



PROPOSAL

European RC Championship

SONSECA - TOLEDO - SPAIN

INTRODUCTION

Looking forward to celebrating the Large Scale Off-Road EC 2026

It is been long since Spain held one of this acclaimed EFRA events. More concretely, we have to look back on 2013 to see the last race of the kind being celebrated in Alcaraz (Catalunya) over a decade ago. More than ten years has elapsed since then and we are looking forward to celebrating this magnificent event at our venue in Sonseca (Toledo), Spain. It would feel as an enormous privilege both for our nation and town as well as our club.

Comparing to other candidates, our country is a MUST; not only because some other rivals (namely Fhering) has organised races of the class more oftenly than Spain, but mainly because of the privileges and advantages THAT our country benefit from. Spain is placed in the top ten ranking list of european countries with better standards of life AND enjoy the most reduced living costs. In this sense, Spain is one of the most affordable countries both in Europe and in the world with reasonable priced accomodation and the cheapest EXPENSES in meals and transport, far far away from the expensive costs of such rivals as Great Britain or Austria. You could sip easily a quarter of beer by only 2,5 euros.

What set us apart

In finishing the championship, you might make the most out of your stay here by fleeing to our spectacular sun-bathed coasts of sandy beaches and calm waters or go sightseing the splendid medieval city of Toledo with its refined gothic cathedral and the impressive fortress of “El Alcazar” or go visiting the numerous attractions of the capital of Spain, Madrid. Take the opportunity to taste some of the typical meals of our famous cuisine.

Manuel Portillo López

National Delegate of the AECAR section and president of Club RC TT Montes de Toledo

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TOURISM IN SONSECA



SONSECA'S TOWN

Sonseca's town is located at 39°, 40' and 32" latitude and -3°, 58' and 30" longitude. Its altitude is 756 meters above sea level.

This community, with almost a population of ten thousand people, is located in Toledo province, on the south, just 24 kilometers away from the Castilla-La Mancha capital and connected to Madrid (94 km) and Ciudad Real (88 km) through the A-42 and N-401, a principal runway and a county road respectively.

The municipal extension has an area of 60.27 square kilometers and is located in the area called Sisle Mayor in the midst of the foothills of the Montes de Toledo, forming a wide valley slightly tilted to the east.

Sonseca's climate is typical "Manchego", meaning it presents the characteristics of the continental Mediterranean weather. This climate is characterized in that, although it is more temperate than in the northern sub-plateau, it has areas of greater aridity. Winter temperatures are low, relative to its altitude.



LOCAL CUISINE

Sonseca's CUISINE is clearly influenced by its geographical demarcation. Therefore, small game dishes are typical (potatoes with rabbit, stewed or pickled partridge, rice with hare, seasoned hare, etc.) and roast meat, which is shared with ratatouille, Manchego gazpachos, puches or gachas of shepherd, without forgetting, the exquisite migas manchegas. Among the desserts, marzipan stands out, which has its cradle in Sonseca. One of the most peculiar and timeless ways to consume it during the year is in the form of "Almond Soup", a cold dessert made with milk, marzipan paste and bread. Among the milk desserts, rice pudding or custard also stands out. Other typical desserts are rosquillas, torrijas, mantecados, cortadillos



CULTURAL LEGACY

About 3.6 kilometers to the southwest, along the road "El Colmenarito" you can access the ruins of this Visigothic monastic complex from the 7th century, similar to that of Santa Comba de Banded in Ourense, declared a Historic-Artistic Monument in 1932. Located 3.5 kilometers from Sonseca, southwest direction, Tolanca Tower is accessed by the so-called "Camino de la Estrella". It was a lookout location for TOLEDO defence, with passive resistance. The scene of multiple legends, it was divided into several floors that served as a dwelling for the guards and a store for food and drink. Its chronology is uncertain, perhaps from the 7th or 9th century. It is located at an altitude of 832



TRADITIONS

Sonseca begins and ends its festive calendar with the celebration of Christmas. Of these festivities, we highlight the Three Kings Parade, on the afternoon of January 5, where the smallest flood the streets of the municipality with illusion and magic. Another of the celebrations with tradition and roots, which each year has a greater number of participants, is Holy Week. Its processions on Holy Thursday and Good Friday are outstanding, where the brothers along with their Pasos walk the streets of the processional layout to the beat of bugles and drums. Sonseca almost celebrates San Gregorio Romery, in may, along with its Feria Chica. In September, Sonseca enjoy the festive tradition in honor of La Virgen de los Remedios

NEARBY ACCOMMODATION

Located just 24 kilometers from Toledo, Hostal-Café Bocateria Greco is a family-friendly eatery, comfortable and in an unbeatable location, which offers its guests a pleasant and quiet environment to ensure a pleasant stay.

