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CALENDAR
OF EVENTS

BAY GARDENS RESORTS NEWSLETTER

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The Key to your Ultimate Caribbean Vacation Getaway

Centrally situated in the heart of Saint Lucia's entertainment capital, Rodney Bay Village, the [Bay Gardens Resorts](#) family of hotels and luxury private villas offers inviting, island-inspired accommodations. With five properties positioned on the Reduit Beachfront and within Rodney Bay Village and the Rodney Bay Marina, Bay Gardens Resorts is a favourite hotel destination in Saint Lucia for families, couples, and island explorers.

Featuring a total of 233 rooms, seven conference centers, four restaurants, and six 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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Bay Gardens Resorts at 9th Annual Saint Lucia UK Trade Show



Bay Gardens Resorts attended the Saint Lucia Showcase UK which included fringe events and agent/operator sales calls.

Mr. Sanovnik Destang, Executive Director for Bay Gardens Resorts and Victoria Cranmer - UK & European Rep, led the charge.

Among the events, Bay Gardens was showcased to Meetings and Incentive Group (MICE) agents and a Travel Agent event which took the form of presentations followed by networking.

The final two days of the week focused around the one-to-one meetings over Showcase itself with Bay Gardens holding numerous meetings. The operators were extremely enthusiastic about the new Waters Edge Villas and updates across the group, but the Virtual Reality headset stole the show as it was loved by everyone, with positive reviews about the newly refurbished rooms at the Beach Resort & Spa.

In ensuring the momentum translates into bookings, the company is looking forward to seeing even more interest and sales for the Bay Gardens Brand.

For more information on Bay Gardens Resorts properties, [click here](#).

Saint Lucia Hotel Raising Funds for the Bahamas



A small hotel group in the Caribbean is making a big effort to help the people of The Abacos and Grand Bahama recover from the devastating effects of Hurricane Dorian earlier this month.

The locally-owned Bay Gardens Resorts group responded to the joint call by the Caribbean Hotel and Tourism Association (CHTA) and Bahamas Hotel and Tourism Association (BHTA) with the offer of a vacation package for the “Caribbean Hotels Unite for The Bahamas” auction.

To support the fundraising initiative, travelers can bid now on a 5-Night Stay at the freshly renovated Bay Gardens Beach Resort & Spa by [clicking here](#).

The group’s Executive Director, Sanovnik Destang, announced that Bay Gardens Hotel and Bay Gardens Marina Haven had also contributed to the fundraising drive and will soon be available for bids during another round of the auction.

Over the next three months, the hotel group is also donating a portion of all online direct booking earnings, and pledges to augment relief funds through the resort group’s Guestbook Loyalty program. Guests enrolled in the program can now donate their 5 percent cashback rewards to assist relief and recovery efforts.

Thanking Bay Gardens’ visitors for their support, Destang called on people across the world to rally around The Bahamas. “They need all the help they can get both now and in the long-term, and we’re committed to assisting where we can,” he commented.

Bay Gardens Resorts Congratulates Endurance Athlete on Historical Swim



Saint Lucian hotelier and Executive Director of Bay Gardens Resorts, Sanovnik Destang, applauded South African endurance athlete Cameron Bellamy for his record-setting swim from Barbados to Saint Lucia. He described Bellamy's completion of the longest channel swim in history, of more than 150km (93 miles) of open ocean, as "nothing short of heroic."

Bellamy, who had previously swum the English Channel, started his 57-hour continuous swim from St. Peter's Bay, Barbados on the morning of September 13, 2019 to make landfall in Saint Lucia at 5:00pm on Sunday, September 15, 2019 a day earlier than expected.

The South African athlete raises funds through the Ubunye Challenge, a charity he founded in 2011. Ubunye means "Unity" in Xhosa, the language in the Eastern Cape where Ubunye does most of its work. In the Caribbean, his swim will benefit United Through Sport in Saint Lucia, which educates children through sports, and AC Graham Development Centre in Barbados, which teaches skills to differently abled children.

