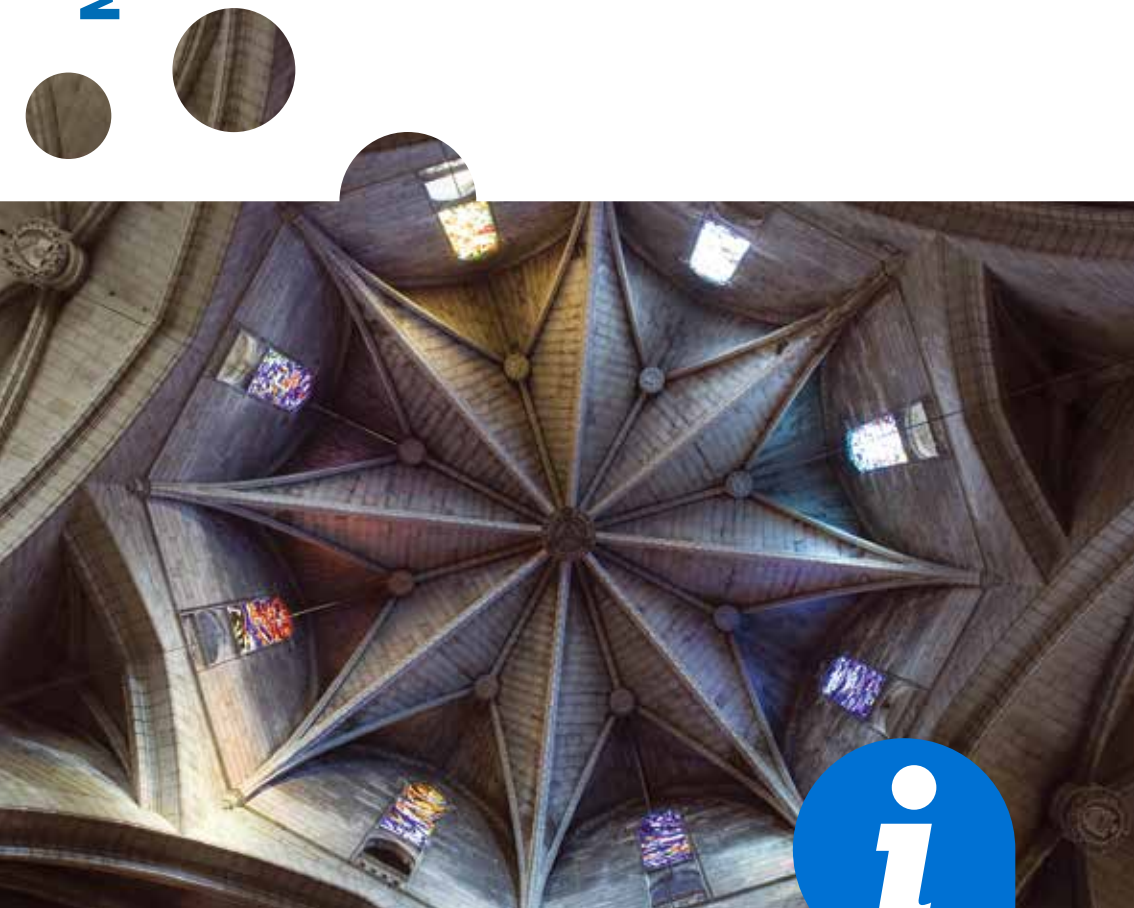


MANACOR



HERITAGE AND CULTURE



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1. Church and cloister of Sant Vicenç Ferrer

These buildings are located at Plaça del Convent, in the centre of Manacor.

The construction of the church began in 1597 and it was opened to cult in 1617. It is the typical Majorcan convent church with one-hall basilica floor and chapels built between buttresses, based on gothic typology in moderation and austerity, except the Roser chapel. The façade was a doorway under a round arch, with a sculpture of the saint, Vicenç Ferrer.

