The Serranía de Ronda is a mountain range in the province of Málaga, Spain. It is part of the Serranía de Ronda Natural Park, which was declared a Natural Park in 1979. The Serranía de Ronda is a popular destination for hiking, climbing, and bird watching, and it is home to a diverse range of flora and fauna. The park is known for its stunning natural beauty, including the Cañón de las Buitreras, the Gorge of the Devil, and the Los Caños de Meca Nature Reserve. The park is also home to several important archaeological sites, including the cave of La Pileta and the Roman city of Acinipo. The Serranía de Ronda is a popular destination for tourists, and the region is known for its traditional Spanish cuisine, including dishes such as gazpacho and paella. The Serranía de Ronda is also home to several important cultural sites, including the Cork Museum in Cortes de la Frontera and the Cork Museum in Benaoján. The Cork Museum in Cortes de la Frontera is dedicated to the history and culture of cork production, while the Cork Museum in Benaoján is dedicated to the history and culture of wine production.

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FESTIVALS

The main festivals celebrated in the Serranía de Ronda are:

- **DECEMBER**
  -**Christmas celebrations throughout the region**
  -**New Year's Eve celebrations**
  -**Festival of the Train (Verbena del Tren)** in Estación de Benaoján

- **MARCH - APRIL**
  -**Virgen de la Candelaria** in Benalauría
  -**Festival of the Train** in Estación de Benaoján
  -**Pilgrimage of the Baptism of Jesus Christ** in Benaoján
  -**Pilgrimage of Our Lady of Moclón** in Júzcar

- **JUNE**
  -**Pilgrimage of Our Lady of the Rosary** in Jubrique
  -**Pilgrimage of the Holy Spirit** in Jimera de Líbar

- **SEPTEMBER**
  -**Festival of the Train** in Estación de Benaoján
  -**Regional gastronomic fair in Benarrabá**
  -**Carnivals throughout the region**

- **FEBRUARY**
  -**Regional gastronomic fair in Benarrabá**
  -**Processions in Arriate**

- **JULY**
  -**Processions in Igualeja**
  -**San Roque** in Jimera de Líbar

- **AUGUST**
  -**Processions in Jimera de Líbar**
  -**Festival of the Virgin of the Rosary** in Jimera de Líbar

- **OCTOBER**
  -**Festival of the Virgin of the Rosary** in Jimera de Líbar

- **NOVEMBER**
  -**Festivals of the Virgen of Pujerra**

- **DECEMBER**
  -**Christmas celebrations throughout the region**

CULTURAL AND ETHNOGRAPHIC TOURISM

The cultural heritage of the Serranía de Ronda represents its main historical memories. The region is mainly characterized by its unique setting, where a great number of places to visit, set in the midst of nature, tell the story of the region. The Serranía de Ronda is a faithful reflection of Andalusia's illustrious historical past, full of traditions and local crafts that survive to this day. The variety available in the bars, inns and restaurants of the area gives the visitor the chance to savor the region's gastronomic richness, which is characterized by its local ingredients.

GAstronomy and WINeculture

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**Main vintners in the Serranía de Ronda**
- **Bodegas Nueva Era** in Jimera de Líbar
- **Bodegas La Candelaria** in Benaoján
- **Bodegas del Altar** in Jimera de Líbar
- **Bodegas de la Virgen del Rosario** in Jimera de Líbar
- **Bodegas del Puente** in Jimera de Líbar
- **Bodegas de la Virgen de la Cabeza** in Jimera de Líbar
- **Bodegas del Rey** in Jimera de Líbar
- **Bodegas de la Virgen de la Fuente** in Jimera de Líbar

**Wine regions**

- **Sierras de Ronda**
  - **Tempranillo**
  - **Viura**
  - **Malvasía**
  - **Cabernet Sauvignon**
  - **Syrah**
  - **Petit Verdot**

- **Sierras de Alora**
  - **Albariño**
  - **Garnacha**

- **Sierras de Jaén**
  - **Mencía**

- **Sierras de Huelva**
  - **Verdejo**

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**Enological diversity**

Each bodega has a unique potential that makes the Serranía de Ronda a place to visit.

**Main enological features**

- **Development Plan for Tourism in the Serranía de Ronda**

**RURAL, NATURE AND ACTIVITY TOURISM**

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- **The energetic visitor can employ the services of an activity tour operator to visit the hermitages, to try mountain biking, paragliding, canoeing, off-roading, etc.**

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**CONFERENCES AND TRAINING DAYS**

- **The opening of the Serranía of Ronda’s Natural Park Centre and the closure of a park for training days and conferences constitute a unique location that will be released to the public through a special type of event.**

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**Gastronomy and Miniculture**

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