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Lusso launched in 2010 as the UK's first specialist tour operator selling luxury holidays exclusively through independent travel agents.

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At the heart of all we do are our travel advisors. True specialists in their craft, most have over 25 years' experience in the industry and travel regularly to the destinations and properties within our portfolio. Their first-hand, up-to-date and intimate knowledge allows them to truly advise you, from helping you choose the optimum room or suite to designing the most complex of multi-centre holidays, complete with private transfers, guided excursions and a host of hidden extras.

Understandably then, we are incredibly discerning about the partners we work with, never more so as we all look to travel once again, endeavouring only to use the best of the best, from airlines and tour guides to luxury hotels. We are especially proud to work closely with One&Only. Over the last decade we've arranged hundreds of holidays to One&Only hotels and consistently receive excellent feedback from both agents and their clients, praising the brand for its customer service and attention to detail. With hotels newly opened in Asia and Europe, their exceptional portfolio is now truly worldwide. So dive in and take a look, I've no doubt you'll find something to inspire you.



James Weaver
Managing Director

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Redefining Luxury

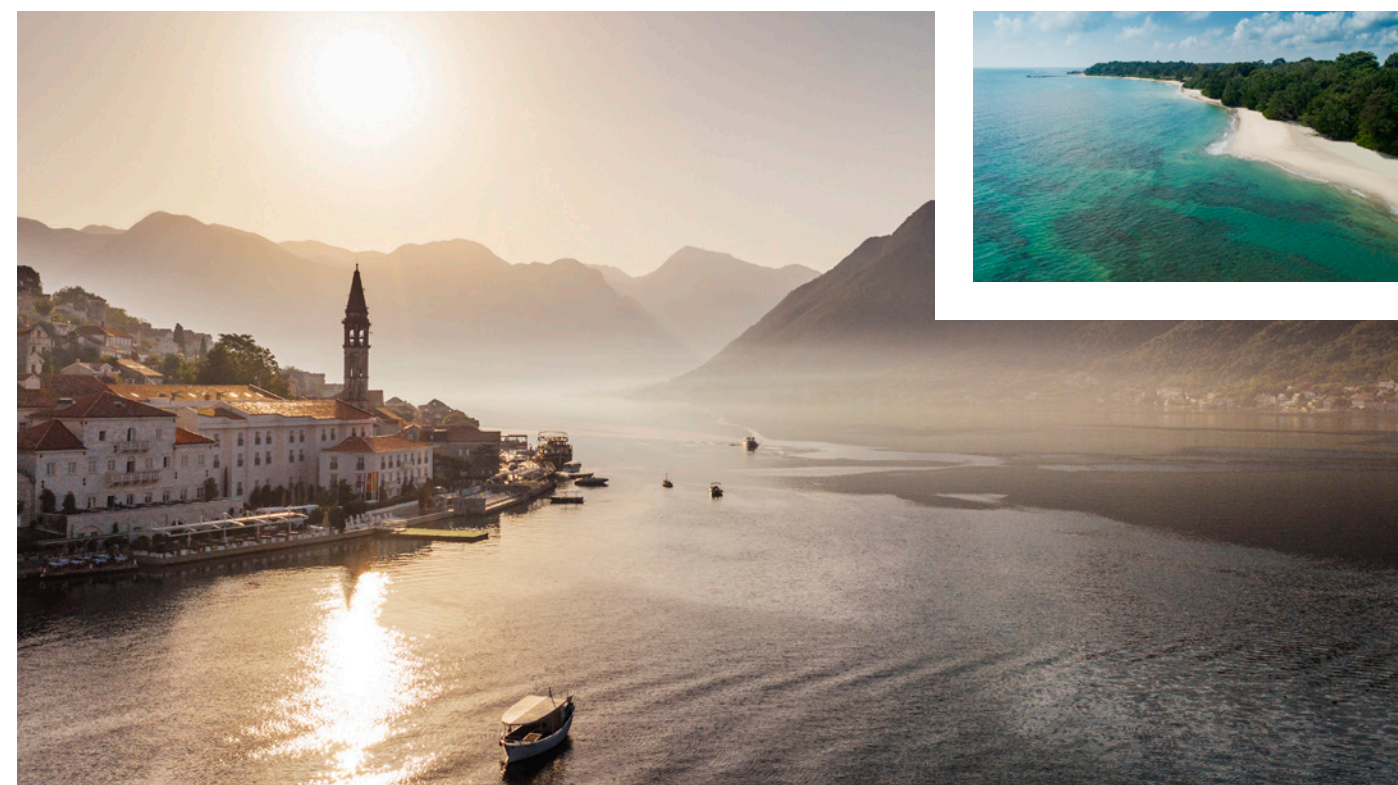
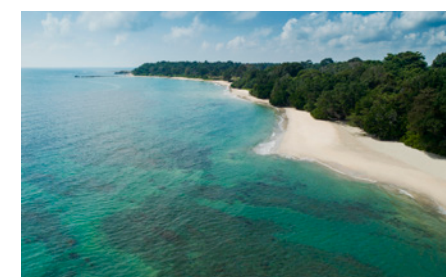
WELCOME TO

One&Only

One&Only resorts are havens of outstanding style and service, located in a range of inspiring destinations from Mauritius and the Maldives to Malaysia and Montenegro. Offering incredible, tailored experiences across beach, nature and urban locations, they have helped set the bar for what it means to be a luxury hotel in the 21st century. From nature-led hideouts to blissed-out beach retreats, these spectacular resorts are places to simply 'be'; to forget about the world and remember what it feels like to truly feel joy.

Unrivalled Locations

One&Only has a knack for being in the right place at the right time. Yes it's known for its glamorous style and stellar service, but also for staying just ahead of the pack when it comes to securing incredible locations. From One&Only Palmilla, long the hideaway of choice for the Hollywood elite in glamorous Los Cabos, to its latest opening in the Mediterranean's newest hotspot, sun-soaked Portonovi on Montenegro's riviera, One&Only hotels have an enviable reputation for stealing the limelight. Yet they're equally good at hiding out of the way too. Looking for some peace and quiet in an undiscovered eden? Try One&Only Desaru Coast, just two and a half hours from Singapore yet tucked quietly away on a pristine stretch of Malaysian coastline, between the South China Sea and a carpet of thick rainforest. Or One&Only Nyungwe House, built on the fringes of one of Africa's oldest forests, where you're just as likely to spot chimpanzees as people.



Standout Service

Service with One&Only is second to none. In an atmosphere that's chic but wonderfully unstuffy, staff go out of their way to surprise, delight and exceed expectations. Whether it's greeting you by name from the moment you arrive, remembering how you like your cocktails, or helping you arrange your perfect proposal, they'll tailor every aspect of your holiday experience, from the smallest of details to the grandest of plans.

Curated Experiences

One&Only understands that there's more to a holiday than just a hotel. All its resorts are rooted in their surroundings, helping guests to experience destinations rather than merely stay in them. Whether it's tracking gorillas in Rwanda, watching whales in South Africa or dune bashing in Dubai, One&Only takes you where few will ever go; presenting natural and cultural landmarks in new, creative ways; delivering once-in-a-lifetime moments that ignite your passions as well as your soul.



