# news release

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## MANDARIN ORIENTAL, BODRUM OPENS FOR THE SEASON ON 20 MAY

Hong Kong, 14 May 2020 - Located on the shores of delightful Paradise Bay, <u>Mandarin</u> <u>Oriental, Bodrum</u> opens for the holiday season on 20 May, with some enticing treats including new wellbeing and extra night packages.

As ever, the comfort, health and safety of our guests and employees is our primary concern and we also understand the need for flexibility when it comes to planning travel. Our detailed health and safety procedures are firmly in place and our flexible cancellation policies, designed to help our guests with their travel plans can all be viewed <u>here</u>.

## The season's new healthy highlight is the *Wellbeing Retreat* package

Guests seeking a calming and healthy break can enjoy daily health, wellness and yoga with expert advice on what best suits their fitness using body analysis and a Five Elements consultation.

The indulgent *Wellbeing Retreat* package also includes a daily detox menu and a nurturing *Time Rituals* treatment in <u>The Spa at Mandarin Oriental</u>, <u>Bodrum</u>, winner of the 2016 World Luxury Spa Awards.

## Enjoy more of Paradise Bay with the **<u>One More Night</u>** package

Guests who've booked at least two consecutive nights' accommodation between 20 May and 30 June can extend their stay in paradise with a third night for EUR595.

## A new villa, ideal for large families

<u>Mandarin Oriental, Bodrum</u> is delighted to launch its new five-bedroom *Magnolia Villa*. This splendid villa has a fully equipped kitchen, a living area, an outdoor terrace with spectacular views, a barbecue area and a private pool.

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## **Spacious dining facilities**

Winner of numerous renowned gastronomy awards, <u>Mandarin Oriental, Bodrum</u> has large, spacious and comfortable dining facilities, allowing plenty of room for social distancing.

Guests can choose from the trattoria-style Italian restaurant Assaggio, Turkish fish and seafood at Bodrum Balıkçısı and the world-renowned contemporary Japanese restaurant Kurochan by Ioki, which will present a new teppanyaki menu. Sweet treats, creative cocktails and live music are a step away in the <u>Mandarin Bar</u> and delicious desserts and cakes can be found in <u>The Mandarin Cake Shop</u>.

Guests can also savour lunch or snacks on the resort's private beach at the <u>Blue Beach Club</u> <u>& Bar</u>, the poolside <u>Pool Bar & Restaurant</u> is open all day, and family-friendly <u>Sofra</u> serves an a la carte international menu including healthy snacks with gluten-free and natural options.

#### There's so much to do for guests who love sports

Along with many <u>outdoor activities</u> like scuba diving and snorkelling, sailing and fishing, the resort has two tennis courts, a basketball court, a jogging path along Paradise Bay, and several swimming pools.

#### For those who just want pampering: The Spa at Mandarin Oriental, Bodrum

Winner of various globally prestigious awards, <u>The Spa at Mandarin Oriental, Bodrum</u> offers Bodrum's most extensive wellness and beauty treatments. Favouring natural ingredients in its signature therapies, the Spa follows a sustainable approach using olive oil, sage and lavender curated from the resort's own gardens. And it's the perfect place for guests to try the age-old Turkish bath or hammam and this season's new <u>Wellbeing Retreat</u> package.

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### The ideal wedding setting

The resort has several <u>wedding venue options</u>, including the glamorous Olive Garden Beach, with an expanse of grass, olive trees and stunning beach able to accommodate up to 1,500 guests. Before the Big Day, the resort can host stag and hen parties, including a traditional henna night for brides.

## There's lots for children to do at Mandarin Oriental, Bodrum

Gymboree, a world leader in child development programmes and operating in over 40 countries, can help guests' children have fun and learn with yoga, music, pottery, cooking classes and personalised birthday parties.

To find out more or book, please visit <u>www.mandarinoriental.com/bodrum</u>. To view Mandarin Oriental's health and safety measures and cancellation policies relating to COVID-19, please visit <u>mandarinoriental.com/special-notice</u>.

## About Mandarin Oriental, Bodrum

Mandarin Oriental, Bodrum is located on a 60-hectare waterfront site on the northern side of the Turkish peninsula at Cennet Koyu (Paradise Bay), offering panoramic views over the Aegean Sea. Built on a series of levels nestled in the resort's landscaped hillside, surrounded by ancient olive groves and pine trees, the resort's 134 luxurious rooms, suites, villas, and lifestyle apartments provide the largest accommodation in the area, all with stunning sundecks, terraces or balconies, and many with private gardens and infinity edged pools. Nine restaurants and bars showcase innovative and gastronomic cuisine, while the 2.700 sqm Spa introduces the Group's awarding-winning spa concepts together with holistic signature treatments and a range of wellness programs. In addition, the diverse event spaces, sandy beaches and extensive leisure facilities will bring a level of sophistication and elegance, making this the perfect luxurious hideaway retreat for discerning travellers.

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## **About Mandarin Oriental Hotel Group**

Mandarin Oriental Hotel Group is the award-winning owner and operator of some of the world's most luxurious hotels, resorts and residences. Having grown from its Asian roots into a global brand, the Group now operates 33 hotels and seven residences in 23 countries and territories, with each property reflecting the Group's oriental heritage and unique sense of place. Mandarin Oriental has a strong pipeline of hotels and residences under development and is a member of the Jardine Matheson Group.

Photography of Mandarin Oriental is available to download in the <u>Photo Library</u> of our <u>Media</u> section, at <u>www.mandarinoriental.com</u>. Further information is also available on our <u>Social Media</u> channels.

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