



# Menorca

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

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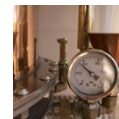
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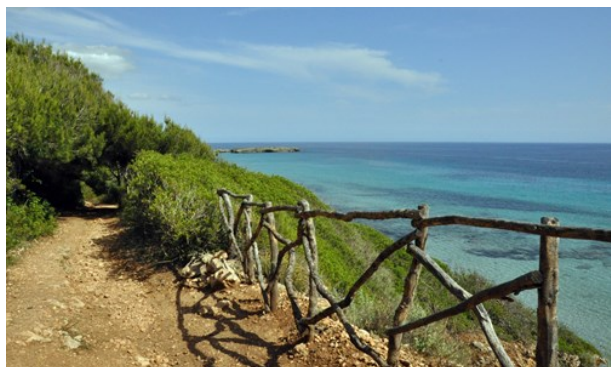


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## THE ISLAND



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Menorca, the most eastern isle of Spain's Balearic Islands, is only 48 kilometres long and 16 kilometres wide, but it still manages to pack in over 70 beaches along its ravishing coastline. 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.

Menorca is also 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 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.

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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: Max de Groot/unsplash

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.

Photo: Future75/cc by-sa 3.0/Wikimedia(image cropped)

Address: Cami Vell, Ciutadella, Menorca

Opening hours: Open daily. January to March:

9:30am-2:30pm. April to October: 9:30am-2:30pm /

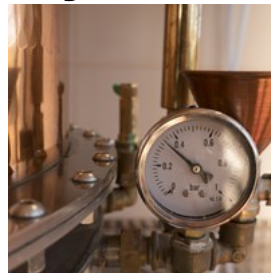
4:30pm-sunset; Sun 9:30am-2:30pm. November to

December: 9:30am-2:30pm

Phone: +34 971 481 578

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

### Xoriguer Gin Distillery



A relic from the 18th-century British rule, Xoriguer produces perhaps the oldest gin in the Mediterranean, crafted using a 1700s

recipe and copper stills that are over 250 years old. Their showroom in Menorca offers an array of flavours to taste — don't miss the traditional pomada. Their unique process has earned them the 'Gin de Mahón' Geographical Indication recognition. Drop by and find your perfect Menorcan memento.

Photo: nortivision/Shutterstock.com

Address: Moll de Ponent 91, Mahón, Menorca

Opening hours: May to October: Mon-Fri 9:30am-6:30pm,

Sat 10am-2pm. Closed from November to April

Phone: +34 971 36 21 97

Internet: [xoriguer.es/en](http://xoriguer.es/en)

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

### Ciutadella



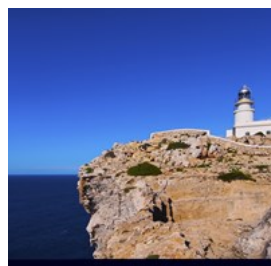
Ciutadella de Menorca is a small town and the cultural rival of Mahón. Take a stroll along the canal-like harbour and dine on fresh lobster in

one of the waterside restaurants, before checking out British colonial ruins.

Photo: JR Harris/unsplash

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: See official website

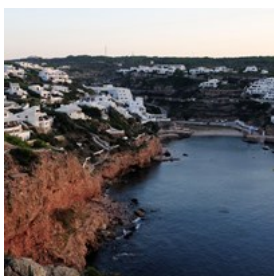
Phone: +34 971 364 040

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: Nicolas Vigier/public domain/Flickr

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: Martin Robson/cc by-sa 2.0/Flickr (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.

Photo: Karol Kozlowski/Shutterstock.com

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.

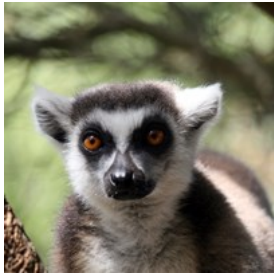
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Address: Carretera San Bou, Menorca

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.

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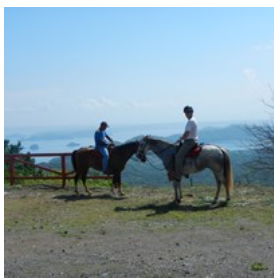
Address: Carretera General, KM 7-8, L'Argentina, Menorca

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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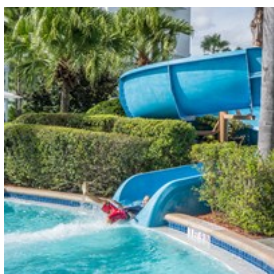
Address: Calle Mestre Obrador, Ferreries, Menorca

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 cafe and restaurants. Spend the whole day relaxing in the lazy river, zoom through the Black Hole, giant slides, water tunnels, children's water chutes, the exhilarating kamikaze, and then back to the jacuzzi.

