12.30 pm: Peña La Bufa invites all our senior citizens for an aperitif at their casal.

**1 pm: Traditional Alioli Competition** organised by Peña El Tremoló in C/ Virgen de Loreto.

**7.30 pm: Flower offering procession** in honour of Mare de Déu de Loreto.

**11 pm:** Live music with **Orquesta ÓXIDO** in Paseo Pintor Joaquín Sorolla, followed by a disco until 4 am.

## THURSDAY 7th SEPTEMBER: SANTÍSIMO CRISTO DEL MAR'S DAY

9 am: Pilatrix Musical parade through the streets of Aduanas.

**12.30 pm: Parade** through the streets of Aduanas by the Mayorales and Mayoralesas to C/ Santísimo Cristo del Mar. During the parade, offerings will be made to the patron saints in their respective niches.

1 pm: Street party in the street Santísimo Cristo del Mar.

2 pm: FIRECRACKERS in honour of Santísimo Cristo del Mar in Paseo Jaime I. 6.30 pm: Parade to the church with Xàbia's music band.

**7 pm: Solemn Mass** in honour of Santísimo Cristo del Mar sung by the Church Chorus. Afterwards, there will be the **PROCESSION OF SANTÍSIMO CRISTO DEL MAR** through the streets of the port.

**10.30 pm:** Show LA FUERZA DEL DESTINO. A moving tribute to the legendary band Mecano at the promenade Pintor Joaquín Sorolla.

**11.30 pm: Disco music** in the street Doctor Fleming until 5 am.

**12 am:** Albà de la Mare de Déu de Loreto. The firing of firework bouquets from different points in the port lighting up the sky at the beginning of the big day of our Patron Saint. Followed by **EL FOC DE LA MAR · CORREFOCS** performed by the XARXA TEATRE from Av. Lepanto, moving along C/ Virgen de Loreto, C/ Toni Llidó, C/ Doctor Fleming and Av. Jaime I.

# FRIDAY 8th SEPTEMBER: MARE DE DÉU DE LORETO'S DAY

8 am: Wake-Up Parade – despertà – through the streets of Aduanas.

11 am: Procession to the church with Xàbia's music band.

**12 pm: Solemn mass** in honour of the patron Mare de Déu de Loreto sung by the Church Chorus. Afterwards, Mascletà (noisy firecracker display) in Av. Jaume I.

**7 pm: Parade** by the Fiesta Commission with Xàbia's music band to visit the decorated streets and to accompany the Mayoralesas and Mayorales to the port church.

**8 pm: Solemn Procession** in honour of Mare de Déu de Loreto through the streets of Aduanas.

**11 pm: Dance** with the Orquesta SCREAM at the promenade Pintor Joaquín Sorolla.

**12.30 am: Aquatic firework display.** Afterwards, the music and dancing will continue until 3 am.

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## FRIDAY 23rd AUGUST

**10 pm:** 3rd edition **Beer Tasting** Mare de Déu de Loreto. Limited to 65 people upon payment of 15€ between Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> until Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> at the Casal (headquarters of the Fiesta Commission) on C/ Severo Ochoa, from 7 pm. to 9 pm.

## **SATURDAY 24th AUGUST**

**11 am:** 17th edition of **Peña La U.C.A. Youth Fishing Competition** at the harbour. Open to children up to age of 12, registration will open at 10 am. on the same day and each participant should bring their own fishing equipment.

**10.30 pm: Official Fiestas Presentation 2024** in Av. Lepanto. Presentation of the men and women who will be main representatives of this year's fiestas. Afterwards, live music from **Orquesta Montecarlo.** 

## **SUNDAY 25th AUGUST**

**10 am:** 41st edition of the **Peña La Bufa Popular Road Race**. Registration at Cala Blanca, the start point of the race, on the same day.

**10 am:** 32nd edition of the **Chess Championship** Mare de Déu de Loreto, organised by Club d'Escacs Xàbia.

**11 am: Valencian Pilota: Palma**. A match between XÀBIA and ORBA in C/ Virgen de Loreto.

**12.30 pm: Parade by the Fiestas Commision and the Peñas Marineras** through the streets of the port zone. At the end, the Penyeta Roja will invite us to Sangría in Paseo Jaime I.

**5 pm:** 32nd edition of the **Raspall Championship** in the street Virgen de Loreto.

**6.30 pm: Valencian Pilota: Raspall Championship.** A match between XÀBIA and ELS POBLETS in C/ Virgen de Loreto.

**7 pm:** Award ceremony for the Dionís Henarejos Crespo Children's Drawing Contest in Av. Lepanto. Afterwards, children's show with FESTIVAL KID'S for all the family.

10 pm: Comedy Night in Av. Lepanto. Farce La Caiguda del Balcó.

# **MONDAY 26th AUGUST**

**10 pm: Sensational Musical Show** with the best music of the 70s, 80s and 90s in Av. Lepanto.

# **TUESDAY 27th AUGUST**

**7.30 pm: Traditional Dancing Workshop** with the Grup de Danses del Portitxol in the marquee in Calle Severo Ochoa, open to all to learn and participate in the 2nd edition of Dànsa Vora Mar.

**10 pm: Community dinner** (where everybody brings its own dinner) in C/ Doctor Fleming. Grand raffle and live music from Sweet Soulz, followed by disco music until 3 am.

#### WEDNESDAY 28th AUGUST

**7.30 pm: Traditional Dancing Workshop** with the Grup de Danses del Portitxol in C/Triana, open to all to learn and participate in the 2nd edition of Dànsa Vora Mar.

**9 pm:** 9th edition of **Wine Tasting** Mare de Déu de Loreto. Limited to 60 people. Price: 25 euros. Registration will be on Tuesday 27th at the Casal on Severo Ochoa street, from 7 pm until 8 pm.

