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Bulletin co-founder awarded gold medal from Tourist Board



Margalida Magraner, who died this year.

Palma.—The co-founder of the Majorca Daily Bulletin, Margalida Magraner, who died last April, was awarded the Majorcan Tourist Board´s Gold Medal last night. She founded the Bulletin alongside her late husband Pere A. Serra MBE in 1962. The Tourist Board said that her work through the pages of the Bulletin had given the island some first class promotion both at home and abroad. Maria Jose Moreno Martin, Director of the Felipe Moreno Tourism University and Miguel Puiggros, founder of Grupo Garden, will also receive the gold medal. Other awards went to the Son Bonet aerodrome, Arabella Golf Mallorca and the Hotel Illa D'or.





HEAVY RAINS CAUSE CHAOS

Palma.—Heavy rains caused chaos in the north of the island yesterday morning. More than 123 litres per square metre of rain fell in Alcudia, saturating shops and businesses and flooding the harbour promenade.

78 litres of rain per square metre fell in Muro and according to the Weather Office spokesperson María José

Guerrero, 49 litres fell in just one hour and 17 litres in 10 minutes. There was also 40 litres per square metre of rainfall in Soller with 37 litres falling in one hour.

The access road to Es Murterà has been closed to traffic because of torrential rain and motorists are advised to make a detour through Avenida Pere Mas i Reus. Today the orange weather warning will remain in place all day long, but it will be slightly warmer.

On Thursday, the weather warning is expected to be downgraded to yellow, but as this storm moves away, a new one will arrive. On Friday, mud rain is forecast, but the weather should cheer up a bit at the weekend.







Heavy flooding across the north of the island. The unsettled weather is expected to continue over the coming days.