Bay Gardens Resorts was delighted to host Cameron and his family upon their arrival in St. Lucia.

[Click here](#) to view the full article.

Taco Twos-Days are Here!

Come enjoy our new Taco Twos-Day Menu. Join us every Tuesday at the Bay Gardens Beach Resort & Spa's SeaGrapes Restaurant from 11:30 am for our Buy one Taco get one FREE Special! Also, take advantage of our Piton Beer Special with two for the price of one.

We offer a wide array of tacos, including our Lobster, Trigger Fish, Conch, Jerk Chicken, Cajun Eel and more. Let's talk Taco every Tuesday with our Two for One specials.



Caribbean Premiere League is Back!



The Hero Caribbean Premier League (CPL), an annual Twenty20 cricket tournament held in the Caribbean, returned to Saint Lucia from September 20 to 27, 2019 at the Darren Sammy National Cricket Stadium. The first match of the Saint Lucia leg of the tournament featured the national team, the Saint Lucia Zouks, taking on the Barbados Tridents. Throughout the home matches, fans were entertained and delighted in their team's performance so far.

The Bay Gardens Resorts hosted the Guyana Amazon Warriors during their stay on island and was also the official caterer for the players for all matches held here in Saint Lucia at the Darren Sammy National Cricket Stadium. The management and staff wish the teams the very best in their upcoming matches as they move on in the tournament.

How Deep Is Your Love?



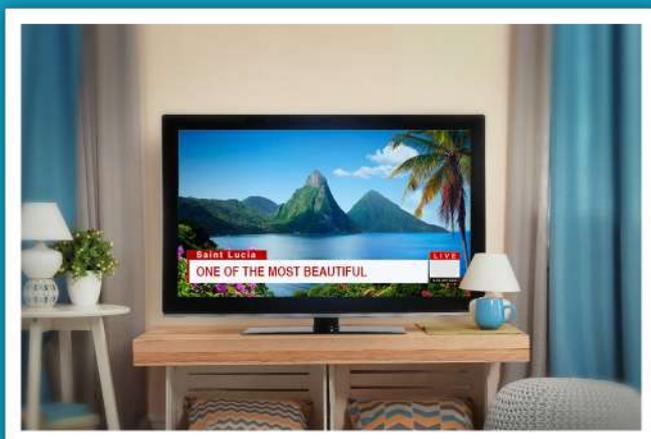
If you're looking forward to a unique, memorable wedding day which involves a whole lot of adventure and plunging beneath the beautiful turquoise waters of the Caribbean Sea, then look no further than Saint Lucia.

There's always something exciting to do on our stunning island.

Congratulations to adventurous newlyweds Sean and Julie Giles! It was an absolute pleasure hosting you for your honeymoon at our Bay Gardens Marina Haven. This adventurous couple got married underwater and holds the title of Saint Lucia's first underwater wedding.

[Click here](#) to book your Saint Lucian adventure at Bay Gardens Resorts.

Saint Lucia Featured as one of "The prettiest Islands Around The World"



Our beautiful island of Saint Lucia was featured by CNN as one of "The Prettiest islands around the world."

The Bay Gardens Resorts four fantastic properties and luxurious villas are located on the beautiful Caribbean island of St. Lucia. Whether you're looking for accommodations overlooking the Rodney Bay Marina, an extraordinary island retreat in the heart of the Rodney Bay or a beachfront walk-

out on the stunning Reduit beach, the resort chain provides the ideal location for an exciting, fun and relaxing atmosphere on the island.

[Click here](#) to view the other islands who made the list.

Bay Gardens Resorts Jounen Kweyol Activities



Jounen Kweyol or Creole Day is celebrated as part of Creole Heritage Month yearly. It commemorates Saint Lucia's French and African culture which is present in the language, cuisine, games, music, and folklore. As a locally owned and operated resort chain, all the Bay Gardens properties will be decorated in traditional Kweyol colours with various artifacts on display throughout the month of October.

