

**Program of events for the Major Festivals of Altea 2022**  
**in honour of the Holy Cristo del Sagrario,**  
**and Moors and Christians in honour of San Blas**

**Festival declared of Autonomous Tourist Interest of the Valencian Community**

**FROM WEDNESDAY 14, UNTIL THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 22:**

8:00 p.m., SOLEMN NOVENARY in honor of Stmo. Cristo del Sagrario, in the Parish Church Ntra. Sra. del Consuelo (Old town).

\*Except on Saturday the 17th, which will be at 6:00 p.m.

**SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 17:**

8:30 p.m., PRESENTATION OF MOORS AND CHRISTIANS PARADE'S DRESSES, delivery of sceptres, flags and weapons of the Festival, presentation of the Court of Honor and coronation of the Queens of the Festival at the Palau d'Esports Vila d'Altea.

\*Free and free access, limited to the capacity of the premises. The opening of the doors of the enclosure will take place from 20:00 h.

00:00 h., (early Sunday morning), FESTIVAL "BALL DE CÀRRECS", in the outside area of the Palau d'Esports Vila d'Altea, with music band and Dj.

**SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 18:**

11:00 a.m., OFFERING OF FLOWERS. Starting the parade from Town Hall Square, with the authorities, festive officials, Federation of Moors and Christians, representation of popular festivals, associations of Altea and the general public for the act of the Offering of Flowers and parade to the Parish Temple (Old town), accompanied by groups of "Dulzainas" and Music Band. Shot of 21 salutes of honor to the Virgen del Consuelo.

12:00 noon, SOLEMN MASS IN HONOR OF NTRA. SRA. DEL CONSUELO, sung by the Choir of the Altean Philharmonic Society.

**THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 22:**

9:00 p.m., GENERAL REHEARSAL OF THE EMBASSIES OF MOORS AND CHRISTIANS, in the Church Square.

10:00 p.m., NIGHT OF GREETINGS (Filades parades)

**FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 23:**

1:00 p.m., OFFICIAL PARTY ANNOUNCEMENT with ringing of bells fireworks.

6:00 p.m., Traditional Parade "ENTRADA DE LA MURTA". From Ave. de la Nucía, Sq. La Creu, Pont de Montcau and Ave. Jaume I. An amazing parade with bands, traditional dances and attractions for the kids.

8:00 p.m., ENTRANCE OF MUSIC BANDS PARADE, from Sq. de la Cruz to Sq. José M<sup>a</sup> Planelles and then AND ANNOUNCEMENT OF HOLIDAYS, by Mr. Jordi Borja i Sanz, from the Filada Templaris.

11:00 p.m., Opening of the MUSICAL FESTIVAL AREA at the Basseta-Centre car park, which will have activities during all the festivities.

00:00 a.m. (Saturday morning), ENTRADETES, a big parade with bands. Itinerary: Sq. de La Cruz, Pont de Montcau and Ave. Jaume I.

00:30 a.m. (Saturday morning), TUMBALEA REVOLUTION the largest community of young people visits us, a great entertainment team, with DJ NÉSTOR GARCÍA, as well as gifts, special effects, costumes and many more surprises, to the Basseta-Centre car park.

### **SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 24:**

8:30 a.m., DIANA CHRISTIAN, by the usual itinerary.

11:30 a.m., EMBASSY PARADE. From Sq. de la Creu, to the Church square.

1:00 p.m., MOORS EMBASSY AND CHRISTIAN CASTLE SURRENDER, at the Church square.

8:00 p.m., AMAZING MOORS PARADE. Itinerary: c/ Filarmónica, c/ Pont de Montcau, Ave. Jaume I, c/ Raspall, ending at Sq. dels Esports.

00:00 a.m. (Sunday morning), Performance by the great "LA PATO ORCHESTRA", in the MUSICAL FESTIVAL AREA located in the Basseta-Centre car park.

### **SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 25:**

8:30 a.m., "DESPERTÁ", by the Christ Festival Commission.

11:30 a.m., PARADE from the Sq. José M<sup>a</sup> Planelles, to the Parish Church Ntra. Sra. del Consuelo.

12:00 p.m., SOLEMN MASS IN HONOUR OF THE HOLY CRISTO DEL SAGRARIO, in the Parish Church of Our Lady of Consuelo, officiated by Francisco Bernabé Alfonso and entertained by the Choir of the Altean Philharmonic Society. At the end, a performance by the MUIXERANGA DE LA MARINA BAIXA in the Church Square. After the act, parade to the Basseta-Centre car park.

2:00 p.m., Spectacular MASCLLETADA from the Basseta-Centre Parking, by the Vulcano Pyrotechnics.

