

The Puglia Manor – 5 Star Deluxe Boutique Hotel: Puglia

Summary

Puglia's newest small luxury hotel, the 5 Star Puglia Manor is the perfect romantic hideaway for luxury holidays or honeymoons in Italy. The striking white-washed building rises among the ancient olive groves leading down to the glittering Adriatic Sea. This romantic hideaway is the quintessential grown-up playground. Spoil yourself with luxury guest rooms (some with private pools) surrounded by enchanting lantern-lit courtyards, a stress-busting spa, immaculate golf course, *delish* gourmet food and private yacht at the cabana-style beach club. Small in size, but big on style, the Puglia Manor retains a charming sense of intimate luxury, whilst offering all the comforts of a 5 star deluxe hotel.

Details

The ancient white-washed Manor now houses a pampering spa with plunge pool – the perfect stress buster, with signature treatments based on organic herbs and the hotel's own olive oil to regenerate the body and mind. The vine-clad gourmet restaurant serves the best of Pugliese cuisine (a real favourite of celebrity chefs of late), with ingredients from its own gardens and orchards. You can even take a cookery course here beside the enormous wood-burning stove and learn some of the chef's secret recipes.

The spacious guest rooms are arranged around flagged courtyards dotted with tumbling flowers and towering palms. The interiors are a contemporary take on the nostalgic country boudoir with white-washed walls, crisp linen sheets covered with squishy eiderdowns, limestone floors and pretty shuttered windows. The pale colour palette and lofty ceilings lend a feel of open, pared down luxury. The stylish bathrooms are cutting edge, with designer finishes and most with huge egg-shaped bathtubs. All in all, the hotel's style is a successful blend of vintage country cosiness with fashionable urban-chic.

By day, laze at the poolside among the Romanesque stone colonnades and orange gardens. Or head to the golden sands of the private beach club, where waterside massages help ease away the stress. Hire the hotel's own skippered yacht to cruise between the many historic towns in the area, or explore the countryside on mountain bikes or horse-back. If it's a special occasion, a private gourmet picnic can be served on the beach or in the groves.

Golfers will not be disappointed with the hotel's own manicured 9 hole course hugging the coastline and the resident golf pro can help iron out any wrinkles in your game, or get beginners started.

At night, retire to the stylish bar for a pre-dinner cocktail under the stars, where romantic stone terraces are illuminated by lanterns and the night air is filled by the sound of chattering crickets and the fragrance of jasmine.

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Facts & Figures

28 Guest Rooms:

- Double/Twin – With small terrace
- Superior Double – Larger versions of the Double/Twin rooms with egg-shaped Jacuzzi baths & terrace. Some can be interconnecting.
- Junior Suite – Large open plan room with fireplace & seating area. Egg-shaped Jacuzzi bath. Terrace with sea view.
- Deluxe Junior Suite – enormous open plan room with fireplace & seating area. Egg-shaped Jacuzzi bath. Private terrace.
- Suites – Large bedroom with partially separated sitting room. Egg-shaped Jacuzzi bath. Large private terrace with Private Pool. Distant sea views.

All rooms have - Ensuite bathrooms - Sat LCD TV - Pay movies - Pure DAB Radio & Sound Systems - Minibar - Air-con/Heating & Fans - Safe

Hotel Facilities: Spa with indoor plunge pool (extra cost) – Nearby Gym - Outdoor pool (heated March-Nov) - Luxury Private Beach Club with shuttle service, masseuse, sushi bar & restaurant – Gourmet Restaurant & Bar - Mountain bikes

Also Available (extra cost): Cookery school – Private 9 hole Golf Course – Putting & Pitching Greens – Driving Range – Resident Golf Pro - Horse riding - Private yacht – Gourmet picnics

Available for hire as wedding venue – please ask for details

Regional Highlights

- Water-sports, Horse-riding and biking in the olive groves and vineyards
- Golf at the hotel's private club, or one of Puglia's 5 PGA coastal courses
- Ostuni, Cisternino, Fasano and Martina Franca – all typical hilltop white-washed towns packed with sights of historic and cultural importance
- Alberobello, the fairytale town composed entirely of Puglia's characteristic conical peasant houses
- Tour of the grottoes at Castellana, famous for their gargantuan rock formations
- Lecce, known as "The Florence of the South" and Galatina, both medieval towns with florid baroque architecture
- For the children – a trip to the Zoosafari near Fasano
- At and around the hotel – pamper yourself in the spa - take a day's cookery lesson with wine-tasting, charter the private yacht for sport fishing or romantic cruise.

Location

Nearest airports:

Domestic flight connections:

Nearest direct flight from London:

Nearest train station:

Beach:

Nearest shops and restaurants:

Bari and Brindisi (both c. 45mins)

Rome, Venice, Milan

Bari

Fasano (c. 10min drive)

c.2km

c.5km

