

# Palacio Santa Cristina

**Region:** Extremadura **Sleeps:** 22

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## Overview

Palacio Santa Cristina was built in the late 19<sup>th</sup> century on the Las Alberguerías estate. The estate was managed for several generations by the Díaz de Bustamante family, which in turn is part of a sanctuary of thousands of hectares linked to the very same family. For those seeking elegance, character, style and a completely unique atmosphere; then this enchanting palace is a perfect choice, making your special occasion completely unforgettable!

Surrounded by flourishing gardens, set between cattle farms and game reserves and with breath-taking views over the bordering meadows, Palacio Santa Cristina sits in the very heart of nature. Located in Extremadura, just two and a half hours by car from Madrid, Seville or Lisbon and just a few minutes from Cáceres and Trujillo, it is a truly special place to celebrate weddings and other important events. There are large private spaces to accommodate your occasion and stunning surrounding areas for you and your guests to explore.

The palace sleeps up to twenty guests in ten bedrooms, and there is plenty of nearby accommodation for the rest of your guests. Lovingly restored, modern facilities have been blended in with the charming décor. Outside, with the palace as your backdrop, you can choose a space to suit your aesthetics, be it a ceremony under the dappled light of oak trees, canapes under a banner of twinkle lights or a fabulous dinner in a tranquil garden. There is capacity for holding events with up to 1000 people in the same space, so that huge wedding of your dreams, with all your loved ones around you, is a very real prospect!

Described as one of the most luxurious wedding venues, regularly hosting European royalty, this is an opportunity



not to be missed, making your event quite unlike any other! The Santa Cristina Palace team go out of their way to make your day as special as possible. From outdoor weddings to personalised marquees, they can adapt to your tastes. It is possible to rent the estate with or without a catering service, and there is plenty of advice on offer to help you organise every element.

## Facilities

Maid Service Included • Not For Little Ones • Weddings • Villa • Wow Factor • Spa/Massage • Rural Location • Cots (Cribs) • DVD • Air-Con • Wi-Fi/Internet • Chef/Cook Available • Heritage Collection • Spa Treatments Available • Wine-Tasting Available • Transfers Available • On-Site Concierge • Butler Available • Meal delivery service • Ideal for Kids • Ideal for Teens • <1hr to Airport • Coffee Machine • Hairdryer • All Bedrooms En-Suite • Ideal for Parties • Ideal for Xmas/NY • Ground Floor Bed & Bath • Satellite TV • TV • Wine Cellar • Working Fireplace/Woodburner • Heating • Walking/Hiking Paths • Wine Tasting • Horse Riding • Outstanding Landscapes • Outdoor Pursuit & Activities • Historical Sites

# Interior & Grounds

## The Villa

Palacio Santa Cristina dates back to the mid-19<sup>th</sup> century and was completely refurbished in 2019. 11 modern double rooms, all with en-suite bathrooms, decorated in detail and equipped of all the comforts, as well as a luxurious dining room, terraces and bar. A large lounge with several rooms serves as a common place in the warmth of the main chimney, turning the palace into a home away from home.

### *Interior Grounds*

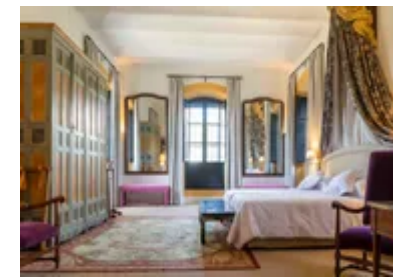
- 11 double rooms with bathroom and 1 double flat with bathroom
- Floor heating throughout the house and air conditioning in several rooms
- 13 bathrooms
- Main room with different spaces and fireplace
- Dining room with capacity for 30 people
- Balcony terrace overlooking the pasture and dining room
- Office/dispatch
- Bar room with multimedia TV
- Bathroom and service rooms

### *Exterior Grounds*

- Garden
- Balcony in 3 rooms
- Terraces and chillout area with outside dining
- Barbecue
- Private parking
- Helicopter track

### **Additional Facilities**

- Wi-Fi connection
- Television
- Satellite/Cable
- DVD player
- Bedding
- Towels
- Air conditioning in some rooms
- Underfloor heating throughout the house





