



📍 ALTER REAL, ALENTEJO, PORTUGAL

FALCONRY ACTIVITIES



COME AND EXPERIENCE UNIQUE MOMENTS **IN ALTER REAL**

The Falconry Museum presents the characteristics of birds of prey, their training and equipment. It also showcases the evolution of this activity from the Middle Ages to the present day, being recognized by UNESCO as Intangible Cultural Heritage of Humanity. During your visit, you will be able to observe different species and talk with falconers about flight, training and daily interaction with these birds. **Come and visit during your stay!**

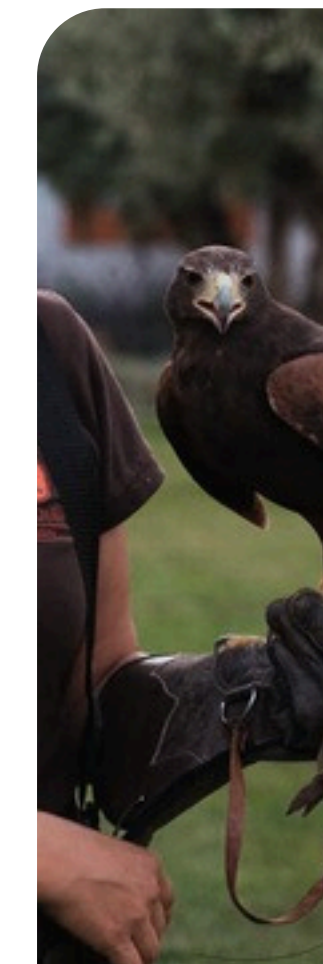
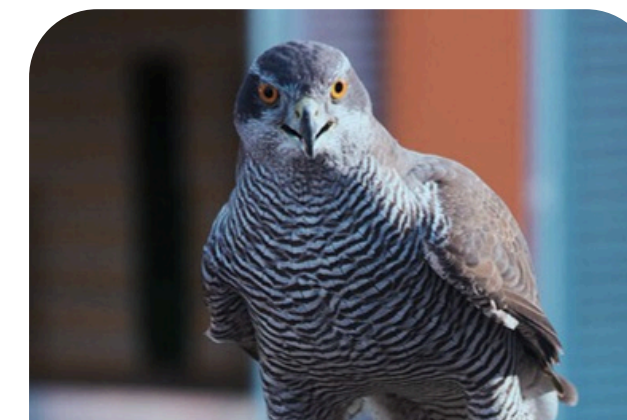
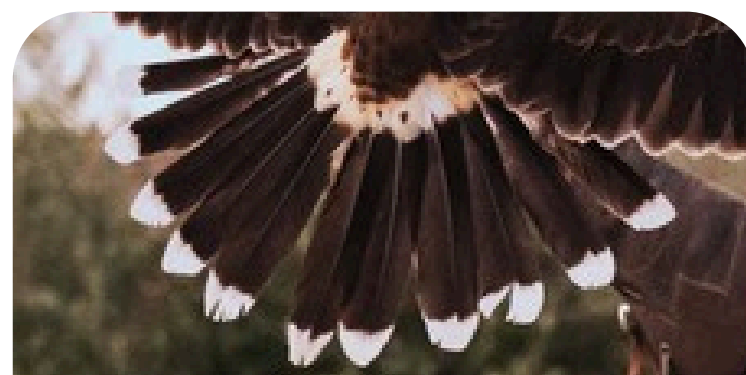
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ACTIVITY	SCHEDULE	DURATION	PRICE
VISIT TO STUD FARM & FALCONRY	10:30h; 15:00h	01h40min	<p>Up to 2 years old - Free 3 to 12 years old - 12.50€/person 13 to 65 years old - 19€/person Mais de 65 anos - 16€/person Residents of Alter do Chão parish - 11€/person Family (2 pax. between 13 and 64 years old + 2 children 3 to 12 years old) - 55€</p>
FALCONRY VISIT	10h30; 12h00; 15h30; 16h30	45min	5€/person
FALCONRY EXPERIENCE	17h30	01h10min (includes 40 minutes of museum visit)	10€/person
PREMIUM FALCONRY VISIT (NESTING AREA)	15h30	50min (includes a tour of the museum)	7€/person
FALCONRY WORKSHOP	On request	60min	20€/person
FALCONRY ATELIER	On request	03h	30€/person
FLIGHT IN THE RESTAURANT GARDEN	09h30	20 min	Free



/ ACTIVITY .01

VISIT TO STUD FARM & FALCONRY

During this visit, you will discover the history and daily life of the Alter Stud Farm.

Explore Casas Altas and the Interpretation Centre, the Mares' Courtyard, the D. João VI Courtyard with the Stallions' Stables, the Carriage House, and the Falconry, where you can observe different birds and learn about this art recognized by UNESCO as Intangible Cultural Heritage of Humanity.