**10 pm: Community dinner** at Bartolomé Ros area. Afterwards, live music from Sweet Soulz, followed by disco music until 1 am.

#### **THURSDAY 29th AUGUST**

**8 pm: II DANSÀ VORA MAR** in C/ Triana with the drums and dulzainas of Grup de Danses del Portitxol.

**10 pm: Community dinner** in Paseo Pintor Joaquín Sorolla. Afterwards, dancing to LA METRO until 1 am.

#### FRIDAY 30th AUGUST

12 pm and 7 pm: Bous a la Mar (Bull running at the harbour).

**4.30 pm: Tardeo Peña El Tremoló** in C/ Virgen de Loreto with DJ's, table football tournament and bar service until 9 pm.

**5.45 pm: Carretons a La Mar** – bull head carts – in the bull arena for the younger bull runners.

**6 pm: Simultaneous chess** with the participation of the international master Daniel García Román in C/ Severo Ochoa.

**10.30 pm:** Discomóvil Bit Sound in Paseo Jaume I until 4 am.

**11.30 pm: Bous al Carrer** (Bull running at the harbour without the possibility of jumping to the sea). Recortadores Exhibition with the acrobatics of the best trimmers of the región.

## SATURDAY 31st AUGUST

**9:30 am:** 34th edition of the **Open Table Tennis Tournament** Mare de Déu de Loreto organised by the Club Tennis Xàbia. Registration to participants can be made on the same day at the Palau Municipal d'Esports.

12 pm and 7 pm: Bous a la Mar (Bull running at the harbour).

**3 pm: TARDEO Penyeta Roja** in Paseo Jaime I with bar service and German sausages. From 4.30 pm, there will be a disco until 9 pm.

5 pm: 42nd edition of the Peña La Bufa Cycling Trophy.

**11.30 pm:** Live music with **Orquesta LA PATO** in Paseo Pintor Joaquín Sorolla, followed by a disco until 4.30 am.

# **SUNDAY 1st SEPTEMBER: CHILDREN'S DAY**

**9.30 am: Children's Wake-Up Parade –despertà–** by the kids on their special fiesta day. Each child who would like to participate must bring its own instrument to make noise in the Av. Jaime I. The Comission will provide an instrument to those kids that do not have one.

**10 am:** Chocolate party at the Jaime I promenade. There will be popular games at Triana street followed by the **traditional Meringue party**, play park and water **fiesta** at the Jaime I promenade.

1 pm: "Carretones" Carts armed with horns for kids in C/ Triana.

**2 pm:** Paella, drinks and ice creams for all children at the street Severo Ochoa.

**7.30 pm: FLOAT PARADE** (Harbour, Pl. Presidente Adolfo Suárez, Cristo del Mar, Lepanto, Jaime I and Pl. Presidente Adolfo Suárez).

**11 pm: Laughs next to the sea** · a night of **stand-up comedy** in Paseo Pintor Joaquín Sorolla with comedians Manu Badenes and Pepa Cases.

## **MONDAY 2nd SEPTEMBER**

From 11 am to 1.30 pm: Travelling planetarium for children in C/ Severo Ochoa. Discover the universe and our Solar System in a unique and fun way.

12 pm and 7 pm: Bous a la Mar. (Bull running at the harbour).

From 5 pm to 7.30 pm: Travelling planetarium for children in C/ Severo Ochoa. Discover the universe and our Solar System in a unique and fun way.

**11.30 pm: Bous al Carrer** (Bull running at the harbour without the possibility of jumping to the sea).

# **TUESDAY 3rd SEPTEMBER: DAY OF THE PEÑAS MARINERAS**

**11.30 am:** Fun procession with the Peñas Marineras to the bull arena for a new session of Bous a la Mar and Baret dels Bous.

12 pm and 7pm: Bous a la Mar (Bull running at the harbour).

7 pm: Children's Show in the marquee in C/ Severo Ochoa until 8.30 pm.

**11.30 pm: Bous al Carrer** (Bull running at the harbour without the possibility of jumping to the sea).

## **WEDNESDAY 4th SEPTEMBER**

12 pm and 7 pm: Bous a la Mar. (Bull running at the harbour).

4.30 pm: Tardeo Peña L'Estirà in Paseo Jaime I until 8.30 pm.

**10 pm: Disco music Closing Bull's party** at Pintor Joaquín Sorolla Promenade until 3 am.

# THURSDAY 5th SEPTEMBER

9.30 am: Communal Brunch in the marquee in C/ Severo Ochoa.

**11.30 am:** Enjoyable **GRAND PRIX** in C/ Doctor Fleming for all the Peñas Marineras who will have to demonstrate their skills by overcoming daring challenges.

**1 pm:** Animation to the rhythm of the Xaranga Me'n Fot de Ondara until 6 pm.

**1.30 pm: Paella Competition** in Calle Doctor Fleming.

**9 pm: Noche de Ronda: Serenade to the Mayoralesas and Mayorales** from the Parroquia del Mar (the port parish). At the end, a wine of honor will be offered in Severo Ochoa Street. The party will continue until 2 am

## FRIDAY 6th SEPTEMBER: SENIOR CITIZEN'S DAY

**10.30 am:** Over 50s Brisca Tournament in the casal of Peña La Bufa (Calle Doctor Fleming).

**11 am:** Traditional visit by the Mayorales 2024 and the Fiesta Commission to the Asilo Hospital Hermanos Cholbi. Afterwards, there will be a procession to the historic centre to give out Coca maría and mistala and visit the Centro de Día Santa María de Betania. During this act, there will be an offering of flowers to the patron saint in her niche in Calle Loreto.