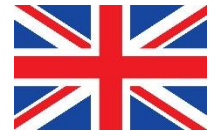




Ayuntamiento de  
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## OFFICIAL PROGRAMME OF EVENTS 2024

### Patron Saint's and Moors and Christians Festivities

#### TUESDAY, APRIL 2

**7:00 p.m.: Children's Embassy**

Itinerary: “*Libertad*” Avenue – “*Plaza del Castillo*”

**8:30 p.m.: Inauguration** of the extraordinary lighting of the festivities

**8:30 p.m.: “NIT D ‘ALBAES”** in “*Plaza de España*”.

Traditional Valencian-style singing, addressed to the Queens and their Courts of Honour

#### WEDNESDAY, APRIL 3

**9:00 p.m.: Christian “*Entraeta*”**

Itinerary: “*Libertad*” Avenue, “*Salamanca*” Street, “*Pintor Picasso*” Street , “*Ancha de Castelar*” Avenue, “*Libertad*” Avenue (to the Castle of Festivities).

Parade's order: *ALMOGÀVERS, MASEROS, NÓMADAS, TEMPLARIOS, VISIGODOS, ASTURES, NAVARROS, CRISTIANS, CONTRABANDISTAS, ESTUDIANTES.*



## THURSDAY, APRIL 4

**8:30 a.m.:** Preparations to proceed with the descent of the image of *San Vicente Ferrer*.

**10:00 a.m.:** **Descent of *San Vicente Ferrer***. The moment in which the saint is placed on the carriage, announced by a general ringing of bells. After that, hand-kissing of the image of the Patron Saint and the Relic of his clothes.

**9:00 p.m.:** Moorish "*Entraeta*"

Itinerary: "*Libertad*" Avenue, "*Salamanca*" Street, "*Pintor Picasso*" Street , "*Ancha de Castelar*" Avenue, "*Libertad*" Avenue (to the Castle of Festivities).

Parade's order: *ALMORÁVIDES, BENIMERINES, NEGROS FILÀ CABALLO LOCO, NEGROS ZULUES, MOROS NUEVOS, PACOS, TUAREG, MARROC'S ABBASIRES, MOROS VIEJOS.*

## FRIDAY, APRIL 5

**5:00 p.m.:** "*Cabezudo's*" parade accompanied by "Dolçaines and Tabalets".

**6:00 p.m.:** **Parade of Collection of Queens and their Courts of Honour** by the Municipal Commission of Festivities, accompanied by the Musical Society "*La Esperanza*".

**7:00 p.m.:** **Entrance of Queens, Courts of Honour and Festive Authorities.**



## Followed by: MUSIC BAND'S ENTRANCE

Itinerary: “Plaza de la Santa Faz”, “Libertad” Avenue to “Plaza de España”.

Festive Authorities's entrance order: PENNANT OF THE MUNICIPAL COMMISSION OF FESTIVITIES, COURTS OF HONOR, QUEEN OF SPRING AND ACCOMPANANT OF THE QUEEN OF SPRING, QUEEN OF THE FESTIVITIES, MUNICIPAL AUTHORITIES, TOWN HERALD, DIRECTOR OF BANDS, MUNICIPAL COMMISSION OF FESTIVITIES, FESTIVE AUTHORITIES, AMBASSADORS AND COMMITTEE UNION OF “COMPARSAS”.

MUSIC BAND'S ENTRANCE ORDER: MASEROS, NÓMADAS, TEMPLARIOS, VISIGODOS, ASTURES, NAVARROS, CRISTIANS, CONTRABANDISTAS, BENIMERINES, NEGROS FILÁ CABALLO LOCO, NEGROS ZULUES, MOROS NUEVOS, PACOS, TUAREG, MARROC´S, ABBASIRES, MOROS VIEJOS, ESTUDIANTES, ALMORÁVIDES, ALMOGAVERS.

The music bands of the Federation and Musical Society “La Esperanza” will perform “Fester” and “San Vicente's” Hymns.

