

CB021 L'Amfora
Sant Pere Pescador **1st Category**



Select Sites



"An immaculately kept site in a superb region, ideal for beach holidays. It is probably the only part of Spain where original fishing villages still exist yet there is still a lot of up market shopping areas." The Coulthard Family.

Campsite Contact Details:

Camping L'Amfora
Av Josep Tarradellas 2
17470 Sant Pere Pescador
Spain

Tel: 0034 972 520 540

Arrival Procedure

Select Sites customers should go straight to the campsite reception on arrival where they will be required to fill in a registration form. Reception, where English is spoken, is open from 8am to 9pm in low season and 8am to 10pm in July and August. Customers unavoidably delayed, arriving after the barrier is down (midnight to 7am) should leave the car outside the site and go to the main campsite reception to speak to security or to the bar to find a member of staff. We advise that you ring ahead to warn the campsite if you expect to arrive late.



Don't forget we're on the end of the phone if you need us

Call 0044 1606 787 666

our office hours are:

Monday- Friday
Saturdays
Sundays & Bank Holidays

9.00 am - 5.30 pm
10.00 am - 2.00 pm
closed

Life On Site

Located by the stunning bay of Rosas, this lively site has direct access to a long sandy beach; it is an ideal destination for those seeking a sun, sand and sea holiday.

Useful Information

- **Swimming pool:** The pool area was renovated in 2014 and a spa pool added. There is a Jacuzzi pool and children's pool which are both open from May to late September and also a lagoon style pool and separate mini pool with 2 children's waterslides. The lagoon pool and waterslides are open from late June to mid September. All the pools are unheated.
- **Washblocks:** There are four sanitary blocks on site; these have clearly separated sections for Ladies and Gentlemen. Please note, most campsites do not provide toilet paper in the wash blocks and some campsite sanitary blocks do not have toilet seats.
- **Barbecues:** Charcoal, Gas and Electric barbecues are allowed on your pitch, providing that weather conditions are ok – barbecues are not allowed if it is at all windy.
- **Internet access:** There is an internet room onsite, with computers for customers which are available for a small charge. There is also Wifi cover all over the site.
- **Gas bottles:** Gas bottles can be exchanged on site.
- **Motorhome service point:** There is a Motorhome service point on site.
- **Fridge hire:** Fridge hire is available, however this is done via an outside company. Fridges must be booked via their website www.frigosinn.com (this is a good website in English and the staff also speak English) and the firm will deliver the fridge direct to your pitch on the campsite.
- **Electricity:** There will be a 10 amp, 2 pin electricity connection on your pitch. A continental adapter will be required.
- **Dogs:** A maximum of 2 dogs are allowed on your pitch, but they must be kept on a lead. If you require any up-to-date information on taking your dog abroad, please get in touch. We'd be happy to book any necessary vets appointments on your behalf.

Campsite Activities and Entertainment

We have picked out a few things to do on site that may be of interest to you. For a full list of campsite activities, please refer to our brochure or website.

During the day

Cycle hire is available for adults all season. Bikes can be hired by the hour, by the day or by the week. Helmets are also available. Children's bikes are not available.

Tennis – there are two good tennis courts on site, which are charged by the hour.

Multisports field – available on site for Basketball, football and volleyball.

Watersports – there is a windsurfing and sailing school on the beach next to the site, where you can take lessons and hire windsurfers and dinghies.

Scuba diving – lessons are regularly held in the site pool – please ask at reception for full details.

Animation - The site organises a variety of daytime events from June to early September, including aqua aerobics and step sessions. There is also a site run children's clubs for ages 5 to 8, 9 to 12, the over 12s and the under 5s which caters for English, Dutch, French, German and Spanish nationalities and offers games, sports and mini-discos. Please note the number of events in the programme varies according to the time of year.

During the evening

In July and August there is a good varied programme of evening entertainment with discos, evening shows, karaoke, talent shows and themed evenings.

Excursions

The campsite can arrange coach trips to Barcelona from mid May to mid September. Please ask at the site reception for full details.

For more comprehensive information about the campsite or local area **before you travel**, please feel free to contact us. We are always happy to help. Further information can also be found on our website.

call: 0844 406 9876

click: www.select-site.co.uk

Please be aware that in the early and late season, the complete range of activities may not be available. Any opening times are for guidance only, as these may vary and are subject to change by the campsite owner. Please check at reception on arrival.

Food and Drink

The Restaurant Amfora is situated on the site terrace close to the swimming pool area. The restaurant serves Mediterranean cuisine including salads, paella and fish dishes. The site bar is close to this restaurant and serves traditional tapas, snacks and sandwiches. The Take-away offers Pizza, chicken and burgers. The bar and restaurant are open all season and the take-away opens from late June to late August. In addition there is a beachside restaurant, the 'Tropic Beach', which is open from mid June to early September and serves a variety of grilled dishes, salads and pasta.

