

Spain Mallorca Yacht Rally 2020

Improve your sailing skills and while you're at it enjoy an exotic holiday exploring the dramatic coast of Mallorca | **3 to 17 October 2020**

**From \$5,575
per person with 8 crew
sharing a 46ft yacht**



With 300 days of sunshine each year, a sculptured coastline and sapphire seas, Mallorca in Spain is the perfect place to explore in company. Enjoy long table dinners, spectacular anchorages, a series of short races and lots of fun.

Australia's three leading sailing schools have combined with Mariner Boating Holidays to offer a unique holiday experience – two weeks sailing in Mallorca with expert coaching to advance your sailing skills and build your confidence. The coaching module includes two full days on the water to cover all aspects of sailing, informal theory sessions ashore and open access to the instructor during the rally.

Coaching by the professional instructor is included in the price!



**Hosted by
Sarah Joyce**

Here's how it works

Small group comfort

Sail in comfort as part of a small group of yachts. Vessel layouts will vary depending on which yacht you choose. Each cabin sleeps two and most yachts have cabins with a private bathroom.

The coaching module

The Sailing Instructor will conduct sessions ashore to deal with the theory (without interfering with your holiday) and then he will spend two days with each crew as you make passage from one port to the next. These sessions will deal with the on-water subjects. Your yacht will still have to have a qualified skipper. The ICC is an internationally recognised Certificate of Competence attesting to expertise with regulations, pilotage, safety,

maneuvering in tight spaces, handling under sail, coastal navigation, berthing, and anchoring procedures. All of these subjects are covered. The coaching module is included in the price!

Your group leaders

Your leader Sarah is an Australian Mariner Boating representative and local guide for this sailing adventure. Sarah is an expert at leading small group sailing holidays, having learnt from the best, Trevor and Maggie Joyce. With a keen eye for detail and a terrific personality, Sarah will be sure to make you feel welcome and fully supported. A local technician will also be available to assist with the yachts, berthing, provide navigational support with intimate local knowledge.

Life on board

Your sailing yacht offers space and stability on the water. It's modern and comfortable, with areas to relax both below and above deck. Throw down a cushion, curl up and read a book, or make use of the easy access to the water for a swim.

How do I get there?

Mallorca is situated off the East coast of Spain. The airport is in the capital of Palma and you can fly there from Spain (Madrid or Barcelona) or from most major cities in Northern Europe. Mariner Boating can assist you with your travel arrangements, please contact us for a quote.

Rally Route – return Palma to Palma



Your yacht and technical service

Your nominated yacht will soon feel like a home away from home as you sail around Mallorca soaking in the sights. Unpack your bags, move in and enjoy the relaxed vibe like a true local.

Designed for style and space, the yachts in our rally fleet have all the creature comforts above and below deck, while maintaining performance under sail. Each cabin offers a double bed with ample space and storage.

The saloon has cooking facilities, cutlery, china, glassware, pots and pans – all you need to prepare simple meals or even the full Sunday roast if you desire.

There is also the option to eat ashore if you prefer. Provisioning the yacht is a simple matter with fresh produce etc readily available at each stop.

European sockets are located in each cabin and in the saloon. The yachts work on a 220V/12V system and they all have an inverter on board, perfect for charging cameras and phones.

Our technician will check your yacht every second day unless you call him. You may need him to show you the proper operation of the boat systems.

You should ensure that your skipper gives you a safety briefing on board so that you know where the first aid kit, fire extinguishers and life jackets are and what to do if someone goes overboard.



Example yacht layout



Prices and inclusions

Prices start from AU\$5,575 with 8 crew sharing a 46ft yacht

What's included?

On water

- 14 nights' accommodation on a double occupancy basis
- 24/7 support from experienced host
- 24/7 professional technical assistance for the yacht
- Security insurance damage waiver (reduces the limit of liability to Euro 750 in total)
- Comprehensive and Third Party Insurance for the yacht
- On-board Wi-Fi
- 2 sets of bed linen and bath towels per person for two weeks
- Standard navigation equipment
- End of charter cleaning
- Welcome Pack
- Dinghy and outboard motor
- Snorkelling gear
- Berthing on race days as per rally program

The coaching module

- 2 full day sessions on the water with the professional sailing instructor
- 4 group sessions onshore with the professional sailing instructor
- Access to the instructor, one on one, at all other times

Land

- Welcome drinks after embarkation
- 6 dinners ashore during the sailing itinerary

Everything else!

- Race management
- Daily weather updates
- Regular newsletters with activity suggestions and local information

Additional costs

- Flights to and from Palma, Mallorca
- Transfers
- If you require a skipper the total cost is AU\$390 per day + food + cabin
- Optional pre and post yacht rally arrangements
- Personal travel insurance
- Reduced refundable yacht security deposit (payable at the base in Euro)
- On board provisioning for food, beverages and other necessities that you may wish to have on board during your 14 night sailing holiday
- Fuel for the yacht and outboard motor (Estimate AU\$286 total)
- Berthing on leisure days where not included in the rally program

Personal travel insurance

Travel insurance is strongly recommended by Mariner Boating Holidays. Travellers should ensure they have a valid policy at time of booking.

Please note

- A booking form and deposit of AU\$1,500 per person is required to confirm a booking
- The designated skipper on board your yacht must possess suitable experience and qualifications
- Prices are subject to currency fluctuation until paid in full
- Credit card transactions are subject to merchant fees
- Single supplement may apply for private cabins if you book by the cabin
- The prices are correct at the time of issue but subject to change without notice (3 September 2019)

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