A Place for One&All

Because memories are best shared with the ones we love, One&Only hotels are perfectly designed to suit every generation. Couples can unwind in seductive suites, rejuvenate together with relaxing spa treatments, or enjoy private dining in secret locations, intimately lit with candles and lanterns. Multiple generations can celebrate together in world-leading villas with private pools and dedicated staff. Families can take advantage of state-of-the-art kids' clubs, child-friendly dining and family friendly pools. And all can play together with activities ranging from cooking and riding to surfing and scuba diving.

Exceptional Cuisine

From fine dining and candlelit dinners to feet-in-the-sand experiences the whole family can enjoy, food is an integral part of any One&Only stay. With open kitchens, innovative menus and spectacular views, restaurants are like theatres, each telling a story through treasured recipes and the finest local ingredients. Celebrity chef partnerships raise the experience further still, allowing guests to enjoy dishes from such world-renowned talents as Nobuyuki 'Nobu' Matsuhisa, Yannick Alléno, Giorgio Locatelli and many, many more.



Holistic Wellbeing

As the world emerges from lockdown in search of healthier, happier lifestyles, One&Only's commitment to wellbeing could not be more relevant. Nurture mind, body and soul with traditional and modern therapies at One&Only Spas. Or take your physical and spiritual development to the next level through One&Only's world-class wellness partnerships, including Tata Harper treatments at One&Only Mandarin, Guerlain treatments at One&Only The Palm, and the ground-breaking approach to holistic wellbeing that's provided by Chenot, available at One&Only Portonovi and One&Only Desaru Coast.



Maldives

One&Only Reethi Rah

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Beloved by honeymooners, families and A-listers alike, One&Only Reethi Rah is a palm-fringed idyll in the North Malé Atoll, just 45 minutes by speedboat from Malé, offering elegant villas, world-class facilities and luxury living at its tropical best.



Gloriously designed villas range from spacious beach retreats with their own private strips of sand to vast overwater properties with private infinity pools, indoor and outdoor showers, secluded cabanas and catamaran nets suspended above the water. All have vaulted, thatched roofs and are beautifully

styled in wood and natural stone with chalk-white fabrics, magnificent views and sunken baths for two.

Around you, Reethi Rah ('beautiful island') lives up to its name with seas and skies in innumerable tones of blue, dense tropical vegetation, and not one or two but 12 white-sand beaches on which to play out your island fantasy. Dining options range from lantern-lit Botanica with its emphasis on romance and garden-to-table cooking, to the Japanese-Peruvian fusion of signature restaurant, Tapasake. For sunset cocktails, head for the shisha pipes and cabana beds of Fanditha, with its chilled Arabian vibe.

Facilities include an expansive dive centre, a state-of-the-art spa, comprehensive kids' programmes, tennis courts and even a FIFA-certified football pitch. Traditional pursuits like sailing and fishing are of course available, as are rock climbing, art classes and trips out on the lagoon in a traditional dhoni boat.



Inside Track

"Of the many experiences on offer to guests, my absolute favourite is private dining on a secluded sandbank, with champagne by candlelight, a private chef and host, and a sumptuous menu completely tailored to your tastes. It's the most romantic way to enjoy the magic of the Maldives."

Dwayne Krisko, Executive Chef



SPECIAL OFFERS

A range of special offers are available throughout the year, often including early booking discounts, long-stay specials, upgrades to half board, free stays for kids in suites, and complimentary yacht transfers. Ask your travel agent for details.

DON'T MISS

Upgrading to the Grand Sunset Residence for the ultimate in exclusivity. This three-bedroom villa is on the island's longest stretch of private beach and comes with two inviting pools and an outdoor cinema.

PERFECT PAIR

With just a four-hour flight between the two, the Maldives combines perfectly with a stay in Dubai at either [One&Only Royal Mirage](#) or [One&Only The Palm](#). Action-packed Dubai, with its record-breaking skyscrapers, fabulous shopping and indoor skiing, makes a wonderful contrast to the white sandy beaches and relaxed pace of life on offer in the Maldives.

WHEN TO GO

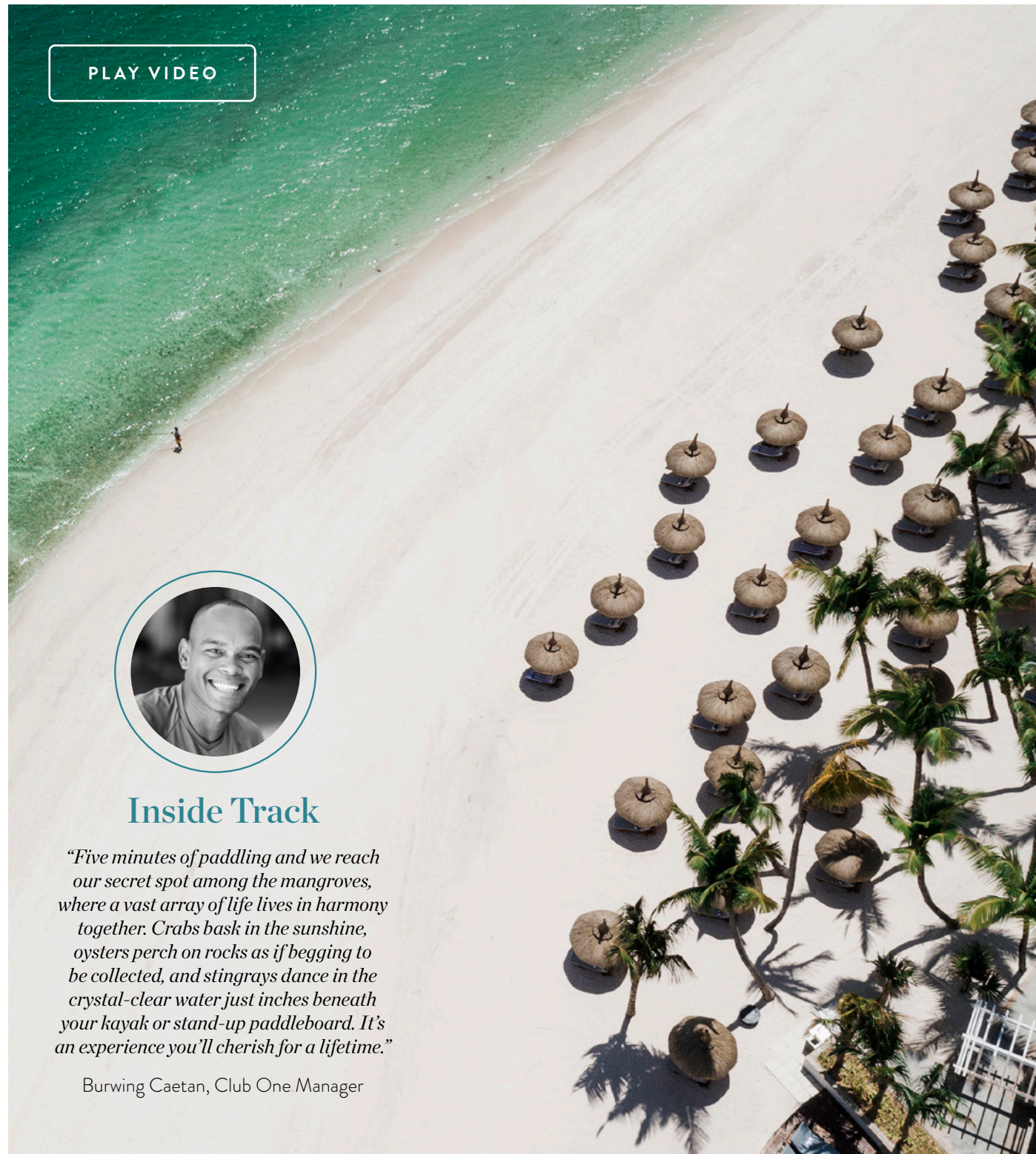
The dry season in the Maldives runs from December to April, so it's an ideal destination for a spot of winter sun or an Easter family holiday.



