

MASTER'S WEEKEND in Palma de Mallorca

Thursday 11th May- Sunday 14th May 2023



The city of Palma, established by the Romans in 123 BC upon the remains of a Talaiotic settlement, was subjected to several Vandal raids, re-conquered by the Byzantine Empire, taken over by the Moors who called it Medina Mayurqa and finally re-conquered in 1229 by King James 1 of Aragon.

Our current Master Richard Green is planning to take us to the beautiful historic city of Palma.

Here is a brief outline of what is being planned, together with cost information and a form to indicate your interest.

Day 1 (Thursday)

Fly to Palma de Mallorca (PMI)

Transfer from Palma Airport and check in to Hotel Saratoga

Drinks reception and dinner at the Hotel.

www.hotelsaratoga.com/en

Thurs 11 May Arrival at Hotel Saratoga
Drinks reception and dinner in the hotel.

Fri 12 May Visit to LaFiore
Capvespre
Valldemossa
Dinner at Ca n' Eduardo

Sat 13 May Walking tour of Palma and visit to the cathedral
Dinner at Son Llopart catered by Fosh

Sun 14 May Free time, check out and lunch at a traditional Mallorcan restaurant





Day 2 (Friday)

Visit to LaFiore

LaFiore is a team of creators, designers and lovers of the products hand made in Mallorca. It continues to renew the tradition of artistic glass and crafts with an infinite range of colours and shapes. We will visit the factory and watch masters of traditional blown glass at work.

Visit to Capvespre Centre

Capvespre is a co-operative information centre giving information and teaching on traditional methods of cultivation of olives and oranges in Mallorca. We will be learning about the growing of olives, the production of olive oil and the production of crushed olives.

Visit to the Carthusian monastery

The Carthusian Monastery of Valldemossa was originally a royal residence until Carthusian monks occupied the building from 1399 until 1835. After the expulsion of the monks individual cells became available for rent. One of the cells comprising of 3 large rooms and a garden was occupied by Frederick Chopin and the writer George Sand with her family during the winter of 1838-1839.

Dinner at Ca n' Eduardo

Day 3 (Saturday)



Walking tour of Palma

Walking tour of Palma to include a visit to the famous Mercat de l'Olivar and the Catedral-Basilica de Santa Maria de Mallorca, more commonly known as La Seu. During the tour we will sample some of Mallorca's culinary delights.



Dinner at Son Llopart

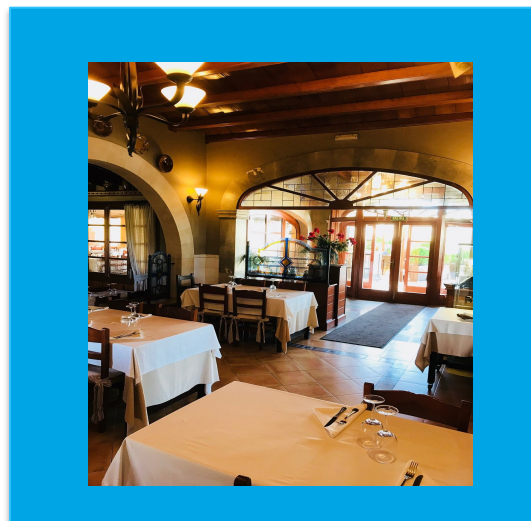
The Macià Batle family, who has the oldest wine making tradition in Mallorca dating back to 1470, owns finca Son Llopart. Our dinner will be catered by Fosh Catering (Marc Fosh's restaurant in Palma has a Michelin star) and the wines will be from Son Llopart Macià Batle.

Day 4 (Sunday)

Free time followed by check out of Hotel Saratoga at midday.

Lunch at a traditional Mallorcan restaurant

We will be going to a traditional Mallorcan restaurant where we will have time to experience what it is like to have Sunday Lunch in Mallorca, indulging in a spot of sobremesa (Spanish for having a jolly good chat.)



Cost

The all-in cost of the full weekend trip including 3 nights' accommodation, transfers, meals with set drinks/wines, tours and tastings but excluding flights and any additional nights in the hotel is:

Couples: £800 per person Single occupancy supplement: £250.

Please note places are limited.

Flight Options to PMI

from LHR 08.45 (BA)
from LGW 08.25 (BA)
from LGW 09.10 (EZY)
from LGW 11.55 (EZY)
from LTN 12.25 (EZY)
from STN 12.20 (RA)

Flight Options from PMI

to LHR 16.50 (BA)
to LHR 19.55 (BA)
to LGW none suitable on BA
to LGW 19.50 (EZY)
to LTN 16.55 (EZY)
to LTN 18.20 (EZY)
to STN 20.30 (RA)

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BOOKING FORM

MEMBER NAME:

GUEST(S) NAME(S):

ACCOMODATION

I/we will require the following accommodation:

Thursday 11 th	1 DOUBLE	1 SINGLE
Friday 12 th	1 DOUBLE	1 SINGLE
Saturday 13 th	1 DOUBLE	1 SINGLE

Please state any special requirements.

ACTIVITIES

Transfer from the airport to Hotel Saratoga	Yes/No
Drinks reception at Hotel Saratoga	Yes/No
Dinner at Hotel Saratoga	Yes/No
Visit to LaFiore, Centre Capvespre and Valldemossa	Yes/No
Dinner at Ca n' Eduardo	Yes/No
Walking tour of Palma	Yes/No
Dinner at Son Llopart	Yes/No
Lunch at Es Verger	Yes/No

Please state any dietary requirements.