**8:00 p.m.: Proclamation of the Festivities** from the main balcony of the Town Hall at “Plaza de España”, followed by the firing of a great firecracker and Final outburst.

At the end of the Proclamation, the music bands led by *Francisco Luis Espinós Alemañ*, percussionist of the Symphonic Band of the Royal Guard, will perform the Hymn of *San Vicente*.

**9:00 p.m.: Entrance of “Fester”**. With the presence of Authorities, Queens of the Festivities and their Courts of Honour, General Officers of Moors and Christians, Federation Union of *Comparsas “Ber-Largas”*, Municipal Commission of Festivities, guests and people in general, accompanied by the Musical Society “La Esperanza”.

Itinerary: “Pintor Picasso” Street, “Ancha de Castelar” Avenue, “Libertad” Avenue, “Salamanca” Street- corner “Dominguez Margarit” Street.



Parade's order: MASEROS, NÓMADAS, TEMPLARIOS, VISIGODOS, ASTURES, NAVARROS, CRISTIANS, CONTRABANDISTAS, ESTUDIANTES, ALMOGÀVERS, BENIMERINES, N.F. CABALLO LOCO, NEGROS ZULUES, MOROS NUEVOS, PACOS, TUAREG, MARROC'S, ABBASIRES, MOROS VIEJOS, ALMORÁVIDES, FESTIVE AUTHORITIES, "COMPARSAS" UNION, COURTS, QUEENS OF FESTIVITIES AND AUTHORITIES.

## SATURDAY, APRIL 6

**12:00 p.m.: General ringing of bells** announcing the beginning of the great days of festivities. "*Cabezudo's*" **parade** accompanied by "*Dolçaines and Tabalets*".

**12:30 p.m.: Flower Festival.** The Queens of the Festivities and their Courts of Honour will walk through various streets of our town distributing flowers.

**6:00 p.m.: Christian Entrance**, preceded by the Entrance of the Queens with their Courts of Honour. The route begins after the firing of 3 rockets, with the following itinerary and order of the parade: "*Alicante*" Street, "*Ancha de Castelar*" Avenue to the junction with "*Agost*" Street.

Entrance's order: HERALDS, OFFICIAL BANNERS, ALMOGÀVERS, MASEROS, NÓMADAS, TEMPLARIOS, VISIGODOS, ASTURES, NAVARROS, CRISTIANS, CONTRABANDISTAS, ESTUDIANTES.

### **11:30 p.m.: Moorish Embassy**

Itinerary: "*Libertad*" Avenue

11:00 p.m. Concentration

11:15 p.m. The Shot starts

Moorish side: "*Ancha de Castelar*" Avenue intersection with "*Pintor Picasso*" Street



Christian side: “Ancha de Castelar” Avenue junction with “Agost” Street

## SUNDAY, APRIL 7

### 8:00 a.m.: Christian “Diana”

Concentration: “Plaza del Castillo”

Itinerary: “Plaza del Castillo”, “Libertad” Avenue, “Manuel de Falla” Street, “Dominguez Margarit” Street, “Ancha de Castelar” Avenue, “Rafael Altamira” Street, “Dr. Fleming” Street, “San Isidro” Street, “Blasco Ibáñez” Street, “General Ibáñez” Street, “Libertad” Avenue (Castle)

“Diana’s” Order: ALMOGÀVERS, MASEROS, NÓMADAS, TEMPLARIOS, VISIGODOS, ASTURES, NAVARROS, CRISTIANS, CONTRABANDISTAS, ESTUDIANTES.

**10:30 a.m.: Parade of Collection of Queens by the Municipal Commission of Festivities**, accompanied by the Musical Society “La Esperanza”.

**11:30 a.m.: Children's Entrance** with the presence of the Queen of Spring and her Court of Honour and Childish Authorities.

Itinerary: “Ancha de Castelar” Avenue, “Libertad” Avenue and “Salamanca” Street to “Dominguez Margarit” Street.

