



# Menorca

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Beat the crowds in Menorca (or Minorca), the smallest and most tranquil of the Balearic islands. The stunning coves and white sand beaches are matched with idyllic countryside and historic ruins. This island's charm attracts visitors year round.



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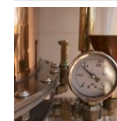
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## THE CITY



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Menorca, the most eastern isle of Spain's Balearic Islands, is only 48 kilometres long and 20 kilometres wide but it still manages to pack in over 100 beaches along its coastline - more than Ibiza and Mallorca combined. Consequently, unfurling a towel and soaking up the rays are the most prevalent thoughts of the thousands of holidaymakers who touch down at Mahón Airport during the six-month season. And indeed, Menorca is a perfect place to go snorkelling and to discover hidden caves. You can also get spectacular views of the stunning coastline, and the island's marvellous nature by either hiking on Monte Toro, its highest peak, or by a going on a horseback excursion. The reward of any activity is always a breathtaking view, and on a clear day, you can even see all the way to Mallorca.

However, Menorca has a lot more to offer than just sandy beaches, amazing landscapes and its beautiful coastline. Take a stroll to the historic cities to see the architectural heritage of the British occupation or the medieval era: to Fort Marlborough with its gloomy tunnels, to La Mola or to Cathedral Ciudadella, a beautiful church with lovely stonework and stained glass windows. On top of that, you can sample one of the best legacies of the British ruling: locally distilled gin.

## DO & SEE



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Many visitors immediately head east through the flower-freckled meadow land of the interior to the resorts of Cala en Forcat, Cala en Bosch and Cala Galdana. However, step off the beaten track and you will be rewarded - Mahón (or Maó), an interesting capital with a turbulent history, saw many sea conflicts as the Spanish, British and French grappled for control of this strategically important naval base. The influences of all three cultures, as well as the native Balearic one, can be seen here today.

### Mahón



Menorca's capital Mahón (or Maó, in Catalan) boasts terrific sights and a colourful history that is best explored by boat trip along the harbour. Do also stroll around, starting at Placa Colona, and lose yourself in a warren of tight alleyways.

Photo: Mario Sánchez Prada/Flickr.com (image cropped)

Address: Mahón, Menorca

### Fort Marlborough



The low-lying Fort Marlborough was built by the British in the 18th century, and as a cover operation, its entrance was hidden in a deep tunnel. Take a tour through the fort's gloomy tunnels for a unique experience.

Photo: Crisco 1492/Wikimedia.org (image cropped)

Address: Cala de Sant Esteve, Menorca

Opening hours: Daily 9:30am-3pm

Phone: +34 971 360 462

More Info: There is no public transport to Cala Sant Esteve but you can get there by walking around 2km from Es Castell after taking one of the regular buses that run from Mahón.

### Pedreras De S'hostal



Pedreras de S'Hostal is one of the most beautiful ethnological places on the island. An astounding natural labyrinth made of incredible sandstone

shapes left by both manual carvers as well as mechanical carvings, this part-quarry and part-sculpture field is a tranquil place. Visit in summer to enjoy one of the many live concerts.

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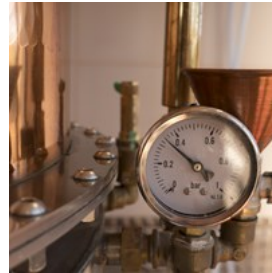
Opening hours: 1st Apr-23rd Mar: daily 9M30am-2:30pm.

24th Mar-1st Nov: Mon-Sat 9:30am-2:30pm and 4:30pm-sunset. Sun 9:30am-2:30pm.

Phone: +34 971 481 578

Internet: [www.lithica.es](http://www.lithica.es)

### Xoriguer Gin Distillery



Gin was popularised during the 18th and 19th century, and the brand "Xoriguer" was born in the early 20th century, on this very island with a very distinctive aroma. Sample one of the best legacies of the British occupation, and grab a Menorcan memento on top.

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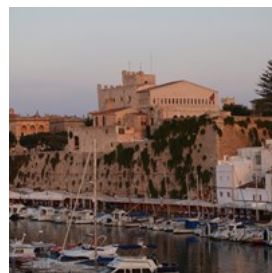
Opening hours: Mon-Fri 10am-6pm. Sat 10am-1pm

Phone: +34 971 362 197

Internet: [www.xoriguer.co.uk](http://www.xoriguer.co.uk)

Email: [xoriguer@xoriguer.es](mailto:xoriguer@xoriguer.es)

### Ciutadella

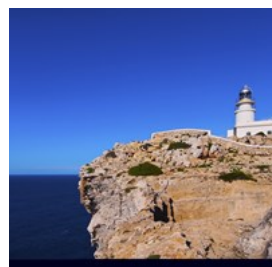


Ciutadella de Menorca is a small town and the cultural rival of Mahón. Take a stroll along the canal-like harbour and dine on fresh lobster in one of the waterside restaurants, before checking out British colonial ruins.