It serves different types of accommodation, suitable for guests seeking tranquility and peace of mind, excellent service and constant attention. It is available with single, double, triple and quadruple rooms, with individual bathroom, Wi-Fi, heating, air conditioning, and all the facilities included and according to your preference.

It includes favorable agreements with different local tourism agencies, to facilitate access to tourist and cultural activities and programs in our area, such as a visit to the town of Orgaz (located just 9 km away), the Visigothic remains of San Pedro de la Mata and the Visigothic town of Arisgotas, or a visit to the mountains of Toledo. All this goes without saying that only 24 km away is the medieval City of TOLEDO with its colossal Cathedral and its old fortress "El Alcazar".

You may find us at Avda. Reyes Católicos, 1. Sonseca | TOLEDO.



OTHER ACOMMODATION OPTIONS

HOTEL	PLACE	DISTANCE TO CIRCUIT	PRICE
LA ROSALIDA DE ORGAZ ***	ORGAZ (TOLEDO)	9 KM	46 €
LA VILLA DE ORGAZ	ORGAZ (TOLEDO)	9 KM	44 €
LAS NIEVES **	LAS NIEVES (TOLEDO)	17 KM	50 €
ABACERIA ***	TOLEDO (TOLEDO)	24 KM	95 €
PARADOR ****	TOLEDO (TOLEDO)	24 KM	124 €
HILTON TOLEDO *****	TOLEDO (TOLEDO)	24 KM	164 €



LA ROSALEDA DE ORGAZ



LA VILLA DE ORGAZ



HOTEL LAS NIEVES



HOTEL ABACERIA



PARADOR DE TOLEDO

TARGET PRICE FOR MEALS

PRODUCT	PRICE
LUNCH MENU	15 €
SOFT DRINKS	3 €
BEER	2-3 €
BREAKFAST	3-5 €
DINNER	10 €
PAELLA (4 PEOPLE)	45 €
SPECIAL MEAT DISH	25 €
COMBINED DISH	10 €



TOURISM TO DO



THEME PARK PUY DU FOU



SAN MARTIN DE MONTALBAN



MADRID CITY, CAPITAL OF SPAIN



TOLEDO, MEDIEVAL CITY



TOLEDO MOUNTAINS

MEANS OF TRANSPORT

MADRID AIRPORT. ONE HOUR AWAY FROM THE RACE TRACK



TOLEDO TRAIN STATION. HALF HOUR TO THE RACE CIRCUIT



BUS STATION IN TOLEDO AND MADRID CITIES



RENT A CAR AVAILABLE BOTH IN THE CITIES OF TOLEDO AND MADRID



Madrid to Toledo by train

It takes an average of 32 minutes to travel from Madrid to Toledo by train, over a distance of around 36 miles (59 km). There are normally 15 trains per day travelling from Madrid to Toledo and tickets for this journey starts from €13.90 when you book in advance. After landing at the 'Adolfo Suarez' airport, grab a taxi for the Atocha train station, and then one of the fastest and comfort high speed Avant trains will take you to Toledo in nearly half of an hour.

Journey Details

Frequency

Trains depart approximately every hour, with an average total of 14 non-stop departures daily

Travel time

32 minutes (fastest time)

Train stations

Madrid Puerta de Atocha and Toledo

Train features

Renfe Avant S-104 high-speed trains, reaching a maximum speed of 250km/h

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Madrid to Sonseca by bus

You can make your journey easy by travelling on bus. It means reduced costs and a non-scale journey straight to Sonseca. Comfortable seating with all commodities to make your journey by road more pleasurable

Daily buses	1
First departure and last arrival hour	11:00 – 20:00 hours
Starting price	9 euros
Average time	1:40 hours

LOCATION AND SERVICES



Calle San Gregorio Sin número 45100
Sonseca (TOLEDO)

Code: Latitude: 39.67511 Longitude:
3.99375

THE TRACK

Corrugated piping to draw the tracks of the circuit

Exterior wire fence and barriers to protect spectator from cars getting out of control

Red and white kerbs placed at corners

Compacted soils and cementation by using adhesive resin on the ground for a better grip



THE TRACK



Full Lighting system (Lampost and led focal points)
Automatic pressuring water

4.200 square meters
Track: 380 meters long
Width: From 4 to 6 meters



PROPOSAL

THE TRACK



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THE TRACK



The circuit premises are found on the outskirts of our town Sonseca, a peaceful community of almost eleven thousand population at the core of Spain, next to Madrid Capital. As long as *It is located* in the sports area, next to tennis and paddle courts, football pitches and both a winter and a summer swimming pool, there are some services at hand, for instance a snack area and a bar located inside the track circuit, and an eatery in the nearby swimming pool; public conveniences with hot showers and toilets and wheelchair accessible toilets are to be found likewise both at the track and at the nearby pools; and next to the circuit, scarcely ten

meters away crossing the main avenue (CLOSED TO TRAFFIC DURING CHAMPIONSHIP), there is a large field used as both campsite and caravan, motorcaravan-campervan parking with town water inlets and mains electricity.

