



Villa del Palmar Beach Resort & Spa Pampers Golfers Who “Stay & Play”

Packages Feature Danzante Bay Golf Course, Rees Jones’ New Baja Gem



LORETO, Baja California South, Mexico (March 28, 2017) — The natural beauty of the Villa del Palmar Beach Resort & Spa at The Islands of Loreto and magic of the new Rees Jones-designed Danzante Bay Golf Course are the featured attractions of three stay-and-play package choices this summer.

Villa del Palmar Beach Resort & Spa is set within the indigo waters of the Sea of Cortez, on the eastern side of the Baja Peninsula (formerly known as Baja California Sur) – once dubbed “The Aquarium of the World” by legendary oceanographer Jacques Cousteau. The scenic Danzante Bay Golf Course, which has 11 ocean-facing holes, gently takes players from desert terrain up into the mountains, through dunes and along a lake. The final seven holes will be completed in early November.

Only a two-hour flight from Los Angeles International Airport (LAX) – the resort features 4,447 acres of unspoiled beauty. In addition to the Jones golf course, the resort boasts stunning ocean and mountain views, three outstanding restaurants, five swimming pools, the 39,000-square-

foot luxurious Sabila Spa, beautiful beaches, tennis courts, miles of hiking trails, glass-bottomed kayaks, and sport fishing. The resort is also accessible seasonally with direct WestJet flights from Calgary and from Tijuana via Calafia Airlines.

Guests may elect to partake in one of two “Golf & Spa Packages” – the “All Inclusive” or the “European Plan.”

The “All Inclusive” is \$267 per person/per night (three-night minimum required) and includes:

- Accommodations in a Deluxe Studio Suite
- Food, domestic and international beverages at The Market and Casa Mia restaurants
- Unlimited golf
- Golf cart, use of driving range and 18-hole putting green (bottled water and hand towels included)
- Companion guests may choose from four spa services (Classic Swedish, Chocolate Delight Massage, Wine Therapy, Deep Tissue, or Manicure & Pedicure) at Sabila Spa instead of golf. One spa service per day. Appointments are required
- \$500 resort credit included per stay (may not be applied to room rate)

The “European Plan” is \$191 per night/per person (three-night minimum required) and includes all amenities in the “All Inclusive” package apart from the food and beverages.

Golfers also can select the equally pleasing “Enjoy & Experience Package” for \$174/person/night (three-night minimum required), which includes:

- Accommodations in a Deluxe Studio Suite (three nights, four days)
- Complimentary stay for children (up to age 11)
- Two tee times per adult during the stay, with golf cart, bottled water and hand towels
- Use of driving range and 18-hole putting green
- \$25 credit for Sabila Spa

To reserve one of the packages, or for more information, visit www.villadelpalmarloreto.com, call (800) 790-4187, or email reservaciones.vdpl@vgloreto.com. For additional information on the golf course, go to www.danzantebay.com

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About Villa del Palmar at the Islands of Loreto: Baja's First Million Star Resort

Villa del Palmar at The Islands of Loreto is a luxury destination resort on the Sea of Cortez, off the eastern coast of the Baja peninsula overlooking Danzante Island (one of five in the region). Flanked by the rugged Sierra de la Giganta range, the Villa del Palmar is the first and only resort to occupy one of the Gulf of California's last virgin coastlines. The resort features 181 new, spacious, beautifully appointed Deluxe Ocean View, one, two and three bedroom Suites with terraces and stunning ocean and mountain views, timeshare options, three restaurants offering gourmet dining, an attentive English-speaking staff, five swimming pools, a 39,000 square-foot Sabila Spa and Wellness Center, two tennis courts, beautiful beaches, a private beachfront Danzante Bungalow and a mild and warm climate year-round.

Guests can enjoy PADI-certified SCUBA diving lessons and snorkeling tours in the protected indigo waters that explorer Jacques Cousteau once dubbed the “Aquarium of the World.” Outdoor adventurers can also experience tours of the nearby Coronado, Danzante and Del Carmen Islands atop an inflatable APEX boat, as well as swimming, world-class fishing aboard the “Mad Dash” tournament boat, paddle boarding, kayaking, whale watching and mountain biking. With shuttle service priced at \$5 per person round trip, guests can explore the historic town at the Islands of Loreto and visit the 1697 mission that made the town famous.

The area is also known for its wildlife, including the 900 species of fish off the coast and in an area that has been designated a UNESCO World Heritage Site and the second largest National Marine Park. Hotel perks include a spa and fitness center, massages, salsa dance lessons and movie nights for children. Travelers can take a short flight from LAX on Alaska Airlines or from Calgary, Canada aboard WestJet, Canada's most-preferred airline, to the Islands of Loreto.

The resort was named the 16th best resort in Mexico by Trip Advisor. In 2015, Travel Weekly magazine recognized the Islands of Loreto with a 2015 Silver Magellan Award in the Adventure Destination category. Villa del Palmar at the Islands of Loreto was also recognized as Mexico's Leading Beach Resort in the 22nd and 23rd annual World Travel Awards. It also earned recognition as Mexico and Central America's Leading Resort by the same prestigious organization.

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