Photo: Joan Martinez/Flickr.com (image cropped)

Address: Ciutadella, Menorca

### Cap de Cavalleria



Menorca has many beautiful lookout points, and one of them, in the island's north, is Cap de Cavalleria. Visit at sunrise or sundown for the most spectacular views. The beautiful Favàritx Lighthouse also offers lovely coastal views of quaint little roads which end in crystal clear bays.

Photo: Karol Kozlowski/Shutterstock.com  
Address: Cap de Cavalleria, Menorca

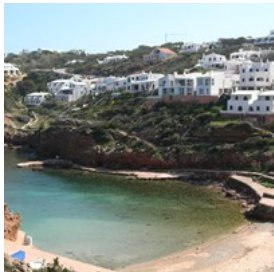
### La Mola



La Mola is one of the major European fortresses built in the 19th century. Located by the harbour in Mahón, it offers both an interesting insight into history and panoramic view points onto land and ocean.

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Address: Carretera Mola, Mahón, Menorca  
Opening hours: May-Sep: daily 10am-8pm. Apr, Oct: daily 10am-6pm. Feb-Mar, Nov: Tue-Sun 10am-2pm  
Phone: +34 971 364 040  
Internet: [www.fortalesalamola.com](http://www.fortalesalamola.com)  
Email: [lamola@fortalesalamola.com](mailto:lamola@fortalesalamola.com)  
More Info: Guided tours in different languages are provided, and they take approximately 1,5 hour

### Cala Morell



Cala Morell is the hidden gem of Ciutadella. Here, you can explore different caves, go snorkelling or just admire the picturesque village and its laidback atmosphere.

Photo: Enfo/Wikimedia.org (image cropped)  
Address: Cala Morell, Ciutadella, Menorca

### Monte Toro



Monte Toro is Menorca's highest point, with a simply breath taking view. On a very clear day, you may even catch a glimpse of Mallorca. Take a picnic or enjoy coffee or lunch at the cafe at

the top.

Photo: Ian Kirk/Wikimedia.org (image cropped)  
Address: Monte Toro, Menorca

### Cathedral of Ciutadella de Menorca



A beautiful Gothic church in Ciutadella, with lovely stonework and stained glass windows, this is a peaceful and tranquil place to spend a couple of quite hours.

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Address: Place de la Catedral, Ciutadella, Menorca  
Phone: +34 971 380 343  
Internet: [www.bisbatdemenorca.com](http://www.bisbatdemenorca.com)

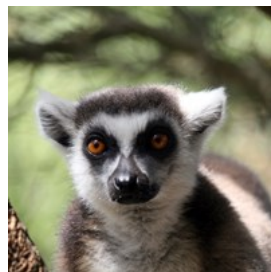
### Torre d'en Galmés



One of the biggest archaeological sites on the Balearic Islands. On a clear day, you can see all the way to Mallorca.

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Address: Carretera San Bou, Menorca  
Phone: +34 902 929 015

### Lloc de Menorca



This small zoo is home to monkeys, lemurs, wallabies, kangaroos, domestic Menorcan animals, and creatures from all around the world. This is a family-friendly venue suitable for all ages.

Photo: Luca Pastorino/Shutterstock.com  
Address: Carretera General KM 7-8, L'Argentina, Menorca  
Opening hours: Jul-Aug: daily 10am-8pm. Jun, Sep: daily

10am-7pm. May, Oct: daily 10am-6pm. 24th Mar-1th May:

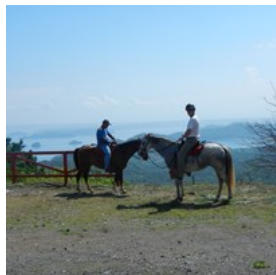
Tue-Sun 10am-6pm

Phone: +34 971 372 403

Internet: [www.llocdemenorca.com](http://www.llocdemenorca.com)

Email: [info@llocdemenorca.com](mailto:info@llocdemenorca.com)

### Menorca a Cavall



Enjoy diverse scenery on a guided horseback excursion through the exciting landscape of Menorca. This adventure is open to everyone from

beginners to seasoned pros.

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Address: Calle Mestre Obrador, Ferreries, Menorca

Phone: +34 971 374 637

Internet: [www.menorcaacavall.com](http://www.menorcaacavall.com)

Email: [menorcaacavall@gmail.com](mailto:menorcaacavall@gmail.com)

### Aqua Center



This aqua park offers rides of all kinds, as well as a café and restaurants.

