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Santa Bárbara de Nexe is a village and civil parish in the Portuguese municipality of Faro on the southern Algarve region. The population in 2022 was 88,736, in an area of 38.22 km². It is located a few kilometers from both the cities of Loulé and Faro.



# I.M.D.E.S FESTA







As president of this fabulous organization, I am proud and excited to celebrate our 26th annual Irmandade Mariense Festa Do Espirito Santo, (IMDES) in the tradition of the island of Santa Maria, Azores. Tradition is incredibly important to both this organization and to our culture in general, and this long standing event perfectly exemplifies what we collectively stand for. This event, and organization as a whole, is successful and prosperous because of the hard work and dedication of all of you. You are deeply appreciated. This festa means the world to IMDES! Your continued support the last 26 years have been humbling and we are forever grateful! We look forward to celebrating the Holy Spirit with all of you! May God Bless you!

> Viva la Festa CEO John Bairos



#### **FESTA ITINERARY**

April 29, 2023 - Saturday

4:00 PM Rosary

4:30 PM Bode de Leite

5:00 PM Livestock Auction

5:30 PM Grupo Etnografico Perolas do Atlantico

6:00 PM Thank You Dinner and Auction

7:30 PM Dancing with Erminio Lemos

April 30, 2023 - Sunday

10:30 AM Mass by Father Pacheco

11:30 AM Procession/Parade

12:00 PM Sopas

1:30 PM Auction and Social TIme

### **2023 FESTA PARTICIPANTS**

Impra/Impre John & Ann Bairos
Rainha Santa Isabel Emeri Norvise
Trinchante John W Bairos
Mestre de Sala Alfred C. Bairos
Briadores Cherilyn Bairos & Trudy Vierra
Copeiros Frank & Mara Anjos

#### **EXECUTIVE OFFICERS**

President John & Ann Bairos
Vice President Arlene Chaves
Secretary Jeanine Serpa-Bairos
Treasurer Mike Taylor

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