Mauritius

One&Only Le Saint Géran

Set on a private peninsula in the glamorous north-east of the island, One&Only Le Saint Géran is the grande dame of Mauritius hotels, with 60 acres of gardens and over a mile of soft white beaches to its name.



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Inside Track

“Five minutes of paddling and we reach our secret spot among the mangroves, where a vast array of life lives in harmony together. Crabs bask in the sunshine, oysters perch on rocks as if begging to be collected, and stingrays dance in the crystal-clear water just inches beneath your kayak or stand-up paddleboard. It’s an experience you’ll cherish for a lifetime.”

Burwing Caetan, Club One Manager



Service is sublime here, with helicopter transfers available from the airport, impeccably dressed valets awaiting your arrival, and staff on hand at the beach and by the pool. The stylish rooms boast stunning views of either ocean sunrises or languid lagoon sunsets. Suites step things up with extended living spaces, private butler service and either ocean views or direct beach access, while the dreamy Villa One offers two elegant bedrooms, a private chef and a stunning infinity pool – perfect for multi-generational holidays.

With four excellent restaurants plus the hipster-chic café, L’Artisan, this is definitely a foodie

favourite. Built on stilts above the lagoon, Tapasake offers some of the best pan-Asian cuisine on the island. La Terrasse draws inspiration from Mauritius’s French and Creole connections. Contemporary grill Prime serves the finest cuts of Australian Wagyu, while waterfront La Pointe is the place to go for barbecue and local rum cocktails.

Facilities include a world-class spa, one of the island’s most modern kids’ clubs, three tennis courts and three infinity pools, including an adults-only spa pool. Activities range from kayaking through the mangroves and privately guided hikes to helicopter excursions and market-to-table cooking classes.



SPECIAL OFFERS

Numerous special offers are frequently available, including early booking discounts, reduced rates, complimentary half board, and honeymoon and anniversary specials that include discounted rates, champagne on arrival and complimentary spa treatments.

DON'T MISS

Spending quality time with your tribe. Once a bastion of coupledom, One&Only Le Saint Géran is now a leading family resort. Two- and three-bedroom suites offer flexible family options. Three separate kids’ clubs welcome children from toddlers to teens. And activities range from ‘Be the DJ’ parties and thrilling sports tournaments to bonfires and barbecues, treasure hunts, gardening and canyoning at Tamarin Falls.

PERFECT PAIR

A couple of nights at [One&Only Royal Mirage](#) or [One&Only The Palm](#) in dazzling Dubai is a wonderful way to break up the long journey to Mauritius, ensuring you arrive fresh and ready to hit the beach. Or consider combining your island experience with a visit to [Cape Town](#), just a six-hour flight away.

WHEN TO GO

The best time to visit is between April and June or from September through November. The hottest months fall between December and February, and cyclones, although rare, can occur between November and March.



“Of my many fond memories of One&Only Reethi Rah, by far my most treasured is tucking into the freshest sushi at Tapasake restaurant’s over-water pavilions, while watching nurse sharks swim by in the illuminated water.”

Rebecca Askwith, Reservations Supervisor at Lusso





Often cited as Dubai's most romantic resort, One&Only The Palm is set on a quarter of a mile of private beach on Dubai's tree-shaped Palm Island.

A striking blend of Moorish and Andalusian architecture, this is an intimate resort of just 94 keys. Even entry-level rooms are impressively large, with comfortable sofas, enormous beds and spacious bathrooms with rainfall showers and marble bathtubs. Suites add something extra like a private pool or giant outdoor terrace, while the two-bedroom beachfront villa is the height of Dubai decadence.

The lobby's Arabesque archways frame views of the main pool, which is lined by palm trees and comfy double sunbeds. For even greater calm, the Guerlain Spa – the only one of its kind in

the UAE – has an adults-only pool, a Moroccan hammam and a secluded couples suite with a private steam room and freestanding baths.

Restaurants are under the watchful eye of triple-Michelin-star chef, Yannick Alléno and include fine-dining STAY, the poolside restaurant Zest, and 101 Dining, Lounge & Bar, whose open-air deck has the best sunset and skyline views on The Palm. It also offers direct access to the resort's exclusive marina, from where a complimentary speedboat can whisk you across the water to sister property One&Only Royal Mirage in less than ten minutes.



SPECIAL OFFERS

Reduced rates, early booking discounts, complimentary half board, dine-around programmes and complimentary access to Dubai's Aquaventure Waterpark are among the many offers regularly available. Suite and villa guests also usually benefit from a host of added extras.

DON'T MISS

Treating your taste buds to One&Only The Palm's ultimate dining experience: the tasting menu at STAY by Yannick Alléno, the acclaimed French chef and gastronomic visionary whose restaurants have an incredible eight Michelin stars between them.

PERFECT PAIR

Dubai is a gateway to so much of the world, with national airline Emirates flying direct to over 160 destinations. So why not combine your visit with a stay at One&Only hotels in [Mauritius](#), the [Maldives](#) or even [Malaysia](#)?

WHEN TO GO

The best time to visit is from late September to April when it's sunny but not too hot. Temperatures can soar from May until August or September, with the mercury often rising above 40°C.



Inside Track

"Dubai Harmony is a must-try spa treatment created exclusively by Guerlain for One&Only The Palm. The perfect balance between a treatment and a massage, it leaves you with an incredible feeling of wellbeing and lightness. Try it and you'll see."

Surina Hunjan, Director of Sales



Dubai

One&Only Royal Mirage - The Palace & Arabian Court

It's hard not to be awed by One&Only Royal Mirage, whose 65 acres of landscaped gardens and kilometre-long private beach overlook Palm Island and the stunning Dubai skyline.

The romantic resort is made up of three properties, the regal Arabian Court, the Moorish-style Palace and the exclusive Residence & Spa. While each of the three is different, all rooms boast private balconies or garden patios and feature authentic Arabian flourishes like Oriental lanterns, custom-made carved wooden furniture and richly embroidered fabrics.

With plenty of interconnecting room options, The Palace and Arabian Court are ideal for families.

The Palace offers three different suites, including a two-bedroom Royal Suite that's as regal as it sounds, and a Superior Gold Club Suite that comes with a raft of Gold Club privileges, including a private entrance and reception and a dedicated lounge serving complimentary breakfast, afternoon tea, evening drinks and canapes. Arabian Court also boasts two suites, the finest of which is surely the Prince Suite, with its vast sweeping terrace and dazzling Dubai views.



Inside Track

"For younger guests, our KidsOnly club offers fully supervised, age-appropriate activities that channel the wonders of Arabia, including camel riding, henna painting, sand sculpting, mini-camping and learning basic Arabic phrases – giving parents the time to enjoy our chic beach club, DRIFT."