7:30 p.m., PARADE from the Sq. José M<sup>a</sup> Planelles, to the Parish Church.

8:00 p.m., SOLEMN PROCESSION in honour of Stmo. Cristo del Sagrario and San Blas, by the usual itinerary.

00:30 a.m. (Monday morning), Great FIREWORKS SHOW, in Ave. Juan Alvado, by Vulcano Pyrotechnics.

After that, EXTRAORDINARY MUSICAL THE TALENT, A dynamic and surprising show with a great dance cast. Numbers never seen before and voices of great recognition, in the festive area located in the Parking Basseta-Centre. At the end, DISCO-MOBILE.

### **MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 26:**

8:30 a.m., MOORS DIANA PARADE, by the usual itinerary.

11:00 a.m., PARADE from Sq. José M<sup>a</sup> Planelles, to the Parish Church of Ntra. Sra. del Consuelo.

11:30 a.m., SOLEMN MASS, in honour of San Blas, Patron Saint of the Federation of Moors and Christians and of the Villa de Altea, in the Parish Ntra. Sra. del Consuelo, officiated by Miguel Cano Crespo and the Society Choir Altean Philharmonic. After the liturgical celebration, reading of the new Festival Commission 2023.

12:00 p.m., PARADE from Sq. de la Creu, to the Church Square.

1:00 p.m., CHRISTIAN EMBASSY AND MOORS CASTLE SURRENDER, in the Church Square. After the act, parade to the Basseta-Centre car park.

2:00 p.m., EXTRAORDINARY MASCLLETADA on the occasion of the declaration of the Major Festivals of Altea as FESTIVALS OF TOURIST INTEREST OF THE CV, from the Parking Basseta-Centre, by Pyrotechnics Tamarit.

8:00 p.m., AMAZING CHRISTIANS PARADE, itinerary: c/ Filarmónica, c/ Pont de Montcau, Ave. Jaume I, c/ Raspall, ending at Sq. dels Esports.

00:00 a.m. (Tuesday morning), MACRO DISCO-MÓVIL, in the FESTIVAL MUSICAL AREA located in the Basseta-Centre car park.

### **TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 27:**

8:30 a.m., PARADE, by the Fiestas del Cristo Commission.

11:30 a.m., PARADE from Sq. José M<sup>a</sup> Planelles, to the Church-Convent of San Pedro and San Francisco.

12:00 p.m., THANKSGIVING MASS, in the Church-Convent of San Pedro and San Francisco, sung by the Parish Choir. After the Mass, the imposition of medals will take place to the new Festivities Commission of the Stmo. Cristo del Sagrario by 2023. At the end of the act, PARADE from Sq. del Convent to Sq. José M<sup>a</sup> Planelles.

4:00 p.m., CHILDREN'S AFTERNOON, with games, workshops and snacks, in the Basseta-Centre car park.

4:30 p.m., "TORNADA DE LES BANDERES" PARADE, from c/ Llavador, to the headquarters of the Federation of Moors and Christians Sant Blai at Casal Fester, depositing the flags and ending with the interpretation of the Festive Anthem, the double march "IDA Y VUELTA".

7:00 p.m., GREAT CHILDREN'S MUSICAL "OGRO EL MUSICAL" tribute to SHREK, in the Basseta-Centre car park.

### **WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 28:**

6:00 p.m., Great performance by the DUO JAM and snack, at the Social Center Bar.

*\*Free and free access, limited to the capacity of the premises. Activities reserved for our elders.*

### **FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 30:**

10:00 p.m., FESPORRAT Music Festival, with: Mafalda, Smoking Souls, Maluks, Malaguenyos Crew (Centvi Dg – Kyda – 4Kalos), in the Basseta-Centre car park.

*\*Organized by Altea Town Hall.*

### **SATURDAY, OCTOBER 1:**

Starting at 6:00 p.m., APLEC A LA LLUMÀ, with a performance by Mo' Roots, SoundMax and much more, in the Basseta-Centre car park.

*\*Organize Departments of Youth and Festivals of the City of Altea.*

*\*Collaborates with the Federation of Moors and Christians Sant Blai d'Altea.*

### **SUNDAY, OCTOBER 2:**

10:00 a.m., II MEETING OF "BOLILLOS DE ALTEA" FOR THE ENTIRE VALENCIAN COMMUNITY, at Ave. Comunitat Valenciana.

*\*Organized by the Altea Housewives Association.*

*Note:*

- ✓ *From September 23 to 26 in the festive area you can find RAINBOW and VIOLET POINTS.*
- ✓ *The organizers reserve the right to alter, modify, increase or cancel any act of this program.*

**HAPPY HOLIDAYS**