Photo: Mariamichelle/Pixabay

Address: Avenida los Delfines 4-8, Los Delfines

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

Phone: +34 971 38 87 05

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. The guides are happy to share their local knowledge, and will make stops to introduce you to local sights and traditions.

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Address: Carrer del Rosari 24, Fornells

Phone: +34 687 77 32 48

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

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: DidgeMan/Pixabay

Address: Cami De Ses Barraques, Sant Lluís, Menorca

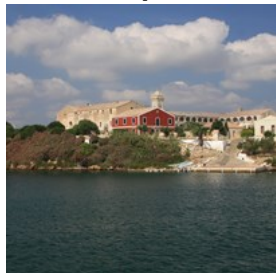
Opening hours: Daily 11am-11pm

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 Paleocristian 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.

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Address: Isla del Rey, Menorca

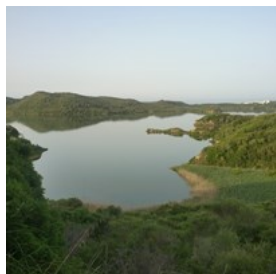
Public Transport: Departures: 1st Apr-31st Oct: 8.45am. 1st Nov-31st Mar: 8.45am

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.

Photo: Josefito123/cc by-sa 4.0/Flickr(image cropped)

Address: Carretera de Maó a Es Grau, Km 3.5

Phone: +34 971 17 77 05

Internet: [en.balearsnatura.com/parque\\_natural/parque-natural-de-salbufera-des-grau](http://en.balearsnatura.com/parque_natural/parque-natural-de-salbufera-des-grau)

### Museum of Menorca



Dive into the rich tapestry of Menorca's cultural heritage at this regional museum. With exhibits spanning prehistoric sculptures, Roman artefacts, fine art, and even a unique food exhibition with traditional Menorcan recipes to

take home, it's a journey through time. Immerse yourself in the fascinating stories of the many civilizations that have shaped this island, from the Romans and Moors to the French and British.

Photo: Dawn Hudson/Public Domain Pictures

Address: Museo de Menorca, Pla des Monestir 9, Mahón

Phone: +34 971 35 09 55

Internet: [museudemenorca.com/en](http://museudemenorca.com/en)

### BEACH LIFE



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Beach-goers are spoilt 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/cc by-sa 2.0/Flickr(image cropped)

Address: Cala Macarelleta, Menorca

More Info: Nudity is permitted but not required.

### Cala Galdana

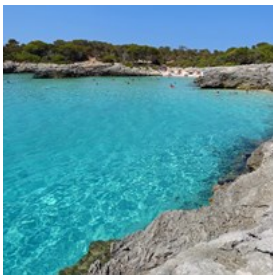


Known as the 'Queen of the Calas', this large sandy beach in the shape of a horseshoe is fringed by pine trees. With watering holes, facilities

and eateries nearby, this spot is perfect for families who want to enjoy a fun yet relaxed day at the beach.

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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.

Photo: Cyril PAPOT/Shutterstock.com  
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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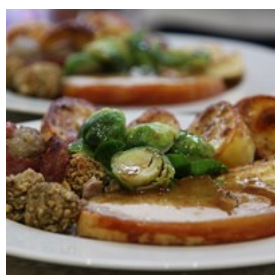
Address: Cami de Baix 8, Ciutadella, Menorca

Opening hours: Daily 6am-midnight

Phone: +34 971 386 375

Internet: [cnciutadella.com](http://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: LesleyNegus/pixabay

Address: Carrer Major 53, Es Mercadal, Menorca

Opening hours: Daily noon-4pm / 7pm-11pm

Phone: +34 971 375 392

Internet: [molidesracomenorca.com](http://molidesracomenorca.com)

Email: [info@restaurantemolidesraco.com](mailto: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.