Photo: Mariamichelle/Pixabay.com (image cropped)

Address: Av Principal s/n, Cala'n Blanes, Menorca

Opening hours: Daily 10:30am-6:30pm

Phone: +34 971 388 705

Internet: [www.aquacenter-menorca.com](http://www.aquacenter-menorca.com)

Email: [info@aquacenter-menorca.com](mailto:info@aquacenter-menorca.com)

### Jeep Safari Menorca



Step off the beaten track and enjoy spectacular views of the sunset (while listening to a traditional Spanish guitarist!) on this Jeep tour. Discover the

geological and ecological side of Menorca in the

interior of the island while learning about its unique history.

Photo: Nan Palmero/Flickr.com (image cropped)

Address: Carrer Nou 14, Medcadal, Menorca

Phone: +34 687 773 248

Internet: [www.jeepsafarimenorca.es](http://www.jeepsafarimenorca.es)

Email: [info@jeepsafarimenorca.es](mailto:info@jeepsafarimenorca.es)

### Bodegas Binifadet



Enjoy a wine tasting and a free tour in this local winery. Wine can be accompanied by goat cheese, marinated in red wine and wine-based

jams.

Photo: Free-Photos/Pixabay.com (image cropped)

Address: Cami De Ses Barraques, Sant Lluís, Menorca

Opening hours: Daily 11am-11pm

Phone: +34 971 150 715

Internet: [www.binifadet.com](http://www.binifadet.com)

Email: [binifadet@binifadet.com](mailto:binifadet@binifadet.com)

### Isla del Rey



This island is a protected natural site with important local fauna and flora. Learn the history of a naval hospital in a unique building from the

XVIII century, and the remains of a Paleocrisian Basilica from the VI century. Take a boat to Isla del Rey, and join one of its tours that are held by volunteers in both English and Spanish.

Photo: JulioT/Wikimedia.org (image cropped)

Address: Isla del Rey, Menorca

Public Transport: Departures: 1st Apr-31st Oct: 8.45am. 1st Nov-31st Mar: 8.45am

Phone: +35 639 676 351

Internet: [www.islahospitalmenorca.org](http://www.islahospitalmenorca.org)

More Info: Opening hours may vary so do check them on the website prior arrival.

### Parc Natural de s'Albufera des Grau



A Marshland conservation area with nature trails, as well as facilities for picnicking, kayaking, snorkeling, and wildlife watching.

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Address: Carretera de Maó a Es Grau, Km 3, 5, 07700, Balearic Islands, Spain  
Phone: +34 971 17 77 05  
Internet: [www.en.balearsnatura.com](http://www.en.balearsnatura.com)

### Museo de Menorca (Museum)



A wide-spanning museum which showcases Menorca's cultural heritage, from prehistoric sculptures to Roman artefacts to fine art, this free-entry museum is a whistle-stop tour of the fascinating cultural influences at play on this island.

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Address: Pla des Monestir, 07701 Maó, Illes Balears, Spain  
Phone: +34 971 35 09 55  
Internet: [www.museudemenorca.com/en/home](http://www.museudemenorca.com/en/home)

## BEACH LIFE



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Beach-goers are spoiled for choice in Menorca. Some are only accessible by private road where a small toll is often charged during the summer months.

### Cala Macarelleta

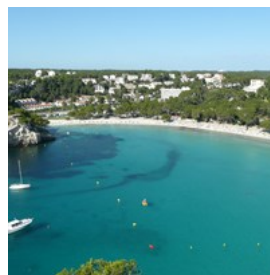


This remote sand beach is cloistered by two rocky outcrops and a dense pine grove. Only accessible by foot, this beach has stunning, unspoiled scenery.

Photo: Markus Trienke/Flickr.com (image cropped)

Address: Cala Macarelleta, Menorca  
More Info: Nudity is permitted but not required.

### Cala Galdana

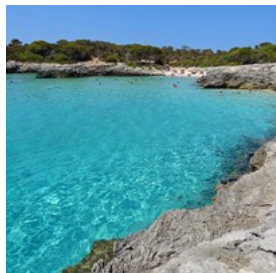


Known as the 'Queen of the Calas', this large sandy beach in the shape of a horseshoe is fringed by pine trees. With watering holes, facilities and eateries nearby, this spot is perfect for families who want to enjoy a fun yet relaxed day at the beach.

Photo: Paul Stephenson/Flickr.com (image cropped)

Address: Cala Galdana, Menorca

### Cala Talaier



This quiet sheltered cove on the south west coast of Menorca boasts white sand, clean turquoise waters and a border of pine trees.

