



## NEWSLETTER

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### **Casas no Campo with 4 new members in Madeira Island and Tagus Valley** **Wake up your senses and discover the beauty of the Portugal**

Casas no Campo is an invitation to enjoy the nature, the outdoor sports, to relax with family and friends, and to profit from the authentic country side.

From North to South of Portugal, including Madeira, Casas no Campo are a group of country houses, cottages and exclusive villas, refuges of comfort and independency. They give you the opportunity to explore the best of Portugal in harmony with the environment and the surrounding landscapes.

In Casas no Campo you have more than the privacy and independence of a Country house, you can request the most exclusive extra services such as: Driver, Cooker, Babysitter, Butler, Massages, guides, external activities, and others.

With traditional architecture, renovated with taste and comfort, the Casas no Campo offered exclusive facilities as private gardens and swimming pools, that means the place (house and the grounds) can be exclusively occupied by you and your group. CENTER the central booking and information - [www.center.pt](http://www.center.pt) - invites you to feel at home, to bring your family and friends to the countryside and enjoy Casas no Campo.

Casas no Campo has 4 new members, the “Solar da Bica” in Madeira Island and the “Sitio da Senta” with 3 houses - Casa da Al-deia, Casa do Moleiro e Moinho da Senta, inside of the Natural Park of Serra D’Aires e Candeieiros, in Rio Maior (Tagus Valley)

#### **SOLAR DA BICA - Overlooking the Atlantic Ocean**



The “Solar da Bica” is a country house reconverted in rural tourism. Located in the Madeira Island, at 30 km from the capital “Funchal”, in the small village of Lameiros - São Vicente. It’s placed in the middle of forest known as “Laurissilva” classified as a World Heritage by UNESCO since 1999. This romantic seat is an idyllic place to enjoy the uniqueness and beauty of the nature, as well as, to observe the prehistoric plants and protected environment.

A visit around by foot or car, gives you the opportunity to enjoy amazing sceneries in there natural stage or discover the limestone mines and lime kilns only 1 km distance from the “Solar da Bica”. This country House provides you modern comfort and invites to a range of leisure activities as: swimming rambling or simply reading a book.

It have to your disposal an inside heated swimming pool, a gymnasium, sauna and a solarium. A spacious Living room is located in an old winery where remain the old press grapes, overlooking the magnificent views of the valley and the tops of the mountains. This is a relaxing place to have a drink and enjoy the environment.

Children are very welcome at the “Solar da Bica” a special place is provide for them to play and to be entertained.



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### **Casa da Al-deia – Independent Villa with private pool**



The presence of the Moorish style in this area of Portugal, inspired the owner of Casa da Al-deia, to rebuild this fascinating Country house. Located next to the Natural Park of Serras D'Aire and Candeeiros, in the smallest village, of Rio Maior, Senta has six houses only, giving those guests privacy and quietness. Restored and decorated with Arabic furniture, this independent villa, has plenty of space and comfort.

Casa da Al-deia has four bedrooms, each one with private bathroom, a large kitchen, with a wide sitting-room and a terrace along the house, overlooking a private garden and a swimming pool. The villa stands in a valley with a view to the mountains and has a perfect location to visit the surroundings.

### **Casa do Moleiro – Inside the Natural Park**



This country house was rebuilt from the old “Moleiro’s home. “Moleiro” was the person who used to live and work in the windmill (Moinho in Portuguese). Casa do Moleiro was reconstructed, over a rock, with regional raw materials maintained an idyllic rural environment in total harmony with the Natural Park of Candeeiros. Completely isolated this peaceful rustic house, has two bedrooms, each with private bathroom, a comfortable living room, kitchenette and a balcony from where the guests can relax and enjoyed the pleasant landscape.

### **Moinho da Senta - The peaceful of a wind mill**



A restored old windmill, Moinho da Senta, is a cosy and small rustic house which allows its guests to live a unique experience. Exclusively for the guests the reconverted wind mill has a sitting-room with fireplace, one bedroom and a bathroom. Some meters away, carved in a big stone, there is a kitchen, from where it is possible to be delight with the natural landscape. Surrounded by nature, outside the windmill (Moinho de vento in Portuguese) there are tables and seats, an invitation to read a book or simply enjoy the beauty, silence and

tranquillity from this refugee. Moinho da Senta is located in the top of a hill inside the Natural Park of Serras D'Aire and Candeeiros.

These are the 4 new proposals of the Casas no Campo – [www.casasnocampo.net](http://www.casasnocampo.net) – an invitation to a peaceful stay in harmony with the rural and natural environment.

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