Photo: Jay Wennington/unsplash

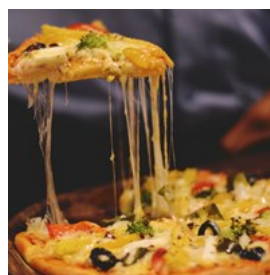
Address: Carrer Marina 99, Ciutadella, Menorca

Opening hours: Daily 11am-11pm

Phone: +34 971 382 112

Internet: [www.instagram.com/safiguerarestaurant](http://www.instagram.com/safiguerarestaurant)

### La Caprichosa



This pizzeria is famed for its Minorcan-style pizzas, but also for serving a gamut of grilled meats and other dishes, all fresh. The terrace tables

are literally only four paces from the harbour, while the inside seating is in a cave-like environment, and both these areas will make for a great experience here.

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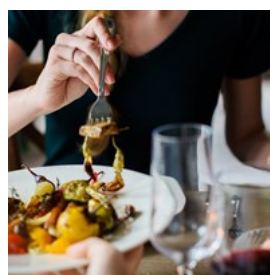
Address: Muelles Cales Fonts 44, Es Castell, Menorca

Opening hours: Daily 11:15am-3:30pm / 6:30pm-11pm

Phone: +34 971 366 158

Internet: [www.instagram.com/lacaprichosacalafonts](http://www.instagram.com/lacaprichosacalafonts)

### 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.

Photo: rawpixel/Pixabay

Address: Avinguda Los Delfines, Los Delfines, Menorca

Phone: +34 971 389 265

Internet: [haitimenorca.com](http://haitimenorca.com)

Email: [info@haiti-restaurant.com](mailto:info@haiti-restaurant.com)



### Restaurante España



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

Photo: EstudioWebDoce/Pixabay

Address: Carrer Victori 48, Es Castell, Menorca

Opening hours: Daily 1pm-4pm

Phone: +34 971 36 32 99

### 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 Coixa 3, Sant Lluís, Menorca

Opening hours: Daily 7:15pm-10:30pm

Phone: +34 971 150 201

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

Email: [reservas@panyvinomenorca.com](mailto:reservas@panyvinomenorca.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.

Photo: RitaE/Pixabay

Address: Carre de sa Barrera 24, Urbanización Ses Salines, Fornells, Menorca

Opening hours: Daily 7pm-1:30am

Phone: +34 971 376 410

Internet: [canamarga.com](http://canamarga.com)

Email: [jordi@canamarga.com](mailto:jordi@canamarga.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

Internet: [www.instagram.com/casa.tia.tapas](http://www.instagram.com/casa.tia.tapas)

Email: [casatia2@gmail.com](mailto:casatia2@gmail.com)

### Ulisses Menorca



Right next to the fish market, the freshest 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-Fri 10am-11:30pm, Sat

8:30am-11:30pm, Sun closed

Phone: +34 971 380 031

Internet: [ulissesbar.com](http://ulissesbar.com)  
Email: [joancanalsbartender@gmail.com](mailto:joancanalsbartender@gmail.com)

## CAFES

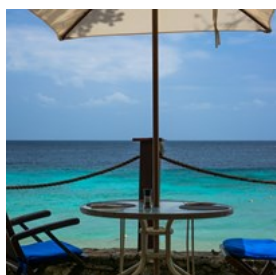


*Ramiro Pianarosa/unsplash*

Coffee breaks are obligatory in the Menorcan culture, and thanks to its many cafes, you will not have any difficulty finding the right spot when longing for a pause.

On top of satisfying this craving, by serving both drinks and snacks, many venues also offer spectacular ocean views for a more enjoyable experience.

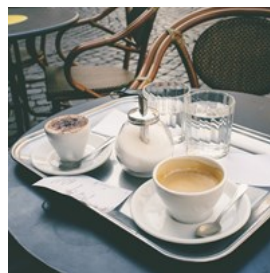
### Chiringuito Es Bruc Sant Tomàs



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. This is a great pit stop for a cup of coffee, a glass of wine, or a light bite to eat.

Photo: [Skitterphoto/Pixabay](https://www.pexels.com/photo/restaurant-terrace-2023-06-29/)  
Address: Playa de San Adeodato, Es Migjorn-Santo, Menorca  
Opening hours: Daily 10am-11pm  
Phone: +34 971 370 488  
Internet: [www.esbruc.restaurant](http://www.esbruc.restaurant)

### 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.

Photo: [youleks/Pixabay](https://www.pexels.com/photo/coffee-tray-2023-06-29/)  
Address: Placa Constitucio 9, Alaior, Menorca  
Opening hours: Mon-Fri 7am-midnight, Sat & Sun 8am-1am  
Phone: +34 971 37 94 39  
Internet: [canadivina.com](http://canadivina.com)

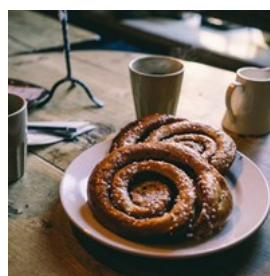
### Ca na Maru



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 salads with fresh ingredients as well.