Shopping

There is a well stocked supermarket onsite which stocks a good selection of groceries and has a bakery section selling fresh baguettes, croissants and pastries. The site shop opens all season, but in low season it is always closed over the lunchtime siesta and it does not open on Sunday afternoons.



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Around & About

The town of Sant Pere Pescador is located by the coast on the River Fluvia in an area of rich farmland. The sweeping bay provides wonderful views out to sea, and there are secluded coves and little villages to explore all up and down the coast, while the historic city of Girona and the French border are both less than an hour's drive away.

While you're here try...

Fresh Shellfish

Shellfish and salt-dried fish can be found in nearly every restaurant along the coastal towns. The menu of the day may include gilthead bream (dorada), bass baked in salt (lubina a la sal), seafood with a squeeze of lemon or some delicious sea-fresh red mullet (salmonete) and whiting (pescadilla). Clams (almejas), king prawns (langostinos), pink and brown shrimps (gambas rojas, quisquillas) both steamed or grilled are also popular.

Paella de Marisco (Spanish Seafood Rice)

Paella Valenciana originated in the fields of Valencia, where country folk mixed rice with rabbit, snails and vegetables and cooked it over an open fire. It has evolved into Spain's most well-known dish; fish, shellfish, meat, pork and/or chicken may be used.

Caldero

This is actually stewed fish, consisting of choice cuts of fish with names like: "the hen" (la gallina), "the cock" (el gallo), "soft roe" (lecha), "spider" (araña), and "red mullet" (salmonetes) among others. The extract of the fish is set aside and cooked in garlic, "ñora" and tomato. In turn, the concoction is used as a base for the rice. The rice then accompanies the delicious stew.

Beaches

There is a wonderful beach (Platja de Sant Pere) next to the campsite, which benefits from fine sand and is 6km long and 150m wide, the sea in summer is calm and warm, ideal for young and old alike. Windsurfing, sailing, kayaking and beach volleyball can all be enjoyed along this 6km beach. There are also two areas set aside for Kitesurfing – at Cortal de la Devesa and at Can Martinet.

Where to Shop

- **Sant Pere Pescador** - just 3km from the campsite; the town is well equipped for tourists with good shopping facilities, banks, bars and restaurants.
- **Empuriabrava** – 10km, this town offers excellent shopping with supermarkets, boutiques, newsagents, butchers, fishmongers, cheese shops etc. There are also plenty of cafes and restaurants to suit all tastes.
- **Girona** – 44km, this is a fantastic place for shopping, with many shops to explore – with the most shops per inhabitant of any place in Spain!

Local market days (usually mornings only) are as follows:

Monday – Cadaques, 31km.

Tuesday - Figueres

Wednesday – Sant Pere Pescador

Thursday – Figueres, a large market in the main square, with crafts of all types, local produce and a wide variety of spices.

Saturday - Empuriabrava

Sunday – L'Escala & Roses.

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Sporting Activities

- **Golf** – there are several fine golf courses all within an hours drive of the campsite, including Golf Pitch and Putt de Castello-Empuriabrava, Peralada Golf Club (16km) and Pals Golf Club (34km) www.barcelonagolf.com/costa-brava-golf-courses.html
- **Quad biking** – with 'Golden Quads' in San Pere Pescadore, www.goldenquads.com (driving licence required).
- **Cycling** – there is an easy marked cycle path which allows you to explore the immediate area around San Pere Pescador – allow about an hour and a half for the whole path. <http://en.santpere.cat/the-cycle-path.html>

Must Sees and Dos

Please see your European Guide for additional information about your local area.

Empuriabrava – 10km

This town, home to one of the largest marinas in the world, with more than 40km of canals, makes for a lovely day out. There are two long sandy beaches with a full range of water sports, beach bars and other facilities.

Sant Martí d'Empúries – L'Escala, 19km

The lovely medieval centre of the little village of Sant Martí d'Empúries has been completely restored and is a must see for anyone interested in history. Set on the coast, the village was first settled in the 6th century BC; it is a real gem and a very popular tourist destination.

L'Estartit – 28km

This is a small town with a marina and 6km of sandy beach overlooking the beautiful Medas islands. It is famous for its marine life, diving, horse riding, micro-lighting and wonderful mountain walks.

