

# GEOMETRIC MAP OF VILANOVA I LA GELTRÚ

WITH ITS OUTSKITRS AND PUBLIC BUILDINGS



## Legend

- Location to find ingredients
- K** The Keepers
- Other mysteries of the Agency of Secrets
- Leisure areas
- Reference locations:
  1. Espai Far
  2. Museu V.B. (Victor Balaguer)
  3. Railway Museum
  4. Museu Papal

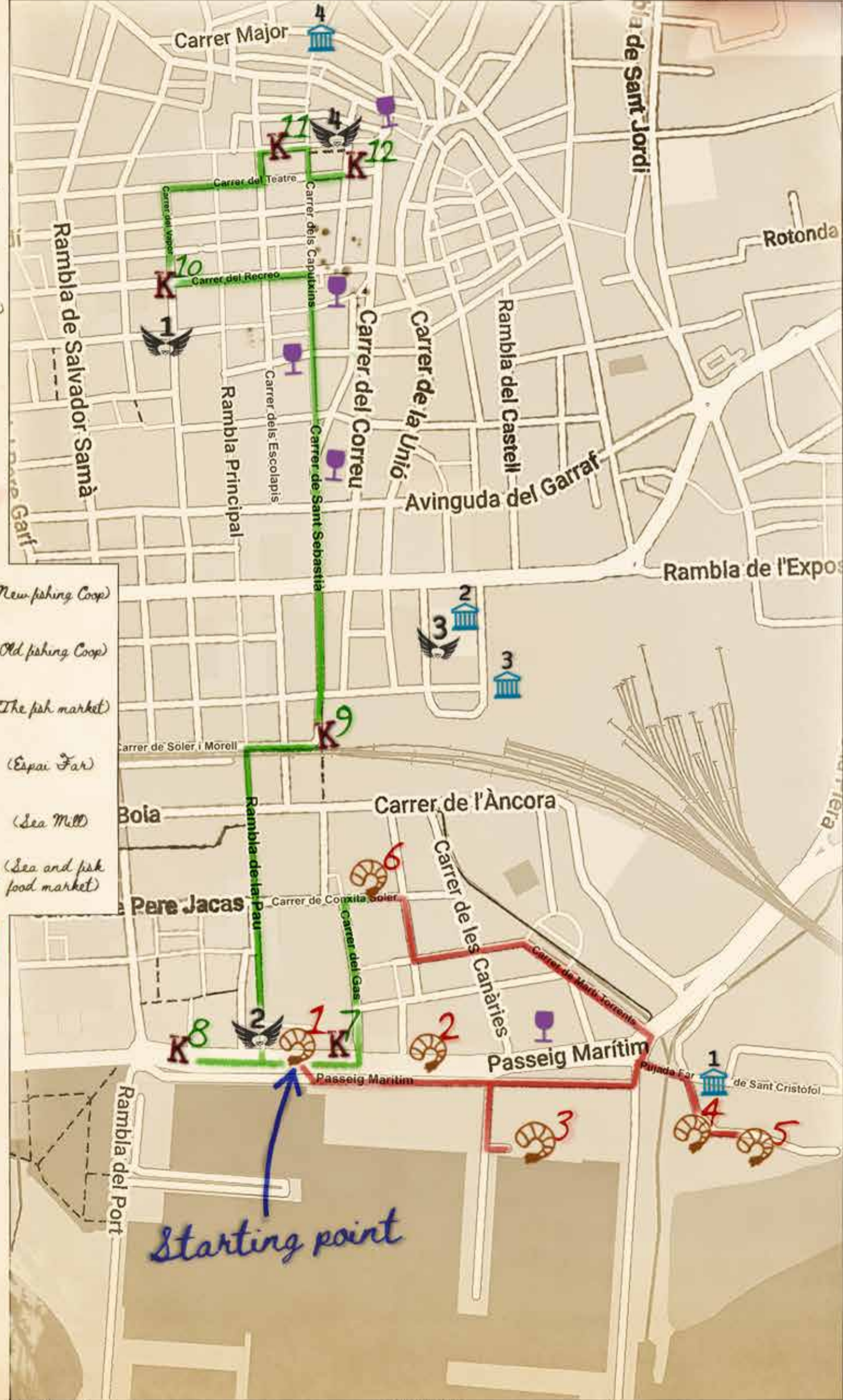
**Mission 1**  
Follow the red itinerary to solve the 1st mission of the case

- 1. Posit nou (3 ingredients) (New fishing Coop)
- 2. Posit Vell (1 ingredient) (Old fishing Coop)
- 3. La Llotja (7 ingredients) (The fish market)
- 4. L'Espai Far (2 ingredients) (Espai Far)
- 5. Moli del Mar (2 ingredients) (Sea Mill)
- 6. Mercat de Mar (6 ingredients) (Sea and fish food market)

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**Mission 2**  
Follow the green itinerary to solve the 2nd mission of the case

- K 7. Keeper
- K 8. Keeper
- K 9. Keeper
- K 10. Keeper
- K 11. Keeper
- K 12. Keeper



Starting point

If you have time and curiosity, we propose you other cases to solve from the Agency of Secrets.