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Address: Career de Ferreries 11, Alaior, Menorca  
Opening hours: Mon-Sat 6am-1pm  
Phone: +34 971 37 17 06  
Internet: [canamaru.com](http://canamaru.com)

### 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.

Photo: Josh Wilburne/unsplash

Address: Carrer de Maó 28, Ciutadella de Menorca

Opening hours: Mon-Sat 8:30am-1:30pm / 5:30pm-8pm

Phone: +34 971 48 22 16

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

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

### Pipet & Co



At Plaça Bastió in Mahón, Pipet & Co is popularly known for its breakfast menu, 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 attractive interior.

Photo: ponce\_photography/Pixabay

Address: Plaça Bastió 10, Mahón, Menorca

Opening hours: Tue-Sun 9am-4pm

Phone: +34 971 36 63 68

Internet: [www.instagram.com/pipetcafe\\_menorca](http://www.instagram.com/pipetcafe_menorca)

### BARS & NIGHTLIFE



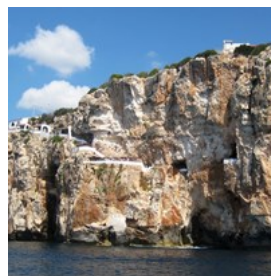
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A word of advice: do not come to Menorca if you're a nocturnal neon-seeker with a penchant for high decibels to which you may be used to after visiting Mallorca 'next door'.

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 club. However, do not expect A-list DJs and dancing till dawn, and you will most certainly enjoy a quite great night.

### Cova d'en Xoroi



Menorca's most famous hotspot, Cova d'en Xoroi, is located in a cave halfway down a cliff, and popular legend has it that this is where a famous pirate drowned. While this venue is a bar by day, by night it turns into a disco featuring live music performances.

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Address: Carrer de sa Cova 2, Alaior, Menorca

Opening hours: June to September: daily 11:30am-closing

Phone: +34 971 37 72 36

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

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



If you want to try your luck while in Menorca, then head over to Casino Maritim. And after, hopefully, winning some money, kick back and relax at their snack bar or terrace, where you can enjoy a delicious cocktail or a beer while admiring the beautiful views of the Port of Mahón.

Photo: Hush Naidoo Jade Photography/unsplash

Address: Carrer 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: [casino.maritim@grupocomar.com](mailto:casino.maritim@grupocomar.com)

### Jazzbah



As one of the best nightspots in Ciutadella's buzzing Pla de Sant Joan, Jazzbah offers three different areas for an unforgettable night out. It

is either live music and DJ sessions, a chill out lounge, or a private one that needs to be booked. Head here for enjoying fantastic music and great drinks.

Photo: [Jacob Lund/Shutterstock.com](https://www.shutterstock.com/photo/Jacob-Lund)

Address: Pla de Sant Joan 3, Ciutadella, Menorca

Opening hours: Daily 11pm-5:30am

Phone: +34 971 48 29 53

Internet: [jazzbah.es](http://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 laid-back atmosphere as well as enjoy live band

performances and independent music on stage.

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

Opening hours: Opening hours vary according to the season

Phone: +34 971 48 20 97

Internet: [lamargarete.onuniverse.com](http://lamargarete.onuniverse.com)

### Kit Kat Bar

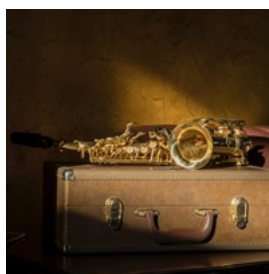


If you are looking for a genuine English pub, with sports on TV, a pint and a ploughman's lunch, then this venue is the right place to go. While quiz nights and a pool table will entertain you best, the owner is also always up for a chat.

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Address: Centro commercial Son Bou, Alaior, Menorca

### Akelarre Restaurant & Live Music



Jazz Club 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.

Photo: [Darrell Fraser/unsplash](https://www.unsplash.com/photo/Darrell-Fraser)

Address: Carre Moll de Ponent, Mahón, Menorca

Opening hours: Daily noon-4am

Phone: +34 971 36 85 20

Internet: [www.instagram.com/akelarrerestaurantlivemusic](http://www.instagram.com/akelarrerestaurantlivemusic)

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.

