

Sunny Delight

L'Auberge Del Mar is the perfect place to enjoy a beachside vacation in Southern California

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L'Auberge Del Mar is located in the heart of San Diego's most charming and picturesque coastal village—Del Mar. This quaint hotel evokes a charming beachy ambience with a sophisticated flair. The moment you step inside the breezy lobby, you realize you're in for a memorable Southern

California experience. After a seven-month, \$25 million renovation completed in June of 2008, L'Auberge del Mar was transformed from a French chateau to a sophisticated beach retreat. Ranked among the best luxury resorts in the country by *Condé Nast*, L'Auberge del Mar brings together panoramic coastal views, casual elegance and personalized service to create an outstanding venue for a weekend getaway or relaxing retreat.

Recreational Activities:

L'Auberge Del Mar is ideally located just off Del Mar Beach and mere steps from the sun-splashed Del Mar Plaza, a complex of boutiques, art galleries and restaurants. The clean and peaceful Del Mar Beach provides a wonderful playground for kids, surfers and water lovers alike.





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intrigue and a lively atmosphere. Kitchen 1540 is open daily and serves contemporary American cuisine. Menus change seasonally, focusing on fresh, organic produce, free-range meats and seafood specialties. White vaulted ceilings, a romantic fireplace, an open kitchen and a sophisticated wine bar enhance the charm of Kitchen 1540. Other dining establishments include the Waterfall Terrace and the poolside Bleu Bar, which feature a fusion of Californian- and Mediterranean-inspired fare.

Spa:

The opulent Spa L'Auberge's interiors are inspired by its seaside setting. There are 10 treatment rooms, steam rooms, a wine bar and indoor and outdoor relaxation areas, including enclosed patios, where spa-goers can soak up the sun

and sea breezes. The couple's treatment suite is appointed with a secluded garden, a day bed, and a soaking tub. The spa's menu features traditional and signature services designed to capitalize on the restorative properties of the water and unique plant extracts, such as Indonesian ginger, red coral, and jasmine. Marine-inspired treatments such as the signature Seaside Sojourns introduce body rituals, techniques, and ingredients from the Amazon, Asian, Moroccan, and Polynesian shores; offerings also include massage, facials, nail care and salon services.

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Just off the lobby, the Waterfall Terrace, featuring a 12-seat bar and fire-pits, offers breath-taking views of the Pacific Ocean, so you can soak in dramatic sunsets and salty sea air. A gorgeous pool overlooks the Pacific with private cabanas and whirlpool spa. Two championship tennis courts and nearby golf courses are available as well.

Outside the property, guests can explore popular sites such as the Del Mar Race Track (one of the best places to enjoy Thoroughbred racing in the United States) and Scripps Institute of Oceanography; while Downtown San Diego is only 20 minutes away.

Lodging:

Designed by acclaimed designer Barclay Butera, the historic seaside resort offers 120 guest rooms, eight of them suites, all providing village, garden and ocean vistas. Each room has been given a fresh new look, with plush accommodations that are warm and inviting with a beach house vibe. All rooms have marble bathrooms and outdoor areas, and many have ocean views.

Beds come with pillowtop mattresses, Egyptian cotton linens, triple sheeting, and premium bedding. Refrigerators, coffee/tea makers, and mini-bars are offered. Bathrooms feature separate

bathtubs and showers, phones, designer toiletries, and bathrobes. In addition to complimentary wireless and wired high-speed Internet access, guestrooms offer cordless phones, iPod docking stations and CD players. Forty-two-inch LCD televisions have videogame consoles, complimentary TV Internet access and pay movies.

Dining:

L'Auberge is home to one of San Diego's top celebrity chefs, Paul McCabe, who opened his signature restaurant, Kitchen 1540, which boasts outstanding energy,