Holiday Owners Club

La Duquesa Village

By the members for the members
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Urbanizacion El Hacho, Manilva, Spain, 29691

Duquesa Village is situated on the hill overlooking Puerto de La Duquesa and is located about 12 kilometres west of Estepona on the famous Costa del Sol, only 33 kilometres from Gibraltar Airport. The ‘comunidad’ comprising luxury apartments, set around gardens with large pools and overlooking the Golf Course, is superbly designed in an enchanting setting of landscaped tropical gardens. For relaxation there are first-class restaurants, cafes and bars and a traditional-style Bodega in the local ‘square’ just a short drive down the hill towards the beach, which is less than 2 kilometres away.

This quiet residential area is within easy reach of several of the best golf courses on the coast. It is ideally sited for visits to the many local attractions. Car hire is essential. This resort may not be suitable for those with walking difficulties, or those with children looking for a ‘resort’ environment. There is no reception area or manager on site.

The Apartments

The Two Bedroom (Sleep 6) spacious apartments are elegantly furnished with a comfortable lounge, a comprehensively equipped, fully fitted kitchen, and well-appointed bedrooms with plenty of wardrobe space. Most apartments have a sun terrace or patio overlooking the resort or the surrounding countryside. Maid service can be provided for a small additional charge (arrange on arrival).

There is a Utility charge of £25.00, and a welcome pack is highly recommended. There are currently no Wifi or telephone facilities in the apartments or in the resort so TAKE YOUR MOBILE PHONES.

Nearest Airports: Gibraltar (33 km or 21 miles) Malaga (103 km or 65 miles) Jerez (126 km or 79 miles)

Directions: Are enclosed separately with your booking confirmation.

Check in day: Friday after 16:00 (PM) - Check out before 10:00 (AM)

Accommodation: 2 * Two Bedroom (Sleep 6) apartment and One Two Bedroom (Sleep 4 or 5*) apartment

Welcome Pack & Utility Charge for £40.00 consisting of the following: Bottle of Red Wine (essential after the journey), Bottle of Water (almost as essential), Bread, Butter, Tea, Coffee, Milk, Jam and Fruit. £20.00 additional Utility Charge for second week.

Add Champagne and Luxury Chocolates for an extra £10.00 to start off your holiday.
Whether your taste is for family days out at the beach, sophisticated evenings in top-class restaurants, nightclubs and casinos, or the timeless tranquillity of whitewashed Moorish villages, the Costa del Sol has it all. Here are some of the places within easy driving distance and the buses on the main highway are excellent.

**Malaga:** A city full of attractions, including the charming historic area.

**Sabinillas:** Just a short walk along the promenade to a delightful long flat sandy beach with good local shopping and beach-front cafes and restaurants.

**Puerto de La Duquesa:** Beautiful marina and quaint Spanish fishing village in Castillo de La Duquesa. Good restaurants and bars.

**Morocco:** Just 45 minutes on the hydrofoil transports you to the African Bazaars.

**Ronda:** In the hills with the oldest Bull Ring in Spain and a chasm that divides the town in two - amazing and beautiful. Worth the steep drive or take the scenic train from **SAN ROQUE**. Take a coat!

**Gibraltar:** Duty Free shopping, Dolphin watching and of course, the Barbary Apes.

General info: You will need to contact **Yvonne** on the sheet provided before you go. She will take you to your apartment.

The Mercadona store in Sabinillas on the main road will supply all your household needs.

In this part of Spain you will need to show photographic ID whenever you use your credit or debit cards. We therefore recommend that you carry your driving licence or passport with you at all times.

**Please remember a car is recommended and a flight and car package can be sourced for you by contacting:**
Barry on: **barry.butler@holidayownersclub.co.uk**

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Meeting and checking in instructions on arrival

The member must call or e-mail Clare Massmann before leaving the UK to arrange meeting instructions

Mobiles are best as she will probably be out meeting people. The number is:

Clare Mobile: 0034 634 820 922

The land-line (only if mobiles cannot be reached) are:

Clare Landline and Fax: 0034 951 276 874

E-Mail: the-house-nannies@hotmail.co.uk

When in doubt you can call me

Barry: 07977 186 497