

# Itinerary through the Ancient district of Caldes and environs



A touristic itinerary in Caldes de Montbui, highly recommended to do by Bike.

In Càmping el Pasqualet you will have the chance to rent four mountain bikes and to enjoy yourself with a fantastic day trip in Caldes.

## RENT A BIKE

### BIG BIKE

25€ / ALL DAY (10 hours)

15€ / HALF DAY (5 hours)

### SMALL BIKE

15€ / ALL DAY (10 hours)

10€ / HALF DAY (5 hours)

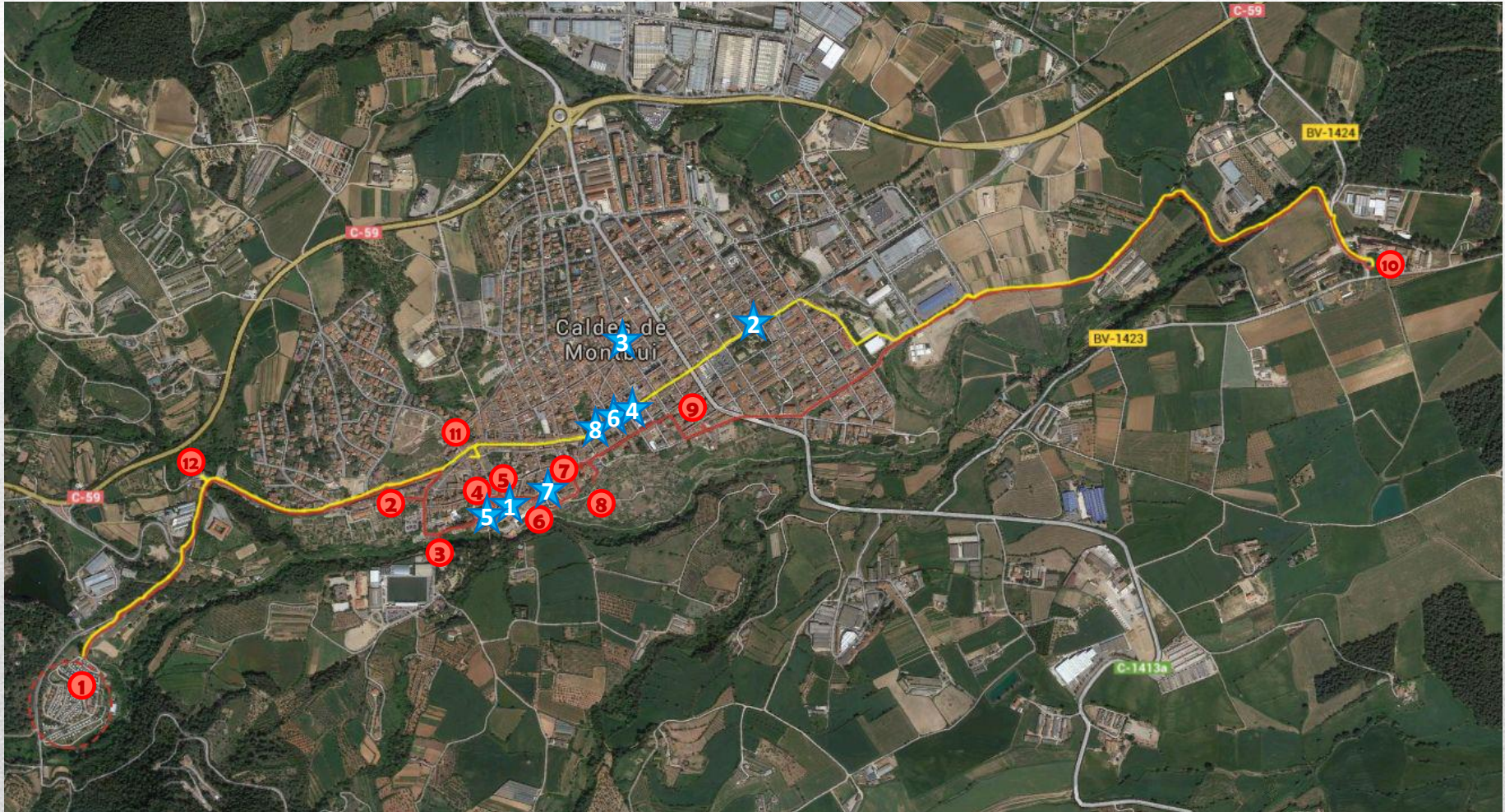


You must leave a deposit of 50€ per bike or a credit card number.

You can download the track on your ANDROID or rent our TABLET.  
Must pay a deposit of 50€ (45€ given back).