Yulia Orlova, Director of Sales

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"a wondrous place of intricate arches, domes and towers"

SPECIAL OFFERS

Ask your travel agent about the offers available at One&Only Royal Mirage, which often include early booking discounts, reduced rates, complimentary half board, dine-around programmes, kids-eat-for-free, and access to the world's largest waterpark, Aquaventure.

DON'T MISS

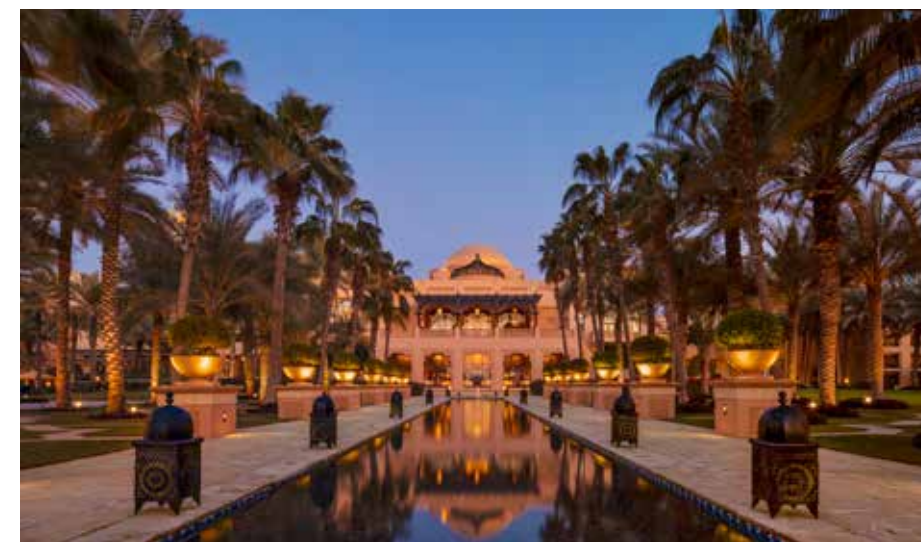
Taking the complimentary water taxi to sister property [One&Only The Palm](#), which sits majestically on Palm Jumeirah, perhaps the world's most remarkable artificial island.

PERFECT PAIR

Dubai pairs perfectly with the Indian Ocean islands of [Mauritius](#) and the [Maldives](#), just six and a half hours and four hours away respectively.

WHEN TO GO

From September to April, when we in the UK are often left shivering, Dubai is enjoying its most palatable weather. Moderate temperatures bring in major festivals and events, and alfresco dining lasts well into the night.



With seven restaurants between them, there's no shortage of dining options at either hotel. Enjoy the flavours of Morocco at aptly named Tagine. Head to Celebrities for French-inspired classics. Watch the action unfold in the distinctive show kitchen of all-day dining venue, The Rotisserie. Or opt instead for Olives and a taste of the Mediterranean.

Wherever you stay you'll be able to take advantage of the many resort facilities, including temperature-controlled swimming pools, a private beach, an Oriental hammam, floodlit tennis courts, a complimentary kids' club, non-motorised watersports, jet-skis, Flyboards and the cool, contemporary beach club, DRIFT.





Dubai One&Only Royal Mirage - Residence & Spa

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For when only the best is good enough, the Residence & Spa is a truly discreet hideaway within One&Only Royal Mirage, with its own reception, pool, private dining room and bar.

A member of The Leading Hotels of the World, this is an intimate sanctuary designed for those looking for the last word in luxury. With just 49 residences set among gardens of rich green lawns and immaculately kept flower beds, the atmosphere here is more boutique hotel than opulent resort. Surrender to its comforts and you'll struggle to remember there's a world of activities, restaurants and first-class facilities

waiting right outside the door. Designed with great respect to the heritage of Arabia, Prestige Rooms feature beautiful carved archways, traditional mosaics and authentic artwork, as well as king-size beds, spacious bathrooms and private balconies. Suites step things up with separate living areas with majilis-style seating, shades of royal purple and fascinating artefacts collected from the region.



Naturally you can choose from any of the resort restaurants, or you can eat at the elegant and refined Dining Room, exclusively available to Residence & Spa guests for breakfast, lunch and dinner. You'll also find an intimate library where afternoon tea, refreshments and classic cocktails are served, and an exclusive pool set in abundant gardens and surrounded by loungers and shady white gazebos.

Inside Track

"Residence & Spa is Dubai's best-kept secret – a home-from-home for couples in search of an intimate retreat. Enjoy a couple's signature bathing ritual in our traditional hammam, a refined afternoon tea with Arabic sweets at the Library Lounge, or a lazy afternoon by our exclusive, gorgeous pool."

Zeynep Peker, Cluster Director
of Sales & Marketing



SPECIAL OFFERS

Offers regularly include early booking discounts, reduced rates, complimentary half board, dine-around programmes and access to the Aquaventure waterpark.

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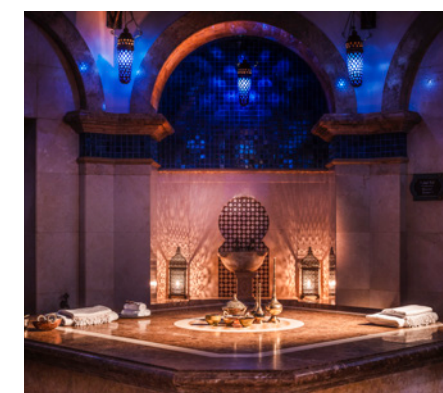
Celebrating in style in the Residence & Spa's Beach Garden Villa (above). Entirely secluded within palm-lined gardens and just steps from the sandy beach, this two-bedroom villa is the ultimate Dubai sanctuary, complete with its own pool and dedicated villa host.

PERFECT PAIR

Why not do the Dubai double and take the complimentary water taxi across to Palm Jumeirah for yet more indulgent nights at [One&Only The Palm](#).

WHEN TO GO

High season in Dubai is November to April, when temperatures are most manageable. But the shoulder season months of May, September and October are excellent options too; the beaches are quieter without the winter crowds, the sea temperature averages a balmy 28°C and the sun is still cool enough for trips into the desert.



“What I love about One&Only is that you know when you’ve arrived. Welcoming, smiling faces make you instantly feel special; step into your room and it’s as if you’ve been wrapped in a blanket of luxury.”

Julie Hammond, Reservations Manager at Lusso



One&Only Mandarin, Mexico



Mexico One&Only Palmilla

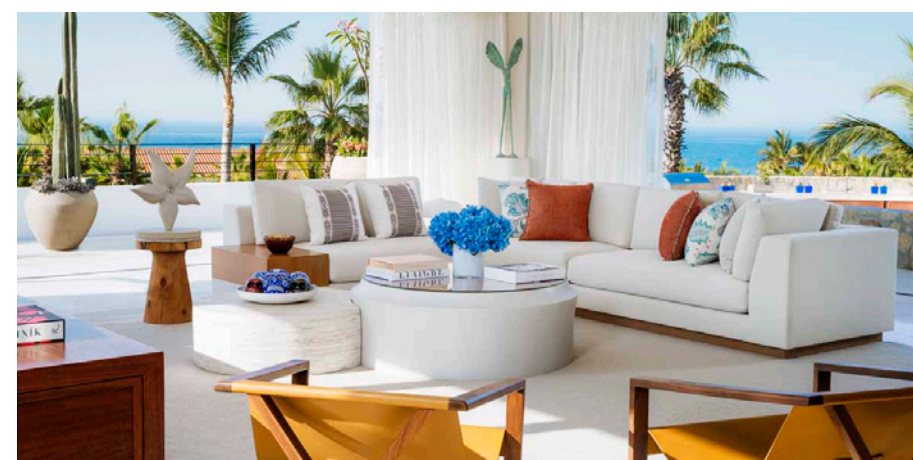
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Sitting serenely on a rocky promontory, One&Only Palmilla is the hotel of choice for many a Cabo connoisseur, combining privacy and seclusion with cliff-top views, easy beach access, butler-serviced rooms and a host of great facilities.