On the left side of the façade there is a small bell-tower with a pyramidal roof. Despite the Baroque appearance of the gilded decoration, the interior is austere. Among all the chapels, the one situated on the right and dedicated to Roser stands out. In this chapel, which is like a small temple with its own altarpieces, aisles and altar, we can observe all the sculptures which are the richest example of religious Baroque in Manacor. Another important element is the pipe organ, probably constructed at the end of the 17th century or beginning of the 18th.

The building of the cloister began about the middle of the 17th century and was probably concluded in the 18th century, in 1744. The structure is based on a rectangular layout surrounding a central court and consisting of ground and first floor. The ensemble follows the Baroque typology, standing out the columns and decorated pilasters. This cloister is part of the convent enclosure and was originally closed to general public and only used by the monks.



During the sale of Church lands in 1835 the owns of the Order of Preachers passed into the hands of the State and the cloister had different uses: post office, prison, etc. Nowadays it is used for municipal offices.

In 1919 it was declared National Monument and totally restored during 2005 and 2006

OPENING HOURS (CLOISTER)

Monday to Friday 8 to 20h.

Saturdays 9.30 to 13.30h

(Closed in July and August)

OPENING HOURS (CHURCH)

Monday to friday 10 to 13h.

(Closed in July and August)

Free entrance

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2. Sa Bassa and surroundingss

Situated in the centre of Manacor, the square of Sa Bassa is a meeting point for the Manacorish. It offers a wide range of shops. The square is surrounded by historical buildings of the 17th, 18th and 19th century.

Time ago there was a watering-place or drinking-trough on this place.





3. Torre del Palau (tower)

Situated in the pedestrian area in the centre of Manacor, at Plaça Rector Rubí.

It is the only remaining element of the ancient Royal Palace of the 14th century, built by Jaume II as a temporary residence for the kings of Majorca. This tower has a square layout and once housed the royal chamber. Today it is still freestanding, although it used to be part of an entire complex of patrician buildings.

Inside the tower there is a permanent exhibition on display that shows the building's historical context, its previous study and the rehabilitation project and the building's restoration.

 **OPENING HOURS**
Monday and Friday 9.30 to 14h.

 **Free entrance**

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4. Church of Nostra Senyora dels Dolors

Situated at plaça Rector Rubí of Manacor, in the town centre.

Its construction began at the end of the 19th century and was commended by priest Rubí to naval engineer José Barceló Runggaldier, who drew up the designs, and constructor Gaspar Bennàssar, who directed the works and built the bell-tower, the highest building in town known as Torre Rubí.


Apparently this site was a cult place in the Islamic period. It is the place where, after the conquest of Jaume the First, the church of Santa Maria stood. For this temple was very small, in the 14th century another one was built, which was finished in the 16th century, although the main doorway dates from the end of the 18th. This church was demolished to build the actual church. Some parts of the 18th century still remain, like the chapels of Sant Antoni and Sant Francesc, the towers of the ancient main façade at both sides of the bell-tower, part of the Mother of God sacristy and part of the old bell-tower. Built in neogothic typology it has a latin-cross layout of one-hall basilica with chapels between the buttresses, with its transept arms in the fore section to the presbytery.

There are ten aisles, five on every side, and in the chancel there is one chapel on every side and in the high altar. On every transept arm there are seven chapels, standing out the one consecrated to the Immaculate Virgin and the other to the Sant Crist of Manacor.

 **OPENING HOURS**
Daily from 8.30 to 12.45h. and from 17 to 19.30h.

 **MASS TIMES**
Check in our tourist offices

 **Free entrance**

 **971 55 09 38**

 **esglesiademanacor.es**

5. Plaça Ramon Llull (square)

It is Manacor's busy spot and the place where the weekly Monday-market is located. In ancient times it was a meeting point for merchants of the neighbour villages. Two wells supplied water to the drinking-trough for the cattle.

The square is dedicated to Majorcan philosopher and father of Catalan literature of the 13th century Ramon Llull. But there is also a commemorative bust of Manacorish writer Mossèn Antoni Maria Alcover.

6. Plaça de la Constitució (square)

This square is situated in the town centre of Manacor and it is popularly known as the "vegetables-square". There is a market every morning from Monday to Saturday. Sale of vegetables, fruits and local products.