### 1

**Downtown Market**  
Have you noticed the bar in the Downtown market? Maybe there's a mystery to investigate... To solve the mystery, head to the 7th Book

### 2

**Francesc Macià Monument**  
The diet during the Civil War was not as exquisite as it was at the time of the inauguration of the Víctor Balaguer Museum. Many had to satisfy themselves with a loaf of bread. To find out more about the Civil War in Vilanova, go to the AVI - Grandfather case.

### 3

**Victor Balaguer Museum**  
In 1886 an important person disappeared in Vilanova. To solve the case, go to the SURGE ET AMBULA case.

### 4

**"Cols" Square**  
Agent Turuta was seen here on several occasions. Apparently, he was looking for artistic elements in the city's buildings; he seems to have noticed especially the façade of a nearby building. He is known to have written his initials in stone. To find out what he made of these initials go to the LAYERS case.

**Mission 1: Look for the hidden ingredients in Vilanova!  
Where will you find them?**

The basic ingredients of Vilanova's seafaring cuisine are the vegetables of the local orchards and, as the main ingredient, top quality fish.

Vilanova's dishes are dominated by simplicity, common sense and the cook's experience.

**4 El Far de Vilanova (The Vilanova's Lighthouse)**  
- Here you will find:

The San Cristóbal lighthouse is popularly known as the Vilanova lighthouse. The first maritime signal was inaugurated in 1834. It has been enlarged several times, the last one in 1905. Since then it has always been in operation and has only been switched off once, in 1939 during the Civil War.

The Vilanova Lighthouse holds the Museum of the Sea, which aims to highlight the value of the maritime heritage.

*Visit the Espai Far (Lighthouse Space) and immerse yourself in the seafaring history of Vilanova.*



**6 Mercat de Mar (Sea market)**  
- Here you will find:

It was inaugurated in 1982, in one of the most charismatic enclaves of the city's maritime quarter. More than 40 professionals offer fresh products from the orchard and the sea.

*Stroll through the sea market, enjoy a market full of life, parades and fresh produce. The best freshly caught fish.*



**3 La Llotja de Vilanova (The fish market of Vilanova)**  
- Here you will find:

The fish market is the place in the fishing port where the auction of the catches is carried out. The traditional way of auctioning was by voice, where the buyers stood around the boxes, and the auctioneer set the price. The auction was downward, i.e. it started with a certain amount and went down in price until one of the buyers, with a shout, stopped it, meaning that he would buy that box. Nowadays the system is automated and the process is done with computers and technology.

*Stroll through the port and immerse yourself in the smell of one of the most important fishing ports in Catalonia!*

**5 The sea mill (Molí de Mar)**  
- Here you will find:

At the beginning of the 19th century, the sea mill was created, which was intended to be able to use the force of the waves to drive a system of pumps to make the sea water rise in an upper basin; when the water was drained by gravity, it would turn a millstone to be able to grind flour. The benign conditions of our sea, however, did not allow for a sufficiently regular wave cycle to give continuity to a project that was intended to take advantage of natural resources and become, in today's terms, a sustainable source of energy...

*Discover the vestiges of a work at the cutting edge of its time!*



**2 Pòsit Vell (Old fishing Coop)**  
- Here you will find:

Former social club and warehouse of the Cofradia de Pescadores (Fishermen's Guild). It was built in 1898. It is a building with a large window opening onto the Paseo Marítim, which fits in harmoniously with the old fishermen's houses. The ground floor was used for repairing the nets, while the first floor was used for social activities. The decoration of the façade, with ceramic details, gives it a modernist touch.

**1 Pòsit Nou (New fishing Coop)**  
- Here you will find:

The new fishing cooperative was inaugurated on Saint Peter's Day 1925. It was a clear example of labour, community and cooperative organization. It offered its participants mutual aid in the event of an accident at work that prevented them from carrying out their work. It created spaces for fishermen to meet and had a special concern for culture.

*Discover the fishing cooperatives, spaces full of seafaring history!*