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Tapas Trails #3

Follow this great Tapas Trail and discover the real Spain hidden in Nerja's wonderful back

streets. A night of Tapas in the traditional bars is a great night out, not only is it very cheap but it is a very social way of eating and drinking at your leisure whilst mixing with the locals and doing as they do. Children are welcomed although you may find you pay more for their soft drinks than you do for your beer & wine!! One thing is for sure, you will think twice about sitting in restaurants for every night of your future holidays. Enjoy.....

This trail starts halfway down Calle Almirante Ferrandiz (unless you have re-visited some of the ones from previous trails that you have passed along the way) at La Taverna del Pescador (1), the fish is excellent here.

From here just pop next door to El Niño (2). Here there is always a good selection of lovely tapas.

Turn right out of El Niño and continue straight down into the pedestrianised centre of the old town. Continue through the restaurants until you reach El Pugilla (3) on your left. This is a fish restaurant but they serve both meat and fish tapas at the bar.

Turn left out of Pugillas and almost immediately on your right is El Meson de Julio (4) offering a very wide selection of tapas.

Then just two doors down is La Taverna (5) with another good array.

Turn right out of La Taverna and continue to the end of the road (only a few yards). At the junction you can turn left if you wish and pop around the corner to Los Barrilos (6). Here the salchicha de infierno (flamed sausage) is worth paying an extra 2 euro for, otherwise just wait and see what you are given.

Return to the junction and continue straight on up Calle Pintada (turn right if you are going straight from La Taverna), a little way on your right is La Piqueta (7). Another one where you do not chose your tapas but what you are given will be very good and the house red is lovely.

Don't be afraid to ask for a tapa if they do not automatically ask you and if you don't know what they are called, just point to the one that you want.

Have fun!!



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