






Dear Members and Friends,

We're excited to invite you to a unique visit to the Salt Mine Campina de Cima in the centre of Loulé! Join us for an unforgettable experience exploring the fascinating underground world, rich in history and natural beauty.

Whether you are a long-term resident or relatively new to the area, why not take this opportunity to see 230-million-year-old geological formations in a welcoming and friendly group atmosphere.


 Date: March 27, 2025 (Thursday)

 Time: 10:30 am. Please, arrive 10 min in advance


 Location: Rock Salt Mine Campina de Cima, R. Combatentes da Grande Guerra 80, 8100-616 Loulé
<https://g.co/kgs/hLMw4ZE>

 Tour distance: 1,5 km

 Tour time: 2 hours

 Includes: Entry ticket, guided tour in English, personal protective materials: helmet, flashlight and reflective vest

 Price : €20 per person (members), €23 per person (non-member)

 GET € 5 DISCOUNT! Are you a Loulé area resident?

Provide your ID and proof of address in Loulé Council and get a 5 euro discount. from the above price! (Proof of address needs to be a utility bill, bank document, or other authority document with your name and address). The name on the ID card should match with the name on the proof of address.

 Clothes: comfortable clothes, comfortable flat shoes.

This is a great opportunity to connect with fellow members while discovering one of Loulé's hidden treasures. Don't forget to wear comfortable shoes and bring a jacket, as temperatures underground can be cooler.

Please confirm your attendance by Friday the 21st. We look forward to sharing this adventure with you!

The ticket includes the descent into the mine, a guided walking tour of about 1.3 km for which the necessary personal protective material is provided: helmet, flashlight and reflective vest and at the end of the tour all the equipment will be returned to the guide.

What do I need to know before visiting the Campina de Cima Mine?

As the mine is an underground environment, it is important to consider the following;

- People who suffer from scotophobia (fear of the dark) or claustrophobia (fear of closed spaces) or who feel uncomfortable in any of the following circumstances; underground public transportation, underground garages and natural caves or mines, are advised not to visit the mine. Having said that many of the areas are quite large and cavernous.

- The temperature in the mine remains stable throughout the year, between 23 and 24 Celsius.

- The descent into the mine is carried out in a cage with a maximum capacity of 7 people and the trip takes about 3 minutes.

- Comfortable zipped-up clothing and shoes are recommended.

Visits are always guided, the guide will share some facts about geology, the history of the mine and economics of rock salt. The visit will be in English.

Can people with reduced mobility visit the mine?

For now, the mine doesn't have the necessary infrastructure to allow people with reduced mobility to visit.

Is it possible to park inside the mine facilities?

As you enter in the mining park, on your left side, there is a parking area available for visitors.



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Registration required:
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Kind Regards,

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