The iconic hotel has long played host to A-listers and celebrities. In the 1950s it was the likes of Bing Crosby and Ernest Hemingway. Today, after its multi-million-dollar makeover by One&Only, it's a favourite with stars like Tom Cruise, John Travolta and Jennifer Aniston, who stayed in one of its breathtaking four-bedroom villas. At between 10,000 and 15,000 square feet – and with perks like a 12-seater cinema and a private fitness suite – the two signature villas are truly sublime, but the service is just as good in the rooms, suites and colourful casitas. All benefit from a free unpacking service, slick and friendly butlers, outdoor seating and plush day beds, plus mesmerising views of the Sea of Cortez. The Casita Suites even have their own

outdoor pools, just steps from the beach.

Arrive in winter and you have an excellent chance of seeing the acrobatic antics of humpback whales on their annual migration. Whenever you visit, diners can pick from a choice of four restaurants, including SEARED, a wood-fire grill in collaboration with Michelin-star chef, Jean-Georges Vongerichten. Golfers can tee off at the 27-hole Jack Nicklaus-designed golf course. And ocean lovers can take advantage of one of the few swimmable beaches on the Baja Peninsula. Activities range from diving, fishing and desert Jeep safaris to paddleboarding, tennis and ancient healing rituals at the One&Only Spa, which also offers daily movement classes and 13 private spa villas.



Inside Track

“One&Only Palmilla is a destination within a destination; a lush tropical oasis hidden at the tip of the peninsula, surrounded by azure waters and breathtaking ocean views, with winding pathways, manicured lawns, fragrant blossoms and swaying palm trees cared for over decades.”

Sergio Pereira, General Manager

SPECIAL OFFERS

We'll always do our best to help you stay a little longer. Book a five-night stay, for example, and we can often offer you a further two nights for free. Ask your travel agent for details.

DON'T MISS

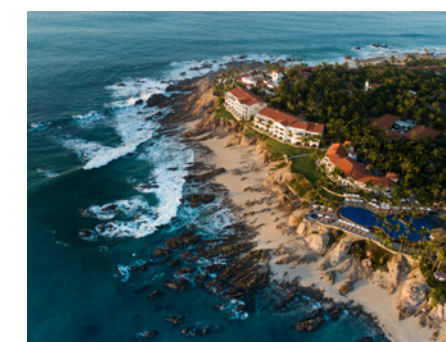
Catching a Mexican wave on the Baja Peninsula. Los Cabos is renowned for its year-round surf and the resort even has its own surf school, suitable for all abilities. More experienced surfers can hunt for the best waves in the resort's new Land Rover Defender and enjoy one-on-one lessons with resident surf pros.

PERFECT PAIR

For a Mexican twin-centre, the resort combines well with [One&Only Mandarin](#), whose rainforest-cloaked hills provide a striking contrast to the canyons and deserts of the Baja Peninsula. But with flights to Los Cabos from Los Angeles and San Francisco, a 'city and beach' combo can also easily be arranged.

WHEN TO GO

The resort benefits from an ideal year-round climate, with sunshine most of the year and average temperatures of 28°C between March and August, dropping to 24°C from September to February. While whales can be spotted year-round, the most regular sightings are from December to April. Hurricanes, though not common, are most likely in August and September.



Mexico

One&Only Mandarin

Set on a spectacular stretch of coastline on Mexico's Pacific coast, this exclusive resort offers gorgeous treetop and cliffside villas, all hidden among 33 hectares of stunning coastal rainforest.

Floor-to-ceiling glass and huge sliding doors frame the forest and the sea in One&Only Mandarin's 105 villas, which sit either in the treetops or right on the cliff edge. Both treehouse and cliff villas come with terraces and private plunge pools and feature furniture and artwork from Mexican designers.

Those looking for the best views should book a Panoramic Ocean Treehouse, while families and groups will love the larger Grand Villas, which start at one bedroom and run all the way up to the two-storey, three-bedroom magnificent Villa One, complete with private cinema, wine cellar, spa and infinity pool.



Inside Track

"One of my favourite experiences is Astrological Code Reading, where I use astrology to offer guests insights into the nature of their impulses, the challenges they face and what those challenges can teach them – all washed down with biodynamic wine on the terrace of their villa."

Steffy Schnaas, Spiritual Advisor



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Carao restaurant is one of three in the resort and offers an artistic twist on traditional Mexican cuisine on the hotel's highest peak. Mediterranean- and Pan-American-inspired Alma is more causal in style but no less impressive in its setting, while the Jetty Beach Club rounds out proceedings with fresh-off-the-boat seafood and Mexican light lunches.

Thankfully, there's a long list of activities to help counter all the eating. Highlights include whale watching in season (Dec-Mar), swimming in pools that appear to defy gravity, learning to play polo, hiking through the rainforest, and taking yourself off to the One&Only Spa, where options include meditation practices, healing-flow yoga and Tata Harper treatments.

"one of the most exciting hotels to have opened in Mexico in years"

SPECIAL OFFERS

We are regularly able to offer additional nights for free when you stay for a minimum period. Book a three-night stay, for example, and we'll make it four, or book five nights and we'll offer you seven. Ask your travel agent for details.

DON'T MISS

Hiking through the rainforest to visit the 500-year-old higuera tree known as La Abuela (The Grandmother). Your local guide will tell you all about the exotic flora and fauna you pass along the way and point out the rock carvings etched hundreds of years ago by the local Cora and Huichol cultures.

PERFECT PAIR

The two contrasting styles of One&Only Mandarin and [One&Only Palmilla](#) are a marriage made in Mexican heaven. Book into the first to unwind, slow down and reconnect with loved ones. Then when fully restored head over to Los Cabos to bring a touch of Hollywood glamour to your holiday.