Aquabrava Water Park - Roses 31km

A large water park with several pools, a wave pool and a good selection of waterslides and waterchutes. www.aquabrava.com

Cadaques - 31km

Set on the coast, the delightful old town centre consists of typical white washed houses, steep winding cobbled streets peppered with great fish restaurants, art galleries, ceramic shops and delicatessens. Very popular with artists, the town is a photographer's dream!

Girona - 44 km

The historic 'Old Quarter' or 'Barri Vell' in Girona is a must see, filled with narrow alleyways and wonderful old buildings. The old Jewish Quarter is exceptionally well preserved and can easily be explored on foot, while the old town walls provide wonderful viewpoints. There are also many wonderful museums and galleries and shops to explore. www.girona.cat/turisme/eng/activitats.php

Salvador Dalí House and Museums

Art lovers should be sure to visit at least one of three museums dedicated to the iconic artist, Salvador Dalí. The Dalí Museum (housed in the largest surrealist object in the world) is in Figueres (20km), House Salvador Dalí can be found at Portlligat (30km) and Gala Dalí Castle in Púbol (32km). www.salvador-dali.org/museus/en_index.html

Barcelona - 140 km

The capital of Catalonia, Barcelona is one of Europe's most vibrant cities with bustling central boulevards and stylish modern streets. The Art Nouveau architecture is most obvious in Gaudi's Sagrada Familia Church and the lovely Park Güell provides a magical place to rest and to explore with winding little paths and terraces providing lovely views over the city. Most of the historic attractions are located in the old town, 'Ciutat Vella', which is a 500m² area of twisting streets where you will find cathedrals, palaces and museums. The famous Ramblas boulevard and the Noucamp Stadium (home to the Barcelona football team) are also worth a visit. There are a number of wonderful museums and galleries to discover including the Museu del FC Barcelona is a museum dedicated to the famous club and is open 7 days a week (reduced opening hours on Sundays) and the Museu Picasso in the Ciutat Vella district. The hill Montjuïc (Jewish mountain) forms a huge park lies 213 metres above the harbour and is one of the major tourist attractions in Barcelona. <http://www.all-barcelona-guide.com/en/sights/>

Please note: Select sites has not vetted any off site activities. Customers should undertake their own safety checks.

Getting To Your Site

Location; the campsite is set on the coast, just 3km from the town of Sant Pere Pescador.

Directions

From A7 motorway (North).

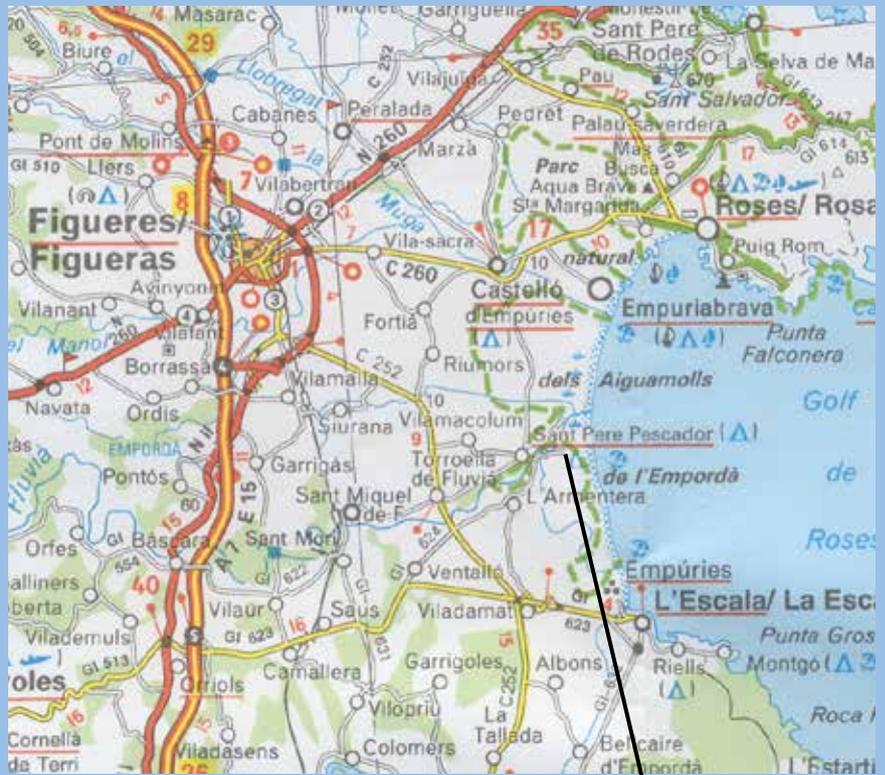
Take exit number 3 (Figueres). Follow signs for Girona, Barcelona and take the 3rd junction - C260 from Figueres to Roses. 9km before Roses turn right following signs towards Sant Pere Pescador (exit 4). The site is well signposted in the town.

