

Explore

Visit the monuments, the local trade, coffee-shops and restaurants. Wander around remote beaches and endless sand dunes - all this just a step away from O Tamanco.

- 1 Figuera Da Foz
Old-fashioned, colorful resort and fishing port with a wide beach and great surfing south of the Mondego river.
- 2 Salinas near Figuera Da Foz
Go on a walking tour through the salpans with Museu do Sal. It is a wonderful place where many different bird species like flamingos can be seen.
- 3 Canoeing
On the Mondego river between Penacova and Coimbra there are 16km of calm waters running through a variety of natural habitats, perfect for canoeists without much experience.
- 4 Coimbra
Stroll through the narrow streets of this old fado-loving university town.
- 5 Mosteiro da Seica
Tour through woods and hills, along rice fields, quaint villages, storks and discover the remnants of a deserted monastery.
- 6 Surfing at Praia Cabedela
Secret paradise of surf south of the Mondego river mouth, not many crowds and great waves.
- 7 Osso da Baleia
A stunning sandy beach named after the phenomenon of whales being washed ashore. The name means "bones of the whale."
- 8 O Tamanco Camping & Cantina
- 9 Louriçal
Visit the weekly market with its delicious chicken piri-iri.
- 10 River Pools
A string of river beaches with clear, cool water surrounded by trees and cliffs.

- 11 Serra de Sicó
Rock climbing in three different zones at Redinha, 30 minutes from O Tamanco.
 - 12 Praia de Pedrogão
Locally caught fresh fish from the grill.
 - 13 Lagoa da Evedeira
Freshwater lake in the midst of dunes, ideal for small children. Snackbar on site.
 - 14 Supermarkets
Gasstation, laundrymat, cash machine and Intermarché (big supermarket), as well as Bricomarché (hardwares).
 - 15 Fonte da Pedra
Picnic area surrounded by trees. In the summer, families gather for lunch and eat bread and suckling pig.
 - 16 Pombal
Sleepy provincial town where time stands still. Last week of September: Feira de Artesanatos, beginning of November: Festa de castanhas e ague pé
 - 17 São Pedro de Moel
Old "chic" seaside resort situated in a bay. Many old villas.
 - 18 Leiria
Cool and trendy shops in the narrow streets of the old town surrounding the castle hill.
 - 19 Fátima
A small chapel was built at the site of Marian apparitions, witnessed by three local shepherd children, now known as Our Lady of Fátima. Between 6 and 8 million pilgrims visit yearly.
- Monthly Antique markets
 1st Saturday: Fig da Foz
 1st Sunday: Obidos
 2nd Saturday: Leiria
 3rd Saturday: Pombal
 4th Saturday: Coimbra
 Last Sunday: Seica