Entrance’s order: ALMORÁVIDES, BENIMERINES, NEGROS FILÀ CABALLO LOCO, NEGROS ZULUES, MOROS NUEVOS, PACOS, TUAREG, MARROC’S, ABBASIRES, MOROS VIEJOS, ALMOGÀVERS, MASEROS, NÓMADAS, TEMPLARIOS, VISIGODOS, ASTURES, NAVARROS, CRISTIANS, CONTRABANDISTAS, ESTUDIANTES.



**6:00 p.m.: Moorish Entrance.** The route begins after the firing of 3 rockets, with the following itinerary and order of the parade: “*Alicante*” Street, “*Ancha de Castelar*” Avenue to the junction with “*Agost*” Street.

Entrance's order: OFFICIAL BANNERS, ALMORÁVIDES, BENIMERINES, N.F. CABALLO LOCO, NEGROS ZULUES, MOROS NUEVOS, PACOS, TUAREG, MARROC'S, ABBASIRES, MOROS VIEJOS.

**12:00 a.m.: Couplets and Salvos to the Patron Saint *San Vicente Ferrer*,** performed by the “*La Aurora*” Choral Mass, the Cultural Association “*Ball i Art*” and the people in general.

Itinerary: “*Libertad*” Avenue (section between “*San José*” Street and “*Plaza de España*”). At the end: **MULTICOLOR FANTASY**

## MONDAY, APRIL 8

### SAN VICENTE FERRER'S FESTIVITY, THE MOST BEAUTIFUL AND SOLEMN DAY FOR THE DESCENDANTS OF THIS TOWN

**8:00 a.m.: General Ringing of Bells.**

**8:00 a.m.: Moorish “*Diana*”**

Concentration: “*Plaza del Castillo*”

Itinerary: “*Plaza del Castillo*”, “*General Ibáñez*” Street, “*Capitán Torregrosa*” Street, “*Cervantes*” Street, “*San José*” Street, “*Pintor Picasso*” Street, “*Velázquez*” Street, “*Plaza Ing. José Ramón García Antón*”, “*Plaza del Pilar*”, “*Mayor*” Street, “*Echegaray*” Street, “*Alfonso XIII*” Street, “*Colón*” Street, “*Plaza España*”, “*Libertad*” Avenue (Castle)



*“Diana’s”* Order: *ALMORÁVIDES, ABBASIRES, N.F. CABALLO LOCO, MOROS NUEVOS, PACOS, BENIMERINES, TUAREG, MARROC’S, NEGROS ZULUES, MOROS VIEJOS.*

**10:00 a.m.: Mass in Valencian.**

**11:00 a.m.: Flowers Offering to the Patron Saint.**

Itinerary: *“Alicante”* Street, *“Ancha de Castelar”* Avenue, *“Libertad”* Avenue and *“Plaza España”*.

Order: AUTHORITIES, QUEENS AND COURTS OF HONOR, MUNICIPAL COMMISSION OF FESTIVITIES, *“BELLEAS”* AND *“DAMAS DEL FOC”*, *“HOGUERAS Y BARRACAS”* FEDERATION, QUEEN AND *“DAMAS DE LOS MAYORES”*, *“JUNTA MAYOR DE HERMANDADES”*, *“CASA DE ANDALUCÍA”*.

FESTIVE AUTHORITIES MOORISH SIDE, CAPTAINS AND STANDARD-BEARERS OF MOORISH *“COMPARSAS”*, *“COMPARSA” ALMORÁVIDES.*

FESTIVE AUTHORITIES CHRISTIAN SIDE, CAPTAINS AND STANDARD-BEARERS OF CHRISTIAN *“COMPARSAS”*, *“COMPARSA” ALMOGÀVERS.*

BENIMERINES, N.F. CABALLO LOCO, NEGROS ZULUES, MOROS NUEVOS, PACOS, TUAREG, MARROC’S, ABBASIRES, MOROS VIEJOS, MASEROS, NÓMADAS, TEMPLARIOS, VISIGODOS, ASTURES, NAVARROS, CRISTIANS, CONTRABANDISTAS, ESTUDIANTES.

