

## Edificio El Alamo, Flat 8, Avenida de la Merced, Calpe 03710, SPAIN

We hope you have a pleasant and relaxing stay in Calpe and in El Alamo. We have put some hints and tips together in order for you to find your way around the apartment.

- **Windows** - When it's very hot and the sun is directly on the balcony it's a good idea to keep the shutters closed as this will keep the whole apartment cooler. It's also a good idea to keep them closed when you're out for the day so that you don't come home to a scorching hot apartment.
- **Electricity** - The air condition units use up a lot of electricity and sometimes if you have them both on together with the water heater the electricity may cut out. This is usual in Spain so do not be alarmed. It's best not to have all the large appliances going full pelt at the same time. The kettle and microwave and hair dryer can also cause a temporary power cut so best to be aware of this. The fuse box is on the wall by the front door so you would need to switch this back on to restore power to the apartment. The switch to the hot water is above the door next to the bathroom. Please remember to switch it off when not in use.
- **Air Condition Units** - The units have already been programmed so it's best to leave them as they are. All you need to do is switch them on and use the up and down arrow to select the desired temperature. Also keep to the low fan symbol III which keeps the room at a nice regular temperature before you go to bed. Please remember these units are designed to get the room to a comfortable temperature and then to switch them off as they use a lot of power. Fans are dotted around the apartment for longer use.  
**Please remember to empty the water containers daily otherwise the balcony will flood downstairs. Containers are located just under the units on either side of the balcony.**
- **Rubbish** - Please empty your rubbish daily as you will find it gets rather smelly in the hot weather. There are green bins outside the apartments on the roadside for general rubbish and also bottle banks for everyday usage.
- The **front door** - Please remember to close this behind you. The front door to No. 8 El Alamo sticks a bit so it may need a little encouragement at the bottom. The round key is for the top lock and the square key for the bottom lock. Best to lock both top and bottom at all times.
- **Patio** - be aware not to lock yourself out on the patio – especially if there is no one inside to open the door for you, the door does not open from outside. If you lock yourself out of the apartment from the front you will have to get in touch with Sue.
- **Gas bottle** – If this runs out please get in touch with **Sue** who will arrange for a replacement.
- The **large cupboard in the hallway** used to be locked but this will now have a new washing machine installed. As this has only just been I do not have the instructions but I will ask Sue to ensure she leaves you some instructions should you wish to use it. This also contains the water heater (on/off switch above the door). If there is any leakage or trouble with the water heater you must get in touch with **Sue immediately**.
- **Bathroom** – We have just had the bathroom renovated so please take care of it as you would your own. Enjoy!
- **Parking** – you may park anywhere within the grounds of El Alamo. There is no specific allocation to each apartment. It is first come first served. There is a remote control for the car park gates which you have to remember to leave behind when you leave the apartment. It is quite costly to replace.
- **Wifi** – most hotels have this now and if you go in for a drink or use the pool you can probably pay a nominal fee to use the facility, same with swimming pool which I believe Esmeralda hotel has just across the road.

Sue's mobile: 00 34 626 21 26 04 [www.Holidayhomes.me.uk](http://www.Holidayhomes.me.uk) for more information about Calpe

**You must arrange a time on your departure date with Sue so she can refund you 100 Euros as per our terms and conditions.**

Have a great holiday and please remember to write a review on the Owners Direct website on your return.

Kind regards,

Joyce and William White

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