



37º EUROCC PORTUGAL 2014

Dear European Motorhoming fellows,

First of all thank you for your participation in the 37th EUROCC - 2014 of PORTUGAL that the FPA - FEDERAÇÃO PORTUGUESA DE AUTOCARAVANISMO as organized in the name of FICM.

We have prepared carefully a program that will start in the *2nd best tourist destination of 2013* - the city of Lisbon, who visit the historic town of BATALHA, will visit the world-famous FATIMA and end in the city voted as the *best European of 2014 tourist destination* - the city of PORTO. (a)

We wish you a good trip to the Portugal and we recommend a visit, in particular Northern and inland areas, where you will discover, in peace and security, our beautiful scenery, the kindness of our people and our delicious gastronomy.

As with all major events, there are critical times where the help of each one of you is indispensable for the success that we all want to achieve.

We ask your attention particularly on the operation of parking, either on the main event or at the arrival on the locations of the extension. You are kindly requested to calmly follow the Organization's delegates and collaborate.

Other critical phases are those of embarkations in the buses which will transport you to and return of certain events. It is very important to be present at the hours that are indicated on schedule. In accordance with article 12 of the Regulations of the 37th EUROCC is not the responsibility of the Organization to ensure transport to or from the events for those who are late.

We are sure that with your cooperation and help the 37 EUROCC will be a success.

Thank you,

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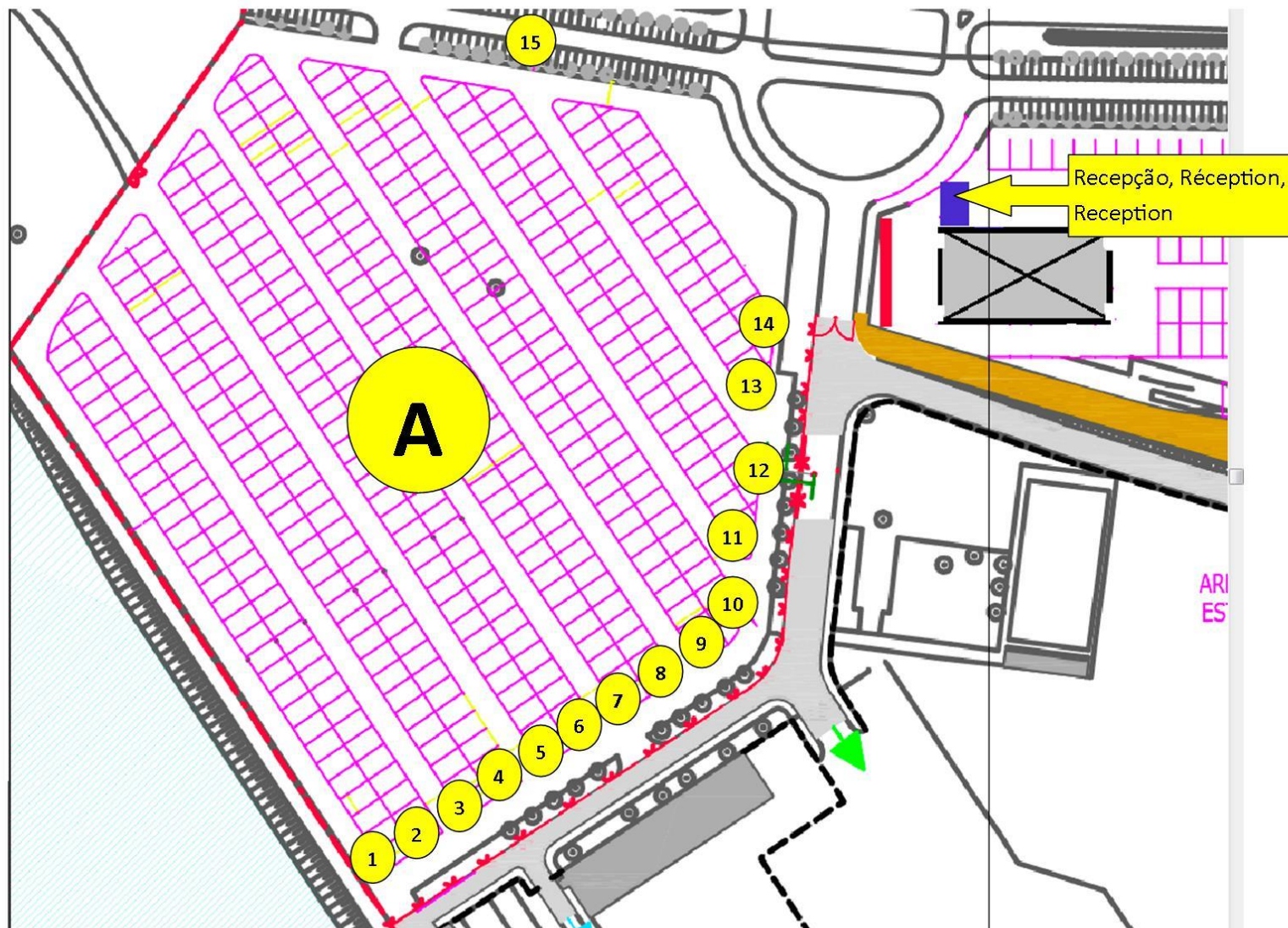
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(a) contest European best Destinations (EBD) promoted by the European Consumers Choice <http://www.europeanbestdestinations.org/>