Formerly Manacor's Town Council was situated on this square. There are still some manor houses of the 18th and 19th, and beginnings of the 20th in Renaissance-Mannerist style and buildings with modernistic decoration.

7. Torre de ses Puntes (tower)

Situated at Plaça Gabriel Fuster in Manacor. Defensive enclosure and rural home of which only the tower-housing of the 13th and 14th century is preserved. Recently rehabilitated as a cultural centre for art exhibitions.



8. Plaça de Sant Jaume (square)

Situated in the quarter of Santa Catalina in Manacor. On this recently rehabilitated square we can find the fishes-fountain which was a part of a canalization created between 1915 and 1920. The square is consecrated to the patron Saint of Manacor.

9. Majòrica Pearls

Exhibition and sales at the road Palma a Artà, km. 47
It is the result of an important research. The pearl is processed manually with the same matters and characteristics as in the oyster. Manufacture is shown on the spot.

-  **971 55 09 00**
-  **majorica.com (Factory Outlet)**
-  **Free entrance**
Check the opening hours before your visit

10. Hipòdrom de Manacor (racecourse)

Racecourse with carts-horseracing every Saturday.
With cafeteria and restaurant services.

-  **SUMMER HORSERACING TIMES**
Every saturday from 21h.
-  **WINTER HORSERACING TIMES**
Every saturday from 16h.
-  **971 55 00 23**
-  **federaciobaleardetrot.com**

11. Torre dels Enagistes. Museu d'història de Manacor. (History Museum)

Located on the road Manacor-Cales de Mallorca, km. 1,5.

A defence enclosure and rural housing typical of the lordly classes of the 14th century.

The tower of Enagistes is a connecting element between Majorcan and Catalan lordly architecture. The architectural organization of the enclosure is clearly defensive with only one exit door. Some simple buildings facing a central patio.

The most renowned part is the gothic wing, the tower consisting of two floors with archer's loopholes and crowned by battlements.

Presently it is the History Museum of Manacor, with four exhibition halls which include the Prehistoric, Roman, Paleo-Christian and Islamic period, and another hall with miniature boats and furniture, all completed by a program of temporary Art exhibitions in the first floor.

🕒 **WINTER OPENING HOURS** (from 16 September to 31 May)

Mornings from Monday to Saturday 9 to 14 h.
Afternoons from Thursday to Saturday 17 to 19.30 h.
Sundays 17 to 19.30h.
Closed on Tuesdays

📍 **Free entrance**

☎ **971 84 30 65**

📍 **museudemanaacor.com**

📱 **@museumanacor**

🕒 **SUMMER OPENING HOURS** (From 1 June to 15 September)

Mornings from Monday to Saturday 9 to 14 h.
Afternoons from Thursday to Saturday 17 to 19.30 h.
Closed on Tuesdays and Sundays



12. Molí d'en Fraret

Situated at carrer Riera de Conies s/n.

Ethnographic section of the History Museum of Manacor.

Molí d'en Fraret is an example of an 18th century flour mill which was very common in Manacor. The uniqueness of this mill is that it is owned by the town and houses the Ethnographic section of the History Museum of Manacor.

It contains objects that different Manacor natives have donated to the Manacor Town Hall so that we do not forget the town's farming tradition. Through the exhibition, we can see the main jobs performed in the past during each season of the year and the tools that were used to perform them.

🕒 **WINTER OPENING HOURS** (from 1 October to 14 June)
Mondays and Fridays 10 to 12.30 h.
Wednesdays 17 to 19.30 h.

🕒 **SUMMER OPENING HOURS** (From 15 June to 30 september)
Mondays and Fridays 10 to 12.30 h.
Wednesdays 17 to 19.30 h.

📍 **Guided visits for groups · Limited capacity**
Free entrance

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13. Basílica paleocristiana of Son Peretó (basílica)

Situated on the road Manacor - Sant Llorenç des Cardassar, km 7,5.

It is an archaeological site of the late antiquity (5th century AD) consisting of a basilica and a necropolis.