# ITINERARY





# 1. Càmping el Pasqualet

WHAT IS THE SPECIES OF  
PASQUALET'S DUNKEY?

Coordinates:

41.643552 – 2.1578450



Our camping is located in Caldes de Montbui, Barcelona, surrounded by a breath-taking landscaper, the Vallès Oriental, just 30 Km away of Barcelona and it's coast.

It is an ideal place to go on hikes to enjoy Farell's mountain or to relax yourselves submerging in the Caldes's thermal waters.

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# 2. Blunderbuss house

IS THE HOUSE INHABITATED  
NOWDAYS?

Coordinates:

41.636547 – 2.16118660



In the house's façade there can be seen gunshot's impacts from the night of the 29<sup>th</sup> July of 1873, fruit of the Carlins war. This was the to force the entrance of the village.

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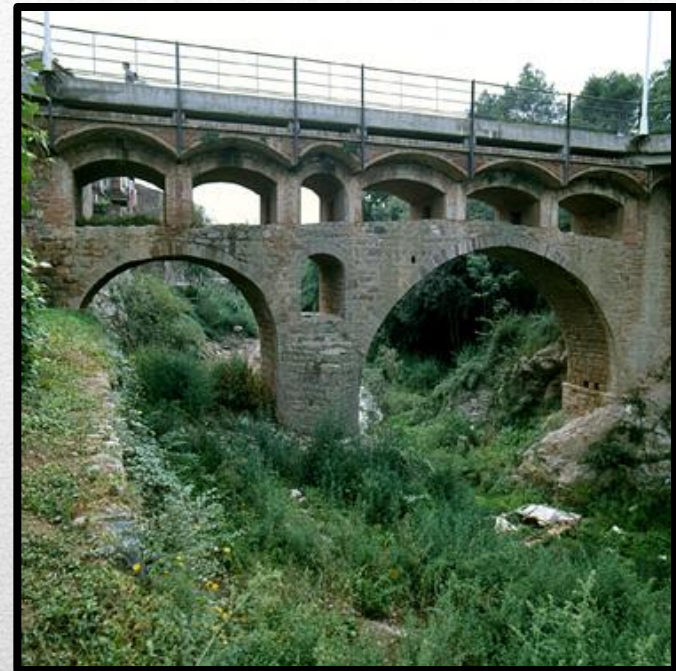


# 3. Romanesque bridge

WHAT IS THE YEAR OF  
THE BRIDGE  
CONSTRUCTION?

Coordinates:

41.635633 – 2.1606330



The bridge was part of the transportation network that used to be the union between Caldes de Montbui, Sentmenat and Egara (Terrassa).

The Romanesque style uses the structure and the location of a prior Roman bridge.

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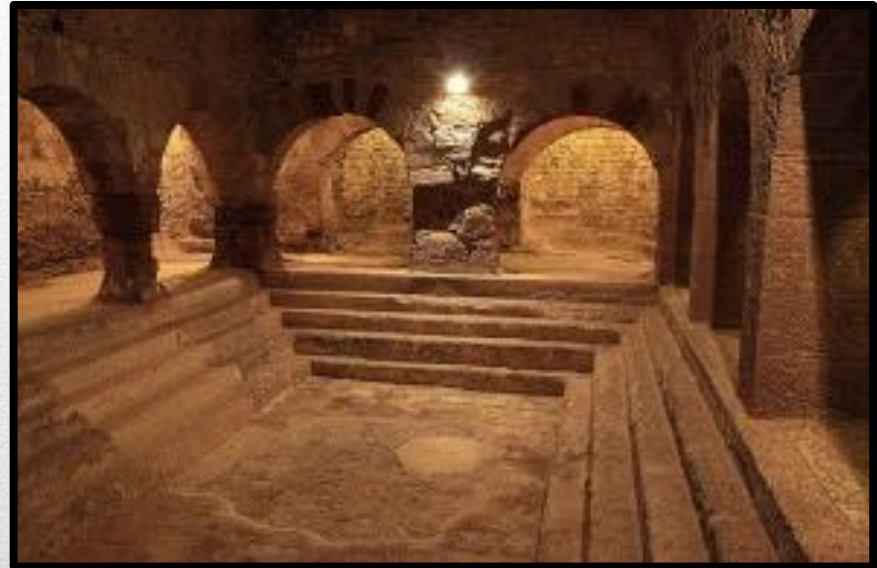


# 4. Roman Thermes

**WHAT WAS  
IT'S USE?**

Coordinates:

41.634423 – 2.1617700



Caldes de Monbui was a thermal station in the Roman époque. It was funded above natural hot water springs. The main function of the building was to heal several sick people that came to Caldes from several parts of Roman Hispania. The room showed in the picture is just a part of the great thermal building, erected in the Roman times. Fifteen areas of the Roman thermal set have been discovered today.

