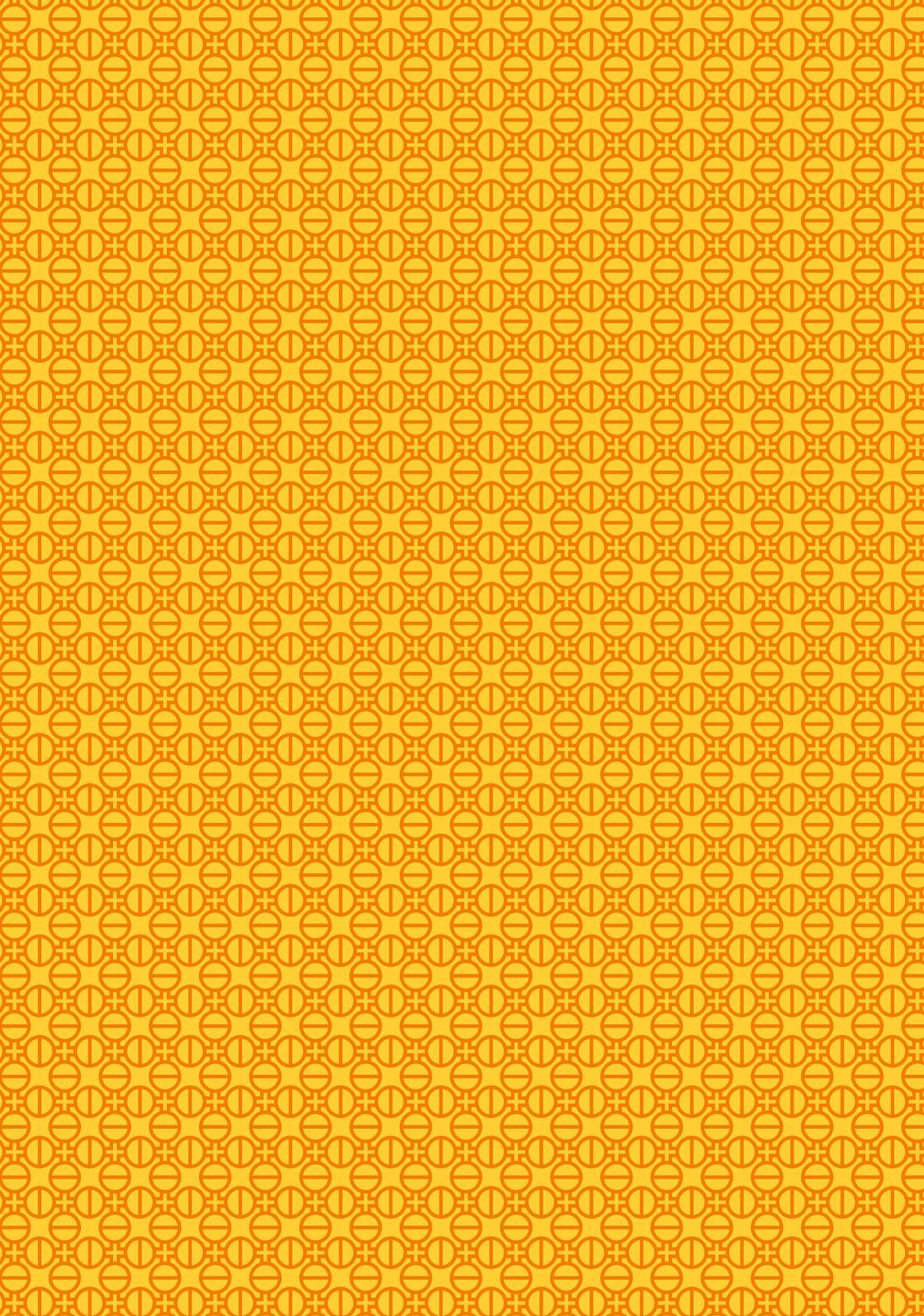


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CARNIVAL

PROGRAMME



Theme

**“MADEIRA –
600 YEARS
DISCOVERING
REVELRY”**



26 FEBRUARY TO **10** MARCH

Central Walkway of Avenida Arriaga

- Carnival music, illuminations and decorations
- Carnival stalls with typical gastronomic delicacies of the season
- Performances by philharmonic bands and diverse musical entertainment
- Street entertainment with performances and carnival music bands

From Tuesday before Carnival on, Funchal's downtown, particularly the central square of Avenida Arriaga, is swept by the Carnival's magic and becomes the centre of several street entertainment initiatives, including Carnival music, shows, street parades and various performances. This awakens the revelry spirit of tourists and locals. In Avenida Arriaga, several stalls, with the traditional food and drinks and various typical Carnival and Madeiran delicacies, will be open.

