

Christmas smiles with Sonrisas A Capella Chorus

Sonrisas Harmony is looking forward to its busy Christmas season. This rapidly expanding chorus has now reached a total of 38 members and counting.

Perhaps the choir's secret is the support and social events that go alongside their love of singing modern, contemporary songs.

If you would like to book Sonrisas Harmony for an event next year, maybe a special birthday celebration, anniversary, wedding or corporate event, they can be contacted via email to sonrisasharmony@outlook.com, the website www.sonrisasharmony.es or the Facebook page Sonrisas Harmony A Cappella Chorus.

Here is Sonrisas Harmony's performance schedule for the lead up to Christmas:

Tuesday, December 5 at 18.30: Plaza de San Francisco, Cartagena

Thursday, December 7 at 19.00: Hotel Encarnación, Los Alcázares

Saturday, December 9 at 15.30: Boochies, Los Alcázares. With mulled wine and cake from 14.00

Wednesday, December 13 at 19.30: San Francisco church, San Javier

Friday, December 15 at 20.30: Virgen de la Caridad church, Los Alcázares

Saturday, December 16 at 13.30: Dos Mares commercial centre, San Javier

Photo: Sonrisas Harmony



▶ For full reports on social and cultural events see Friday's **Costa Blanca News**

Christmas carols with CBMVC

You have three free opportunities to hear The Costa Blanca Male Voice Choir sing carols this coming month. They head the Christmas lights ceremony on December 6 at 19.00 in Moraira near the church in the square.

Then they have their full Christmas church carol concert at Santa Maria Magdalena church in Benitachell, starting at 19.00 on December 13.

Finally, they sing at DAR social centre in Jávea, continuing to raise funds for their chosen charity, SOS Ukraine, at the Felix Navi festive event from 13.00 through the afternoon of December 16.

The choir at full strength is now 40 strong, and rehearses Tuesdays at 17.45 in Teulada,

we welcome interest from singers of any nationality, you don't even have to read music, find out more by contacting Mike on 645 081 539 and information is available on

www.costablancamalevoicechoir.com

Updates can also be found in weekly papers and their Facebook page

Photo: CBMVC.



Christmas craft fairs with Amata

Jávea Christmas fair

This weekend, beginning Friday, December 8 (a Spanish bank holiday) the artists and craftsmen who usually set up their stall on a Sunday by the seaside, will be there for three whole days (until Sunday, December 10) so you can buy (or order!) your Christmas presents at your leisure.

Visit all or some of the 20 stalls that will be set up around the Christmas tree. The festive atmosphere will be completed with a Christmas photocall and a mailbox for letters to Santa Claus and on Saturday and Sunday the potter invites you to make your own bowl or cup on his wheel.

The participants are carefully selected by craft association Amata and will be there from 11.00 to 19.00, you will surely find something to your

liking. And if you don't, there is still time for one of the artisans to make it especially for you.

The fair is set up on the Paseo Marítimo in the Port

Altea Christmas fair

The traditional Mercat de Nadal (Christmas fair) in Altea, usually held in the town hall square will change its location and date this year, so it won't coincide with other Christmas activities in the village.

This year you it will be held in the Plaza del Convento on December 15, from 18.00 to 21.00 and from 11.00 to 21.00 on Saturday and Sunday without closing at midday.

For more information please see <https://www.puebloartesano.es/javea>.

Don't miss out on special, handmade gifts this Christmas!

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Festive tabletop sale

By Pauline Sanders

On Saturday, December 9 beginning at 11.00, a festive tabletop sale will take place at Carmen's Bar and Restaurant, El Chaparral commercial centre, El Chaparral urbanisation, Torrevieja.

Among the things on sale will be Christmas items and decorations, cakes, cards, books, jewellery, handbags, and bric-a-brac.

There will also be a raffle, 'guess the weight of the cake', and a tombola. Nancy Klein will

be selling autographed copies of her books, and Francis Edwards will be available to tell us all about Tunnel Books – something really different. There may be other attractions on the day as well.

All money raised will be used for the mission work of La Siesta Evangelical Church, Calle Granados, La Siesta urbanisation, Torrevieja.

See our website for more details about our church: www.lasiestaevangelicalchurch.org

We hope to see you there!



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