**1:00 p.m.: Solemn Mass:** Sung by *“La Aurora”* Choral Mass, with the assistance of Municipal and Festive Authorities, as well as associations and invited, festive and cultural entities.

**At the end of the mass, *“Mascletà”* at *“Plaza del Maestro”***

**7:00 p.m.: Procession of the Patron Saint San Vicente Ferrer,** presided by the Authorities, Queens of the Festivities with their Courts of Honour, Captains and Standard- Bearers, Municipal Commission of Festivities and



Union of *Comparsas "Ber-Largas"* Federation. They will be accompanied by the Musical Society "La Esperanza".

Itinerary: "*Plaza España*", "*Mayor*" Street, "*Plaza del Pilar*", "*Pi i Margall*" Street, "*Pintor Picasso*" Street, "*Ancha de Castelar*" Avenue, "*Dominguez Margarit*" Street, "*Salamanca*" Street, "*Plaza Lillo Cánovas*", "*Mayor*" Street, "*Plaza España*".

Order: *BENIMERINES, NEGROS FILÀ CABALLO LOCO, NEGROS ZULUES, MOROS NUEVOS, PACOS, TUAREG, MARROC´S, ABBASIRES, MOROS VIEJOS, ALMORÁVIDES, MASEROS, NÓMADAS, TEMPLARIOS, VISIGODOS, ASTURES, NAVARROS, CRISTIANS, CONTRABANDISTAS, ESTUDIANTES, ALMOGÀVERS.*

**12:00 a.m.: Multicolor Fireworks Castle**, in "*Ronda Oeste*". At 11.45 p.m. "*Dolçaines and tabalets*" of the "Friends of Rusadir" group, accompanying the Authorities, will leave the door of the Social Center to announce their shooting.

NOTE: The public and cars must be more than 300 meters away from the fireworks. There will be signs announcing the danger. The pyrotechnic company will not be responsible for any damages that may occur to those who do not comply.

## TUESDAY, APRIL 9

**8:00 a.m.: General Ringing of Bells.**

**9:45 a.m.: Authorities "*Diana*"**

Itinerary: "*Plaza España*", "*Libertad*" Avenue, "*Dr. Trueta*" Street, "*Cervantes*" Street, "*San José*" Street, "*Pintor Picasso*" Street, "*Salamanca*" Street, "*Lillo Juan*" Street.





Order:

AUTHORITIES MOORISH SIDE, *MOROS VIEJOS, ALMORÁVIDES, BENIMERINES, NEGROS FILÀ CABALLO LOCO, NEGROS ZUELUES, MOROS NUEVOS, PACOS, TUAREG, MARROC'S, ABBASIRES.*

AUTHORITIES CHRISTIAN SIDE, *ESTUDIANTES, ALMOGÀVERS, MASEROS, NÓMADAS, TEMPLARIOS, VISIGODOS, ASTURES, NAVARROS, CRISTIANS, CONTRABANDISTAS.*

### **11:30 a.m.: Christian Embassy**

Itinerary: *"Libertad"* Avenue

11:15 a.m. Concentration

11:30 a.m. The Shot starts

Christian side: *"Ancha de Castelar"* Avenue intersection with *"Pintor Picasso"* Street

Moorish side: *"Ancha de Castelar"* Avenue junction with *"Agost"* Street

**7:00 p.m.: Festive "Charanga"**, with the Queens of the Festivities and their Courts of Honor, Comparsas and people in general.

Concentration and itinerary: c/ Alicante, Avda. Ancha de Castelar, Avda. de la Libertad, ending at Plaza del Castillo.