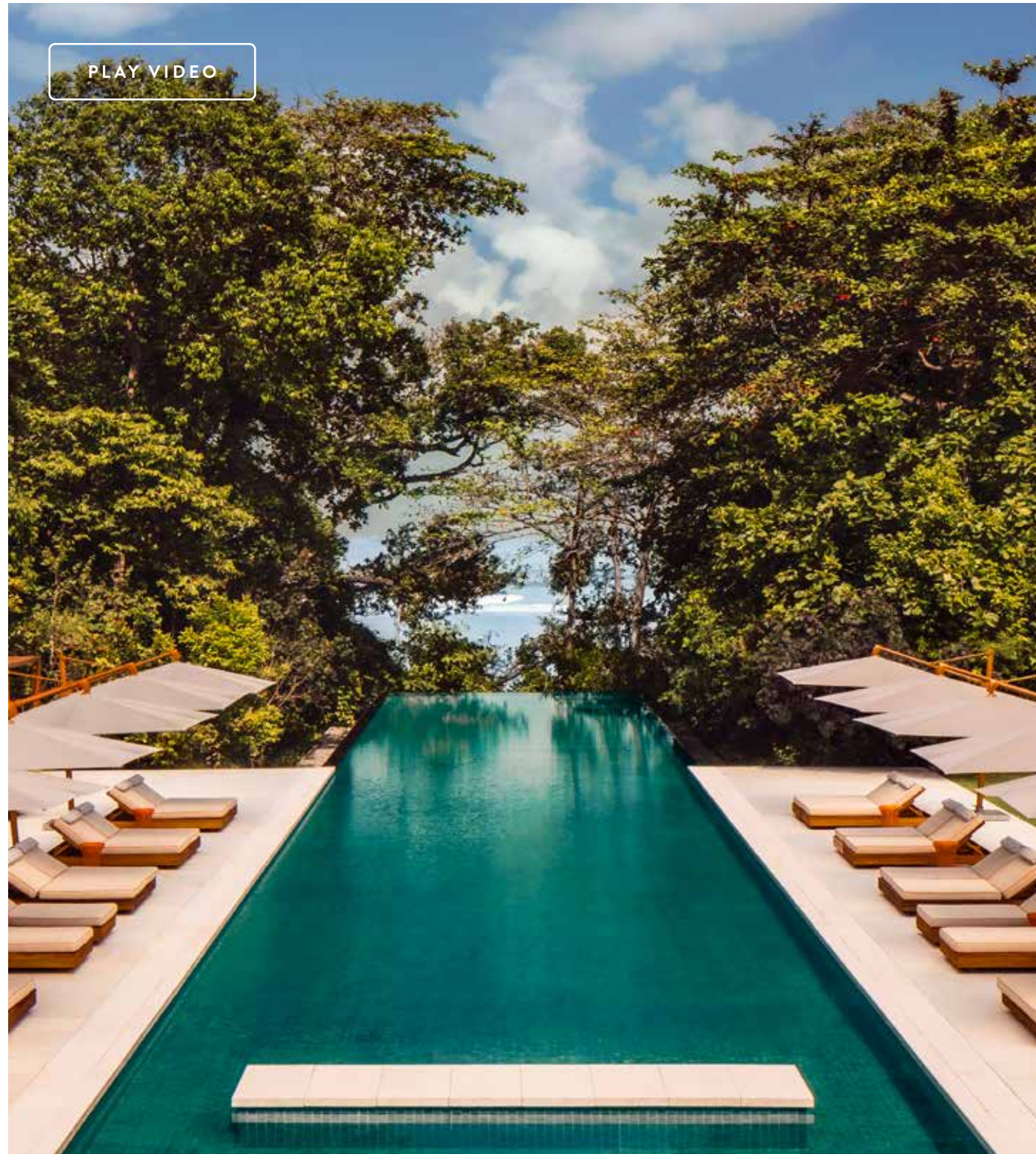
WHEN TO GO

The sun shines almost every day of the year in this part of Mexico, with average temperatures in the mid to high 20s. High season is from November to April while June to early November is hotter with high humidity and a greater chance of afternoon showers, and in rare cases hurricanes.

Malaysia

One&Only Desaru Coast

One&Only's first hotel in Asia is a beachfront resort set in 128 wildlife-filled acres near the tip of the Malay Peninsula, only two and a half hours from Singapore yet perfectly poised between the South China Sea and swathes of thick jungle.



Although part of the wider Desaru Coast development – which includes a waterpark and two Ernie Els golf courses – the resort has the feel of a private island sanctuary. From the lobby, your gaze is channelled down a wide, stone staircase across the 50-metre infinity pool to a break in the treeline and a tantalising glimpse of the South China Sea.

Guests can choose from either Rainforest Suites ensconced in the jungle canopy or Ocean Suites framed by hypnotic sea views, all with terraces, plunge pools and private butler service. To this you can add two larger Grand Suites and the showstopping Villa One, a four-bedroom, split-level beachfront fantasy with a 27-metre pool and a dedicated spa room.



Inside Track

“Desaru Coast is teeming with diversity, with something to discover around every corner. Nature lovers will adore our exclusive experiences like ‘View from the Top’, where you ascend to a platform high in the forest canopy for views only birds are accustomed to.”

Khairulizwan Ismail, Resident Naturalist

Fronted by a sweep of bone-white sand, Ember Beach Club offers up-beat music, colourful cocktails and an elevated take on barbecues on the beach. Other dining options include a high-end Japanese restaurant and an East-meets-West eatery where ingredients are sourced from local organic farms and the chef's own kitchen garden.

There's also more to do here than you could ever fit into a single stay, with highlights ranging from a visit to the Chenot Spa, whose treatments combine the best of science, beauty, wellness and relaxation, to golf, tennis, bonfires on the beach and ascending by rope to viewing platforms hidden within the highest treetop canopies.



SPECIAL OFFERS

Early booking discounts are often available for those who plan ahead, with regular savings of up to 10%. Ask your travel agent for details.

DON'T MISS

Rising early to hear the greeting calls of white-handed gibbons as you join the resident naturalist on a break-of-dawn hike through the Panti Forest Reserve. Dusky leaf monkeys, pig-tailed macaques and oriental pied hornbills are also likely spotted on this trip into the rainforest, which is rounded off perfectly with a beautifully prepared picnic.

PERFECT PAIR

For the perfect city and beach combination, fly direct from the UK to sizzling Singapore for a couple of nights in the food capital of Asia before transferring by road to Desaru Coast, just two and a half hours away.

WHEN TO GO

Desaru Coast sees plenty of sunshine even during the rainy season, with temperatures averaging 32°C. Monsoon winds usually blow in between November and February, making the water more murky. The hottest months are from June until August.



Montenegro One&Only Portonovi

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Described as the jewel of Europe's newest riviera, One&Only Portonovi is unashamedly sumptuous. Resplendent at the entrance of Boka Bay, a fjord-like idyll on the Adriatic Sea, it offers chic waterfront villas, world-class dining, a pioneering Chenot Espace Wellness Centre and spectacular sea views from almost every angle.

Rooms and suites have an inherent sense of space and privacy, connecting with the outdoors via floor-to-ceiling windows, balconies or terraces, with ground-floor rooms leading directly into the gardens. Two-bedroom suites are perfect for families. The three-bedroom Villa One forms its own escapist world, complete with bar, wine cave, spa room, garden and hydrotherapy pool, while the ten Signature Villas are unrivalled in Montenegro.

A great selection of bars and tempting restaurants draws on local ingredients, with Sabia by Michelin-

star chef Giorgio Locatelli leading the way. Tapasake Club adds to the mix with its Japanese influences and resident DJ, while La Veranda offers authentic local flavours and signature dishes like leaf and legume salads and platters of fresh seafood.

The spa is sublime, complete with indoor pool and white marble hammam. Excursions, meanwhile, range from afternoon tea in an 18th-century palace, hosted by the aristocratic family who still live there, to motoring along the coast in a Rolls Royce Silver Shadow, stopping at empty beaches to run into the waves.