To celebrate our unique heritage and Creole culture, Bay Gardens Resorts will be holding several events and cultural activities in celebration of Creole Heritage Month.

The Bay Gardens Beach Resort and Spa, on Sunday, October 20, 2019 from 11:00am to 6:00pm, will host Pre-Jounen Kweyol Celebrations. For only EC\$120.00, delight in a wide selection of local creole dishes, enjoy live entertainment, masquerade dancers, Wob Dwiyet competition, games and much more with attractive prizes to be won! 10% Early Bird Special on all bookings made by October 13, 2019.

The Bay Gardens Hotel and Inn will host its annual Jounen Kweyol at Providence Car Park on Sunday, October 27, 2019. Come dance to the sweet rhythms of Kweyol Music and relish in delectable array of authentic local cuisine, from 7:00am to 7:00pm at Providence Car Park near the Bay Gardens Hotel. Celebrate all that's kweyol with live entertainment and amazing prizes to be won!

For more information give us a call at 1 758 457 8535, email marketing@baygardensresorts or [click here](#) to make a reservation.

Lobster Season is On at Bay Gardens Resorts!



'Tis the season for lobster and Bay Gardens Resorts is inviting you to get a first crack at these tasty crustaceans with our various lobs-terrific dishes.

We are delighted to bring back our long-awaited menus with all new additions at our Spices, Hi Tide and SeaGrapes Restaurants. Rediscover your favourite succulent lobster and seafood meals with an added twist, guaranteed to satisfy

your taste buds. From our lobster omelettes, lobster burgers, lobster tacos and lobster pizzas to our delectable lobster rotis, nothing compares to lobster season at our restaurants!

For more information or to make a reservation, please [click here](#).

Bay Gardens Resorts featured in National Geographic Kids

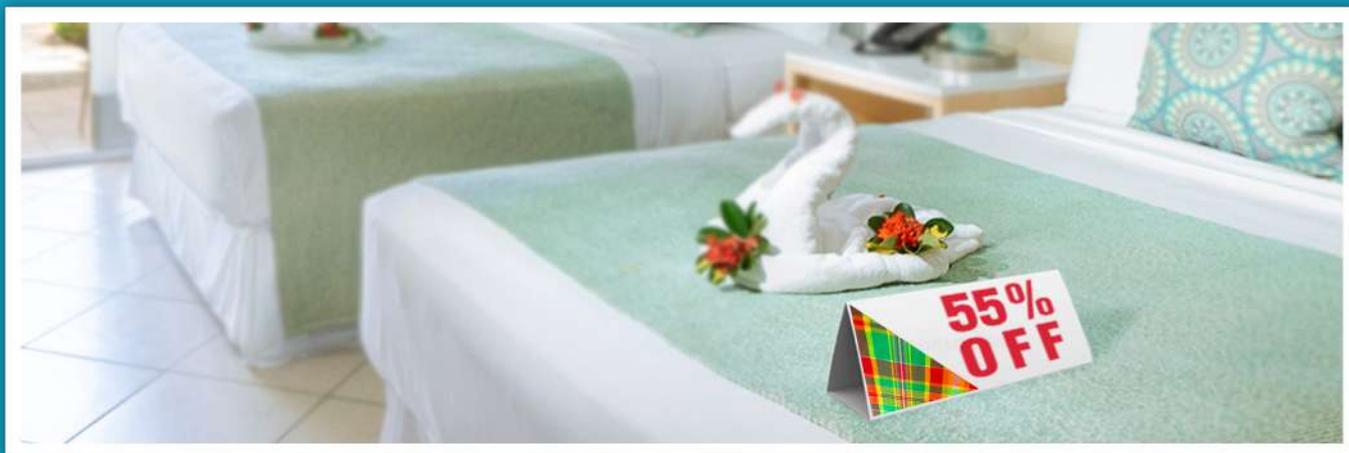
Bay Gardens Resorts was featured in National Geographic Kids article entitled, "What's it like to go to School in St. Lucia?"

