



# This June in Barcelona

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## Balloon Museum

**Pop Air, Art is inflatable**

The aim of the Balloon Museum is to create art in motion that can be touched and experienced by children and adults alike. The initiative has already received several awards such as Best Original Format at the BEA World Festival 2022 event competition and has been featured in the third season of the Netflix series 'Emily in Paris'. The exhibition will take place at the Victòria Eugènia Palace, built for the 1929 International Exhibition of Barcelona and renovated in 2018.

## Candlelight Barcelona

*Check the show schedule*

Candlelight offers a series of classical music concerts paying tribute to a variety of musical genres and artists such as Queen, Coldplay or Hans Zimmer in the most unique scenarios as

the Recinte Modernista de Sant Pau and among thousands of candles: An immersive musical experience.

## Colònia Güell

**Antoni Gaudí's inspiration**

This colony is one of the most pioneering purpose-built industrial villages of the 19th century. It is located in Santa Coloma de Cervelló (23 Km from Barcelona). The crypt designed by Gaudí stands out, despite being unfinished. Gaudí introduced important architectural innovations that laid the foundations for what would later become the Sagrada Família.

## Laberint d'Horta

**A Cultural Asset of Local Interest**

Located at the bottom of Collserola mountain (Horta District) this park is the oldest garden (1792) preserved in the city, with neoclassical and romantic gardens, sculptures, ponds, waterfalls and fountains. But above all, it highlights a fantastic cypress tree labyrinth, in which the visitor will find it easy to enter, but perhaps not so easy to leave...

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# Experiences & Getaways

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*Traditional Flamenco*

## A spectacle for the senses

Although flamenco comes from Andalusia, Catalonia has a long-standing tradition of the genre with important dancers or “bailaores” such as Carmen Amaya and Joan Magriñá. Every evening you will be able to enjoy a traditional Flamenco show.



*Travel with all your senses*

## Tapas tour

One of the best ways to get to know the culture and history of a country is to discover the nuances of its gastronomy. Let yourself be seduced with a cultural walk through the Gothic Quarter and the Born district, to enjoy its gastronomic ateliers and taste all the flavors of Spanish and Mediterranean food.

*Penedès*

## Montserrat Monastery & Winery visit

Combine the iconic grandeur of Montserrat Monastery hidden in the mountain, with a traditional farmhouse-style three course lunch, followed by a visit to a small family owned organic winery with tasting.



*Pla de Morei*

## Wine tasting

Less than one hour far from the big city you can find a local wine oasis where you can visit their vineyards and taste their wonderful wines. Pla de Morei is a local traditional winery of ecological agriculture. They offer different experiences that will get you an amazing day out of Barcelona.

*Costa Brava*

## Dalí's experience trip

The best option for Dalí's and art lovers: With this one day road trip you'll get to know all the places that inspired his art and soul during his life. Where he used to live, the house that became a museum and his favourite places. You will visit Cadaqués, Portlligat, Figueres, Púbol and Girona.



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