

June 19-23, 2024

Évora, Portugal

SUMMER SOLSTICE EXPERIENCE

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SOLSTICE

From the Latin sol (sun) and stitium (standing still), the summer solstice was given its name as from Earth, the sun appears to stop, giving us that little bit of extra time to soak up the day ~ something that often escapes us.

There is evidence that the summer solstice has been culturally important since the Neolithic era. Many ancient monuments in Europe especially, as well as parts of the Middle East, Asia and the Americas, are aligned with the sunrise or sunset on the summer solstice.

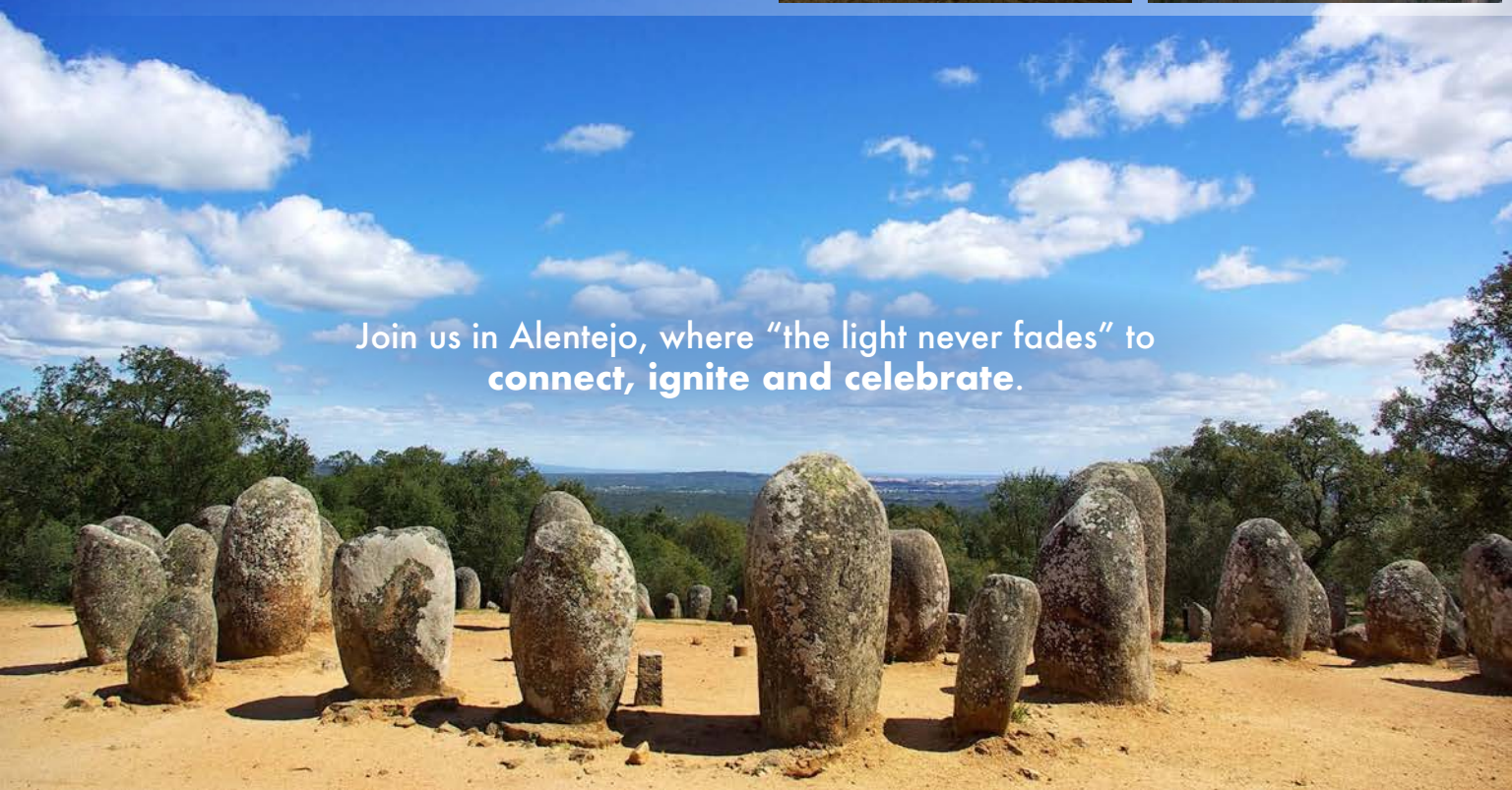
The Solstice is a sacred time, still celebrated by different cultures all over the world. From Russia to Norway to China to Guatemala and seemingly everywhere in between, this day is celebrated with a variety of traditions and rituals. Whether it's a city-wide bonfire, a music festival, a communal feast or even creating space for silence, there are a variety of customs, beliefs and legends associated with the solstice. These traditions and customs are particularly important for the ancient peoples of the European continent.

THE STONEHENGE OF PORTUGAL: CROMLECH OF ALMENDRES

Only discovered in 1966, this remarkable megalithic site predates Stonehenge (by 2000 years!). Nestled amidst a natural landscape of oaks and corks that has remained unchanged for millennia, the Cromlech of Almendres is a peaceful place where the architectural design and the celestial alignment connect you with the ancient world to bring a sense of magic and peacefulness. This site is of particular importance because it has examples of alignments, cromlechs and dolmens (tombs) all in one site, which is very unusual.



