



## **GYMKHANA: WELCOME TO COLLADO VILLALBA!**

## November 11<sup>th</sup> 2010

## The Rules:

You must take a digital picture of everything that you do not have to collect.

There must be only one official photographer in each team

Each member of your team must be in at least one photo doing one of the things on the list.

For the Video tape requirements you must be loud enough to be heard over a possible crowd.

You have approximately 2:30 hours to finish all the items on the list. If the time runs out, head back to the Centro Peñalba. If you are not there at 12:45 then you will lose five of your total points which may keep you from winning.

There's a prize waiting for the winning team.

Remember...Have fun...be safe and don't be shy!

Items we've given each team: Five Euros, digital camera, a notepad, a pen and the list of tasks.

TASK 1	PIEDRA DEL CONCEJO
HISTORY	This two meters long and two meters wide stone is called Piedra del Concejo or Roca del Consistorio. In ancient times the civic body of the town held their meetings there. It was presided over by the alcalde (Major) when they deliberated upon public affairs. The rock was carved to provide Council members with comfortable seats where they could pass laws and make important decisions.
LOCATION	Plza de la Constitución s/n
PICTURE	
TASKS	<ol> <li>Take a picture of the whole team hugging the rock.(2 points)</li> <li>Write down the year carved in the stone. (1 point)</li> </ol>
MATERIALS	Digital camera, notepad and pen

TASK 2	CENTRO PEÑALBA
HISTORY	Cultural Center located in a beautiful garden. Box tree topiary,
	artfully laid paths, benches, statues and fountains invite visitors on
	a journey back in time to Renaissence.
LOCATION	Avda. Doctor José Ma Póveda, 5
PICTURE	
TASKS	<ol> <li>Take a picture of the oldest and the youngest teammates riding one of the little rides inside the park. (2 points)</li> <li>Videotape five team members around one of the beautiful fountains in the garden shouting these words DISCO; DISCO!!! PARTY, PARTY!!!! with actions.(6 points)</li> <li>Find a bird cage in the garden and take a picture of two team members feeding the animals. (2 points)</li> <li>Find a strawberry tree (Arbutus unedo) in the garden. This bush is in the coat-of-arms of the city of Madrid and bears love its red fruits!</li> </ol>
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MATERIALC	6.Take a picture of the whole team around the strawberry tree .  Make a pig of yourselves! (4 points)
MATERIALS	Digital camera

TASK 3	LIBRARY SANCHO PANZA
LOCATION	C/ Espinarejo, 2
HISTORY	Sancho Panza was the witty esquire and inseparable companion of Don Quixote, the most famous figure in Spanish literature.
PICTURE	
TASKS	<ol> <li>Find Don Quixote in the library. He is in the Sala de Préstamos in the Adults section. If you know the author's name, this task will be as easy as pie! (2 points)</li> <li>Find Don Quixote in the garden outside the library. Take a picture of one of your teammates sitting on the bench and wearing any funny headgear you can come up with.(2 points)</li> <li>The librarian will give you a library card. Keep it as proof. (2 points)</li> </ol>
MATERIALS	Digital camera

TASK 4	PARQUE Bègles and DEHESA BOYAL
HISTORY	This park is named after the French city of Bègles, twinned with Collado Villalba since 1991. The DEHESA is a type of wooded pastureland used for grazing livestock. This Dehesa is a communal property and it belongs to the municipality where residents can obtain wild game, mushrooms and firewood.
LOCATION	Carretera de Moralzarzal, C/ Fuente el Álamo y Anacleto López
PICTURE	
TASKS	<ol> <li>Take a picture of any billboard sign of a restaurant in the Puerta de Villalba shopping mall with prices on it. (1 points)</li> <li>What's the name of the restaurant? How much do you have to pay for the menu? What's on the menu today? (2 points)</li> <li>Use your money to buy Kinder eggs in the Eroski supermarket. Keep the little toy as proof. (4 points)</li> <li>You have a beautiful view of the Sierra of Guadarrama. Can you name any three peaks</li> </ol>

	in this mountain range? Ask a native! (2 points)
MATERIALS	Digital camera, money, notepads and pens

TASK 5	CHURCH
HISTORY	This one-nave church was built in the Renaissance style during the XVI and XVII centuries. It is adorned with balls, typical decorations in Castile in this period.
LOCATION	Avda. José Antonio, 50
PICTURE	
TASKS	<ol> <li>What is the name of the church? (1 points)</li> <li>How many pillars can you see? How many bells? (2 points)</li> <li>Take a picture of the whole team standing under the arch.</li> <li>Be creative! (4 points)</li> </ol>
MATERIALS	Digital camera

TASK 6	CIUDAD DEPORTIVA
LOCATION	C/ Las Aguedas, 6
PICTURE	CIUDAD DEPORTIVA DE COLLADO VILLALBA
TASKS	<ol> <li>How many sun loungers (tumbonas) can you see next to the Jacuzzi hot tubs? (1 point)</li> <li>Win a gold medal and bring it as proof! (2 points)</li> <li>Take a picture of five members of your team training on the outdoor running tracks. (3 points)</li> </ol>
MATERIALS	Digital camera

TASK 7	RESTAURANT LA VIÑA DE BACO
LOCATION	Plaza de los Cuatro Caños, 6
TASKS	1 Answer a few easy questions and get a typical Spanish tapa! Sorry, no points for this!!
MATERIALS	No material needed

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