

Ballsau

Vilanova de Sau-Osona

Description

Campsite located in Vilanova de Sau, close to the swamp. The land is located in a forest and has some facilities. In addition to magnificent views, the area offers a wide variety of excursions and plenty of leisure activities and outings with canoes.

Capacity:

Minimum: 20 - Maximum: 100

Surface:

40 000m²

Features

- **Water:** Hose water (potable)
- **WC:** 1 cool water
- **Showers:** 1
- **Swimming area:** Sau reservoir at 2Km (you should consider drought and floodings periods, so it is recommended to ask to the owners)
- **Kitchen:** Area to settle the kitchen with fridge
- **Bus:** Up to 300m from the campsite
-  **Car:** Up to the campsite
-  **We service:** Maintenance and improvement of the campsite facilities

Price per person / night:

2.80€

Campsite Information:

- Flat field to set up the tents
- Possibility to have electricity
- Leave the cars at the restaurant parking (300m)
- If you want to do service, please visit the web section [We service](#) and fill the form

How to get?

Train:

RENFE up to Vic and then bus up to Can Morilla

Line Bus:

Bus line Vic-Vilanova de Sau (only Saturdays) or Vic- Sant Julià de Vilatorça.

Car:

From your own origin you have to arrive to C-25 up to the Exit 187 to Folgueroles-Calldetenes. After crossing Folgueroles follow the directions to Vilanova de Sau. Once in Vilanova de Sau cross the village towards Sant Romà de Sau up to a deviation on your left, around the Km 18 (it is near the restaurant Morilla). The campsite is after the houses.

Information about the region:

- Distance to other towns: Vilanova de Sau at 3,5km; Folgueroles at 12km; Sant Julià de Vilatorça at 15km; Vic at 20km
- Nearest hospital in Vic: Hospital General de Vic 93 889 11 11 (C/ Francesc Pla "El Vigatà", 1)
- Nearest medical centre in Folgueroles: 93 812 23 33
- Nearest pharmacy in Folgueroles
- Vilanova de Sau council: 93 884 70 06 (Pg. Verdaguer s/n)
- Guillerries-Savassona Natural Area: 93 884 78 88 (C/Guillerries, 5- Vilanova de Sau)
- Park rangers: 608943416, 608799641, 650123394

Cartography:

- UTM coordinates: E 450671, N 4646236
- Geographical coordinates: Lon. 2° 24' 12.85"; Lat. 41° 57' 53.02"
- [Cartographic Institute of Catalunya](#)
- [Google maps](#)

Excursions:

On foot

- GR-2: [Sant Romà de Sau-Rupit](#). Distance: 13,9 km. Difficulty: moderate
- [Rupit-salt de Sallent](#) (round route). Distance: 5,54 km. Difficulty: easy
- [Sant Pere Cassserres](#) (round route). Distance: 19,94 km. Difficulty: easy
- [Malafoçassa bridge](#). Distance: 6,07 km. Difficulty: easy

By bike

- GR 210 (Vora Ter trail): [Manlleu-Sau](#). Distance: 23,85 km. Difficulty: hard
- [From Sau swamp to Susqueda swamp](#) (round route). Distance: 40,28 km. Difficulty: easy
- [Les Guillerries itinerary](#) (round route). Distance: 36,11 km. Difficulty: hard
- [Vic-Girona by Sau and Susqueda](#). Distance: 74,50 km. Difficulty: moderate

Hillwalking

- [Malafoçassa-Sant Andreu de Bancells](#) (round route). Distance: 12,87 km. Difficulty: moderate
- [Sant Joan de Fàbregues \(Rupit\)-el Far](#). Distance: 11,37 km. Difficulty: moderate
- [La Riba-Tavertet cliff and Puig de la Força](#) (round route). Distància: 7,91 km. Difficulty: moderate
- [Vilanova de Sau cliff](#) (round route). Distance: 13,74 km. Difficulty: easy

Shelters:

- [Bellmunt shelter](#)
- [Mas Calm-Ei Cau](#)
- [Mas Les Baumes](#)
- [Sant Miquel de Falgars](#)
- [Santa Brígida](#)
- [Can Torra](#) (only MEG groups)

Protected areas:

- [Les Guillerries](#) (Natura 2000 Network, PEIN)
- [Collsacabra](#) (Natura 2000 Network, PEIN)
- [Savassona](#) (Natura 2000 Network, PEIN)

Permissions:

- Communication to Vilanova de Sau
- Owner permission
- Fire butane permission
- Emergency plan (each group has to write their own plan)

Permissions and documentation required

Authorization. Camping is only allowed to children and youth entities with the Campaments i Més permission. The user entity must specify with the campsite's owner the day and time of arrival and departure, the payment method, as well as any other additional need. The group have to visit the campsite before the activity.