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Address: Cala Talaier, Menorca

### Arenal d'en Castell



Arenal d'en Castell is one of the most popular beaches on the island, due to its extensive selection of water sports facilities, shops, bars and restaurants. Head here for relaxation after a day's sightseeing.

Photo: pawel kazmierczak/Shutterstock.com

Address: Arenal de'en Castell, Menorca

### Cala Mitjana



With its white sand, clear water, picturesque cliffs and a forest in the background, Cala Mitjana (and Cala Mitjaneta) is a must-visit. The beaches are just metres away from each other, swimming back and forth is possible, but the connecting dirt road also allows for a great view over these two bays. As there are no restaurants or shops around, remember to bring supplies.

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Address: Cala Mitjana, Menorca

## DINING



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The island's signature dish is (unsurprisingly) seafood - caldereta de llagosta, or lobster stew, to be precise. Anyway, you can also expect pork with apples or plums, and dozens of variations of oliaigues, or garlic soup, but you should not be tempted by a Minorcan breakfast, unless you are of a robust constitution, as you will then order some great neat gin!

### Es Nautic Ciutadella



This restaurant serves high-class seafood, and outstanding views over the harbour on top. While this is the best spot in town for trying lobster stew, you will also enjoy its very pleasing atmosphere.

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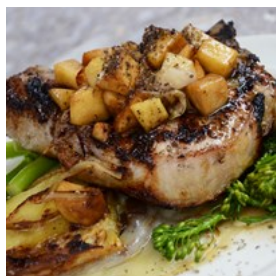
Address: 8 Cami de Baix, Ciutadella, Menorca

Opening hours: Daily 6am-12am

Phone: +34 971 386 375

Internet: [www.cnciutadella.com](http://www.cnciutadella.com)

### Es Molí d'es Racó



This restaurant invites you to traditional Minorcan dining experience, in the confines of an old windmill with a very special atmosphere. Specialities include partridge with cabbage and roast suckling pig, so head here for having a proper traditional meal.

Photo: Free-Photos/Pixabay.com (image cropped)  
Address: 53 Calle Major, Es Mercadal, Menorca  
Opening hours: Daily 12pm-4pm and 7pm-11pm  
Phone: +34 971 375 392  
Email: info@restaurantemolidesraco.com

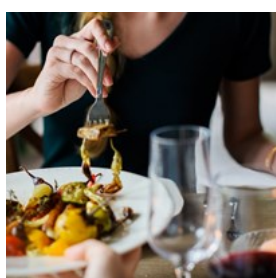
### Sa Figuera



With four fishing boats and ten waiters, the chances of getting fresh fish really fast are more than high at Sa Figuera, and it will also most likely please every taste bud. While all the dishes are of high quality, the selection of top-class white wines is also highly impressive.

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Address: 99 Carrer Marina, Ciutadella, Menorca  
Opening hours: Daily 11am-11pm  
Phone: +34 971 382 112  
Internet: www.safiguera.com/en

### Haiti



Haiti is a Caribbean styled restaurant offering indeed a bit of everything such as traditional Minorcan food as well as Spanish and Indian dishes. Head here if you have not decided yet

about what to eat tonight.

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Address: Avda. Los Delfines, Los Delfines, Menorca  
Phone: +34 971 389 265  
Internet: www.haiti-restaurant.com  
Email: info@haiti-restaurant.com

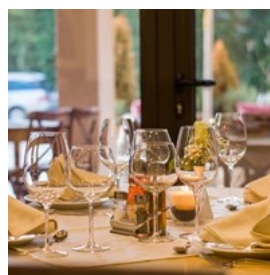
### Bar Espana



Bar Espana serves all kind of dishes ranging from European classics and seafood to excellent Spanish dishes, among which you definitely have to try the paella. While the service is attentive and friendly, the atmosphere is quite cosy and indeed relaxed.

Photo: EstudioWebDoce/Pixabay.com (image cropped)  
Address: Carrer Victori 48, Es Castell, Islas Baleares, Menorca  
Opening hours: Tue-Sun 9am-11pm  
Phone: +34 971 363 299

### Pan y Vino



Pan y Vino serves delicious French food, and its fabulous location is quite perfect for if you have a special occasion to celebrate. Needless to say that this French venue boasts a great wine selection but they also feature an incredible atmosphere that invites you to enjoy your night.

Photo: neshom/Pixabay.com  
Address: Camí de la Coixa 3, Sant Lluís, Menorca  
Opening hours: Daily 7:15pm-10:30pm  
Phone: +34 971 150 201  
Internet: www.panyvinomenorca.com  
Email: reservas@panyvinomenorca.com



### Can Bernat des Grau



this family-run restaurant focuses on fish dishes, and they serve a fresh and local cuisine that also includes delicious meat and vegetarian options.