21,23,24 AND 28 FEBRUARY

Compadres Festivity – City of Santana

This traditional festivity is part of the rituals which celebrate Winter turning into Spring and the local community's regeneration. The action is carried out with a clear antagonism between the local male and female residents, evident in the creation of satirical male and female dolls. The festivity aims to judge the "compadres" and the "comadres", during which the events and actions of the community's individuals and institutions throughout the year are subject to social critique. At the end, both the "compadre" and "comadre" are burnt as a punishment. Therefore, the community is regenerated, and the social tensions are mitigated, preparing for a new cycle which begins with Spring.



26

FEBRUARY - TUESDAY

Central Walkway of Avenida Arriaga

15H00 - 16H45 Performance by Caniço and Eiras Philharmonic Band

18H30 Concert by Triângulo music band

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FEBRUARY - WEDNESDAY

Central Walkway of Avenida Arriaga

15H00 - 16H45 Performance by Bolo do Caco theater group

18H30 Concert by Jamie & the Marx music band

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FEBRUARY - THURSDAY

Central Walkway of Avenida Arriaga

14H00 - 15H45 Performance by the philharmonic bands from Faial and Santo Antonio

14H30 Solidarity Carnival

18H30 Music concert by C'azoadá



SOLIDARITY CARNIVAL

Once again, the city's downtown receives another entertainment initiative distinguished for its originality and creativity. With contagious energy, hundreds of revellers from Funchal's Development Community Association parade from Avenida Arriaga to the Municipal Garden, where a show takes place.

01 MARCH – FRIDAY

Central Walkway of Avenida Arriaga

- 10H00 - 11H45** Performance by Câmara de Lobos Municipal Band
10H30 - 12H30 Children's Carnival Parade and Festival
15H00 - 16H45 Performance by the Parish Band of São Lourenço – Camacha
15H30 - 17H30 Children entertainment
18H30 Performance by Bolo do Caco theater group
21H00 Carnival concert by “Os Guerrilhas” – Banda Distrital do Funchal

CHILDREN'S CARNIVAL

During this period, children and their parents engage in making masks to take to school. On Friday morning, prior to Carnival, about a thousand young revellers from various schools and kindergartens of Funchal, all in disguise, parade through the city center (Avenida Arriaga), in an atmosphere of Carnival liveliness.

02 MARCH – SATURDAY

Central Walkway of Avenida Arriaga

- 10H00 - 11H45** Performance by Ponta do Sol Municipal Band
15H00 - 16H45 Performance by Ribeira Brava Municipal Band
15H30 - 17H30 Children entertainment
16H30 Magic Show

20H00 Carnival Float Parade

On Saturday night, the colourful and lively allegoric parade brings thousands of tourists and residents to Funchal's centre in order to watch it. This is the main attraction of the Madeira Carnival Festivities, and this year's parade will participate around 1900 revellers, with flashy costumes and approximately ten exquisitely decorated allegoric vehicles.

Itinerary: Starting point at Harvey Foster roundabout, Avenida Francisco Sá Carneiro, Francisco Sá Carneiro roundabout, Avenida do Mar and Comunidades Madeirenses (south lane), finishing at Praça da Autonomia

Order and theme of the groups participating in the Float Parade

- “6 centuries of shining revelry” – João Egídio Rodrigues
- “40 years of revelry” – Escola de Samba Caneca Furada
- “Revelry in Paradise” – Associação de Animação Geringonça
- “Straight from the soul” – Associação Fura Samba
- “Cariocas surrendered by revelry” – Escola de Samba – Os Cariocas
- “Divitia” – Associação ANIMAD
- “Let's go to the ball?” – Turma do Funil
- “Carnival is ours” – Associação Cultural Império da Ilha
- “The Ball” – Fitness Team
- “Madeira partying” – Sorrisos de Fantasia
- “The sea wonders: the splendour of a revelry night” – Associação de Animação Tramas e Enredos
- “Madeira Avant-Gard” – Rotiça
- “Bollywood versus Hollywood” – Dance Flavourz by Francis Cardoso
- “Machim's legend – a love story” – Sweet Dancers





03

MARCH - SUNDAY

Central Walkway of Avenida Arriaga

- 10H00 - 11H45** Performance by Casa do Povo de São Vicente Band
- 11H00 - 14H00** Children entertainment
- 15H00 - 16H45** Performance by the orchestra group of Câmara de Lobos “Os Infantes”
- 16H30** Magic Show
- 18H30** Music concert by Miguel Pires Trio
- 21H00** Circus Show

Conducted at the Central Square of Avenida Arriaga, the public may enjoy a show focused on the circus arts, dance and singing, where art and life are intertwined, always with the magic that connects us to the Madeira Carnival Festivities 2019. The show, which lasts 45 minutes, includes acrobats, stilts, aerial performances, vertical dancing, poi balls jugglers, fire breathers, as well as, urban style, burlesque and jazz dancers.



