

PortAventura Dreams Village celebrates its sixth anniversary with more than 1,100 families welcomed since its opening

The social project by the PortAventura Foundation has become a European benchmark in inclusive and supportive leisure, offering a space of hope and unity for families with seriously ill children



Photo of one of the families hosted at Dreams Village enjoying inclusive leisure

PortAventura World, 22 October 2025. – PortAventura Dreams Village PortAventura Dreams Village celebrates its **sixth anniversary** as the most inspiring and recognised social project of the PortAventura Foundation. Since its creation in 2019, it has offered free stays to **more than 1,100 families** with children aged between 4 and 17 who suffer from serious illnesses, establishing itself as a unique space in Europe where leisure becomes emotional well-being.

During a six-day stay, families enjoy the “Dreams Week”, giving them access to the three PortAventura World parks and to activities designed to foster connection, joy and emotional recovery in a welcoming, adapted environment. The ten accessible villas of Dreams Village – recently expanded – its green areas and the support of a team of more than 80 volunteers make it possible for each family to enjoy a restorative and meaningful experience far from the hospital routine.

David Suárez, father of Carlota, oncology patient and beneficiary of the Dreams Village project, shares: *“It was an unforgettable experience for Carlota and the whole family. Spending a few days full of joy, fun and disconnection allowed us to recharge and*



enjoy unique moments we hadn't experienced in a long time. Seeing Carlota smile and enjoy each activity with her siblings gave her a huge boost in her recovery and reminded us how important it is to dream and keep going."

A space of emotional healing, specially designed for families, where sharing similar experiences helps restore hope and strengthen family bonds. *"PortAventura Dreams Village was created with the purpose of proving that joy can also be therapeutic. In these six years, more than eleven hundred families have found here a moment of peace, an opportunity to reconnect and regain hope. This anniversary reminds us that when leisure is placed at the service of people, it becomes a powerful tool to transform lives,"* says **Josep Andreu Figueras, President of the PortAventura Foundation.**

PortAventura Dreams Village has the support of renowned hospitals such as Vall d'Hebron and Sant Joan de Déu in Barcelona, and Niño Jesús Hospital in Madrid, which help select the beneficiary families. These medical alliances, along with support from companies, foundations and volunteers, are key to enabling more than 400 families each year to enjoy this unique experience, impacting a total of 1,847 people.

Six years after its launch, the PortAventura Foundation maintains its strong commitment to making leisure a universal right and a complement to emotional recovery, positioning Dreams Village as its flagship project. Thanks to fundraising activities organised by the Foundation – such as the annual Solidarity Dinner, the Fun Run or the **PortAventura Foundation Golf Tournament** – significant financial support has been raised. This has made it possible for Dreams Village and other local initiatives to expand their reach. Meanwhile, the PortAventura Foundation continues to develop new initiatives and partnerships to broaden its social impact and reinforce its mission to bring joy, well-being and hope to those who need it most.

About the PortAventura Foundation

The PortAventura Foundation is a non-profit organisation that works to support the integration of vulnerable or at-risk communities, with special attention to children and young people. Since its creation in 2011, it has overseen all social initiatives within PortAventura World's ESG (Environmental, Social and Governance) strategy. Its flagship project is PortAventura Dreams, a pioneering initiative in Europe offering free one-week stays in a village inside the resort to children and young people with serious illnesses and their families, as part of their emotional recovery. More than 400 families stay at the village each year. The PortAventura Foundation also promotes multiple fundraising activities in support of social-purpose organisations, supports the development of solidarity events and awareness programs, and facilitates access to leisure for people at risk of social exclusion.

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