Head here for an inspiring atmosphere and quite some experience of Menorcan cuisine.

Photo: cattalin/Pixabay.com (image cropped)

Address: 3 Carretera Mahón, Mahón, Menorca

Opening hours: Sun-Thu 7pm-12am. Fri-Sat 7pm-00:30am

Phone: +34 650 974 685

Email: info@canbernatdesgrau.com

### Ca Na Marga



Ca Na Marga serves typical Mediterranean barbecue in a lovely setting that will spread some nice atmosphere with its wine cellars close

by. Just about anything goes on the grill here, and from meat and fish to vegetables, everything tastes equally delicious.

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Address: Urb. Ses Salines 1, Ses Salines, Menorca

Opening hours: Daily 7pm-1:30am

Phone: +34 971 376 410

Internet: www.canamarga.com

Email: jordi@canamarga.com

### La Perla de La Habana



La Perla de La Habana offers a Cuban inspired menu including snacks, pizzas and salads, and they serve at a big terrace where you can

enjoy their food at its very best. Head here for having a blend of food cultures, and a very

pleasant stay.

Photo: ubik123/Pixabay.com (image cropped)

Address: Sa Rosa Dels Vents s/n, Son Xoriguer, Menorca

Phone: +34 667 062 289

Email: cuba79@gmail.com

### Casa Tia



This family-run venue offers Spanish food and a wide selection of tapas to chose from. As everything is very reasonably priced, there is no need to miss

out all the favourites such as the Mahón cheese with honey, the lamb empanadas and the Chorizo sausage.

Photo: Takin' Shotz/Shutterstock.com

Address: Paseig de la Platja 12, Cala'n Porter, Menorca

Opening hours: Tue-Sun 7pm-10:30pm

Phone: +34 656 377 141

Email: casatia2@gmail.com

### Ulisses



Right next to the fish market, most fresh fish and seafood are - consequently - the speciality of this restaurant that also

serves a very exotic array of gin and other liquors to choose from. While having here lunch or dinner is quite some start into day and night, you can also stay here for several hours still.

Photo: Kristi Blokhin/Shutterstock.com

Address: Plaça de la Llibertat 22, Ciutadella, Menorca

Opening hours: Mon-Thu 8am-2:30pm and 4:30pm-12am. Fri 8am-2:30pm and 4:30pm-3am. Sat 8am-3am. Sun 11am-4pm

Phone: +34 971 380 031

Email: joancanalsbartender@gmail.com

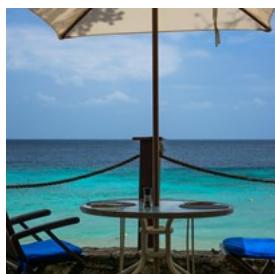
## CAFES



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Coffee 'time outs' are obligatory in the Menorcan culture, and thanks to its many cafes, you will not have any difficulty in finding the right spot when longing for a pause. On top of satisfying this craving, by serving both drinks and snacks, many venues offer spectacular ocean views with which all the treats can be enjoyed very best.

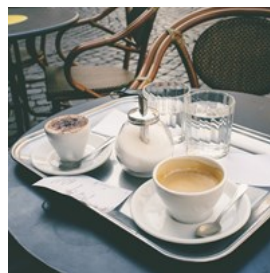
### Es Bruc



Es Bruc is as close to the briny as you can be without getting salt water sloshing into your coffee, as the outside terrace is mere metres away from the water's edge. While this is a great pit stop for a cup of coffee, a glass of wine or a light bite to eat will also be served nearly all day long.

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Address: Playa de San Adeodato, Es Migjorn-Santo, Menorca  
Opening hours: Daily 10am-11pm  
Phone: +34 971 370 488

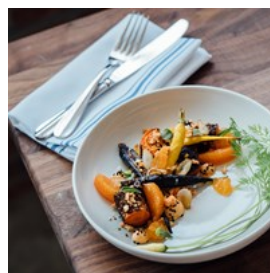
### Ca Na Divina



This cafe in the old quarter of Alaior is a local's favourite, as to its great coffee and its huge selection of Menorcan pastries. On its summer terrace, the friendly service will provide you with everything you need for enjoying a sunny day best.

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Address: 9 Placa Constitucio, Alaior, Menorca  
Phone: +34 971 371 348

### La Perla de La Habana



This venue is not only a great spot for having dinner at night, but also a fantastic place to go to for a little Cuban flavour during the day! Here, you can have a light snack, a light lunch or even a cocktail right after coffee, and - either way - enjoy yourself best.