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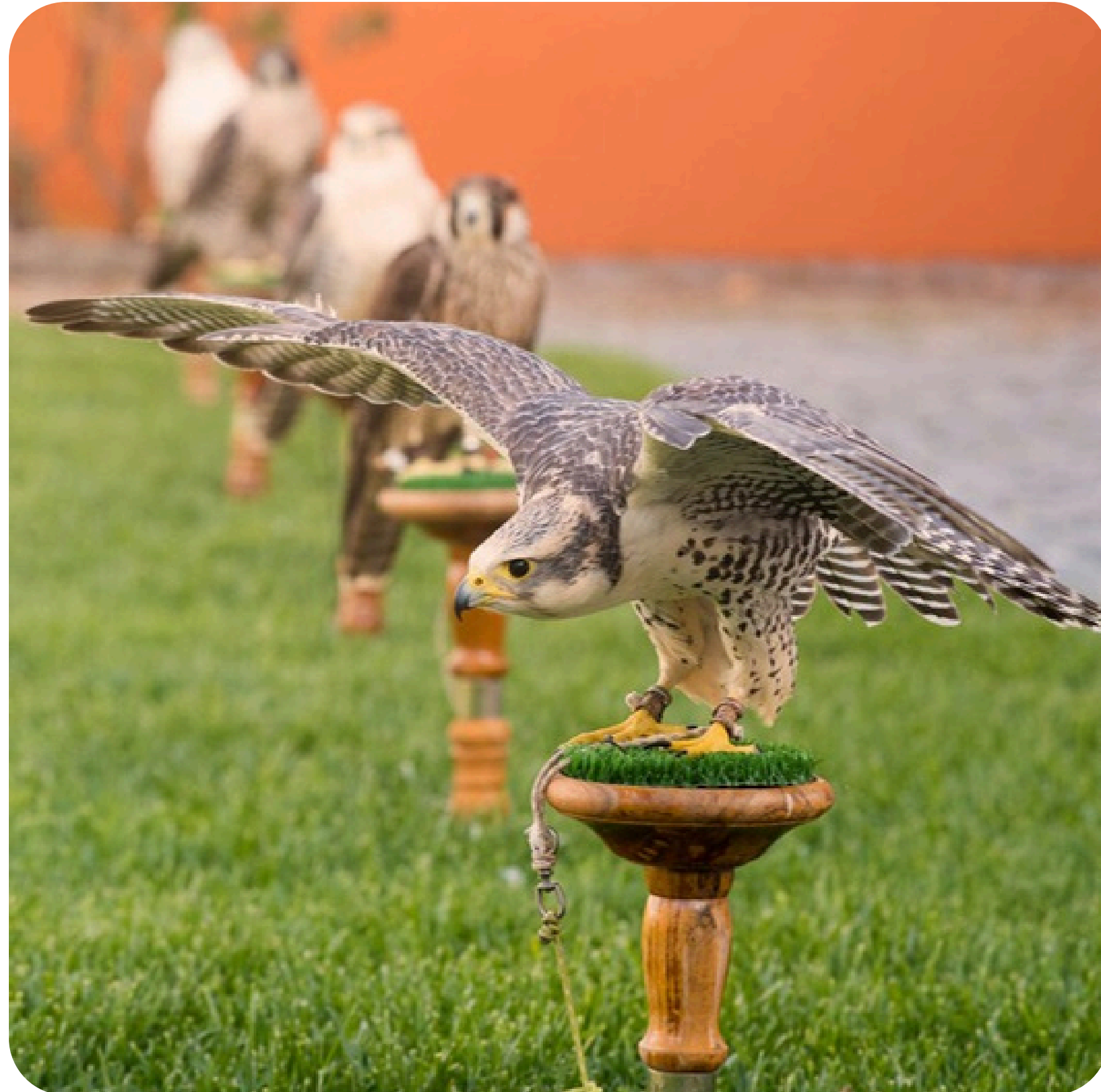
Residents of Alter do Chão parish - 11€/person

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/ ACTIVITY .02

FALCONRY VISIT

You will observe different species of birds of prey and, through dialogue with falconers, discover their characteristics, flight techniques, training and daily interaction required by this ancient art.



SCHEDULE / 10h30; 12h00; 15h30; 16h30

DURATION / 45min

PRICE / 5€/person

/ ACTIVITY .03

FALCONRY EXPERIENCE

"Flying a bird to the glove"

Where our visitors can enjoy close contact with a bird of prey.

The activity takes place in the Falconry area, where the equipment will be presented and, after a brief briefing on handling the bird they will fly, participants will experience the thrill of having a bird on their glove and flying it according to the falconer's instructions.



SCHEDULE / 17h30

DURATION / 01h10min (includes 40 min museum visit)

PRICE / 10€/person

/ ACTIVITY .04

PREMIUM FALCONRY VISIT (NESTING AREA)

(Available from January to May)

This visit takes you behind the scenes of Falconry.

Captive breeding is at the heart of modern falconry. During this visit to the nesting area, you will come into contact with the methods currently used in the captive breeding of birds of prey. You will also have the opportunity to witness the daily routines and all the tasks involved in this activity.

 **SCHEDULE** / 15h30

 **DURATION** / 50min (includes museum visit)

 **PRICE** / 7€/person



/ ACTIVITY .05

FALCONRY WORKSHOP

Falconry brings together ancestral knowledge that reveals the connection between humans and birds of prey.

In this workshop, you will learn about the history of this practice, the different species used, and their adaptation to falconry.

Accompanied by a falconer, you will also have the opportunity to experience flying a Harris's hawk, calling the bird to your glove and enjoying a unique experience in close contact with nature.



SCHEDULE / On request

DURATION / 60min

PRICE / 20€/person



/ ACTIVITY .06

FALCONRY ATELIER

The Falconry Atelier offers a more complete theoretical and practical experience. Visitors will learn about the different species, their characteristics, and the equipment used in falconry.

With the guidance of a falconer, they will also have the opportunity to experience two flight styles: high flight with a falcon and low flight with a Harris's hawk, using a lure as a prey simulator. A unique experience to briefly step into the role of a true falconer.

SCHEDULE / On request

DURATION / 03h

PRICE / 30€/person

/ ACTIVITY .07

FLIGHT IN THE RESTAURANT GARDEN

Watch daily, in the garden in front of the hotel restaurant, the flight of one of our birds of prey.

Take the opportunity to also visit the Falconry Museum during your stay.



 **SCHEDULE** / 09h30

 **DURATION** / 20 min

 **PRICE** / Free



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