



Vamos, a village with "character" as locals describe the location, because of its position at the feet of the White Mountains. This village was built by the Venetians around the 12th century and since then it has been the capital of the Apokoronas district. For many years people always were attracted to Vamos because of its landscape of clear mountain and sea views.

Vamos scenery is composed of vineyards, cypress and fig trees, olive groves during the winter, wheat fields during the summer. The landscape which changes colour depending on the season turns the village into a magical and exploratory place full of memories for the ones living or the ones visited.

Tales and history of the village are revealed by its architecture based upon Venetian and neoclassic buildings along with the churches and the old long-yard schools. In fact, a group of villagers started a project to preserve the traditional way of life of Vamos. In 1995 with funds from the European Union, they started a project to showcase the crafts and products of the region and restored old stone buildings using traditional materials and crafts and turned them into guest houses.

In 1999, an 18th century large property was bought by a local couple in order to be renovated. Many European magazines were interested in this project and published a number of articles examining the options and possible exploitations of this property.

A lot of ideas, blueprints, plans, drawings and suggestions were taken under consideration by one of our building contractors and after two years of hard work, a tasteful, professionally renovated and elegant house was completed and presented to our company in November 2004.

Ideally situated on the best spot of the village having, front and back, views of the sea and mountains, this three storey semi-detached house is portrayed by a long yard in the front entrance which includes a hanging vine and a small well.

Starting from the ground floor, there is a kitchen, living room with a fire place, a guest room, bathroom and the path to a wooden stair leading to second floor.

Second floor with two bedrooms and a study-sitting room are assembled and decorated with good taste giving emphasis on the oak-tree made windows and door which show the way to stone built wide steps leading downstairs on the front yard.

Finally, third floor is the huge attic which accommodates a bedroom and a door to a neat wide stone built veranda with tremendous view to the sea, mountains and the entire village.

Last, but not least, the house is also partly furnished with antiques and domestic-look furniture in order to present the actual character and appearance of its origin.

The 180m² house with its front yard is surrounded with a tall stone wall, providing the property with total privacy including as well a small part, inside the front patio and separate from the house, which can be renovated and be used as a storage room or a guest house in view of the fact that is fairly big.

Price: 255,000€

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