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Address: Carrer Nou 1, Mahón, Menorca

Opening hours: Daily 6pm-2am

Phone: +34 971 365 500

Internet: [www.instagram.com/noubarmao](https://www.instagram.com/noubarmao)

### Sa Falua



Right on the waterfront in the Port of Mahón, Sa Falua is a true gem and a little cocktail oasis. Take a seat in their lovely courtyard in the back of the building and enjoy your cocktail in the tranquillity of their indoor garden, where candle lighting and potted plants perfect even more the ambiance.

Photo: Cabeca de Marmore/Shutterstock.com

Address: Carrer Moll de Llevant 94, Mahón, Menorca

Opening hours: Sun-Thu 6:30pm-3am, Fri & Sat 12:30pm-3am

Phone: +34 971 29 02 15

### 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.

Photo: Ivan Mateev/Shutterstock.com

Address: Centro Comercial Son Bou, Alaior, Menorca

Phone: +34 971 372 301

Internet: [www.maitaisonbou.com](https://www.maitaisonbou.com)

## 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.

### Avarca Shop



You cannot leave the island without buying a pair of avarques — a type of sandal popular in the Balearic Islands. Here, you will 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 9:30am-8:30pm, Sun closed

Phone: +34 677 68 97 36

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

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

More Info: Avarca Shop has four locations on Menorca

### Teatríz Menorca



Regardless of age and occasion, Teatríz Menorca and its eclectic range of fashion items will feature some little treasure for nearly everyone, and at reasonable prices on top. Head here to have a casual look around, and to get your next favourite sartorial gem.

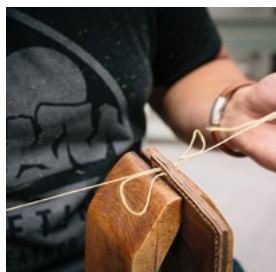
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Address: Plaça des Born 12, Ciutadella, Menorca

Opening hours: Mon-Sat 10am-2pm / 5pm-9pm

Phone: +34 971 38 29 79

### Shopping Centre Es Forn



Es Forn, a bustling shopping and dining complex on the vibrant Avinguda los Delfines, is your one-stop destination for souvenirs in Menorca.

Conveniently located in the centre of Ciutadella de Menorca, the complex hosts a variety of handcraft stalls and souvenir shops offering a fantastic selection of Menorcan gifts. While you wait for your meal at the on-site restaurants — open until late — browse the stalls or enjoy the courtyard's entertainments, from table games to a bouncy castle. Don't miss the shopping bar!

Photo: Lifetime Leather/unsplash

Address: Avinguda los Delfines 9, Ciutadella De Menorca

Opening hours: Daily 10am-2am

Phone: +34 971 38 85 54

More Info: Close to Aqua Centre Menorca

### Formatges Binibeca



Experience traditional Menorcan flavours at Formatges Binibeca, a family-run farm and shop crafting artisanal cheeses and charcuterie. Passed

down over five generations, their handmade cheeses — from goat, sheep, and cow's milk — and sausages are a true delight. Just a short drive from Mahón, this cosy shop allows you to taste before buying, and the friendly owners are more than willing to share their crafting process. Try their superior cow's cheese and rich sobrasada. Vacuum packaging is offered for easy transport — perfect for bringing a taste of Menorca back home.

Photo: Alexander Maasch/unsplash

Address: Finca Alcaiduset, Carretera C-721, Km 5.5, Alaior

Opening hours: Mon-Sat 9am-8pm, Sun 9am-2pm

Phone: +34 971 36 92 44

Internet: [quesosbinibeca.com](http://quesosbinibeca.com)

### TOURIST INFORMATION



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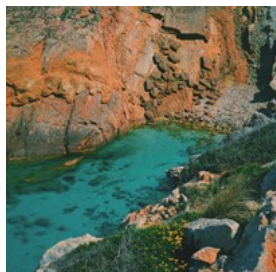
### Passport/Visa



Spain can be visited visa-free for up to 90 days by citizens of 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) travellers 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: mana5280/unsplash

### Best Time to Visit

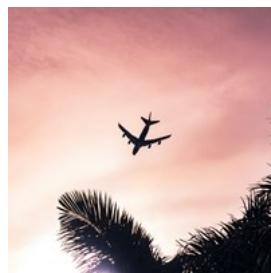


With its typically Mediterranean climate, and being the most temperate one of the Balearic islands, Menorca can be visited all year long. Thanks to the refreshing sea breeze, it never gets too hot during the summer. The average temperature of 25°C (77°F) during the summer season (June to September), is enriched by 11 hours of sunshine. The winter (November to 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.