**7:30 p.m.: Funeral Mass** for all those who have died during the year.



## WEDNESDAY, APRIL 10

**6:00 p.m.: Popular “Regocijos”:** Drawing and writing contests at “*Plaza de España*”. The awards will be published in next year's Festivities book. Children must come with pencils and colors to make their own drawings.

**7:30 p.m.: Children 's Lantern Dance** at “*Plaza de España*”. Numerous prizes for the participants.

**9:00 p.m.: Traditional performance** at “*Plaza de España*”

## THURSDAY, APRIL 11

**7:30 a.m.: Holy Face Mass.** *San Vicente Ferrer's* Church.

**08:00 a.m.: Pilgrimage to the Holy Face**, with the participation of Authorities, Queen of the Festivities and her Court of Honor, Municipal Commission of Festivities and citizens in general, accompanied by “***Colla de Dolçainers i Tabaleters El Tossal***”. Departure from “*Plaza de España*”, where the traditional “*cañas*” with rosemary, anise rolls and “*Mistela*” will be distributed.

**6:00 p.m.: Children's Costume Contest**, at “*Plaza de España*”, with different categories and prizes. **Workshops in English.**

**9:00 p.m.: Zarzuela “La Verbena de la Paloma”**, a show presented by the company *MATERLIRICA ESPAÑA*. Work directed by the soprano and stage director, *María José Molina*, in the cinema “*La Esperanza*”.



## FRIDAY, APRIL 12

**6:00 p.m.:** Popular **“Regocijos”** at **“Plaza de España”**, with games in English and different traditional games of participation such as pots and reeds.

**9:00 p.m.:** Performance **“Mojinos Escozios”**, at **“Solar de la Inmaculada”**.

## SATURDAY, APRIL 13

**10:45 a.m.:** **Parade.** The Queen of the Festivities and her Courts of Honour accompanied by **“cabezudos”**, **“dolçainers and tabaleters”** of the **“Colla Floreal”** will visit the **“Cottolengo”**

**12:30 p.m.:** Family performance at **“Plaza de España”**

**5:30 p.m.:** Women's **“chinchón”**, men's **“cau”** and adult **parcheesi championships**, at **“Libertad”** Avenue.

The prizes will be awarded to the winners of the different competitions throughout the week.

**6:00 p.m.:** Afternoon Session (**“tardeo”**) **“Singing through time Hits from the 60s to the 90s”**, at **“Plaza de España”**.

**9:30 p.m.:** Traditional **“Correfoc”** along **“Libertad”** Avenue (from **“Plaza de España”** to **“Plaza Santa Faz”**) to **“Solar de la Inmaculada”**. Denim clothing is recommended for safety.



## SUNDAY, APRIL 14

**8:00 a.m.: General Ringing of Bells.**

**11:30 a.m.: Municipal Commission of Festivities Parade** accompanied by "dolçaines and tabalets" played by "**Colla de Dolçainers i Tabaleters El Tossal**"

**12:00 p.m.: General Ringing of Bells.**

**12:15 p.m.: San Vicente's Miracles Representation:** "*Els Dos Miracles de Dinàn*" by D. Xavier Catalán Aznar, at the first section of "*Libertad*" Avenue, performed by the fifth year students of "*Bec de L 'Aguila*" School.

**1:30 p.m.: Children's "Mascletà"**, which will be lit by the Queen of Spring, on the 1st section of the Avenue.

**10:00 p.m.: Great Lantern Dance** at "*Plaza de España*" animated by "*La Esperanza*" Musical Society. Numerous prizes will be distributed among the participants.

**12:00 a.m.: Festivities final bombing**, at "*Libertad*" Avenue (1st and 2nd Section), which will end our Patron Saint and Moors and Christians 2024 Festivities.



Note: We ask and thank all the neighbours and all the people who visit us for their collaboration and compliance with all the instructions given, so that our Patron Saint and Moors and Christians Festivities take place in an orderly manner and with the smallest possible number of inconvenience.

**THANK YOU VERY MUCH**



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