

WINE CLUB TOUR 11

**RICH WINES, HISTORIC VINES AND ROYAL LINES
4 BODEGAS & 17 CASTILLA-LA MANCHA WINES**



**24TH -26TH MARCH 2026
345€ SHARED PER PERSON / 365€ SINGLE**

**SMALL GROUP TRAVEL MAXIMUM 34 PEOPLE
BASIC ASSISTANCE TRAVEL INSURANCE INCLUDED
ACCOMPANIED BY JESSICA & DAVID**

DAY 1 TUESDAY 24TH MARCH 2026

Our 3 day wine adventure is our first forage into Spain's largest wine producing area – the DO of Castilla-La Mancha, accounting for roughly a third of the country's total output, producing around 25 millions of hectolitres of wine annually- that's equivalent to 3,333,333,333 bottles!

Stopping for a comfort break we arrive at our first Bodega, near Albacete which was established in 1927. The current owners are the grandchildren of two winemaking lineages, who have grown up watching their ancestors pamper each vat of wine. We enjoy a couple of hours getting to know their facilities and 4 of their wines. We continue to the town of Villarrobledo, a world leader in the production of Tinajas, the massive clay fermentation jars that have defined La Mancha's winemaking tradition for over four centuries. Here we enjoy a visit to the Tinaja Museum to get the inside story on these massive handmade pots, followed by a Bocadillo lunch. We arrive at the Palacio Buenavista to check in around 16:00 so you can relax before our evening meal which includes a choice of main course and local wine.



DAY 2 WEDNESDAY 25TH MARCH 2026

After a typically Spanish breakfast we start the day off with a visit to the local Castle. Built in 1456 by the Marquis of Villena, it is known for its unique star-shaped floor plan and striking Gothic-Mudéjar architecture. The castle is remarkably well-preserved thanks to the grand restorations carried out by the Empress Eugénie of France, the wife of Napoleon III. From here, we journey to a family-owned winery known for its sustainable practices and "Don Quixote" inspired landscapes. The estate spans 130 hectares of vineyards where they cultivate a mix of traditional Spanish grapes like Tempranillo and Verdejo alongside international varieties such as Cabernet Sauvignon and Syrah to produce award-winning wines. Returning to the Palacio for lunch we head north east to our second Bodega – another family-run winery: This one specializes in limited-production, single-varietal wines. The estate is particularly recognized for successfully adapting international grapes like Syrah, Petit Verdot, and Gewürztraminer to the high-altitude terrain of Castilla-La Mancha, earning prestigious accolades such as the Great Golden Bacchus. Our last evening meal, with a choice for main course and wine will be enjoyed at the Palacio, before our final evening sleep.



DAY 3 THURSDAY 26TH MARCH 2026

After a typically Spanish breakfast we leave our palatial base and start the homeward journey. Today we discover the delights of a family-run estate in Villanueva de la Jara that combines traditional craftsmanship with modern technology to produce singular wines with a distinct personality. The winery is currently managed by the third generation of the Moratalla family, who specialize in crafting expressive wines like "La Casilla de Adrián" using old vines from the Manchuela Conquense region. Then it is onto our delicious Spanish Menu del Dia lunch stop for a three course traditional taste sensation. We arrive back locally at approximately 17:15, with our wine supplies perfectly prepared for a relaxing evening.



2* HALF BOARD HOTEL PALACIO BUENAVISTA

The Hotel Palacio Buenavista offers the perfect blend of historical grandeur and modern luxury. A hidden gem located in the heart of the traditional village of Belmonte and housed in a beautifully restored manor. The hotel has a Google rating of 4.3 and a Booking.com rating of 8.6 and has a welcoming atmosphere that makes you feel immediately at home. Spanish style breakfast buffets and evening meals with wine are included.



BASIC TRAVEL ASSISTANCE INSURANCE

- Basic Travel Assistance Insurance is included in the cost of this coach tour (terms and conditions apply, please request a copy of the policy in Spanish if required). The point of origin for both Residents and Non Residents is considered to be the starting point of this coach tour.

CANCELLATION POLICY

- If you cancel the coach tour, the terms and conditions of your personal travel insurance will apply should you have a policy. However EuroTourGuide will re-advertise your place and make every effort to issue you a refund.

PASSENGER NUMBERS

- A minimum number of 20 passengers is required and there will be a maximum of 34 passengers

OTHER INFORMATION

- Jessica from EuroTourGuide will be accompanying you during the Coach Tour, so will always be on hand to offer any type of assistance which is required.

PRICE

- Shared Room: 345€ per person
- Single Room: 365€

PAYMENT INFORMATION

- Non refundable Deposit to be paid at the time of booking of 115€ per person
- Final Payment of 230€ per person in a shared room and 250€ in a single room on the 20th February. A reminder email will be sent with payment instructions.

SINGLE ROOMS

- 8 single rooms are available, please contact Jessica (+34 679 359 596 or jessicahayes@eurotourguide.com) to check availability before booking.

HOTEL ROOMS

- All rooms have baths with showers over, there are no walk in showers available. The hotel has heating and an elevator.

PRICE INCLUDES

- Coach Travel, 2* Hotel Palacio Buenavista, Midday meals, Castle visit with Audioguide, Museum, 4 Bodegas & 17 Wines to taste