



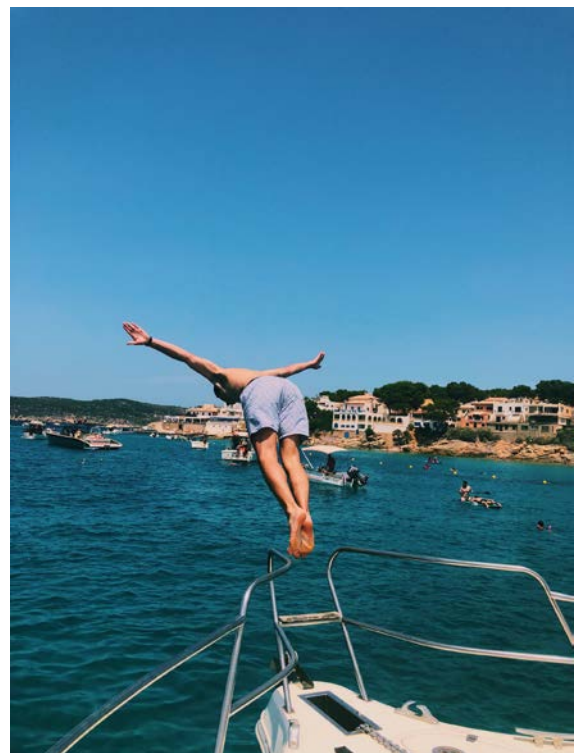
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Our First Day Staying in Palma and last day in Petra



A las 10 de la mañana rotarios del RC Palma Junípero Serra, vinieron a recogernos a Petra y trasladarnos a Palma donde residiremos una semana. We started our morning off by driving to the harbor to wait for our boats to be ready. Once we boarded, our captain drove the boat for about 20 minutes until we arrived near the beach of Andratx. There, we anchored the boat and swam to the yacht where we were welcomed with cold cervezas.

It wasn't long before we began launching ourselves off the edge of the large yacht into the cooling sea. Looking around and taking in the beauty, Matt says to Dylan, "Life doesn't get much better than this, man." Yachts, paddleboards, and snorkelers surrounded us as



we stood on the nose of our boat, laughing and enjoying ourselves. We were on cloud nine.

For a snack, the captains prepared a traditional Majorcan pizza that we devoured within only a few minutes. The RC Palma Junípero Serra Rotarians that were on the boat with us were very welcoming and kind. They made us feel at home by cracking jokes with us and telling us about their homes on the island. Matt and Dylan learned that Majorcan women are some of the most beautiful in the world! If only they knew enough Spanish to charm them. When they arrive back in America, Dylan and Matt will have a strong incentive to pick up the Spanish language so that they can easily get around when they revisit the beautiful island in the future.

After spending a few hours out on the water, we drove back and tied the boats up along the deck. We walked over to the gorgeous pool and spent about 20 minutes there until our dinner table was ready.

At dinner, we were given a menu with 2 options for your three courses. The first option was shrimp & avocado or tuna tartare. Both were incredible! Then, for our entree we had the option of fish or pork. Most of us ordered the fish and it was excellent. Lastly, our dessert options were tiramisú or ice cream. Again, most of us ordered the same thing: tiramisu. It was creamy, chocolatey, and overall outstanding. This was one of our favorite meals so far!



In all, today was our favorite day of the trip so far. From yachting in the Mediterranean Sea to eating top-of-the-line cuisine, it was certainly a day to remember. We are so grateful for the Rotarians that made today and the trip thus far the greatest experience we could possibly imagine! Can't wait for another day!