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Address: Sa Rosa Dels Vents s/n, Son Xoriguer, Menorca  
Phone: +34 667 062 289  
Email: cuba79@gmail.com

### Ca Nu Maru



This bakery is a sweet tooth's paradise, as you can buy traditional Menorcan snacks and pastries here. You can also head here for lunch, as they serve great salad with fresh ingredients as well.

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Address: Career de Ferreries 11, Alaior, Menorca

Phone: +34 971 371 706

### Herbera Bakery



At the very heart of Mahón's Old Town, this bakery serves a huge array of pastries along with great coffee and freshly-squeezed orange

juice. Head here for breakfast or a quick coffee, as this will be a great start of the day before strolling around town.

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Address: Carrer de Maó 28, Ciutadela, Menorca

Opening hours: Mon-Sat 8am-2pm and 4:30pm-8:30pm. Sun 8:30am-2pm and 4:30pm-8:30pm

Phone: +34 971 482 216

Internet: [www.pastisseriaherbera.com](http://www.pastisseriaherbera.com)

Email: [info@pastisseriaherbera.com](mailto:info@pastisseriaherbera.com)

### PIPET & Co



A stone's throw away from the harbour at Mahón, this cafe is known for its breakfast, and its egg dishes are said to be done to perfection. Fried

or poached, they come with toppings such as avocado or bacon. The variety of dishes is fantastic, as well as the attentive service and the attractive interior.

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Address: 10 Plaça Bastió, Mahón, Menorca

Opening hours: Tue-Sat 9am-4pm

Phone: +34 971 366 368

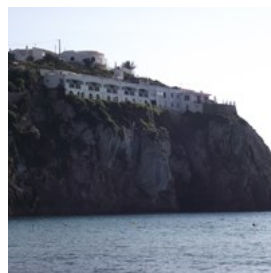
## BARS & NIGHTLIFE



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A word of advice: do not come to Menorca if you are a nocturnal neon-seeker with a penchant for high decibels to which you may be used to after visiting Mallorca 'next door'. Although this smaller island is not the destination for a heavy night out, the lights will not turn off at bed time already, as Mahón, Ciutadella and most resort areas have a profusion of bars and a handful of clubs - however, do not expect A-list DJ's and dancing till breakfast, and you will then most certainly enjoy a quite great night.

### Cova de'n Xoroi



Menorca's most famous hot spot, Cova de'n Xoroi, is located in a cave halfway down a cliff, and the legend has it that a famous pirate here met a

watery death. While this venue is a bar by day, it transfers into a disco by night, as soon as the lights turn down, and the music turns up.

Photo: Iris Plaza/Flickr.com (image cropped)

Address: Carrer de sa Cova 2, Alaior, Menorca

Opening hours: Jun-Sep: daily 11:30am-closing

Phone: +34 971 377 236

Internet: [www.covadenxoroi.com](http://www.covadenxoroi.com)

Email: [cova@covadenxoroi.com](mailto:cova@covadenxoroi.com)

More Info: Opening hours during non-peak seasons vary so check them prior arrival.

### Casino Maritim Menorca



Try your luck at Casino Maritim Menorca, and its blackjack, poker and roulette tables will certainly keep you excited, and busy for quite a long time. After winning some money, you can take a quick break at the restaurant or a bar, before heading back out again for challenging fortune once more.

Photo: thebarrowboy/Flickr.com (image cropped)

Address: Moll de Llevant 287, Mahón, Menorca

Opening hours: Game room: Sun-Thu 9pm-4am. Fri-Sat 9pm-5am. Machine room: Sun-Thu 4pm-4am. Fri-Sat 4pm-5am

Phone: +34 971 364 962

Internet: [www.casinomaritim.es](http://www.casinomaritim.es)

Email: [contacto@casinomaritim.es](mailto:contacto@casinomaritim.es)

### Jazzbah



As one of the best nightspots in Ciutadella's buzzing Pla de Sant Joan, Jazzbah offers three different areas that all promise pleasure: it is either live music and DJ sessions, a chill out lounge, or a private lounge that needs to be booked. Head here for enjoying fantastic music, and also great drinks.

Photo: Jacob Lund/Shutterstock.com

Address: Pla de Sant Joan 3, Ciutadella, Menorca

Opening hours: Daily 11pm-5:30am

Phone: +34 971 482 953

Internet: [www.jazzbah.es](http://www.jazzbah.es)

Email: [info@jazzbah.es](mailto:info@jazzbah.es)

### La Margarete



In the tranquility of this hangout garden bar, you can savour great cocktails in a fantastic atmosphere, and live band performances and independent music on stage. Head here for enjoying a great night out in a sophisticated yet cosy atmosphere.