You normally will arrive to Lisboa by the north, via Highway A1 and you will take the 2ª CIRCULAR (also called Av General Norton de Matos) who passes adjacent to the Lisboa airport. About nearly 12 Km you will exit the 2ª CIRCULAR for the CRIL (also called IC 17) direction to ALGÉS. You must follow it until the end and you exit at the round point which is reported in the map with red arrows.





A Word to the wise

All big cities have their share of dishonest people who prey on foreign visitors.

Although much safer than many other destinations, Portuguese big cities are no exception, so please take a moment to read this, and protect yourself against such characters.

A handbag or a camera dangling from a wrist or shoulder is a tempting target anywhere in the world. Snatch thieves either operate on foot or on motor cycles, or are equally experts as their counterparts in other world cities. They will also grab valuables from open vehicles, particularly when stationary in traffic. Please take the usual precautions, and ensure that large amounts of cash, valuables, irreplaceable documents etc. are locked in a safe place - not kept in your handbag.

Confidence tricksters come in a fascinating variety of shapes and sizes.

They are all charming - from the smiling boy scouts who solicit generous 'donations' destined for their own pockets, to the 'off-duty policeman' the 'university professor' etc., who will approach you in a public place and politely engage you in conversation. They will usually carry genuine-looking identification of some kind, and understandably, many foreign visitors see this as an excellent opportunity to talk to a friendly local - to mix with 'real' people. The truth is of course that 'real' people do not go out of their way to speak to tourists in the street. The golden rule to remember is that if somebody does, you can be sure they're up to no good - that helpful seemingly well-educated person is almost certainly a crook if you go with him, or her, you do so at your peril.

You may be taken sightseeing, then robbed, or coaxed into a game of cards where it seems you cannot lose. Most commonly, you'll be taken to a shop and grossly overcharged for inferior or fake goods.

Proceed with caution. Most are delightful and honest people, but naturally shy of foreign visitors. So should you encounter a well-spoken and charming person out there, eager to know which country you come from,

Beware!!!



A signal of solidarity

The autocaravanistas are generous and not fleeing to the rule, 37 EUROCC participants will want to leave behind, after the event is over, a happy memory of their passage by Portugal.

Several actions of solidarity are being planned for this event

The one for which we count directly with each one of you and what we are proposing is the contribution with food to the Portuguese Agency of the "FOOD BANK"

We think that we can ask each participant in this event, in its registration upon arrival to Lisbon, make a donation of two kilos (2 kg) of some dry food (rice, flour, sugar, etc.). As we will be more than 500 participants will be able to gather more than a ton of food.

We will collect what each of you, generously give and we will deliver it to a social institution.

Let's keep a good souvenir!



37 EUROCC – general recommendations – Main Event

- The use of integrated or mobile generators is allowed only from 9:30 to 11:00 and from 16:00 to 17:30.
- Drainage of wastewater will be done without moving vehicle from 8 to 10 a.m. is from 4 to 6 p.m.
- Electrical connection will be available only for medical reasons (respiratory assistance, etc...)
- The dogs will be kept on a leash with muzzle for the most aggressive. Their droppings will be picked up by their master.
- Pets are not allowed inside buses, restaurants, boats and the tent.
- If it is necessary to move a car in the parking lot should do so at reduced speed (max. 30 Kms/hour)
- Please observe the silence between 00.00 and 08:00
- All requests or problems whatsoever on the event, will be reported the Organization.
- **You are requested to use your badge every time you stay inside the 37 EUROCC space or you participate one of our events**
- **Please stick the ID poster inside the glareshild of your camping-car before enters the 37 EUROCC space.**



The Organization thanks your cooperation