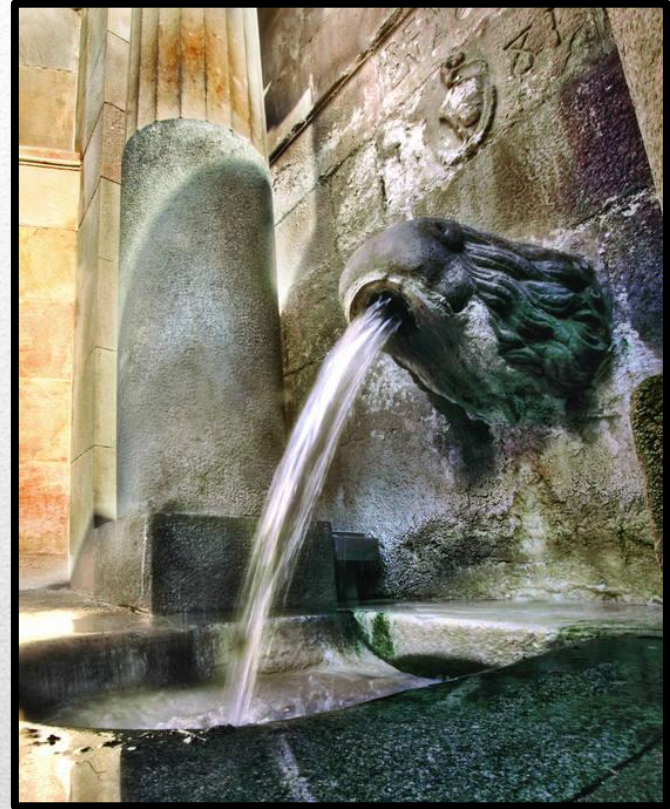
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## 5. Lion Fountain

# WHAT IS THE TEMPERATURE OF THE WATER THAT SPRINGS UP?

## Coordinates:

$$41.634617 - 2.1620480$$


One of the main water dispensers of Catalunya. Water springs up at 74°C , the hottest in the Iberian Peninsula and one of the more elevated of Europe.

The fountain was builded in XVI century and restored by Manel Raspall in 1927 in Noucentista style. Despite the remodelling the gargoyle and the back wall have been conserved through time.



# 6.The Portalera's Laundromat

WHAT IS THE USE OF  
THE SPACES IN THE  
ARCHS?

Coordinates:

41.633114 – 2.1616870



A washing place with thermal water that changed it's location in the latest part of XIX century. In early times it was situated in Santa Susanna street and today is located in Muralla street. The Laundromat's water comes from the Lions Fountain and yet today is emptied and cleaned daily and refilled at night. It's still in use and has free access all mornings from Monday to Saturday.

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# 7. Santa Maria's church

**WHAT FRUIT IS REPRESENTED IN THE FAÇADE?**

Coordinates:

41.632648 – 2.1626590



It is formed by one nave , 51 meters long, 23 meters wide and 22 meters high and twelve lateral chapels with archs. It has an octagonal based bell tower of 44 meters high. All of them made out of Gothic architecture.

The main façade was started by Pierre Ruppin and resumed by the sculptor Pau Surell. It is considered one of the Catalan Barroque masterpieces, the Salomon columns stand out.

Inside there is the famous wood sculpture of Christ Majesty from XII century.

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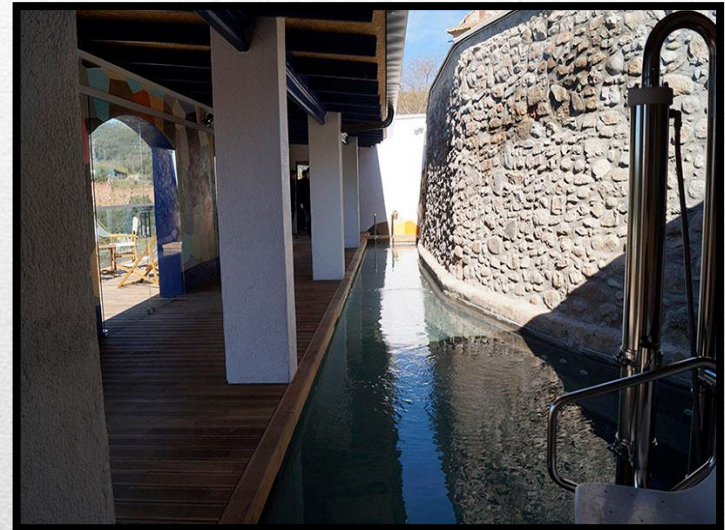


# 8. Thermal baths El Safareig

IN WICH DATE WAS  
THE LAUNDRY OPEN  
LIKE THE NEW  
BATHS?