Photo: Biel Morro/unsplash

### Airport Menorca (MAH)



Menorca Airport is located four kilometres southwest of the capital. In 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.

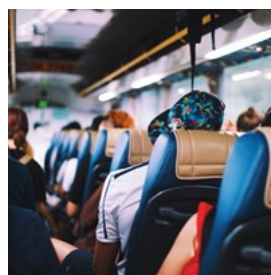
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Address: Aeroport de Menorca, Carretera de Sant Climent, Menorca

Phone: +34 913 21 10 00

Internet: [www.aena.es/es/menorca.html](http://www.aena.es/es/menorca.html)

### Public Transport



The bus company TMSA covers a variety of routes on the island, but cars, motorbikes and bicycles are also suitable means of transportation, 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: Annie Spratt/unsplash

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

### Taxi



Taxis are generally inexpensive, and with fixed rates for longer distances. The cars are white and use meters to calculate the total fare of the ride.

One of the most known is Taxis Mahón, but there are several other services operating across the islands:

Menorca Taximar  
+34 609 054 444

Radio Taxi  
+34 971 367 111

Photo: Francesco Zivoli/unsplash  
Phone: +34 971 357 700

### Post Office



Stamps can be bought at any tobacconist, while full postal 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:

Oficina de Correos  
Plaça des Born 9, Ciutadella  
+34 971 38 00 81  
Mon-Fri 8:30am-8:30pm

Oficina de Correos  
Plaça Sant Pere Nou, Alaior  
+34 971 37 19 71  
Mon-Fri 8:30am-2:30pm

Photo: Simona Sergi/unsplash  
Address: Oficina de Correos, Carrer de Ciutadella 76, Mahón  
Opening hours: Mon-Fri 8:30am-8:30pm, Sat & Sun closed  
Phone: +34 971 35 66 29  
Internet: [www.correos.es](http://www.correos.es)

### Pharmacy



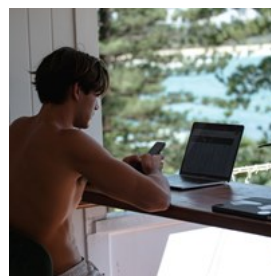
Pharmacies can be found in every bigger town, and they adhere to a rotation service for out of hours service. Farmacia Victory Bernat is located right in the heart of Mahón, close to the waterfront. Here are a couple more popular choices:

Farmàcia Martí Capell Sureda Marqués  
Plaça dels Pins 20, Ciutadella  
+34 971 38 03 94

Nuria Balanza Roure  
Passatge Riu 7, Serpentina  
+34 971 15 47 04

Photo: Mariano Baraldi/unsplash  
Address: Farmacia Victory Bernat, Moll de Llevant 41, Mahón  
Opening hours: May to October: daily 9am-10pm. November to April: Mon-Fri 9am-9pm, Sat 9am-2pm, Sun closed  
Phone: +34 971 364 869  
Internet: [www.farmaciovictory.com](http://www.farmaciovictory.com)

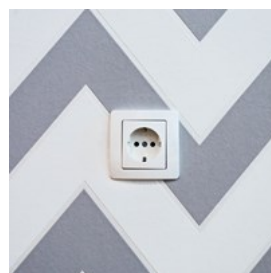
### Telephone



Country code: +34 Area code: 971

Photo: Mark Broadhead/unsplash

### Electricity



220 V/50 Hz Plugs have two round prongs, the same as in continental Europe.

Photo: Neven Krcmarek/unsplash

**Population**

99,381 (2023)

**Currency**

1 Euro = 100 Cents

**Opening hours**

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

**Internet**

[www.menorca.es](http://www.menorca.es)

[www.visitmenorca.co.uk](http://www.visitmenorca.co.uk)

**Newspapers**

Menorca Diario Insular — [www.menorca.info](http://www.menorca.info)

Radio Menorca — [cadenaser.com/radio-menorca](http://cadenaser.com/radio-menorca)

Mediterráneo Digital — [www.mediterraneodigital.com](http://www.mediterraneodigital.com)

Balearic Islands News — [www.mediterraneodigital.com](http://www.mediterraneodigital.com)

**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 38 37 24

[infomenorcaciutadella@menorca.es](mailto:infomenorcaciutadella@menorca.es)

Open Mon–Fri 9:30am–8:30pm, Sat 9am–8:30pm, Sun closed



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