



SON BRULL

RURAL SANCTUARY

JUNE 15th to 20th



Dear Cycling Friend,

In the following pages you'll find a brief day to day description for your cycling week in Son Brull.

Here is a description of what we have prepared for you.

Pollensa – 5 Nights June 15th – 20th

Pollensa it's a lovely old village with plenty of options for dining and some cool shops with local brands and products. It's location is the perfect starting point to ride to the Cap Formentor Lighthouse and then ride towards Port de Soller along the Tramuntana Range including Sa Calobra, two of the iconic rides in Mallorca

Day 1 – June 15th – Arrival, bike set up and quick afternoon ride

Depending on your time of arrival to Son Brull we might have time to do a quick bike fit session for everyone, and go for an easy afternoon ride to test the bikes and the legs towards the sea and have a refreshing cañita by the sea near Alcudia before riding back to Son Brull for the Necessary G&T's before a great dinner.

Ride: 32Km and 230m climbing. <https://ridewithgps.com/routes/29415826>

Day 2 – June 16th - Coll de Sa Bataia and Feminia Loop

We can ease into the week with a gentle ride towards Campanet, along a quiet and narrow undulating road amongst charming almond orchards, vineyards and the stunning olive trees terraces around Caimari. From there start the ride up to Coll de Sa Bataia (7.8 Km at 6%), maybe our favourite climb on the island. There we can take a little detour in to Lluç Monastery for a compulsory coffee stop before we take the amazing from Coll de Feminia into Pollensa for some snacks by the village square before heading back to Son Brull.

Ride: 52 Km and 870m climbing. <https://ridewithgps.com/routes/28856365>

Day 3 – June 17th - Cap Formentor Lighthouse and Cala Sant Vincent

Today you'll get to ride one of the icons of the island, maybe one of Europe top rides—"the lighthouse ride", or Cap Formentor. The ride is challenging but nothing super-steep (nothing really is super steep in Mallorca for very long). The road is a rollercoaster with continuous up and down and some amazing views of the Med and steep cliffs that plunge down to sea. After the Lighthouse we will ride towards Cala Sant Vincent for a light snack by the sea and a short ride back to the hotel afterwards.

Ride: 68 Km with 1100m of climbing. <https://ridewithgps.com/routes/28851864>

Day 4 – June 18th - Orient valley and the rural heart of Mallorca

Today we can take a quick (30 minutes) shuttle to Santa Maria so we can start riding from there and get to see more of this amazing island. From Santa Maria we have a few Km to warm up before arriving to Bunyola and start the fun climb of Coll de Honor (6Km at 6%) which takes us into the magical Orient Valley. From there we have a super fun descent into Alaro where we can stop at the local cycling shop / Bife café, our local version of “Look Mum No Hands” and the set off back North passing by Lloseta and into Cami Vell de Muro through the Binissalem wine country and the charming rural heart of Mallorca near Sa Pobla.

Ride: 70 Km with 800m climbing. <https://ridewithgps.com/routes/29555333>

Day 5- June 19th - Sa Calobra and Wine Tasting

We save the best for last and today you will have an epic. Start is the reverse route of Day one up Coll de Feminia and we carry on towards the iconic climb of Sa Calobra, the most famous climb on the island and one of the most famous in Europe. With its 9.5 Km of twisting tarmac hugging the dramatic cliffs and offering great views of the Med. After Sa Calobra we ride down into Caimari and head to Can Axartell winery, an impressive cellar built in the rock, an architecture masterpiece. Can Axartell produces our Son Brull wines as well as their own. We will enjoy a charming picnic lunch while tasting their wines, all the hard work done already!

Transfer back to the hotel.

Ride: 85 Km with 2000m climbing. <https://ridewithgps.com/routes/29555339>