Inside Track

"Inspired by our location between mountains and the sea, One&Only Portonovi captures the essence of an active, healthy and balanced lifestyle. At its heart is Chenot Espace, a first-of-its-kind wellness concept offering an extraordinary array of treatments and programmes."

Tomislav Hrala, Director of Sales & Marketing

SPECIAL OFFERS

We are regularly able to negotiate savings at One&Only Portonovi, such as staying four nights for the price of three. Ask your travel agent for details.

DON'T MISS

The chance to detox and restore the body following the renowned Chenot Method. Portonovi is the first One&Only to offer Chenot Espace, a revolutionary approach to wellness that blends Chinese medicine with Western technology. Each wellness journey is tailored to the individual and supervised by doctors and nutritionists. Treatments are holistic and include plant-based menus, fitness schedules, targeted spa treatments, stress-relieving activities and cosmetic beautification.

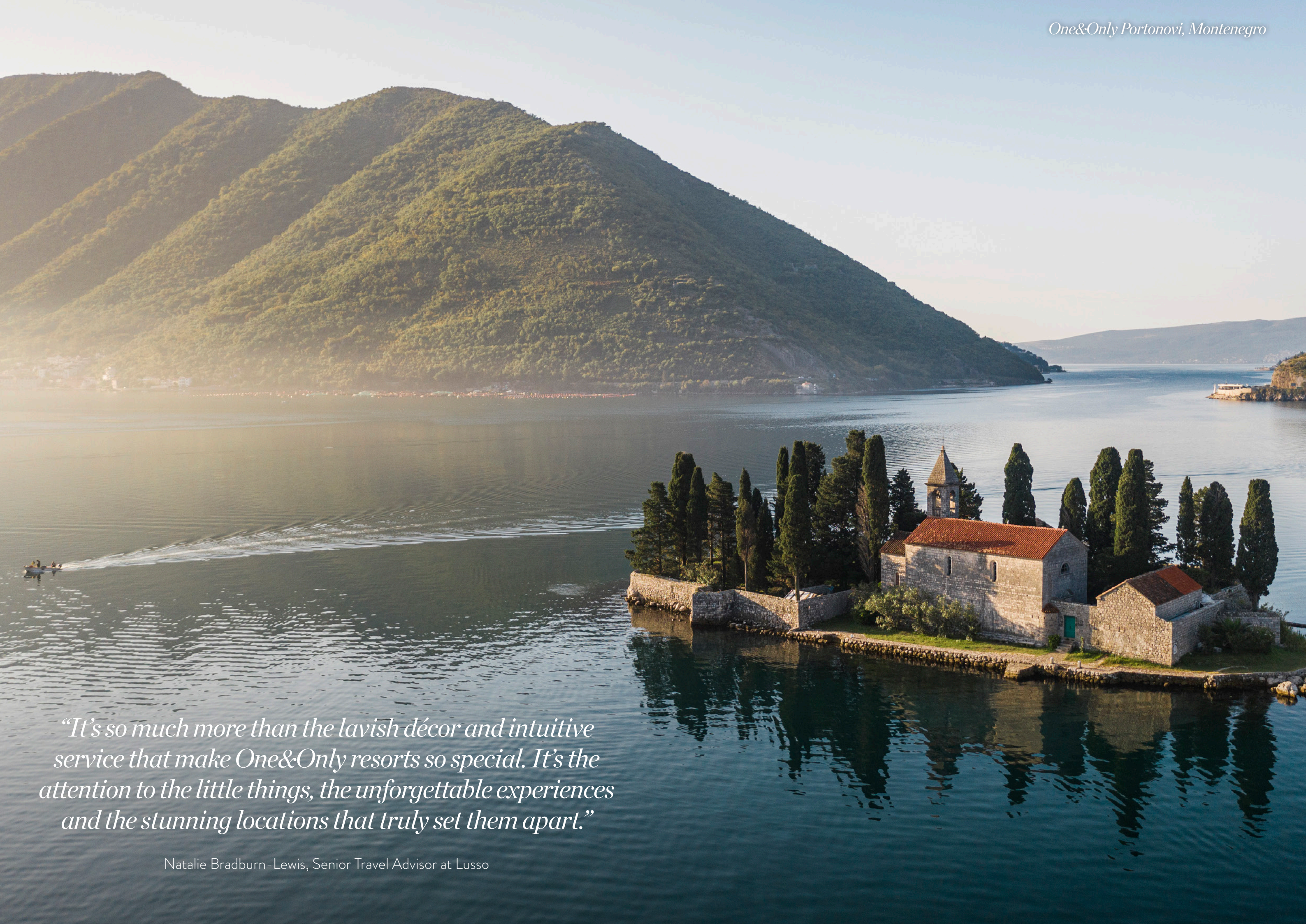
PERFECT PAIR

Dubrovnik lies just over an hour away across the border in Croatia. A few nights here combine perfectly with a stay at One&Only Portonovi. Byron called Dubrovnik the 'pearl of the Adriatic' and it's hard to imagine anyone becoming inured to its melange of cafes, museums, churches and Baroque buildings. Be sure to walk the old city walls, and to ride the Dubrovnik cable car for breathtaking views of the Old Town and Elaphiti Islands.

WHEN TO GO

May, June and September are great months to visit, as temperatures are a little cooler than July and August and the crowds are thinner too. The wonderful spa, with its wall-mounted fire features and multi-day detox programmes, means the hotel is also perfect for a cosy winter getaway or post-Christmas cleanse.





“It’s so much more than the lavish décor and intuitive service that make One&Only resorts so special. It’s the attention to the little things, the unforgettable experiences and the stunning locations that truly set them apart.”

Natalie Bradburn-Lewis, Senior Travel Advisor at Lusso



South Africa One&Only Cape Town

With views of Table Mountain from most rooms, One&Only Cape Town is a sophisticated urban enclave surrounded by canals and waterways, just moments from the vibrant Victoria & Alfred Waterfront.

Everything here adheres to the 'bigger is better' principal, with rooms and suites ranging from 650 to nearly 14,000 square feet. Those in Marina Rise deliver the most arresting views of iconic Table Mountain, while those on the Island are slightly more spacious and arranged around the largest infinity pool in the city. Two signature suites, the Table Mountain Suite and the Presidential Suite, offer sweeping terraces and private butler service, though the jewel

in the crown is the Devil's Peak Penthouse, a four-bedroom residence with two private pools, a gym, library and multiple outdoor living and dining spaces.

Special mention must go to the spa, which is set on its own island surrounded by private waterways. This award-winning sanctuary includes steam rooms and saunas, thermal suites for both men and women, bubbling vitality pools, cooling ice fountains and 12 private treatment suites.



Inside Track

"I host curated wine tasting experiences daily and will happily take guests through some amazing wines in our Wine Studio or in the Cape Vineyards. Our focus is very much about creating joy, and nothing brings me more joy than sharing our beautiful South African wine with our guests."

Luvo Ntezo,
Head Sommelier



For food, you could easily wander to the V&A Waterfront, but in all likelihood the pickiest diners are already walking to the One&Only. Not only does it boast the only Nobu in Africa, it also offers Table Mountain views from the Vista Bar & Lounge, poolside dining at ultra-cool Isola, and one of Cape Town's most beautifully curated wine collections, many of which are out on display at the wonderful Wine Studio.

