

# MIJAS

## NEWS

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## TOURISM

### Mijas celebrates the Celtic Night

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Lamb steaks with whisky sauce, spicy red cabbage with roasted potatoes, Cabrales cheese, lacon, chorizos... and lots more will be washed down with pints of Guinness, ciders and Irish beers... are some of typical food and drink that one can find at the Celtic Night. The event has been organised by the Tourist Department of Mijas and is probably one of the most popular events on the coast.

On stage Celtic bands from different parts of Spain will perform during night: TRIQUEL, from Valladolid, BOYS OF THE HILLS, from Madrid, STOLEN NOTES, from Seville and AMBULANCIA IRLANDESA, from Granada. The Gibraltar Pipe band "GIBRALTAR SEA SCOUTS PIPE BAND" has been invited to come to the event, and will perform as well as carryout a spectacular parade.

This is the sixth edition of the Celtic Night, and the organisers expect over three thousand people this year. A programme has been published with the price list of all the food and beverage sold on the night.

For more info contact TEL 952 58 90 34.

## ENVIRONMENT



### La Cala Beach Awarded European Blue Flag

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La Cala Beach has once again been awarded the European Blue Flag for the high quality bathing zone, as well as its equipment, including that of a specialised area that has been adapted for disabled persons. The Mayor of Mijas Antonio Sanchez was given the flag at a special event held at the Malaga Botanical Gardens. The flag will be put up on the beach of La Cala, a family village that still conserves the fishing village atmosphere. The beach has a watch tower museum, situated on

the beach front where there are various services for residents and tourist alike: showers, foot washes, toilets, changing rooms, kiddies play grounds, sports areas, emergency centre and watch guards. This year, as a novelty, the Town Hall has set up an area adapted for disabled persons with specific parking area and specialised personnel. The town Hall also organises a large range of activities for this area. All this has made La Cala Beach one of the best beaches on the coast.

## YOUTH

### Danish Brass Band comes to Mijas

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The 'Balleskolen' Brass Band will be coming from Denmark to give a concert in Mijas on the 2nd of July, 2008. The concert will take place at 2PM on the band stand at the main square in Mijas village. This is the first time the band comes to Mijas and will be giving concerts at different venues along the coast and Gibraltar. A special

programme has been prepared packed with old time Jazz classics as well as big band tunes.

The concert has been organised by the Foreigners Department of the Mijas Town Hall, who would like to invite everyone up to the village to enjoy, what will surely be, a lovely afternoon of music.

For more information contact the Department: 952589010.

## WHAT'S ON IN MIJAS

Programme of Activities 2008  
Mijas Foreigners Department

2nd of July **Balleskolens Brass Band** A group of Danish music students will be coming from Denmark. Band stand, Mijas village at 13:30Hrs. free of charge.

3rd of October. **Autumn Concert in the Las Lagunas Theatre.** This concert is organized by the Mijas Cultural Dept. and the Foreigners Dept.

17th to 21st Nov. **18th Week of Cuisine.** Each day a guest chef will prepare a demonstration and tasting. Bookings in October.

6th of Dec. **Festival of Christmas Traditions.** Christmas food, handicrafts and christmas performances from various countries. Butibamba Park in La Cala 11AM to 6PM.

12th of Dec. **International Christmas Concert.** Town Hall, Mijas village. Christmas drink and cakes for all that attend the concert.

### Keep up to date

If you wish to keep up to date with all the activities that the Foreigners Department is organising, you just have to send us an email requesting to be put on our mailing list and we will send you information of all the activities organised by us on a regular basis

Email us on [frd@mijas.es](mailto:frd@mijas.es)



## THE "Smile Mile"

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Club La Costa hosts THE SMILE FOUNDATION'S inaugural on Wednesday 23rd July 2008 @ 20:00hrs

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