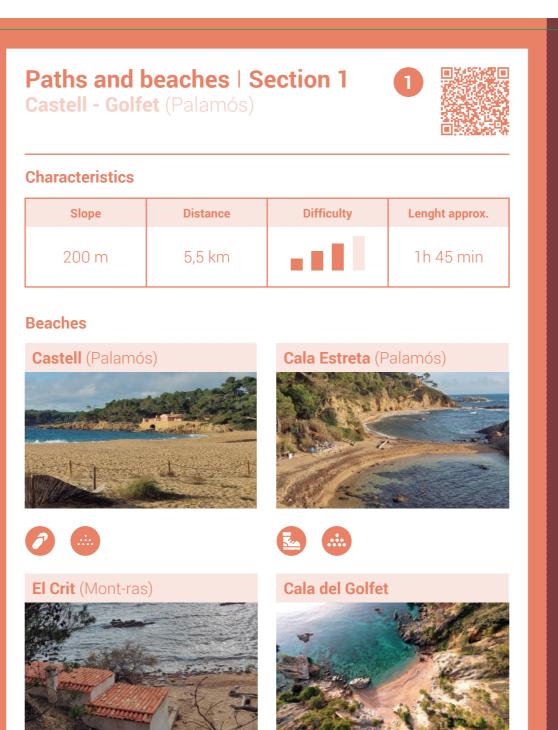
RE_Palafrugell Event celebrating sustainability: talks, workshops and activities.

End of October Christmas in Palafrugell

Family activities. End of December until the beginning of January







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