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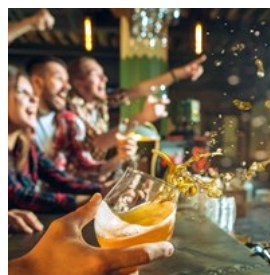
Address: Carrer de Sant Joan Baptista 6, Ciutadella, Menorca

Opening hours: Mon-Sat 7:30pm-3:30am. Sun 9pm-3:30am

Phone: +34 971 482 097

Email: [lamargarete@gmail.com](mailto:lamargarete@gmail.com)

### Kit Kat Bar



If you are looking for a genuine English pub, with sports on TV, a pint, and a ploughman's lunch, then this venue is the right place to go. While quiz nights and a pool table will entertain you best, the owner is also always up for a chat.

Photo: Master1305/Shutterstock.com

Address: Centro commercial Son Bou, Alaior, Menorca

### Akelarre Jazz Dance



This Jazz Club is not only famous among jazz-lovers but also for anyone who enjoys a night out with great food, regular live music performances and a view of the harbour on top. As this is simply a place with good vibes, you will most certainly enjoy its hours.

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Address: Carre Moll de Ponent, Mahón, Menorca

Opening hours: Daily 12pm-4am  
Phone: +34 971 368 520  
Internet: [www.akelarrelivemusic.es](http://www.akelarrelivemusic.es)  
Email: [info@akelarrejazz.es](mailto:info@akelarrejazz.es)

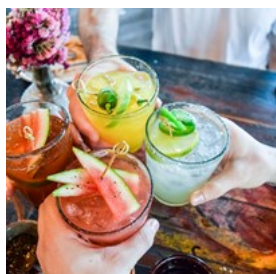
### Bar Nou



You cannot leave Minorca without going to Nou Bar, as this Art Nouveau styled venue is the perfect for having a fantastic night out in a great atmosphere. While you can head here with good friends, you can also mingle with locals over a nice drink, or maybe two.

Photo: TORWAISTUDIO/Shutterstock.com  
Address: Carrer Nou 1, Mahón, Menorca  
Opening hours: Daily 6pm-2am  
Phone: +34 971 365 500  
Internet: [www.barnou.com](http://www.barnou.com)

### Sa Falua



Right on the waterfront in the port of Mahón, Sa Falua is a true gem and a little cocktail oasis. Sit down in the courtyard out in the back of the building, and enjoy your cocktail in the tranquillity of the beautiful garden, while candle lighting and potted plants will even perfect this atmosphere.

Photo: Cabeza de Marmore/Shutterstock.com  
Address: Carrer Moll de Llevant 94, Mahón, Menorca  
Opening hours: Daily 7pm-5am  
Phone: +34 971 363 169  
Internet: [www.facebook.com/safaluaportmao](http://www.facebook.com/safaluaportmao)

### Mai Tai Son Bou



This lovely little bar in the heart of Son Bou offers an excellent and most friendly service that will prepare the cocktails right in front of you. Go ahead and try their Gin & Tonic, as this one is nearly as known as the name-giving Mai Tai itself.

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Address: Centro Comercial Son Bou, Alaoir, Menorca  
Phone: +34 971 372 301

## SHOPPING



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For sheer diversity of shops, you should head for Maó or Ciutadella. In Maó, the area around Carrer Ses Moreres and Carrer Nou are home to the high-street labels. For stores of more individual character you'll need to stroll down Moll de Ponent in the port area. Ciutadella's ground zero for shopaholics is Ses Voltes and its numerous offshoots, where you will find plenty of opportunities to replenish your wardrobe.

Lovers of bric-a-brac have numerous artisan markets to choose from including Es Migjorn Gran on Tuesday evening, Maó on Friday evening and Ciutadella on Friday, Saturday and Sunday evenings.

### S'Avarca de Menorca



You cannot leave the island without buying a pair of avarques, and you will here find both the widest selection and the most unique designs at the oldest factory on the island. Take a look around and you will most probably find the perfect souvenir.

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Address: Carrer de ses Moreres 47, Mahón, Menorca

Opening hours: Mon-Sat 9am-9pm

Phone: +34 971 369 309

Internet: [www.avarcashop.com](http://www.avarcashop.com)

Email: [info@avarcashop.com](mailto:info@avarcashop.com)

### Carrer de l'Angel



At Career de l'Angel, exclusive boutiques such as Markus, and other fantastic stores such as Madmoiselle Plume and La Ventana Gourmet await you with unique designs and most different fashion. Also, head over to some nice restaurant or patisserie for gaining back your energy.

