

AL ANDALUS TRAIN JOURNEY



The Alandalus Express is a **luxurious moving hotel**, a unique lookout point to contemplate the Andalusian scenery. Within its walls we encounter the décor, attention and gastronomy that take us through the tunnel of time to the glamour of the Belle Epoque. Travelling through Andalusia aboard this magical train is a unique experience, a privilege of romantic recollections marked with the **seal of distinction and elegance**.

The Alandalus is comprised of fourteen cars including: two restaurant cars, the *Alhambra* and the *Gibralfaro*; a bar car, the *Giralda*; a lounge and recreational car, the *Medina Azahara*; seven sleeping cars with a maximum capacity of 74 passengers in the 37 cabins.

Price guide: NZD 5,000 per person, share twin

Since Al Andalus started its journeys in 1985, its wagons (built in the 1920's) have been graced by many noble visitors. The train underwent a complete renovation in 2001, maintaining all of the original glamour and decoration, creating harmony with the sound of the wheels on tracks.

This is a vintage train with complete comfort and all the conveniences of modern trains and the best hotels. Travel through lands of olive groves, city views, enjoy shows and at the same time experience a parallel journey through the Andalusian gastronomy and wines.



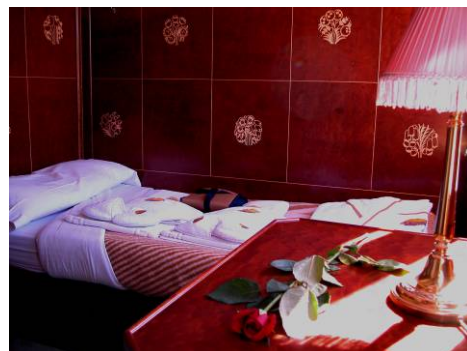
The Crew

During your tour around Andalusia, you will be accompanied by our selected personnel who will try their best to make your stay unforgettable and full of personal experiences. They will attend all your queries and will give all the information and make all reservations necessary for the excursions and visits in the different cities the train stops at. Selected guides will show you the most interesting corners of each city.

Accommodation

The Alandalus has a total of thirty-seven cabins distributed in the seven sleeping cars. Its Belle Epoque décor has been enriched with the added comforts included in the recent modifications.

Its cabins have two low beds, if you prefer you can choose one of our five cabins with queen size bed, all of them have showers, W.C. and private sinks. At daytime the cabin will offer a different view, both beds fold into two comfortable sofas, leaving enough space for a table and chair, creating an ideal atmosphere for reading or looking at the scenery. The cabin also has a closet, a luggage space, drawers and a safety deposit box. The cabins are also equipped with air conditioning and heating systems with a temperature control.



Information and rates based on information as at November 2005.

NZD Rates where given are a guide only, and are subject to tariff and exchange variance.



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AL ANDALUS TRAIN TOUR

Itinerary 2006 *Seville to Seville – 6 days/5 nights*

DAY ONE – SUNDAY SEVILLE – CORDOVA

Meeting point at 12.00 hours in platform 12 at Santa Justa Railway Station in Seville.

A personal welcome by our staff followed by immediate boarding on the Al-Andalus Express which will then commence its journey through the fascinating and legendary cities of Andalusia. Presentation and welcome cocktail on board as we depart for Cordova. Lunch on board the train. In the afternoon, we visit the city of Cordova (its famous Mosque, the Jewish quarter...) where several ancient cultures learned to co-exist in complete harmony. Return to the train after the tour where dinner will await us. Overnight on board the Al-Andalus Express.

DAY TWO – MONDAY CORDOVA – GRANADA

Breakfast on board as we continue our journey on to Granada. Lunch on board. Arrival in Granada and free time to visit this extraordinary city. Dinner and overnight on board in Granada.

DAY THREE – TUESDAY GRANADA

Breakfast on board. Transfer to the impressive Alhambra Palace, for a tour of the Nazarine palaces and the incomparable gardens of the Generalife. Lunch will be enjoyed at a select local restaurant. Afternoon free to wander and explore this historical city and perhaps to purchase some of its local handicrafts. Dinner and overnight on board in Granada.

DAY FOUR – WEDNESDAY GRANADA – JEREZ

Breakfast on board

Depart for Jerez de la Frontera. Lunch on board. Arrival in Jerez with free time to visit the city. Dinner and overnight on board the train in Jerez de la Frontera.

DAY FIVE – THURSDAY JEREZ – SEVILLE

Breakfast on board. Transfer to the Real Escuela Andaluza de Arte Ecuestre (Royal Andalusian Riding School) to see a performance of its famous Carthusian horses. Lunch in a local restaurant. Return to the train to continue our trip to Seville. Dinner and overnight on board.

DAY SIX – FRIDAY SEVILLE

Breakfast on board the Al-Andalus Express. End of journey at Santa Justa Station at 10.00 hours.

DEPARTURES 2006

MARCH	26		
APRIL	09	23	
MAY	07	21	
JUNE	04	18	25
SEPTEMBER	10	17	24
OCTOBER	08	15	22

PRICES FOR 2006

Double Cabin (for 2 people) € 5,400
Single Cabin (for 1 person) € 3,800

The Al Andalus trip includes:

- Stay aboard of the Al Andalus Express during 6 days / 5 nights.
- Breakfasts, lunches and dinners aboard specified in the itinerary (wine and coffee included) and two lunches at restaurants.
- Free bar service aboard (coffee, infusions, beers and soft drinks).
- Steward staff all throughout the train.
- Guide tours specified in the itinerary, including transfers and entrance fees.

SAFETY DEPOSIT BOX: There is one in each cabin, for private use of our guests.

MEETING POINT: The passengers will have the meeting point with our stewardesses at 12:00 hours at the Reception Desk of the Al Andalus train at the Santa Justa Railway Station of Seville.

SLEEPING NIGHTS: Will take place aboard the train in the stations indicated in the program.

SERVICES ABOARD: Games, prospects, DVD's, magazines, blow dryers and irons, will be available to you requesting them to our stewards.

LUGGAGE: There is no weight limit for your luggage at the Al Andalus, we do recommend however that due to the space limitations of the train you try to take into consideration the volume of it.

Eurolynx can also assist with arrangements pre and post tour accommodation, rail, ferries and other travel arrangements.