Coordinates:

41.632746 - 2.161593



The Baths are a public space where you can enjoy a bath with relaxing and therapeutic properties of the mineral water that gushes in Caldes de Montbui. The equipment uses the structure of an old laundry utility built in the mid twentieth century.

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# 9. Canaleta's Laundromat

**DOES IT CONSERVE  
IT'S HISTORIC  
FUNCTION?**

Coordinates:

41.629525 – 2.1642100



A thermal water place with a fountain that today is still working, Caldes habitants uses it to wash their clothes. The building is a J.M. Raspall piece, the municipal architect, from 1929.

In 2005 it was restored and lately Thermalia Museum placed in it informative posters. Nowadays is a public equipment with free access every morning from Monday to Saturday.

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# 10. Marimón Tower

WHAT DOES I.R.T.A  
MEAN?

Coordinates:

41.613427 – 2.17092



Marimón's ranch dates from XVI century. The singular tower used to be a surveillance tower. After it was acquired by the Catalan Community. It's aim was to make the ranch become an agriculture school. There were classes till 1996. La Generalitat of Catalunya, ceded the property to the research institute of IRTA some years ago.

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# 11. Prison

**WHEN WAS IT BUILDED?**

Coordinates:

41.635268 – 2.1631360



1102 is the earliest date in which the existence of the wall that encircles Caldes was known. It was modified in XIV century by the incorporation of new vestibules. Nowadays the structure corresponds to one of the surveillance towers in the entrance halls. In XIX century the tower was fitted out as a prison. In Vic's vestibule stand out other ruins of Caldes de Montbui wall.

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# 12. Remei's hermitage

**WHICH FORM HAS THE  
HERMITAGE'S FAÇADE  
STRAINED GLASS WINDOW?**

Coordinates: 41.641409 – 2.1624250



It is from the XVI century, guards Remei's Mother of God image, since old times has been adored by the habitants of the village and by people from all around the region.

This spot is the start point of two tracks through the natural environ of Caldes de Montbui.

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# TYPICAL PRODUCTS FROM CALDES

## CARQUINYOLIS CASABAYÓ

Sweets made of dry pastry. It is mixture of sugar, flour, egg and minced almonds. They have a great centenary tradition in Caldes and they are a «name origin» product in the region. The difference in comparison to other carquinyolis is that the almonds are left to soak in thermal water to peel them easily.

★ **CASABAYÓ**  
Pl. De la Font del Lleó, 6  
93 865 49 10



## COLD MEAT

Are a presentation letter of the artisan specialiy of Caldes. Here the agriculture and ramdarie activities stay in good form. There are still cold meat artisan makers. The llonganisses, fuets, bulls and botifarres from Caldes stand out..

★ **PEDRAGOSA**  
Av. Pi i Margall, 125  
93 865 03 54  
★ **ABEL**  
C/ Montserrat, 28  
93 865 20 33  
★ **ROSÀS**  
Av. Pi i Margall, 52  
93 865 04 94





# TYPICAL PRODUCTS FROM CALDES

## VIADIU HONEY

Caldes's honey stands out by its high delicacy. Since 1898, a small familiar company work elaborating honey and other products by a traditional method. From natural hives they chose the best honey to extract in cold to pack it with all its properties.

### ★ MUSEU THERMALIA

Plaça Font del Lleó, 20  
93 865 41 40

### VIADIU

93 865 57 10



## MATÓ

A product that got the «name origin» title in the region. It is a quality dessert made by artisan cheese. It is fresh cheese that has medieval origin. This special cheese used to be made by goat milk, now it's made out cow's milk. Artisan fresh cheese has its own identity with an original flavour.

### ★ EL CELLER

Av. Pi i Margall, 37  
93 865 05 92





# TYPICAL PRODUCTS FROM CALDES

## PASTES SANMARTÍ

The soup pasta is from 1700. Eight generations making this artisan pasta with limited productions. First step, hard wheat semolina with high quality. It shouldn't be forgot the particular drying in a wooden wardrobe for 48h rest.

 **SANMARTÍ**  
C/ Barcelona, 40  
93 865 01 96  
[pastes-sanmarti.com](http://pastes-sanmarti.com)



## FLORS DEL REMEI AND ANÍS TARONJA

Orange anís and Flors del Remei are made since 1918 and mantein thir origin. An accurate selection of natural component that participate in the eleboration and the dedication in the destillation proces et aging.

 **LA VALLESSANA**  
Av. Pi i Margall, 15  
93 865 01 45  
[florsdelremei.cat](http://florsdelremei.cat)