JUMP OUTSIDE OF YOUR COMFORT ZONE

Manuel Portillo, the national delegate of the Large-Scale Off-Road section of AECAR (federation of radio-controlled cars in Spain), has deemed this track as fairly fast-driving and very technical: pure adrenaline, he adds. "It is quite a huge challenge that will test the drivers' skills", he says.

"Los Eucaliptos" circuit has a total length of 325 meters with tracks between 4 and 6 meters wide. Two main straightways, a flat-out kink, hair-pin corners, double and triple jumps, singles, top-tables jumps and a vertical one has been designed to make the experience more enjoyable. The fastest lap ranked from 42,609 sec. in (4WD) to 44,389 in (SC).

Corrugated piping and grassy areas has been put in place to create the lanes

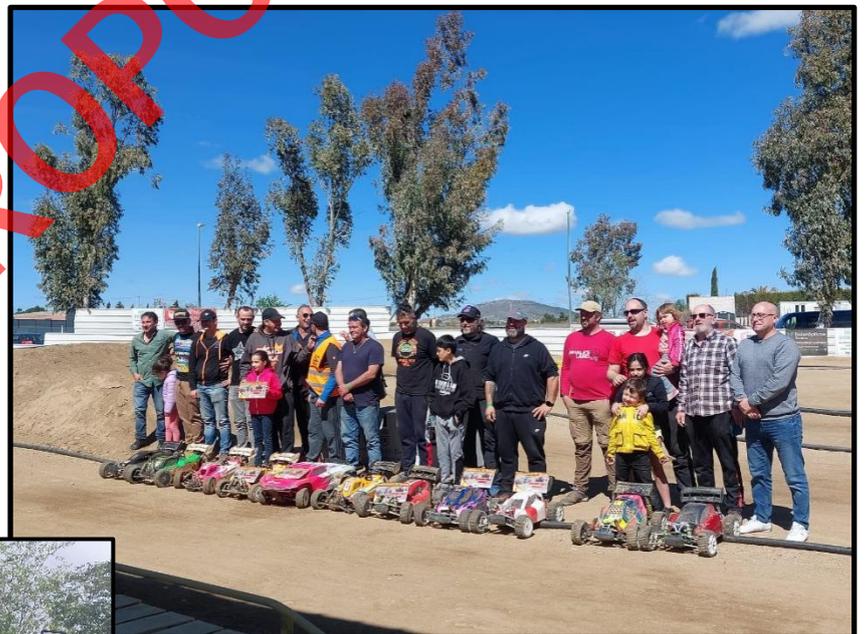




-Two stairs, one for

THE ROSTRUM

- Capacity for 15 drivers
- Roof-protected facility
- 12 mts long and 1,50 mts wide
- wide
- 2'5 mts high (floor to be)



accessing the rostrum,
another for the exit

-Public address and
monitoring system

ORGANIZATION

Organizing Team		
Race Director	Javier García	
Time keeping Supervisor	Carlos Blanquer	
Referee	Pablo Neila	

Background experience		
Championship	Redovan World Championship	
Championship	Sundry European Championship categories, including Large Scale Off Road	

OTHER SERVICES FOR THE COMPETITION



- Paddock with capacity for 150 drivers
- Tablets, chairs and Individual electricity sockets for drivers
- Roof-protected paddock
- Public-address system and race monitoring
- Pressurized air
- Illumination and lighting system
- Cleaning area

THE BOXES



- Technical Inspection
- Carburation and supervision area
- Double Timing-System and TV recording facilities

OTHER SERVICES FOR THE DRIVERS



OUR CLUB

Since its birth, early in 2020 following the pandemic era, our club “RC TT Montes de Toledo” has been increasingly growing both in members and experience. As a consequence, the president and founder of the club, Manuel Portillo López, was awarded three years ago National Delegate of Large Scale Off-Road section in AECAR (maximum body of radio-controlled model cars in our country). Since then, our association, along with AECAR, has successfully organized two national large scale off-road championships in our track and other minor events has taken place additionally at our facilities such as two nightly races and 1/8 off-road scale local competition.

SPECTATORS

Spectators’ safety is our first priority. They will remain permanently behind the wire fence that surround the circuit. Protection is reinforced by barriers around the tracks that would avoid damages from cars getting out of control. A seating stand of small dimensions is being mounted in a corner area of the circuit to follow the race.

PROPOSAL

**“The way I drive, the way I handle
the car, is an expression of my
inner feelings”**

Montes de Toledo RC Club