The excavation began in 1912 thanks to the initiative of monsignor Aguiló. In 1931 the site and its remains were declared historical and archaeological monument in order to guarantee its preservation.

Since 2005 a project of consolidation and adaptation for visitors is being carried out by a joint financing of the municipal government and the Consell de Mallorca.

The excavated area in Son Peretó exposed to view an ensemble consisting of various elements with different uses:

A. Basilica: Cult place. Dimensions 21 x 14 m and orientation WE. Formed by three naves, separated by two lines of columns. In the East of the major nave there was a sanctuary and altar.

B. Baptistery, with a double baptismal font.

C. Necrópolis.

D. Habitations attached to the temple.

The site is signposted and there are display panels in four languages for an autoguided visit.

 **Free entrance**

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14. Antoni M. Alcover Public Institution

Situated in Carrer Pare Andreu Fernández, 12

Aware of the greatness of Antoni M. Alcover i Sureda (Manacor, 1862- Palma, 1932) and his work, the Manacor Town Hall agreed to create a public institution with his name which would serve as an homage, a display of his mementos, a stimulus for study and scholarship, an expression of his affection for our land and values and the seed of a vast tree of culture and harmony.

The main goals of the Institution are to conserve, gather together and make scholarly use of Antoni M. Alcover's entire legacy on the one hand, and to study, research, gain awareness of and promote the popular culture of Mallorca on the other.

 **662 320 444**

 **institucioalcover.org**




15. Rafa Nadal Museum Xperience

Situated on the road to Cales de Mallorca, km 1,2.

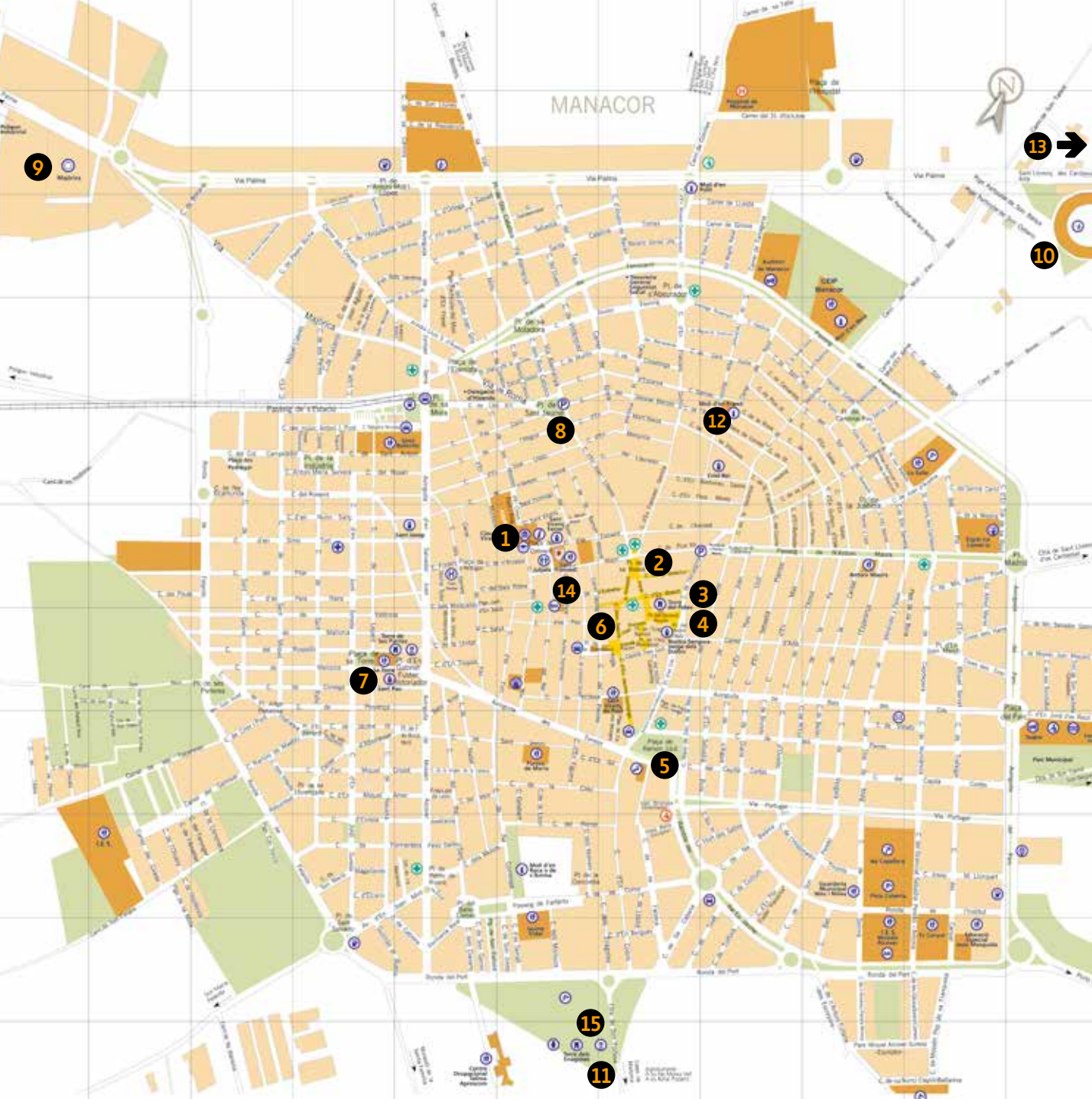
An exclusive exhibition of the best trophies and sports equipments of Rafa Nadal, surrounded by high technology, virtual reality and sports simulators.

