

**The Sunday Interview** Humphrey Carter talks to **Sandra Schwenn and Lara Keszler** who have given **weddings and events a new twist by offering a classic London cab in Majorca.**

“This is the ultimate LOOVE machine for a very special day...”

**I** bet you have never been driven around Palma in a classic London Black Cab/ Heckney Carriage, well I have and it's the most amazing experience, and it was not even my wedding day!

Even Palma cabbies love it and will honk or wave as they go past, it's the ultimate show stopper and, having been totally restored and lovingly cared for, it's in mint condition and joy to sit back and travel in.

Business partners Sandra Schwenn and Lara Keszler, who form the LOOVE Weddings & Events Team, founded by Sandra, are the driving force behind this unique opportunity and, after having slowly launched their new venture last year, are now ready to hit the road running this year with a number of weddings and events having

already booked the London cab which comes with its special chauffeur who is all suited and booted.

Sandra is a former model, interior and fashion designer who studied in London. She not only fell in love with the city b u t

sent was a Mustang 390 GT, the model driven by Steve McQueen in the classic film *Bullitt* and guess what she got for her 50th birthday - a London Cab!

Lara is an assistant film editor and has moved on a number of major productions here in Majorca and she joined Sandra in her wedding and events project last year.

Neither actually planned on living here, but one thing led to another and the quality of life, the quality time they are able to spend with friends and family proved just too much of an attraction, plus Sandra has previous knowledge of Ibiza, so was no stranger to the Balearics and what is has to offer.

And, via their weddings and events company they really want to

its black cabs - she has always has a soft spot for cars, for her 20th birthday her pre-



Lara Keszler and Sandra Schwenn with the London cab in Palma.

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spread the LOOVE.

“As location for a wedding or special event, Majorca is just perfect. It has everything, guaranteed good weather pretty much all year and so many idillic and breathtaking spots from excellent hotels to the coasts and the mountains plus we've got such a high standard of catering companies on the island, it's just a first class spot and just a few hours flights

## TAXI FACTBOX

- Model Austin FX 4
- Original London Cab
- Construction year 1981
- 2,7l Diesel engine
- Renovated only with original pieces
- Totally restored ( for more than 35.000€)
- So far the only of it's kind in Spain
- To rent for weddings & events (only with driver / chauffeur - as you need a special license)

from most European capitals.

“Everything is all so close, it's so compact it's a joy to work here and make people happy, to make sure they really do enjoy the most impor-

tant day of their lives,” Sandra said. And they are both in love with their London cab.

“I find it so relaxing to drive, it's automatic, makes a lovely deep engine noise, driving her is







like meditation for me," Sandra said.

"And it's fun driving on the right," she added.

And Lara is equally excited about this year.

"The taxi gives that extra edge and we've got the only one in Majorca. Our philosophy is to help create love and what bet-

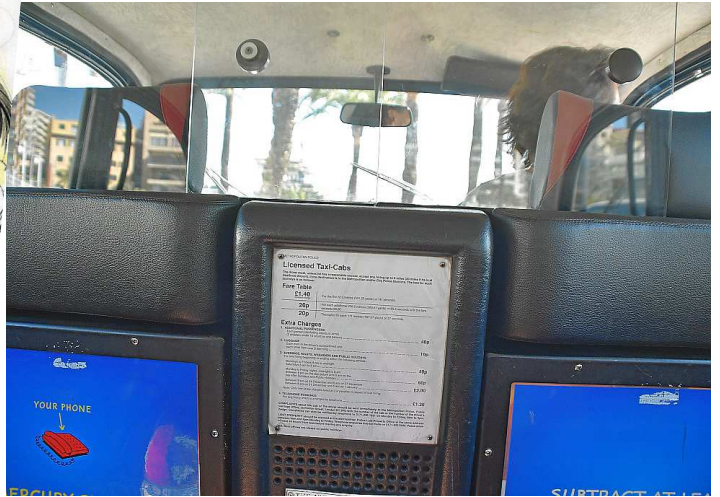
ter way than by doing something really unusual. And, you can feel the soul of the taxi, it has a great atmosphere.

"We've had a lot of interest from the UK, Sweden, Germany and even Australia and we want to keep that momentum going. The cab is such an

eye catcher, she's beautiful, and cool she even smells wonderful. For that perfect specula moment, the London can ticks all the boxes and more."



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## St. Patrick's Festival

Music, market, FREE kiddies' attractions, food & drink, street entertainment.



## Festival de San Patricio

Música, mercadillo, atracciones infantiles GRATUITAS, comida y bebida, animación callejera.

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