"...Tourism is a major industry in St Lucia, and many of the pupils' parents work long hours and early shifts in local hotels, which doesn't leave much time to make breakfast before school. To help out, nearby hotel Bay Gardens Resort sponsors a breakfast club at Monchy Primary School so that pupils are able to get a tasty brekkie to start the day, free of charge. Around 70 of the school's pupils head down to school early to fill up on cereal, fruit, eggs, porridge and omelettes before class - yum!"



[Click here](#) to view full article.

Creole Heritage Sale



Save 55% OFF on accommodation with FREE authentic St. Lucian Creole Breakfast, Creole Starter Pack featuring local refreshments, Creole Welcome Cocktail on arrival and daily Creole Spa Treatment.

This include a welcome creole cocktail on arrival, starter pack featuring local refreshments, bottled water in room, FREE authentic Saint Lucian Creole breakfast for TWO daily, Free Wi-Fi, complimentary shuttle between our properties, complimentary non-motorized water sports activities, complimentary unlimited passes to Splash Island Water Park, and more!

Book by October 25, 2019 for travel from October 01 to October 31, 2019.

Bay Gardens Beach Resort & Spa:

Rates starting at US\$137.00 per night for two.

Bay Gardens Hotel:

Rates starting at US\$74.00 per night for two.

Bay Gardens Inn:

Rates starting at US\$79.00 per night for two.

Bay Gardens Marina Haven:

Rates starting at US\$83.00 per night for two.

Winter Specials



Winter fun awaits at Bay Garden Resorts. Enjoy savings of 50% on accommodations, plus FREE breakfast daily, unlimited FREE non-motorized water sports, FREE Wi-Fi and unlimited FREE water park passes. Bay Gardens Resorts is offering guests major savings at the Bay Gardens Beach Resort & Spa.

Book by September 30, 2019 for travel from November 01 to December 19, 2019.

This package includes a welcome cocktail on arrival, bottled water in room on arrival, complimentary shuttle between our properties, complimentary non-motorized water sports activities, unlimited passes to Splash Island Water Park, Free Wi-Fi, Free breakfast for two daily and more! [Click here](#) to learn more.

What's New at Bay Gardens Resorts: All New Fruit Ice Cream



Bay Gardens Resorts has recently undertaken a fruit infused strategy whereby local seasonal fruits are used in our recipes. This recent sustainable push to use our local and exotic fruits has allowed our team to serve up the most enjoyable fruit fusion cocktails and ice creams. Satisfy your ice cream cravings with a delicious home-made ice cream in the most create flavours including avocado, guava, passion fruit, pumpkin, mango and even lobster.

Avocado Ice Cream

This creamy, smooth vegan Avocado ice cream is just the dessert you need. All ingredients are added to an ice cream machine and allowed to churn for 1 hour.

INGREDIENTS:

- Two (2) Sliced Avocados
- Coconut Milk
- Maple Syrup
- Lemon Juice
- Coconut Cream
- Vanilla extract

Tour Feature - SNUBA



If you're looking for the best way to go beyond snorkeling without the responsibility or commitment of a deep dive, then look no further than SNUBA. It is truly an ideal underwater experience. Under the supervision of our warm, friendly and certified SNUBA Guides, you can intimately explore exotic marine life from a fully guided and safe perspective.

SNUBA requires no time-consuming training, dive experience or bulky equipment, leaving you with absolute freedom and comfort to breathe easily under water and enjoy the tranquility and beauty of our Marine Life. The unique experience of a SNUBA adventure allows you to dive underwater without bulky scuba equipment and brings you closer to marine life than snorkeling.