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Address: Carrer de l'Angel, Mahón, Menorca

## TOURIST INFORMATION



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### Passport / Visa



Spain can be visited visa-free for up to 90 days by citizens of most European countries, Australia, New Zealand, Japan, South Korea,

Taiwan, Malaysia, Israel, UAE and most countries in America. If you are unsure whether or not you need to apply for a visa, we recommend contacting the embassy or consulate in your country. International (non-Schengen) travelers need a passport that is valid for at least 3 months after the end of their intended trip in order to enter the Schengen zone. Citizens of Schengen countries can travel without a passport, but must have a valid ID with them during their stay.

Photo: TukTuk Design/Shutterstock.com

Internet: <https://blsspainvisa.com>

### Best Time to Visit



With its typically Mediterranean climate, and being the most temperate one of the Balearic islands, Menorca can be visited all year

long, and due to its refreshing sea breeze, it also never gets too hot during the summer. The average temperature of 25 degrees during the summer season, from June until September, are enriched by 11 hours of sunshine, whereas the winter from November until February can be marked with heavy rainfall. Keep in mind, therefore, that many establishments with outdoor activities can be closed during the colder months, but the islands will nonetheless be lively, and luckily also not as crowded as during the peak season.

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### Airport Menorca



Menorca Airport is located four kilometres southwest of the capital, and during the summer, buses link the airport with Mahón every half an

hour. Taxis are available outside the arrival hall, but alternatively, you can hire a car at one of the many on-site rental offices.

Photo: Juan Garces

Address: Carretera de Sant Climent, Menorca

Phone: +34 971 157 049

Internet: [www.menorca-airport.com](http://www.menorca-airport.com)

Email: [mah.informacion@aena.es](mailto:mah.informacion@aena.es)

### Public Transport



The bus company TMSA covers a variety of routes on the island but cars, motorbikes or bicycles are also suitable means of transport, with roads that

are generally well signposted – there are also cycle lanes on some of the minor roads. Keep in mind that several of the more popular coves are only accessible by private roads, and a small toll may be charged.

Photo: Pierre-Luc Auclair

Address: Camí de ses Rodees 5, Mahón, Menorca

Phone: +34 971 360 475

Internet: [www.tmsa.es](http://www.tmsa.es)

### Taxi



Taxis are generally inexpensive, and with fixed rates for longer distances. One of the most known is Taxis Maó but there are several

other services operating across the islands:

Menorca Taximar

+34 609 054 444

Radio Taxi

+34 971 367 111

Photo: Taxi

Phone: +34 971 357 700

## Post Office



Stamps can be bought at any tobacconist, while proper services only take place at the post office. Offices can be found across the whole island in

every bigger town, and a main one is located right in the centre of Mahón but there are also several others:

Correos

Plaça des Born 9, Ciutadella

+34 902 197 197

Mon-Fri 8:30am-8pm. Sat 9:30am-1pm

Correos

Pl. Sant Pere Nou S/N, Alaior

+34 902 19 71 97

Photo: Andy Fuchs

Address: Carrer Bonaire 15, Mahón, Menorca

Opening hours: Mon-Fri 8:30am-8:30pm. Sat 9:30am-1pm

Phone: +34 971 356 629

## Pharmacy



Pharmacies can be found across the whole islands in every bigger town, and they adhere to a rotation service for out of hours service. Farmacia Seguí

Chinchilla is located right in the heart of Mahón but there are many other venues as well:

Farmàcia Martí Capell Sureda Marqués

Plaça dels Pins 20, Ciutadella

+34 971 380 394

Opening hours: Mon-Fri 9am-1pm and 5pm-8pm

Nuria Balanza Roure

Paseo Riu 7, Serpentina

+34 971 154 704

Opening hours: daily 10am-2:30pm and 4pm-8:30pm

Photo: Gemma Garner

Address: Carrer de ses Moreres 28, Mahón, Menorca

Opening hours: Mon-Fri 9am-9pm. Sat 9am-2pm

Phone: +34 971 360 768

## Telephone

Country code: +34 Area code: 971



Photo: Jardson Almeida

## Electricity

230 V, 50 Hz, C/F



Photo: Stirling Tschan

## Tourist Traps



The supermarkets in resort centres (like Cala en Blanes) often have inflated prices. Always try to make a trip out of town, to stock up on

essentials.

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## Population

91,100

## Currency

1 Euro = 100 Cents



#### Opening hours

Most shops and businesses open from Mon-Sat 9am-1:30pm and 4:30pm-8pm, while some of them close down on Saturday afternoons as well.

#### Newspapers

Roqueta  
Menorca - Diario Insular

#### Emergency numbers

Ambulance, Fire Brigade, Police: 112  
National Police: 091  
Local police: 092

#### Tourist information

Oficina Información Turística Ciutadella  
Plaça des Born 15, Ciutadella de Menorca  
+34 971 484 155  
infomenorcaciutadella@menorca.es  
Opening hours: Mon-Sat 9am-8:30pm

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