"Cape Town's most spectacular waterfront resort"

SPECIAL OFFERS

We are frequently able to offer early booking discounts for those who plan ahead, as well as a complimentary night for stays of four nights or more, plus additional benefits for guests who book suites.

DON'T MISS

The chance to partake in the kinds of activities only available at One&Only Cape Town, like stand-up paddleboarding along the hotel's private waterways, tailored hikes up incredible Table Mountain, caring for turtles at the Two Oceans Aquarium, whale-watching tours to the cliffs of Hermanus, or perhaps even cage diving with powerful great white sharks.

PERFECT PAIR

Why not combine a stay at One&Only Cape Town with a few days' safari at one of South Africa's many luxury game lodges? Our Africa specialists will be more than happy to make the arrangements. Then, for the ultimate 'bush and beach' combo, head to the white-sand beaches of Mauritius for a week or so of pampering at [One&Only Le Saint Géran](#).

WHEN TO GO

Cape Town is a year-round destination, however the weather is at its best from November through to April (southern Africa's summer) when the days are long, warm and dry. Summer also sees a series of open-air concerts take place in the city, and means grape-picking season in the Winelands, where harvest festivals offer grape stomping, music, tastings and more.

Rwanda

One&Only Nyungwe House

Set within a working tea plantation on the edge of Nyungwe Forest National Park, this luxury lodge is one of the finest in Rwanda, offering striking wooden villa clusters, a serene forest spa and easy access to the park's populations of chimpanzees, monkeys, birds and other wildlife.



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Inside Track

"One&Only Nyungwe House brings you closer to nature, with so many different and extraordinary experiences to share with those close to you. A personal favourite is our tour of the tea plantation, where you'll experience the whole journey of tea – from leaf to cup."

Natalie Flynn, Lodge Manager

Nyungwe Forest is one of the oldest in Africa, sprawling over 970 square kilometres of majestic mountains in south-west Rwanda. The rain that falls here feeds the Nile and the Congo, and the trees provide shelter for an astonishing diversity of flora and fauna, including 100 different species of orchid, over 300 species of bird and 13 different species of primate, including colobus monkeys in troops 400 strong, and healthy populations of our closest living relative, the chimpanzee.

Watching chimps in their natural habitat is understandably the biggest draw here, and One&Only guides are the best in the business, tailoring treks to suit all abilities and packing delicious picnics to enjoy on the trail. But there is more to this resort than just our curious cousins.

Rooms and suites are spread across five villas and boast four-

poster beds, private balconies and primeval forest views. The One&Only Spa offers personalised beauty and wellness treatments. The open deck of the Tea Lounge Bar is the place to share stories of the day's epic treks over masterfully mixed cocktails. And the stunning Dining Room serves menus personalised to your daily desires beside awe-inspiring views of the forest and tea fields.



SPECIAL OFFERS

Book 21 nights or more across One&Only Nyungwe House and One&Only Gorilla's Nest and receive exclusive accommodation rates, three meals a day with a selection of alcoholic and non-alcoholic drinks, airport and inter-resort transfers, complimentary laundry services, and two 60-minute massages per person per week. Ask your travel agent for details.

DON'T MISS

All the other activities available besides chimpanzee trekking. Highlights include traditional African spear throwing; the ancient sport of archery; guided tours of the tea plantation, with the chance to pick, dry and brew your own tea; and helicopter tours over the valleys, trees and waterfalls of Nyungwe National Park, taking off and landing at the hotel's private helipad.

PERFECT PAIR

For the ultimate Rwandan wildlife experience, head from here to [One&Only Gorilla's Nest](#) in the north of the country for up-close encounters with some of the few mountain gorillas left in the wild. Or fly south to [Cape Town](#) for whale-watching, wine tasting and unrivalled views of iconic Table Mountain.

WHEN TO GO

Chimpanzee trekking is a year-round activity, though the two dry seasons of December to February and June to September decrease your chances of getting wet. Even then, though, you should pack for precipitation; it's called the rainforest for a reason.

"One of Africa's oldest rainforests"

Rwanda

One&Only Gorilla's Nest

One&Only Gorilla's Nest is the closest resort to Volcanoes National Park, an historic stretch of rainforest in the Virunga Mountains home to an incredibly rich tapestry of wildlife, including 300 bird species, golden monkeys and over 340 mountain gorillas.

Arrive at the resort by private helicopter – only 25 minutes from Kigali International Airport or 45 minutes from One&Only Nyungwe House – and you'll truly get a sense of its incredible setting. Farmland turns quickly into tropical rainforest, above whose canopy tower five of the eight volcanoes that comprise

the Virunga Mountains. Many of the staff here are from the local area. They take enormous pride in giving service from the heart and it really shows, from the drumming and singing that greet guests on arrival, to the way your muddy boots appear magically back in your room, gleaming as if new after treks into the rainforest.



Inside Track

"What I love about One&Only Gorilla's Nest is the fresh produce we serve our guests, from our delicious breakfasts, which cater to all dietary requirements, to our lunches and dinners where each ingredient has been picked from our chef's own garden."

Dee Paulse,
Food & Beverage Manager



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Designed to feel like your own private treehouse, the 21 rooms and suites are ensconced in eucalyptus and look out at forest views. Forest Lodge rooms include outdoor decks and alfresco showers, while the Virunga, Ingagi and Silverback suites offer

noteworthy extras like an open-air bathtub, elongated viewing deck or private pool and fire pit.

Gorillas are of course the star attraction and national park guides will tailor trekking routes to your individual needs. Their knowledge and passion are second to none and there is nothing they love more than seeing guests' reactions to these often moving and emotional encounters

Other popular activities include drumming circles and cultural village visits, as well as tracking golden monkeys and relaxing after treks at the One&Only Spa.



SPECIAL OFFERS

Long-stay offers are regularly available, allowing you to split 21 nights or more between One&Only Gorilla's Nest and One&Only Nyungwe House and enjoy a host of additional benefits. Ask your travel agent for details.

DON'T MISS


Hiking up through the jungle to visit the grave of Dian Fossey, the American primatologist who raised awareness around gorillas via her research in the region and through her ground-breaking book, Gorillas in the Mist. She is buried next to Digit, her favourite gorilla.

PERFECT PAIR

Once gazing at gorillas has been ticked off your bucket list, make the four-hour drive or short helicopter ride south to [One&Only Nyungwe House](#) to see chimpanzees and a host of other wildlife. Or venture east to catch the Great Migration in Kenya or Tanzania. If anything can rival the feeling of looking the largest living primate in the eye, it's this annual migration of more than two million wildebeest across the grass-rich plains of the Masai Mara and the vast Serengeti.

WHEN TO GO

Gorilla trekking is a year-round activity, though if you're looking to combine it with a safari in east Africa, the best months to go are June to September. Rwanda at this time is still in its dry season, while on the trail of the wildebeest, you've the highest chances of witnessing the dramatic river crossings for which the Great Migration is justifiably famous.



“Staff at Nyungwe House make you feel like an honoured guest. Arrive back muddy and wet from an exhilarating day chimpanzee trekking, and they’re there to meet you with your favourite hot drink and a pair of warm slippers.”

Vanessa Dean, Africa & Europe Product Manager at Lusso



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