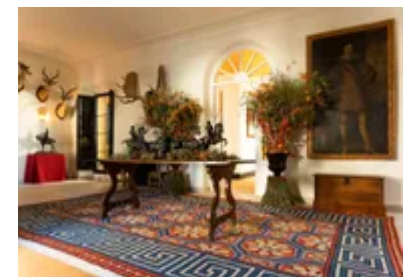
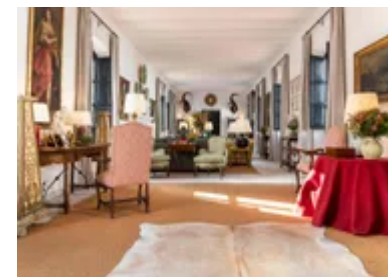
## Location & Local Information

Palacio Santa Cristina is located in Extremadura, just two and a half hours by car from Madrid, Seville or Lisbon and just a few minutes from Cáceres and Trujillo. Surrounded by nature, in a meadow of oak trees, it offers a real escape from the hustle and bustle of city life; an oasis of tranquillity. It is the main house of the vast 750-hectare Finca Las Alberguerías, with its idyllic setting and privileged location making it the ideal place for weddings and all kinds of events.

For guests, there is very good access, with a decent road leading to the entire way to the property. It also has a large parking area, with plenty of room for large celebrations.

The nearby town of Trujillo has been described as Spain's most romantic village! The village is characterised by the Castillo, a medieval stone fortress which sits strikingly atop a hill overlooking the town centre. An escape from the busy tourist towns of Spain, Trujillo gives you a tranquil insight into Spanish life without the constant stream of tourists. Trujillo's Plaza Mayor, the main square is beautiful, with a huge statue of the Spanish conquistador Francisco Pizarro and a myriad of local eateries where you can taste some classic local dishes. A leisurely twenty-minute walk from the town centre will take you to the gorgeous hill-top castle, Trujillo's pride and joy. You can go inside and climb up the tower, but the most impressive aspect must be the stunning views from the castle grounds, stretching out over the village and the Extremaduran countryside.

Cáceres is equally described as one of Spain's most beautiful cities. Relatively untouched since its 16th-century splendour, narrow cobbled streets twist and wind among ancient defensive stone walls so you can amble and wonder for hours, getting lost in the charm and romance of the city. The charming streets are lined with palaces, mansions, arches and churches, while the cityscape is decorated with turrets, spires, gargoyles and storks' nests. The historic Old Town is in fact listed on the Unesco World Heritage list, for outstanding universal value and cannot be missed when you are staying nearby.



## Local Amenities

Nearest Airport	Badajoz Airport (152km)
Nearest Airport 2	Sevilla Airport (301km)
Nearest Village	La Cumbre (11km)
Nearest Town/City	Caceres (42km)
Nearest Restaurant	Meson Huseo (17km)
Nearest Bar/Pub	Bar La Plaza (20km)
Nearest Supermarket	La Cumbre Supermarket (22km)
Nearest Tennis	Tennis Club (43km)
Nearest Golf	Norba Golf Club (50km)

## What we love

- There is the possibility for newlyweds and relatives to stay in one of the palace suites during the event, enjoying an exclusive service and making the stay unforgettable!
- Located in the heart of nature, this a real escape from the hustle and bustle, offering all the charm and romance you can imagine!
- Built in the late 19<sup>th</sup> century, Palacio de Santa Cristina has been lovingly restored but still retains its traditional charm!

## What you should know...

- It is also possible to rent the estate for weddings and events without a catering service
- The capacity for holding events is up to 1,000 people in the same space
- We offer advice for the organization of the entire event, ceremony, photography, music, transport, decoration or wedding planner

# Terms & Conditions

- **Security deposit:** Credit card details are required 2 weeks prior to departure for pre-authorisation.
- **Arrival time:** 4 pm.
- **Departure time:** 10 am.
- **Energy costs included?:** Yes, included in the rental price.
- **Linen & towels included?:** Bed linen, bath and pool towels are included in the rental price.
- **Pets welcome?:** On request only and with prior agreement with the owner.
- **Other Ts and Cs:** Weddings, stag/hen parties and any special events are on request only and subject to prior arrangement with the owner and additional charges.
- **Changeover day:** Flexible.
- **End of stay cleaning available?:** Yes. However, guests are required to leave the accommodation clean, tidy and in the same condition as on their arrival. Any extra cleaning, laundry, maintenance and/or rubbish disposal required will be charged against the security deposit.
- **Smoking Allowed?:** Smoking & Vaping are not permitted.
- **Minimum stay:** 3 nights. All other durations on request.
- **Heating costs included?:** Yes, included in the rental price.
- **Tax:** Tourist Tax included in the rental price.
- **Internet access?:** Wi-Fi internet access included in rental price.