Join us in Alentejo, where “the light never fades” to **connect, ignite and celebrate.**



THE REGION

Allow yourself to be taken by the land as it gently whispers its mysteries to you.
Experience where tradition meets tranquility.



ALENTEJO

In Portugal, there is no more intense sun than the one that warms the Alentejo, the vast southern plain that begins at the Lisbon gates. To the sound of "cante," a traditional anthem that UNESCO declared an Intangible Heritage of Humanity, take the road through a world of great historical importance.

The Alentejo is all about pleasure, everywhere.

ÉVORA

Évora, located in the heart of Portugal's picturesque Alentejo region, is a city rich in history, culture and architectural marvels. Its roots stretch back over two millennia, making it one of the oldest and most captivating cities in Europe.

Encircled by medieval walls, Évora's well-preserved historic center is a UNESCO World Heritage Site, boasting a blend of Roman, Islamic and Gothic influences.



THE VENUE

Welcome to your perfect getaway in the countryside.

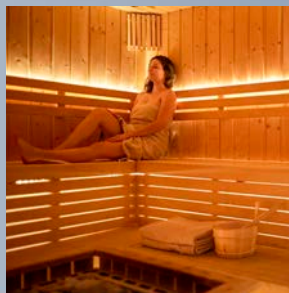
Here on the Herdade do Perdiganito, the landscape sweeps across 11 hectares, punctuated by the rare beauty that occurs naturally between footpaths, walkways and meadows that stretch all the way to the stream at the Monte Novo Dam.



The hotel's contemporary architecture harmonizes beautifully with the natural surroundings, while the interiors carefully reflect traditional aspects, such as wood in rustic tones, the blues and whites so typical of the Alentejo and the organic and artisanal materials that extol the local culture.

GASTRONOMY

Alongside stunning rooms and villas, prepare for a culinary journey to À TERRA, under the leadership of Chef Elísio. Returning to their origins with traditional flavors using local suppliers and products from the region, as well as from their own "green corner," which includes fruit trees, an olive grove and an organic vegetable garden where we grow vegetables, fruit and herbs.



SPA

Aiming to highlight locally produced ingredients, natural essences and the medicinal herbs and other plants that were used in bygone days, the treatments take us back to our origins. The therapists have created a treatment menu aimed at pure relaxation, inspired by the air of the Alentejo plains.

Heated indoor pool

| Sauna

| Turkish Bath

| Gym

| Treatment rooms



AGENDA

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June 19th - Arrivals & Welcome Dinner

June 20th - 22nd - Growth Sessions, Local Experiences, Spa Time & Culinary Delights

June 22nd - Farewell Dinner

June 23rd - Departures or Optional Extension

**Optional Extension TBD - 3-4 days in Madeira, Portugal or perhaps another local country - stay tuned!*

WHAT'S INCLUDED:

Your Maverick Summer Solstice Experience will include 4-nights of accommodations, growth sessions, group activities and experiences, meals, some snacks, non-alcoholic beverages and some local vino.

RSVP

Member Price: 1 Green Credit (\$3,500) + \$1,795 Housing & Meal Supplement

Guest Price: \$6,795

Spouse Fee: Inquire with events@maverickdna.com

CLICK BELOW TO RESERVE YOUR SPOT:

MEMBER

GUEST



FAQ's

Q: What are the travel dates?

A: Arrive on June 19, 2024 - Depart on June 23, 2024

**Optional Extension - We are looking at an optional extension in another city for 3-4 nights. We are considering the island of Madeira or perhaps another country nearby! If you are interested in an extension (and celebrating Sophia's birthday on the 25th), please let us know by emailing events@maverickdna.com*

Q: What's the closest airport?

A: The most common airport to fly into would be Lisbon (LIS) which is a 1.5 hour drive to Évora. The other airport option is Badajoz (BJZ) Airport which is also about 1.5 hours away. Our team is happy to organize airport transfers on your behalf and will give you that opportunity after signing up.

Q: What's Included?

A: Your event registration includes 4-nights of accommodations, meals, Growth Sessions, experiences and locally harvested wines with meals.

Q: What should I bring?

A: Don't worry, we will be sending you a Pre-Event Guide a few weeks before the trip with a detailed packing list.

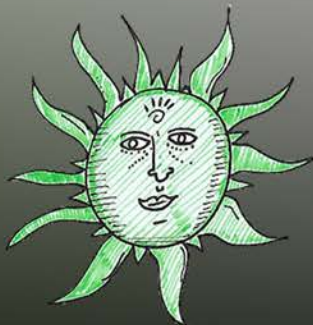
Q: Can I come early? Extend my trip?

A: Just reach out to our team (events@maverickdna.com) with your specific request and we are happy to help!

Q: Can I invite another amazing entrepreneur? Spouse? Family?

A: Yes, yes and yes! If you would like to bring a guest or your family, just let us know and we will share the various options, as the venue does have 2-bedroom options available. Please email events@maverickdna.com.

Questions? Please feel free to reach out to events@maverickdna.com



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We believe that 1 Maverick entrepreneur can change an industry, but that together, we can transform the world. You can learn more about the group at Maverick1000.com

