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ON THE BRIGHT SIDE

It hasn't always been plain sailing for the Caribbean, but many islands are now welcoming record arrivals thanks to its promise of a safe haven and bright new hotel arrivals

Plus: USA, family holidays, China, Madrid, Kuala Lumpur, on location with Colletts Travel, how to refresh your website, the Zetter life and what makes Classic Collection tick



Capital investment

A stunning revamp of the Kensington in London includes a reworking by Alexander Waterworth Interiors of Town House restaurant, ground-floor drawing rooms and K Bar, doylecollection.com



Lake district

Villa d'Este on Lake Como has added a third private villa option in its grounds. Three-floor Villa Garrovo dates to 1833 and offers six guestrooms, gym, kitchen and relaxation room, villadeste.com



Hands on

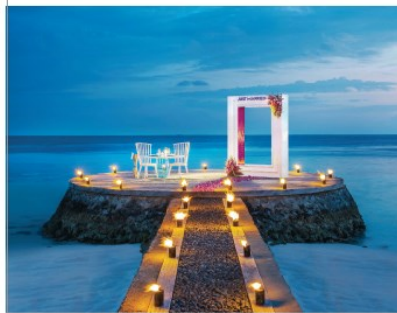
This new Natura Bisse Essential Shock Intense Hand Cream protects mitts in any climate. It's full of vitamins A, C and E, milk thistle, wheat germ and pineapple extract, £40 for 75ml, naturabisse.com



Editor's pick

Pret a Porter

Modern jazz legend and singer Gregory Porter is to headline the third Blue Note jazz-themed Transatlantic Crossing on Queen Mary 2 on October 25 from New York, cunard.co.uk



We definitely do

Wed Your Way is a fun new approach at W Retreat & Spa in the Maldives with ideas for hens and stags, personal training, a music curator and Champagne breakfasts, wretreatmaldives.com



In good taste

Hotel Metropole Monte-Carlo is now offering wine tastings at Chateau Roubine, workshops with chef Takeo Yamazaki at Yoshi and a backstage tour of Ballet of Monte-Carlo, metropole.com



Into the grove

Brit Rob Potter-Sanders has finished his labour of love converting the 16th-century Masseria Trapani into a nine-suite hideaway set in olive groves near Lecce in Puglia, trapana.com



Sunny side up

The summer range from Sunuva includes this cute Boys Zebra Swim Short (£38); all clothes are made from the highest quality UPF 50+ fabric, sunuva.com



Animal magic

Finch Bay Eco Hotel in the Galapagos Islands has completed its redesign by Ecuador's foremost interior designer, Julio Vinueza. The hotel is on Santa Cruz Island, finchbayhotel.com