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CALENDAR
OF EVENTS

BAY GARDENS RESORTS NEWSLETTER

MAY 2017



The Key to your Ultimate Caribbean Vacation getaway

Ideally nestled in the midst of the Rodney Bay Village, home to Saint Lucia's pulsating night life, hip bars, a casino, shopping malls and gourmet restaurants, **Bay Gardens Resorts** has a beautiful collection of three unique properties. These award winning resorts are renowned for fantastic service, friendly staff and quality accommodations.

Featuring a total of 196 rooms, five conference centers, three restaurants, and five bars, our resorts are the perfect choice for a Saint Lucian getaway for families, couples, honeymooners, wedding parties, business travelers, groups, and more. Guests can stay at the property that suits them best and can still enjoy luxurious amenities from each. [Click here](#) to read more about our beautiful properties.



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Soleil Summer Festival Kicks Off



The Saint Lucia Soleiil Summer Festival kicked off with the Saint Lucia Jazz Festival held between May 12- 14 at the Pigeon Island National Landmark.

Various artist graced the stage with memorable performances including soca/calypso artist David Rudder on the Friday, Kenny Garrett on the Saturday and the headliner Vanessa Williams on the Sunday. Many of those who attended spoke about the amazing experience and the high quality of music

that was displayed on stage.

The Soleiil Summer Festival now moves on to the Roots and Soul Festival which will be held on June 17 and 18. This festival will feature reggae sensation Etana, Musiq Soulchild and Mr. Big Deal himself, Christopher Martin.

Bay Gardens Resorts will be featuring a special Roots and Soul Experience package, with savings up to 40% off on accommodations plus up

to US\$100 resort credit and water taxi passes to the event. This is in addition to the many additional amenities, each Bay Gardens experience comes with, like Splash Island Water Park passes.

For more information on the Roots and Soul Festival [click here](#)

For more information on the Roots and Soul Experience package [click here](#)

Super Summer Sale

Save up to 50% off all our accommodations, plus receive amazing summer benefits like free non-motorized water sports and access to the Caribbean's very own, Splash Island Water Park.

Start saving,... experience Saint Lucia with Bay Gardens Resorts.



BAY GARDENS BEACH RESORT
Starting at US\$145.00 a night
[Check Availability](#)

BAY GARDENS HOTEL
Starting at US\$90.00 a night
[Check Availability](#)

BAY GARDENS INN
Starting at US\$85.00 a night
[Check Availability](#)

French Special - Kalash

Temptation Island which is one of the greatest and most successful annual beach parties held in Saint Lucia is back at the Pigeon Island side lawn. The event which is hosted by Blazin Fm will take place on Saturday July 01 2017 featuring French superstar “Kalash”.

Kalash, who is from Martinique, has been in the rapping game for over eight years and is now one of the best in the game, especially in French and

Creole-speaking countries. With over 1 million YouTube channel views and over 350 thousand followers on Instagram, it’s very obvious why this rapper, who takes his music influences from Trap, Dancehall and Reggae, is taking the world by storm.

The event has now been turned into a day break party and will also feature performances from the Blazin fraternity Djs, along with some of their French friends and some of Saint Lucia’s very own.

Bay Gardens Resorts is offering a spectacular special on accommodations with rates starting as low as €89.00 per night based on double occupancy at the Bay Gardens Hotel and Inn and €179.00 per night based on double occupancy at the Bay Gardens Beach Resort and Spa inclusive of taxes. Also include in the accommodation rate are:

- FULL buffet breakfast daily
- Welcome beverage on arrival
- Free Wi-Fi
- Complimentary Non-Motorized Water Sports
- Six (6) one hour passes per room category per stay to Splash Island Water Park

[Click here](#) to book your package today!



Roots and Soul Experience

Enjoy savings of up to 40% for the Saint Lucia Roots and Soul Festival plus receive up to US\$100 resort credit and Four Water Taxi Round Trip Passes to the venue. Available now until June 10, 2017 for travel from June 15 - 20, 2017. This year’s festival features Reggae Superstar Christopher Martin and Musiq Soulchild along with other great artists.

For more information on this package [click here](#).



Conference Feature

The Bay Gardens Resort chain has become synonymous with hosting events and conferences year round. With over 22 years of experience and five conference facilities collectively, the brand has built a solid reputation as the preferred choice for local, regional and international corporate clients.

Renowned for their excellent Caribbean cuisine, high-tech conference centers, state-of-the-art meeting rooms and multi-function facilities there's no other choice than Bay Gardens Resorts. Specializing in large conferences, intimate business meetings or anything in between and offers a variety of layout options, from seated seminars to standing receptions.

With function rooms which can accommodate up to 200 guests, depending on your choice of layout from Theatre Style, Classroom, Boardroom, Hollow Square, U Shape, Banquet and Cocktail Party. Their team of friendly expert event planning staff is on hand to ensure your event is executed to perfection from beginning to end. All conference bookings come equipped with a LCD projector, Projector screen and trolley, complimentary wireless internet, Podium with Microphone, Flip Chart pad and Markers, roving microphone and 110v/220v outlets.

What conference design do you prefer for your next business meeting? [Click here](#) to start planning today! Your business is our pleasure.



Mother's Day Highlights



Bay Gardens Resorts celebrated Mothers with two amazing events.

The Bay Gardens Beach Resort & Spa hosted over 100 mothers who were treated like royalty right from the start. They enjoyed a full buffet brunch, music by the extreme band and our very own in house DJ. We even got to see a few mother's get down on the dance floor showing off their moves. Later that evening, famous saxophone artist Rob

Zii Taylor was joint by Phyness to create that sunset mood for all moms and their family.