From A7 motorway (South).

Take exit number 5 (Orriols) and follow GI264 to Sant Pere Pescador where the site is well signposted. This route has been particularly recommended for arrivals and departures on Wednesdays (market day in Sant Pere Pescador) to avoid the busy bridge in the town.

New Law re Breathalysers in France

Please be aware that a new law came in to force from 1st July 2012 that makes it COMPULSORY for all motorists in FRANCE to carry a single use breathalyser. We advise that if you are travelling to (or through) France you should carry at least two disposable breathalysers in order to comply with this new law. The breathalysers you purchase must comply to French regulations and will carry the 'French certification mark' 'NF'. These should be purchased prior to departure in the UK but can also be purchased on the ferry, in most French supermarkets, service/petrol stations or chemists. You could receive an on-the-spot fine if you cannot produce this product when asked.



GPS co ordinates:
42.180133 / 3.106749 (lat./long.)

Campsite location

Whilst every effort has been made to ensure the accuracy of the GPS coordinates provided, we strongly advise you cross-reference your end destination with the map above and the campsite address before you commence your journey.



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Key Dates

Spanish Public Holidays 2015

- Sunday 29th March - Palm Sunday (Domingo de Ramos)
- Thursday 2nd April - Maundy Thursday (Jueves Santo)
- Friday 3rd April - Good Friday (Viernes Santo)
- Monday 6th April - Easter Monday (Lunes de Pascua)
- Friday 1st May - Labour Day (Día del Trabajador)
- Saturday 2nd May - Day of Madrid (Día de La Comunidad Madrid)
- Sunday 24th May - Whit Sunday (Domingo de Pentecostés)
- Thursday 4th June - Corpus Christi (Corpus Christi)
- Saturday 15th August - Assumption of Mary (La Asunción de la Virgen)

National holidays in Spain are a time when the entire country comes together and gets involved in the festivities, so for the most part everything completely shuts down. This includes shops and banks as well as most cafes and bars. Holidays in Spain are taken on the exact day they fall whether that be midweek or weekend. This means that a large percentage of people take days off, a "puente" (bridge), to create four or five day long weekends.

Handy Hints and Tips

Shop Opening & Closing - The classic shopping days are Monday to Saturday, with shops generally open from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. and then from 5pm to 8 p.m. On Saturdays many small shops and Estancos close for the day at 2pm. The exception to these are the major shopping malls, departments and supermarkets that stay open from 10 am until 9pm. Along the coast in high season shops are generally open until well after 10 at night. Stores generally close on Sundays. Spanish banks are open from 8am to 2pm during the week and some open 9am – 1pm on Saturdays (but not in August).

Restaurants - Breakfast time is usually from 8 – 10 am and lunch is served in restaurants from 1pm until 4pm. Dinner is available from 8.30 pm until 11pm. Outside of these hours you can get delicious snacks (tapas) to eat in smaller restaurants and some bars.

Dialling Codes - If dialling the UK use 00 44 and drop the first 0 from the dialling code if dialling The Republic of Ireland use 00 353 and drop the first 0 from the dialling code

Tourist Information Office

Tourist office Sant Pere Pescador
Ctra. de la Platja, s/n., 17470 Sant Pere Pescador Tel 0034 972 520 535

Important Information

Car breakdown - Please note that in the event of breakdown all customers insured through Select Sites should consult their Insurance Terms and Conditions booklet. Campsite reception will have information of local garages.

Due to recent European legislation it is now a requirement when driving in Europe that all cars need to carry a reflective jacket at all times. These reflective jackets can be purchased almost everywhere in Europe for approx 8 to 15 Euros each.

Personal Injury The chances of you and your family either having an accident or becoming the victims of crime whilst on holiday are extremely low. However, you should encourage the members of your party to take the same sensible precautions that they would do at home.

Try to avoid walking alone at night, and keep to well-lit main roads where possible. You should try to avoid short cuts like alleyways, waste ground and wooded, bushy areas. Stay alert: be aware of what's going on around you.

It is always worth letting someone know where you are going, the route you intend to take and when you expect to return.

We want you to have a safe holiday - please read campsite notices carefully and ensure all members of your party understand the rules and regulations as they are there for your own safety.

Emergency Information

Emergencies. In the event of an emergency please contact the main campsite reception for details of local emergency services.

Doctors	Sant Pere Pescador Health Centre	0034 972 550 514
Dentist	L' Escala	0034 972 772 869
Hospital	Figueres	0034 972 501 400
Vet	Sant Pere Pescador	0034 972 520 791

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