

In 1233, Peñíscola was liberated from five centuries of Arab domination.

Every year, festivals are held to celebrate this anniversary.

The "Moors and Christians festivities" are lasting a week and follow the week dedicated to the patronal saints fiestas ...

Two parades are held. Local people are involved as they are for the Holy Week, the festivals and carnival, etc.

These "actors" belong to a society or particular group.

The first evening, Christians are trapped in the city, pushed by the Moors.

The second night, rules are permuted and the Christians push the Moors out the city.

These fierce warriors are more peaceful now ...

Such festivals are celebrated in most of the cities of the ancient kingdom of Valencia.

52 views

5 ' 17"

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Remember :

The Cid has been turned to Peñíscola Cid in 1963 (Charlton Eston, Sofia Loren, Raf Vallone, ...).