04

MARCH - MONDAY

Central Walkway of Avenida Arriaga

- 10H00 - 11H45** Performance by “Os Guerrilhas” - Banda Distrital do Funchal
- 15H00 - 16H45** Performance by Santa Cruz Municipal Band
- 15H30 - 17H30** Children entertainment
- 18H30** Concert by Blue Oak Band
- 20H00 / 21H00** Carnival in the Avenues

05

MARCH - TUESDAY

Central Walkway of Avenida Arriaga

- 10H00 - 11H45** Performance by Arco de São Jorge Band
- 14H30 - 16H00** Children entertainment

16H00 Slapstick Parade, open to all

Itinerary: Starting point at Avenida Francisco Sá Carneiro, Francisco Sá Carneiro roundabout, Avenida do Mar and Comunidades Madeirenses (south lane), finishing at Praça da Autonomia

- 18H30** Concert by Dona Zica music band
- 20H00 / 21H00** Carnival in the Avenues

SLAPSTICK PARADE

The “Trapalhão” Parade (slapstick parade) is held on Shrove Tuesday, in Funchal. This parade represents the one which took place originally and spontaneously at Rua da Carreira. The participants’ creativity knows no boundaries and spans from social and political satire, to traditional themes, or simple character disguise. Everybody can participate, both national and foreign citizens, individually or as a group, on the different categories included in four classifications: Adults, Children, best “slapstick” and slapstick and travesty king. The winners of each category earn a pecuniary prize.



CARNIVAL IN THE AVENUES

Between the 4th and the 10th of March, at 20:00 and 21:00 hours, takes place the Carnival in the Avenues in the central square of Avenida Arriaga. Every day, at the central square's stage, the members of several crews, which are part of the Carnival Float Parade, put up a show and offer the public a real Carnival performance.

06 MARCH - WEDNESDAY

Central Walkway of Avenida Arriaga

- 10H00 - 11H45** Performance by Paul do Mar Municipal Band
 - 15H00 - 16H45** Performance by Ponta do Sol Municipal Band
 - 15H30 - 17H30** Children entertainment
 - 18H30** Music concert by Upright Ntset
 - 20H00 / 21H00** Carnival in the Avenues
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07 MARCH - THURSDAY

Central Walkway of Avenida Arriaga

- 10H00 - 11H45** Performance by Santo Antonio Philharmonic Band
 - 15H00 - 16H45** Performance by Recreio Camponês Band
 - 15H30 - 17H30** Children entertainment
 - 18H30** Music concert by band Bossa Livre
 - 20H00 / 21H00** Carnival in the Avenues
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08 MARCH - FRIDAY

Central Walkway of Avenida Arriaga

- 10H00 - 11H45** Performance by Caniço and Eiras Philharmonic Band
 - 15H00 - 16H45** Performance by Ribeira Brava Municipal Band
 - 15H30 - 17H30** Children entertainment
 - 18H30** Music concert by Black Dog Blues Band
 - 20H00 / 21H00** Carnival in the Avenues
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CARNIVAL AT THE MUSEUMS

09

MARCH – SATURDAY

Central Walkway of Avenida Arriaga

- 10H00 - 11H45** Performance by the Parish Band of São Lourenço – Camacha
15H00 - 16H45 Performance by the orchestra group of Câmara de Lobos “Os Infantes”
15H30 - 17H30 Children entertainment
16H30 Magic Show
18H30 Music concert by Black and White Dixieland Jazz Band
20H00 / 21H00 Carnival in the Avenues

10

MARCH – SUNDAY

Central Walkway of Avenida Arriaga

- 10H00 - 11H45** Performance by Arco de São Jorge Band
15H00 - 16H45 Performance by “Os Guerrilhas” - Banda Distrital do Funchal
18H30 Carnival closing concert by Recreio Camponês band
20H00 / 21H00 Carnival in the Avenues

Notice: Programme subject to change

CULTURAL CENTER JOHN DOS PASSOS – IN THE DOS PASSOS’ KITCHEN

For Carnival, the Cultural Centre John dos Passos carries out an activity on February 28, consisting on several workshops where some traditional delicacies will be cooked.