OPTIONAL ADD-ONS

Snuba Doo: Introduce your child to the magic of the underwater world! SNUBA Doo allows kids ages 4 to 7 years old to join their siblings, parents or family members on a shared SNUBA tour. Kids wear a specially designed, highly adjustable floatation vest that keeps them safely buoyant at the surface, while their family members SNUBA dive below them.

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Tour Days: Daily

Duration: 2 hours

Tour Time: 9:00am - 11:00am | 11:00am - 1:00pm | 2:00pm - 4:00pm (includes transfer from our hotels)

It is the perfect inclusion to your St. Lucian vacation!

Let's get started! [Click here](#) to book today!

Teacher's Appreciation Week



In commemoration of Teacher's Week, the Bay Gardens Resorts wishes to offer the following packages:

BAY GARDENS HOTEL, INN & MARINA HAVEN:

At a rate of **EC\$120.00** inclusive of taxes per teacher.

- Five non-alcoholic drinks from our Standard Bar Drink List
- Two Course Meal served in a buffet style
- Complimentary use of the venue inclusive of light décor and background music
- Access to the Pool at BGH/I
- Two rooms to change (subject to availability)

Package Upgrade: At a rate of **EC\$170.00** with day pass inclusions.

- Full Day Pass to Splash Island Water Park
- Complimentary Shuttle Service to and from the Bay Gardens Beach Resort & Spa (Splash Island Water Park)

BAY GARDENS BEACH RESORT & SPA:

EC\$130.00 inclusive of 10% VAT and 10% Service Charge

- All the perks of resort life
- A yummy two-course lunch* (starter and main course or main course and dessert)
- Four beverages per person* (alcoholic or non-alcoholic house brand beverages)
- Team building activity – (Subject to our entertainment team)
- A courtesy hotel room for the day* (Subject to availability)

Upgraded Teacher Appreciation Day Pass Offer

EC\$195.00 inclusive of 10% VAT and 10% Service Charge

- All the perks of resort life
- A yummy two-course lunch* (starter and main course or main course and dessert)
- Four beverages per person* (alcoholic or non-alcoholic house brand beverages)
- Your choice of a 20-minute massage OR two water sport activities OR a complimentary ½ day pass to Splash Island Water Park

- A courtesy hotel room for the day* (Subject to availability)

Or

Teacher Appreciation Pizza & Cocktails Offer

EC\$110.00 inclusive of 10% VAT and 10% Service Charge

- All the perks of resort life
- Two specialty pizzas of your choice
- Three beverages per person* (alcoholic or non-alcoholic house brand beverages)
- Team building activity – (Subject to our entertainment team)
- A courtesy hotel room for the day* (Subject to availability)

Ayurvedic Spa and Wellness Services now offered at La Mer Spa



La Mer Spa, in collaboration with the TripAdvisor top-rated Ojas Spa and Wellness, is introducing Ayurveda therapy as part of its health and wellness package.

Indulge in authentic Caribbean experiences with this wellness Udvarthanam - Herbal Detox Massage.

This massage is a sensory escape that will leave you feeling relaxed and rejuvenated. It uses herbal powder to treat obesity and related disorders and helps in the reduction of cellulite by improving circulation. This exfoliating herbal massage leaves the skin polished and beautiful whilst nourishing and rejuvenating the entire system.

Join us on this journey of rest and relaxation whilst our skilled specialists delightfully accommodate your needs.

Call 758.457.8553 or [click here](#) to book your Summer Spa getaway today!

Bay Gardens Beach Resort & Spa Unveiling Modern Room Upgrades

One of St. Lucia's leading family-friendly resorts has completed 80 percent of a major renovation process, presenting a fresh, modern and functional look for its new and repeat visitors.

Room upgrades include comfortable furniture and fittings in pastel colors (turquoise, lagoon, capri and rose oak) as well as new Wi-Fi-enabled Samsung and LG smart televisions. New stainless-steel kitchen appliances have also been installed in the one-bedroom beachfront suites.