For times and tickets please check the web.

 **sportxperience.rnsportscentre.com**

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15. Església de la Mare de Déu del Carme (church)

Situated at Plaça del Carme.

Neo-roman basilical one-hall church with aisles. The nave is covered by a lightly pointed barrel vault. It has one central and two lateral symmetrical parts.

The first church was built between the 10th of May and July of 1890 in consecration to Mare de Déu del Carme, patroness of fishermen and navigators.

1914 a Way of the Cross and a small organ were installed. From the first moment the cult place was too small and the building was enlarged in different phases. It was definitely inaugurated in August 1949. 1957 it was enlarged and completed with the steeple in the same style.

⌚ MASS TIMES

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☎ 971 82 15 63

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16. Passeig de la Sirena (promenade)

Situated along carrer Bordils right in front of the sea and the beach of Porto Cristo. It is scenery for markets, celebrations and concerts in summer.

On this promenade there is a sculpture of a mermaid (Sirena) which was destroyed after the Civil War and substituted on the occasion of the centennial of Porto Cristo's foundation in the year 1988, by a work by the sculptor Pere Pujol.



17. Espai Majorica

Situated at carrer de les Coves, 33.

Majorica offers a new and different concept at "Espai Majorica" in Porto Cristo, in its outstanding building with a bigger and varied offer of its branded good, the pearl, keeping its history and the island of Majorca.

☎ 971 86 92 50

📍 majorica.com

⌚ Check opening hours on web

18. Coves Blanques (caves)

Situated on the sea level next to the beach of Porto Cristo.

Till the middle of the 19th century these caves were inhabited. The first village settlement in this cove was established in Porto Cristo. In the early years of the 19th century fishermen lived in the caves.

This occupation went on till 1888, when the settlement of Carmen was founded. In those places like cliffs and caves with ideal living conditions some inhabited spots were settled: the cliffs of the Coves Blanques or the cave named Patró Pelat, situated in the gardens of the actual Club Nàutic gave refuge to the first inhabitants of Cala Manacor.

According to Joan Riera Dalmau, the first settlers were a group of citizen who already lived in the cave Patró Pelat in 1830 (the Pelats did not arrive till 1877). The coves Blanques were arranged by Gabriel Fornés about 1844. This spot was formed by the cave Patroneta Perlines, with its two annexes. They were small caves which sometimes could not give shelter to the whole family.





19. Coves del Drach (caves)

Situated at Carretera de les Coves, Porto Cristo


The group of natural caves extends over a distance of 1.700 m. Its stalagmites have got big dimensions and irregular shapes, while the stalactites are thin and plentiful.

