



PARC DE L'ERMITA DEL PLA DE SANT JOAN

This park in Pla de Sant Joan has a Mediterranean landscape, which is usually dry and has a highly varied landscape of plants: sclerophyllous woodland, pine forests, maquis shrubland, garigues, etc.

This area contains plenty of archaeological and architectural features :

Dry stone huts for tools

The Romanesque chapel of Sant Joan del Pla

Dry stone walls

Although they are not listed as architectural heritage items, the dry stone walls are outstanding due to their size and their integration into the landscape.

The project, which was extremely environmentally friendly, consisted of:

- Cleaning the forest to emphasise and highlight exemplary trees and shrubs that are currently subject to invasion from other species.
- Providing meeting and rest areas, taking advantage of the shade of a tree, or major views.
- Laying out the paths providing access to the Park, using the solid earth technique, with existing terrain.
- The recovery of the dry stone walls, to enhance the space that these elements have created in the forest.