February is the month of the traditional “malassadas” (fried dough).

This activity is free and open to the general public; to enroll, call +351 291974034 or send an email to johndospassos.drc.sretc@gov-madeira.pt

MEM, ETHNOGRAPHIC MUSEUM OF MADEIRA – “CARNIVAL IN THE MUSEUM” WORKSHOP

Place: Workshop – Educational Services

March 1, from 10:00 to 12:30

The “Carnival in the Museum” Workshop aims to present the different type of masks used and their role in the “Entrudo” (Carnival’s day). The participants will be able to create a Carnival’s mask inspired on the traditional paper masks.

Maximum number of participants: 6. For the general public

FREDERICO DE FREITAS MUSEUM

Time: 10:00 to 12:30 and 14:00 to 17:30

Until February 28

“One Hundred Carnival Pranks” is the title of a thematic visit which explores part of the collection of paintings of the Frederico de Freitas Museum’s acquis. In the plastic expression component, the students shall create an accessory for the Carnival parade.

Aimed for children from Elementary and Middle schools, through prior enrolment.

REGIONAL ARCHIVE AND PUBLIC LIBRARY OF MADEIRA (ABM)

Carnival Workshop

March 4 (Monday) – Enrolments from February 15

In this Carnival, ABM will create something fantastic for the children to use during this festive time.

Morning – 4-7 year old children (10:00 to 12:00)

Afternoon – 8-12 year old children (14:00 to 16:00)

Enrolments by phone (+351 291708400) or in person in the children's room.

For readers who hold a card.

UNIVERSO DE MEMÓRIAS DE JOÃO CARLOS ABREU

“Masks of the World” is the title of the temporary exhibition present at the Universo de Memórias João Carlos Abreu, from February 28 to March 8.

This is a way to highlight the smaller and most specific collections of the Institution's acquis.

During the daily guided visits, from Monday to Friday, to the permanent exhibition of this space, the 60 masks from the four corners of the world – America, Europe, Africa and Asia – are highlighted.

These visits are not only aimed for the general public, but also for the school children. The activities integrated in the Educational Services and ATL (Free-time Activities) do not need to be previously registered.

QUINTA DAS CRUZES – MUSEUM

“Let's discover fantastic animals”

March 4 at 15:00

Duration: 1:30 hours

Guided visit to the museum's archaeological park and fountains, with reference to the representation of fantastic animals such as dragons, winged lions, among others.

The visit shall be complemented with an educational workshop, consisting on the creating of Carnival masks inspired by the guided visit's theme.

Target audience: children between 6 and 10 years old, accompanied by a family member or responsible adult.

Participation through the prior enrolment until February 28

“In the world of hats”

From February 26 to 28, from 10:00 to 12:00 and from 14:00 to 16:00

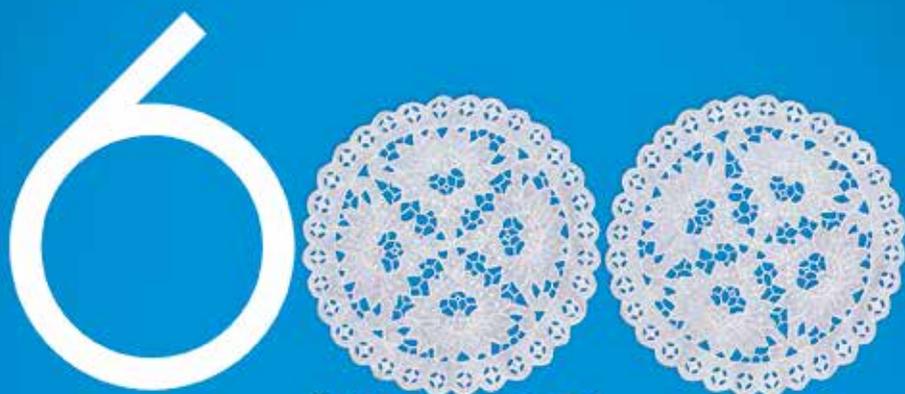
Duration: 2 hours

The hat as the identifying element in social classes, hierarchies, role, including the origin of those who wore it. The museum proposes the discovery of the several hats represented in the drawings, paintings and engravings, complemented with the creating of hats by the participants.

Target audience: school children (Elementary school).

Participation through prior enrolment by email mqc.drc.srtc@madeira.gov.pt or by phone to 291740670.

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