Nowadays the course is of 1 km. approximately, and for the visitor concerts of classical music take place daily on the famous Martel lake.

 **SUMMER OPENING HOURS**
from 16 March to 31 October)
Visits with concert at 10, 11, 12, 14, 15, 16 and 17 h.
(July and August there is also a visit at 13 h).

 **SUMMER OPENING HOURS**
(from 1 November to 15 March)
Visits with concert at 10.45, 12, 14 and 15.30 h.

 **Ask for prices in the Tourist Information Offices**
or call by phone

 **971 82 07 53**

 **cuevasdeldrach.com**




20. Coves dels Hams (caves)


Situated on the road Manacor - Porto Cristo, km. 11

Discovered by Pere Caldentey, these caves are famous for their peculiar arborescent formations and its subterranean lake, where extraordinary concerts take place.

A visit to the caves will allow you to meet their “inhabitants”, prehistoric crustaceans which have survived the passing of time.

 **OPENING HOURS**
From 30/10 to 15/11 from 10 to 16.30 h
From 16/11 to 19/03 from 10 to 16 h
From 20/03 to 30/06 from 10 to 16.30 h
From 1/07 to 29/10 from 10 to 17 h

 **Ask for prices in the Tourist Information Offices**
or call by phone

 **971 82 09 88**

 **cuevasdelshams.com**



21. Club Nàutic

Situated in Carrer de la Vela, 29 in Porto Cristo.

Founded in the year 1969 by Joan Servera Amer, this nautical club has got 206 moorings on its pontoons and two docks reserved for ships on transit.

It offers electrical and water supply to ship owners. There are also showers, laundry, restaurant, meteorological reports and a platform for repairs and maintenance of medium sized crafts.

☎ 971 82 12 53

📍 cnportocristo.com

22. Torre del Serral dels Falcons (watchtower)

Located at the end of Avinguda Joan Servera Camps in Porto Cristo.

Watch and defence tower.

History tells that the construction of the tower was quickly in 1577 and authorities decided to set it up in the Serral dels Falcons or Hill of Falcons.

Towards 1693 the tower had two keepers. In 1769 it had a 3-pound-bronze cannon, two keepers and was situated in the country estate of Rafal Pudent. 1794 the tower was very bare and a battery was constructed at its feet. 1936 it was partially destroyed by the bombing of pro-Franco forces. Later, in 1960, it was reconstructed by the landowners.

The tower has been recently restored and the green area is a natural space ideal for relaxing with some wooden tables and benches.



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22. Poblats prehistòrics s'Hospitalet Vell (prehistoric settlement)

Situated on the road to Cales de Mallorca, km.1

One of Majorca's most important prehistoric settlement which includes Bronze and Iron Age. In one visit naviforms and talayots can be seen.


Naviform period (1700-1200 BC/1100 AD.)

"Navetas" are houses made of stone with a green roof, with trunks and branches. In them we find the characteristic objects of a house: pottery, bone punches, stone mills...