The general manager, Waltrude Patrick, explained that the primary reason for the refurbishment is to satisfy our repeatguests who return to the hotel year after year. One of them, Sephton Spence, a real estate developer from Toronto, asserted that the friendly staff, great service and safe environment keep him returning, and now he has another reason. "I love the decor ... (the rooms) look alive (and) more modern," he remarked.

In addition to the room upgrades, other improvements include menus at both the Hi Tide and SeaGrapes restaurants, while La Mer Spa, in collaboration with the TripAdvisor top-rated Ojas Spa and Wellness, is introducing Ayurveda therapy as part of its health and wellness package.

Guests who are interested in having a sneak peek at the resort's rooms, spa, restaurant and other spaces can experience a virtual tour [here](#).

Fall Savings



As we say so long to Summer, FALL in love with savings of 55% on accommodations, plus FREE breakfast for two, unlimited FREE non-motorized water sports, FREE Wi-Fi and unlimited FREE water park passes. Bay Gardens Resorts is offering guests major savings at the Bay Gardens Beach Resort & Spa. Book by October 25, 2019 for travel from September 01 to October 31, 2019.

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Our Guests Experience

Have you seen what our guests are saying about us on TripAdvisor?

Bay Gardens Beach Resort & Spa

“HOME FROM HOME”

Reviewed by Susan T.

Bay Gardens has a special reputation of integrity and professionalism which is articulately delivered through the genuine warm and friendliness that creates this original but unique environment [TRIP ADVISOR](#)



Bay Gardens Hotel

“ONE OF THE BEST HOTEL / RESORTS FOR VACAY IN ST. LUCIA”

Reviewed by Flyer361822

Amazing place to spend a vacay in St Lucia. Excellent service from staff and finger licking food manager at the hotel was very friendly and always make sure guests are satisfied. Will definitely stay there again! Thanks for the great service bay gardens!!! [TRIP ADVISOR](#)

Bay Gardens Inn

“THE LUCIAN EXPERIENCE”

Reviewed by sumeebear

Stayed here for 3 nights in December 2019 with a friend. Very comfortable beds p/p, great pool, clean, comfortable and very modern. The staff members were very polite and always eager to offer assistance. There are 2 other connecting hotels nearby with regular shuttle service to take you to each one. (Breakfast buffet and beach facilities), this seemed like the quieter of the others, which I was pleased about. Fully enjoyed my stay here, St Lucia is gorgeous! [TRIP ADVISOR](#)

Bay Gardens Marina Haven

“GREAT STAY”

Reviewed by Avery L

Went to Bay Gardens Resort for dinner on a Saturday Night, live entertainment followed by beach on the dinner. Free shuttle to each Bay Gardens. Was able to take the shuttle to the mall with a grocery store and shop for souvenirs. [TRIP ADVISOR](#)

Looking Ahead At Our Upcoming Events



New Year's Eve

Bay Gardens Beach Resort & Spa:

Theme: "Luminous - The Enchanted Garden"

Inclusions: Champagne Reception, all-inclusive house brand drinks, a full buffet, champagne toast at midnight, midnight buffet treat, noisemakers, hats and party favours with fireworks from our beach seating in Rodney Bay.

Bay Gardens Hotel and Inn:

Theme: "Glitter and Sparkle into 2020"

Inclusions: Cocktail champagne reception, all-inclusive house brand drinks, Gala buffet dinner cuisine from around the world, party favours, hats and noisemakers with sparkling wine at midnight. There will be an array of delicious breakfast items after midnight.

Bay Gardens Marina Haven

Theme: "Under the Sea - Magical Mermaids"

Inclusions: Champagne Reception, all-inclusive house brand drinks, a full buffet, champagne toast at midnight, noisemakers, hats and party favours with fireworks from across the Marina.