

# BIRDWATCHING IN THE TAGUS RIVER

## PRICES (Birdwatching + Accomodation)

Nbr. of Persons	Price Per Person (In Single Room*)
1	240€
2	165€
3	140€
4	136€
5	127€
6	121€
7	122€
8	118€
9	115€
10	113€



(\*)= Extra Nights: 56,00€ Per Person  
For Double Room Prices, please contact us.

### The program duration is of approximately 2h30 and includes:

- The trip in the "Rio-a-Dentro" boat; A Guide tour with a Birdwatching Specialist;
- Professional Binoculars; Accomodation with Buffet Breakfast;
- Late Check-Out upon availability.



Portugal is located on the Mediterranean region, one of the most important for the biodiversity at global scale. With an huge variety and quantity of habitats, our country also shows one of the largest diversities of avian species in Europe, about 360 of them. Some of these species are constant or temporary part of the Tagus River habitat, along Ribatejo's plains (known as "Lezírias"), where these moist zones become a real sanctuary for avian species.

In Ribatejo, along the Tejo River, there are a few dozen islands of all sorts of shapes and sizes, an authentic paradise filled with charming vegetation. These islands (known as Mouchões) are one of the many great surprises that this River has to offer. Since they are completely surrounded by water, most of the times they are inaccessible and mysterious, a perfect place for Nature and Birds.

Here we can observe thousands of Birds of many different species, specifically the Osprey, the Black Goshawk, the Booted Eagle, Round-Wing Eagle, White Stork, Royal-Heron, White-Heron, Sea-Crow, the Cormorant, the Kingfisher, the Nightingale, the Yellow-Crowned Bishops and so on.

**During the mating season it is possible to observe colonies of breeding Birds like the European Bee-Baters, Sand Martins and Herons. Also, there is the Heron colony of Escaroupim, very important not only for the quantity of Birds that breed there but also for the variety: The Squacco Heron, White Heron, Royal Heron and the Spoonbill.**

As a final note, we cannot stress enough how rewarding and fulfilling it feels and pleasure one can get by observing all these species in their natural habitat either through the boat ride along the river or exploration of the desert and inaccessible islands.

All the tours are carefully designed and done in ways that don't disturb the avian species that live here. The "Rio-a-Dentro" boat is equipped with an electric engine, extremely quiet and clean, totally environmental friendly since it doesn't produce any kind of gas or oil spills neither CO2 emissions. Besides all this, it is very comfortable and it allows a 360° view.

The "Rio-a-Dentro" boat is the perfect means for a responsible Bird Watching activity.