

<b>Code:</b>	SVIGA06-17	<b>Year:</b>	2017
<b>Region:</b>	GAL - Dirección General de Juventud y Voluntariado		
<b>Name:</b>	PARQUE DO PASATEMPO		
<b>Address:</b>	COLEXIO 'GRANDE OBRA DE AROCHA', avenida de Castilla, nº 146-152, C.P. 15300, Betanzos, Galicia, España		
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<b>Project:</b>	RENO-CONS - Restoration-Construction		
<b>Initial Date:</b>	10/07/2017	<b>Final Date:</b>	21/07/2017
		<b>Min Age:</b>	18
		<b>Max Age:</b>	30
<b>Total Places:</b>	6		
	<b>Male Places:</b> 0	<b>Vegetarian Places:</b>	0
	<b>Female Places:</b> 0	<b>Disabled Places:</b>	0
<b>Extra Fee:</b>	0 EUR		

**DESCRIPTION OF WORKCAMP:**

Cleaning and clearing of the plants of the first garden terrace in the historic park.

The main objective of this work camp is to halt the process of deterioration that the park is going through nowadays, to recover the original layout and to bring in plants in line with sustainability criteria. More specifically they will carry out the cleaning, restoration and plantation of the greenhouse in the first garden terrace, as well as the remodelling of the plantations and the facilities of the park.

There will be a record kept from all the works developed in the work camp.

**COMPLEMENTARY ACTIVITIES - LEISURE ACTIVITIES:**

-Guided visit to the cultural legacy of García Naveira brothers and to the old town of Betanzos.

-Workshops on painting, on the crafting of the traditional hot-air balloon of Betanzos and on cheese making.

-Hiking in Chelo, ruins of the spa in Bocelo, hydroelectric power station of Zarzo and recreational area of As Pías.

-Visit to the Pazo (Manor House) of Oca in A Estrada (Pontevedra), to Monte San Pedro and to the Tower of Hércules (historic lighthouse) (A Coruña), to the museum of As Mariñas, to the Pazo (Manor House) of Mariñán and to O Pedrido beach.

-Boat route along the riverside walk of Mandeo river up to the field of Os Caneiros.

-Practical lesson on canoeing in Mandeo river.

-Closing party.

**ACCOMODATION/FOOD:**

The lodging will be at some apartments of the Hotel Garelos, while the meals will be held at a nearby restaurant.

Hotel Garelos (Plaza Alfonso IX, 8 15300 Betanzos)

**LOCATION:**

Betanzos is a municipality in Galicia, in Northwestern Spain in the province of A Coruña. It belongs to the shire of Betanzos. The fountain is located within the site of Carregal, in an urban area within the ring road Avd. do Carregal/Avd. Fraga Iribarne e a Avd. Juan García Naveira.

The Fonte das Catro Estacións was a part of the once great complex of Gardens of Pasatempo in Betanzos. It was built between 1893 and 1914 by García Naveira brothers, two former emigrants in South America and philanthropists. Apparently their plan was that of replicating the stand of a universal exhibition (so much in vogue in those days) It must have had a total surface of 90.000 m<sup>2</sup> but the only currently preserved part is of about one tenth due to a long term ruin during the postwar period.

**Latitude of the project:****Longitude of the project:****TRAVELLING INSTRUCTIONS:**

By plane: (www.aena.es). Tel. +34 902 404 704

Lavacolla Airport, in Santiago de Compostela. Tel. +34 981 547 501

Alvedro Airport in A Coruña. Tel. +34 981 187 200

Peinador airport in Vigo. Tel. +34 986 268 200

By road

- A Coruña-Santiago-Pontevedra-Vigo. Empresa MONBUS (www.monbus.es) Tel. +34 902 292 900

Bus stations:

A Coruña. Tel. +34 981 184 335

Lugo. Tel. +34 982 223 985

Santiago de Compostela. Tel. +34 981 542 416

Vigo. Tel. +34 986 373 411 (www.vigobus.com)

Ourense. Tel. +34 988 216 027

Ferrol. Tel. +34 981 324 751

By rail:

RENFE ([www.renfe.es](http://www.renfe.es)) Tel. +34 902 240 202

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**Train/Bus Station:**

**Latitude of Station:**

**Longitude of Station:**

**LANGUAGES SPOKEN:**

English, Spanish