Permissions. It is necessary to have these permissions:

- Activity notification to the Generalitat: when the activity lasts two or more consecutive nights. You can notify [online](#).
- Owner's permit: Campaments i Més always provide this permission.
- Fire permit for cooking: Campaments i Més always provide this permission for camps of two or more consecutive nights in the seasons of Easter and Summer.
- Communication of the activity to the City Council: Campaments i Més provide this permission if you book the campsite 30 calendar days before the camp.

Emergency plan. Each group has to write its own emergency plan.

Current legislation

Responsible person. The person responsible for the activity must be present during its realization. It is necessary to have an active contact phone 24 hours during the entire duration of the activity.

Legislation. You must comply with law [Decreto 267/2016](#), of July 5th, on educational activities in free time for children under 18, and other applicable legislation. The group who do the activity is the last responsible for compliance with the rules of application during the development of the activity and the administrative sanctions that may arise from its non-compliance.

Insurance. It is mandatory to have civil liability and accident insurance as determined by law.

Hygiene measures and respect for the environment

Order and hygiene. It is essential to maintain spaces and existing facilities with a minimum of order and cleanliness. If, when you arrive, the campsite is in poor condition, it must be communicated to the campsite owner.

Garbage. It is necessary to do selective collection of garbage and recycle in the containers enabled near the campsite. Organic remains won't be buried under no circumstances. Oils must be saved in bottles and taken to the corresponding recycling point. Campsite and its surroundings will be cleared of paper and waste.

Rivers. It is not allowed to shower or clean dishes or kitchen utensils inside the river. You have to use biodegradable soaps for cleaning always outside the river.

Compost toilets. Latrines can be built just when the campsite doesn't offer an alternative. It's not allowed to bury toilet paper, sanitary towels or tampons; you have to throw it in the trash and leave the space properly cleaned and buried.

Construction of facilities. It is not allowed to cut trees or live tree branches without previous permission from the property. Any type of construction must be undone once the camp is finished, pick up the threads, strings and nails that have been used and return the stones and wood in its natural place. You have to put the big logs in an area where it does not bother; these logs can be useful for next groups.

Conservation of the environment. Campsite as well as the fauna and vegetation of the natural area must be respected as much as possible. It is not allowed to invade the neighbouring properties.

Coexistence with the neighbourhood. Activities that could disturb the neighbourhood or hinder its normal functioning are not allowed.

Noise. Prolonged use of loud speakers and strident music is prohibited. Between 00:00am and 07:00am, it's not allow to do activities that its noise could disturb the neighborhood or the surrounding wild fauna.

Economic conditions

Advanced payment. It is the amount of money that must be paid to confirm the booking and is equivalent to 30% of the total expected cost. This advanced payment will not be returned, neither totally nor partially, in case of cancellation or reduction of days or number of people.

Settlement payment

- It is the remaining amount of the total cost and corresponds to 70% of the real number of people who have finally stayed in the camp. The calculation of the settlement will be done assuming the minimum cost of people that establishes the campsite.
- The settlement must be paid to the campsite's owner through the payment method agreed upon.

Invoice. The invoice of 100% of the cost must be requested from the campsite's owner at the time of paying the settlement.

Specific campsite regulations

Reference persons. Campaments i Més will facilitate the contact of the campsite's responsible person. If you have any incident or problem related with the campsite or facilities, communicate it immediately to the reference person.

Assembly and disassembly

- The campsite can be set up from 12:00 pm on the arrival day.
- You have to disassemble and clean the campsite before 12:00 pm on the departure day.

Cooking Area. The campsite has a specific area to settle the kitchen. However, from Campaments i Més we are going to process a fire butane permission.

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