The Bay Gardens Hotel hosted over 75 mothers who also got the royal treatment. They were serenaded by the band Soulful while enjoying a delicious buffet cooked up by our chefs.

To view some of the highlights, [click here](#).

La Mer Spa Feature - Express Facial

Be rejuvenated and embrace a happier you with a special spa package from La Mer Spa. Longing for that captivating glow? Our team of professional therapist are guaranteed to have you transformed to the most vibrant and radiant version of you.

This month, we are featuring a special on our signature La Mer Spa Express Facial. Created specifically for the person on the go, this

customized facial is uniquely designed to give maximum results in minimum time. Formulated to refresh, renew and revitalize – this treatment works with all skin types to reveal more youthful, healthy skin.

The La Mer Spa Signature Express Facial treatment is US\$44.00 per person. This is a limited time offer so be sure to book your experience soon

To book your all-inclusive spa day call: [1 758 457 8553](tel:17584578553) or [1 758 457 8500](tel:17584578500) or [click here](#) to book online.



Bay Gardens Resorts at CHIEF



CHIEF is the premier educational forum for the Caribbean hospitality and tourism professional. It is where the hospitality industry meets and connects to learn the best practices, share ideas, brainstorm creative solutions to current challenges in the industry as well as build relationships.

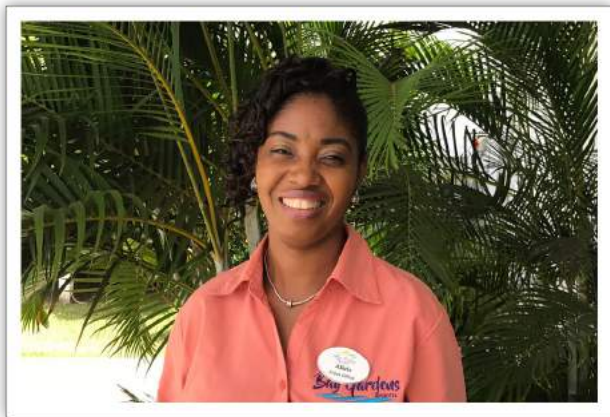
Executive Director of the Bay Gardens Resorts, Sanovnik Destang, will be speaking on one of

the educational sessions, titled "From Pixels to Print: Optimize Your Marketing Mix.". This session will feature tips and tricks in the use of social media, online advertising, print advertising, public relations and more for hoteliers.

CHIEF takes place from Friday, June 02 to Sunday June 04 at the Hyatt Regency in Miami, Florida.

For more information on CHIEF 2017, [click here](#).

Featured Employee - Alicia Calvin



Our featured employee for the month of May is Ms. Alicia Calvin. Ms. Calvin has been a member of the Bay Gardens family for over 9 years and is currently the front office supervisor for the Bay Garden Hotel and Inn.

She enjoys the thrill of meeting new people, experiencing their different personalities as well learning about their unique culture and heritage.

She loves to cater to her clients demands and is very big on problem solving ensuring that she exceeds their expectations at all times.

When off duty Alicia spends most of her time relaxing, going to the movies or fine dining at a specialty restaurants around the island. She also enjoys alone time where she is able to relax further through mediation.

Her most unforgettable memory is linked to a strong friendship built with a guest which motivated her to bring her entire family to experience the Bay Gardens hospitality.

It is no secret that Ms. Calvin attention to detail, first-class service and friendly approach is a great contributor to the success of ensuring that Bay Gardens Resorts is truly “Your Home Away From Home.”

Father's Day at Bay Gardens Resorts

Bay Gardens Resorts will kick off its annual celebration of Father's on Sunday, June 18, 2017 with a special brunch at both the Bay Gardens Hotel and the Bay Gardens Beach Resort and Spa.

At the Bay Gardens Hotel, it is “My Dad, My Hero”, and will feature a Western theme with a delectable lunch buffet.

At the Bay Gardens Beach Resort and Spa, it is “Dad: The Emperor of our Hearts” and will feature calypso, reggae and western music as well as many games like dominoes.



For more information on both events [click here](#).

Tour Feature - Rainforest Aerial Tram

This ride is the ultimate nature experience with the perfect combination of trails where you can see wildlife and through which rich rainforests runs. The Aerial Tram tour will transport you up and away from the heat and bustle of the lowlands to an ecological park located in the heights of Saint Lucia's forest reserve. Enjoy the sight of open-air gondolas ascending noiselessly through the rainforest, offering a magical view of nature in its majesty – towering gommiers, impressive chatanniers, and the remarkable phenomenon of the strangler ficus.



This 3 ½ hour tours is available daily. Come enjoy the ride of your life! [Click here](#) to book today.

Recipe of the Month - Green Fig Pie



INGREDIENTS

8 oz	Green bananas	1 oz	Red onions
3 oz	Bread crumbs	1 oz	Hot sauce
3 oz	Saltfish	1 oz	Chives
2 oz	Butter (melted)	0.5 oz	Garlic
2 oz	Jamaican ackee		Salt
1 oz	Curry powder		Pepper
4 oz	Coconut oil		
1 oz	Bell peppers		
1 oz	Chopped parsley		

METHOD

1. In a large pot boil green figs then mash after cooling.
2. Mix in chopped chives and garlic with melted butter. Fold. Sautee' strips of peppers, onion and parsley with oil and curry powder.
3. At the finish add ackee and simmer for 3-5 minutes on low flame. Add hot sauce to ackee and salt fish. Salt and pepper to taste.
4. Add bread crumb to the top of the pie and crust then brown in an oven.
5. Scoop the pie in a bowl then top with ackee and salt fish. Garnish with sprig of parsley and enjoy. Serve hot.