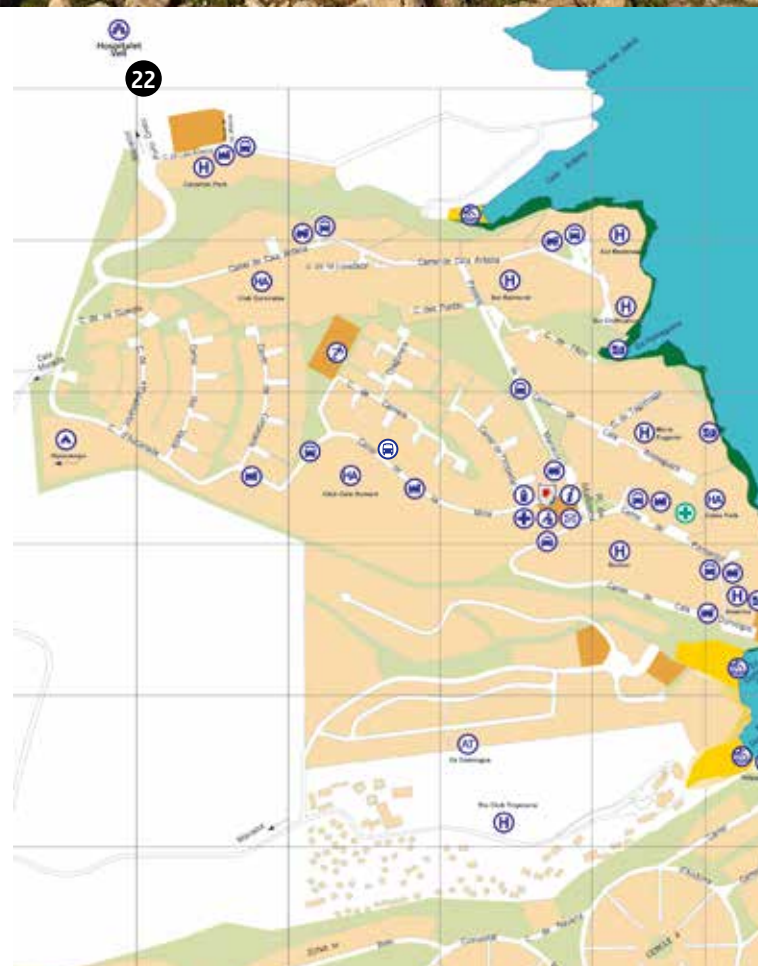
Talayot period (1200/1100 BC-123 AD)

From this phase you can see the spectacular square talayot with what is left of the stone deck on the ground floor, unique in Mallorca. In the surroundings of this talayot there are a whole series of rooms that were occupied at the end of this era and even in Islamic times. We must highlight the so-called rectangular enclosure, which by its monumentality looks like a wall when in fact it is a building in two rooms separated by a patio.

There is also rectangular enclosure built with large stoneblocks formed by two rooms separated by a court. They were occupied during the 3rd century BC approximately.

 **Free entrance**
Once leaving the area, please close the fence.

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- **Teatre de Manacor**

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- **Institució pública Antoni M. Alcover**

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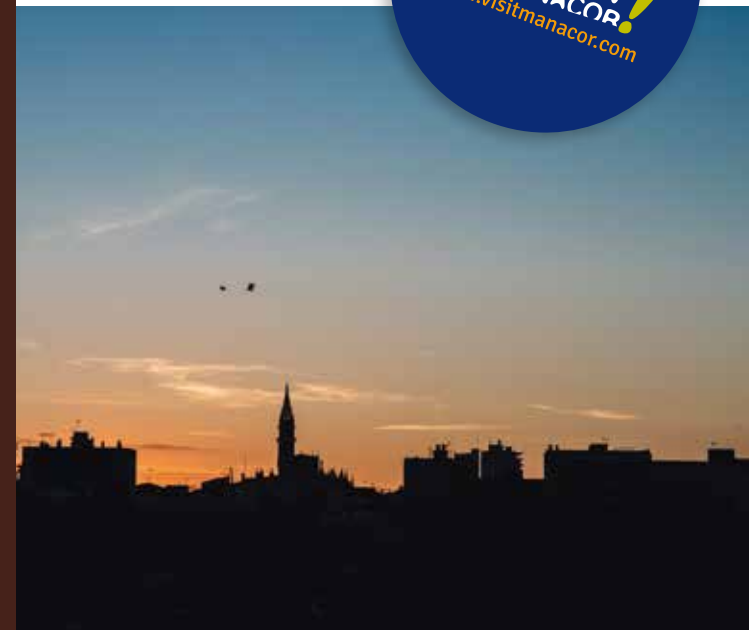
- Monday to Saturday morning at Plaça de la Constitució. Sale of vegetables, fruits and local products.
- Monday morning weekly market at Plaça de Ramon Llull.

Porto Cristo

- Sunday morning weekly market at Passeig de la Sirena.
- Thursday morning weekly market at Passeig de la Sirena from June till September

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- Thursday afternoon from June till September





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