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WHAT TO DO NOW & WHERE TO GO NEXT

April Showers Brings Flores de Mexicano

Ready to escape the threat of April showers? Consider a direct, two-hour flight to Cabo San Lucas, a favorite hotspot for those wanting to trade the slopes at Tahoe for some much-needed beach time. Perched on the bluffs of Punta Ballena ("Whale Point"), the award-winning **ESPERANZA**, part of the Auberge International Collection, overlooks the Sea of Cortez at the tip of Mexico's Baja Peninsula. The stunning resort is celebrated for its world-class oceanfront restaurant, extensive spa with private bath gardens, four swimming pools and two private beaches, as well as access to nearby championship golf and recreational activities.

Esperanza's 60 private residences range from one bedroom with ensuite bath to four bedrooms with ensembles, offering 1,800 to 4,000 square feet of indoor/outdoor living space with private courtyard entrance, kitchen, dining area, and expansive outdoor terrace. When booking your reservation, you may want to ask for a ground-floor villa and cool off in the private plunge pool that comes with it.

The resort is offering a 30% discount on its vacation home rentals now through December 15, 2017. *(Additional terms, conditions, and blackout dates may apply.)* This promotional incentive just makes a Cabo getaway this spring all the more appealing.

www.esperanza.aubgeresorts.com





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Keep on Trekking

A FIRST-EVER PRIVATE HIKING MENU CHALLENGES GUESTS TO DISCOVER NEW WAYS OF EXPERIENCING THE OUTDOORS AND REAP THE MANY BENEFITS OF BEING IN NATURE. A magnificent Victorian castle tucked away in pristine wilderness makes the perfect retreat for solo travelers. Located just 90 miles north of New York City, and easily accessible by car or train, **MOHONK MOUNTAIN** is a grand hotel with tradition and style. Here, a who's who guest list finds vast opportunities for solitude and socializing—with a special inclusive "Solo Traveler" midweek rate available year-round.



PHOTO: FRED HSU

For almost 150 years, guests have been coming to Mohonk to fully immerse themselves in nature and experience the splendor of the Hudson Valley. By popular demand, Mohonk has introduced its first-ever Hiking Menu, featuring six themed hikes that will introduce guests to the resort's breathtaking natural surroundings. Whether you seek the challenge of steep trails over boulders and cliffs or prefer a relaxing stroll along carriage roads, you'll find your path. There are 85 miles of wind-

ing trails to experience, ranging in difficulty from beginner to advanced. Guests set their own pace and purpose for their visit. There is zero pressure, which is always attractive. Along with time alone, you can join complimentary guided hikes, tours, and classes to meet new people and hear fascinating insights about Mohonk and its dazzling environment. It's no wonder *Travel + Leisure's* 2015 World's Best Awards highlighted the historic property as a Top 100 Hotel in the World, Best U.S. Resort, and Best for Family Travel. It's about time hiking got this hot! **For more information, call 845.256.2755 or visit www.mohonk.com.** —CORRINE E. COOK

Take A Hike!

What type of hiker are you? Mohonk's new Hike Menu includes private adventures that deliver many ways for guests to fall in love with nature.

The **Survivalist Hike** opens guests' eyes to the power of nature and how it's sustained humans for thousands of years.

Stay present on the **Mindfulness Hike** while exploring Mohonk's timeless cliffs, crystal clear lake, and wooded trails. Trekkers are invited to embrace their senses and feel the greater sense of well-being that comes from being outdoors and immersed in nature.

Being outdoors on the **Yoga Hike** (instead of in a yoga studio) encourages guests to step out of their comfort zones and focus on their breath and movement, helping them achieve a deeper and more mindful yoga practice.

On the **Endurance Hike** participants focus on their breathing in order to improve their cardiovascular strength and overall endurance. With limited breaks and a fast-pace, this hike is not meant for beginners. Visitors on the **Foods of the Forest Hike** leave with a new skill set that opens their eyes to the wealth of natural foods in their own backyard.

The **Family Hike** brings together mom, dad, grandparents, and children for quality family time in the great outdoors. The experience gets the whole family moving and learning, creating lasting memories of their time at Mohonk.



Separate spa areas surround the indoor relaxation pool for men and women, alongside an exercise room, a steam room, a sauna, showers and dressing rooms.

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BASKING IN A WEEKEND ESCAPE AT THE ST. REGIS MEXICO CITY.

Built on top of lake Texcoco and the famed Aztec capital of Tenochtitlán, Mexico City is one of the most vibrant modern cities in the world, a melting pot of history and culture. Today's Mexico City specializes in everything from high fashion to high cuisine and at the city's glamorous epicenter is the **ST. REGIS**. The five-star property is the perfect base for exploring the exciting city and the perfect spot for getting away from it all. The Remède Spa & Fitness Center, exclusive to St. Regis brands

around the world, offers an array of soothing and energizing treatments.

For guests who want to indulge in a culinary adventure, the St. Regis offers a VIP tour of the San Juan market showcasing a variety of fresh, seasonal, and exotic ingredients that make Mexican cuisine unique. On the market tour, guests will learn about produce, edible flowers, herbs, seasonings, and sauces, along with edible insects, one of Mexico's ancient culinary traditions.

This month, the St. Regis Mexico City's Easter Package includes Sunday brunch at Diana Restaurant with champagne or a three-course dinner at J&G Grill for two, plus complimentary use of the hotel's bicycles or electric bikes, and more.

For more information and to secure The St. Regis Mexico City's Easter Package, visit www.stregis.com/mexicocity. Select spaces are available for April 13 - 18, 2017. Pricing begins at \$319 per night. —CORRINE E. COOK



The St. Regis Mexico City, an imposing downtown presence, is beautifully located in the elegant 31-story Liberty Tower. It overlooks Paseo de la Reforma in the heart of one of the most exciting areas of the city.



Located at Chill Spa, Hotel Terra Jackson Hole's rooftop hot tub is the ideal setting for de-stressing as guests bask amid the Snake River Mountain Range and gaze over the Teton Village Commons and beyond.

THE BIG CHILL

GREEN HAS NEVER BEEN SO GORGEOUS!

With a slopeside location in the heart of Teton Village, **HOTEL TERRA JACKSON HOLE** makes a fantastic base for skiing Jackson Hole's famed terrain and exploring the nearby national parks. Voted Jackson's "Best Hotel" three years in a row, Hotel Terra offers boutique luxury accommodations with 132 rooms and suites as well as gourmet dining from celebrated local chefs. Yet the star of the show continues to be the hotel's rooftop spa with an infinity pool, hot tub, and breathtaking views. As Wyoming's first LEED Silver-certified property, Hotel Terra and the Chill Spa combine to make a luxury experience within an eco-friendly environment.



The Chill Spa offers a variety of luxurious services, including massages, facials, and body treatments. Signature treatments include the Chill Spa Signature Herbal Poultrice Massage, Artic Berry Peel & Peptide Illuminating Facial, and the Mountain Glow Treatment. Battle winter with the Citrus Kale C&E Facial that maximizes the natural power of Vitamins C+E with a cocktail of citrus, rhubarb extract, leafy greens, and avocado oil. The concoction boosts all skin types and reduces the built up effects of the elements, improving the appearance of fine lines and wrinkles. The uplifting, refreshing scents will pull your skin out of winter, leaving you with glowing results.

www.hotelterrajacksonhole.com. —CORRINE E. COOK