

CELEBRATE MOTHER'S DAY ON BONAIRE

****Mother's Day Events, Specials, and Packages Help To Plan the Perfect Day****

Kralendijk, Bonaire – (April 23, 2013) Mother's Day holds a special place in everyone's hearts and especially on Bonaire. Select island establishments are offering big plans, so that all visiting moms enjoy their special day. Restaurants, activity providers, and a wide variety of accommodation providers have announced myriad ways to celebrate Mother's Day and in some instances, the entire month of May.

Appetite Bonaire: On May 12th, 2013 a special Mother's Day menu including a four-course chef's menu with dessert and a free glass of prosecco will be available for \$45.00 per person. Let their chef take care of all the decision making on that special day, with a complete menu from fish, to meat, to shellfish, to cheese. For more information, call: +599-717-3595, email: info@appetitebonaire.com, or visit: www.appetitebonaire.com.

Bellafonte Chateau de la Mer: Between May 11th and 19th 2013, Bellafonte is offering a 15% discount off their normal room rates. Additionally, all mothers will receive a bouquet on their special day, along with reservation assistance for a free 30-minute massage. Reservations must be made directly through Bellafonte with a seven-night stay required. (One offer per room is permitted.) For more information, call: +599-717-3333, email: info@bellafontebonaire.com, or visit: www.bellafontebonaire.com.

Belmar Oceanfront Apartments: When staying at Belmar Oceanfront Apartments, all mothers will receive chocolates. For more information, call: +599-717-7878, email: info@belmar-bonaire.com, or visit: www.belmar-bonaire.com.

Bonaire Oceanfront Apartments: Bonaire Oceanfront Apartments offers mothers free diving with unlimited air, a discount of \$159.00 for six days of diving. This special is valid from May 6th through May 19th, 2013, for those families visiting with their mother, and it includes all taxes. A seven-night stay at Bonaire Oceanfront Apartments is required to qualify for this special. When booking, refer to Mother's Day Special. For more information, call: +599-717-6130, email: info@sunrentalsbonaire.com, or visit: www.sunrentalsbonaire.com.

Buddy Dive Resort: When staying at Buddy Dive, all mothers will receive roses. For more information, call: +599-717-5080, email: info@buddydive.com, or visit: www.buddydive.com.

Captain Don's Habitat: From May 4th through 31st, 2013, Captain Don's Habitat is offering the seventh night free. The seven-night dive package is priced from just \$745 per person/double occupancy, and it includes ocean view room accommodations, welcome rum punch, manager's rum punch party, 6 single-tank boat dives, 6 days of 24-hour unlimited shore diving, and government taxes, services charges, and energy surcharge (except on free night). Enjoy oceanfront dining, bar and pool, day spa, full-service dive operations, photo shop, and Free Wi-Fi. Airfare, vehicle rental and travel insurance also available through Captain Don's North America representative. For more information, call: 1-800-327-6709, email: captaindon@maduro.com, or visit: www.HabitatBonaire.com.

Caribbean Club Bonaire: Mothers will receive a complimentary glass of prosecco at Happy Hour. For more information, call: +599-717-5080, email: reservations@caribbeanclubbonaire.com, or visit: www.caribbeanclubbonaire.com.

Caribbean Wind & Sun Vacations: When guests book a windsurfing or diving package (accommodations, vehicle and dive or windsurf gear rental) for two with Caribbean Wind & Sun Vacations, they will earn one free massage at Namaste Spa for Mom. This offer applies to new bookings and is available for the entire month of May. For more information, call: +599-786-3134, email: ann@bonairecaribbean.com, or visit: www.bonairecaribbean.com.

Divi Flamingo Beach Resort: Divi Flamingo Beach's current Shore & Explore package is tailor-made for Mom's special day. All mothers get their own set of wheels to go wherever they like, including taking advantage of Bonaire's renowned shore diving sites. This package provides special pricing on a seven-night stay, unlimited shore diving and a 4-passenger pick-up rental, along with free breakfast daily. The "must-do" activity is the Mother's Day brunch at the Calabas Restaurant on May 12th, 2013. It includes an omelet and Indonesian station, and will be served from 11:00 AM through 2:00 PM. There will be music in the garden, prizes, and surprises. Rates for the Shore & Explore package begin at \$872.00 per person, based on double occupancy. Taxes, service charges, and the Bonaire National Marine Park fee are not included. For more information, call: 1-800-367-3484, email: flamingocomments@diviresorts.com, or visit: <http://www.diviresorts.com/diviflamingo>.

Elements of Bonaire: From May 10th through 11th, 2013, visiting moms can receive a free pair of earrings or a ring to match, valued at \$15.00, with any purchase of an Omega Pendant. These very special pieces of Dichroic Glass jewelry are carefully hand-crafted on Bonaire. Multiple layers of metal oxides are vaporized and electro-beamed onto glass in a vacuum chamber. In any kind of light the colors sparkle and change depending on the angle of view. Each piece is a work of art as no two pieces can ever be the same. For more information, call: +599-795-3795, email: info@elementsbonaire.com, or visit: www.elementsbonaire.com/.

H2O Visions Bonaire: From May 12th through 18th, 2013, mothers go free for either a snorkel or island tour, with a minimum of three paying. For more information, call: +599-700-4361, email: brenda@h2ovisionsbonaire.com, or visit www.h2ovisionsbonaire.com.

Horse Ranch Bonaire: Previously the Riding Academy Bonaire, the Horse Ranch Bonaire is organizing a mother/daughter trail ride for the special price of \$200.00 for two persons. Groups are kept to a minimum, so advance reservations are recommended. Reference the booking code Mother/Daughter Trail when making a reservation, valid for services between May 6th and May 19th, 2013. For more information, call: +599-786-2094, email: info@horseranchbonaire.com, or visit www.horseranchbonaire.com.

Perla Boneriano: Perla's Villa Morotin is offering a Mother's Day special, with a 10% discount from the normal rates, bringing the per night room rate to \$151.00 from \$168.00. The villa can accommodate up to four guests in two bedrooms, 2-1/2 baths, a spacious covered porch, living room, and a fully equipped kitchen. Offer is valid for any stay (minimum four nights) during the month of May, 2013, but is subject to availability. Airport transfer, TV, wireless Internet, twice-weekly cleaning are included in the discounted rate, but the tourist tax of \$5.45 per person per night is additional. Full payment is due in advance. Please refer to "Mother's Day Special Villa Morotin" when making reservations. For more information, call: +599-717-6996, email: info@perlaboneriano.com, or visit: www.perlaboneriano.com.

Plaza Resort Bonaire: Dedicated to mothers everywhere, Plaza Resort Bonaire has just added in a sunset cruise to their all-inclusive program. Available for a limited time only. The boat sails on Mondays, Wednesday, Thursdays, and Fridays with a minimum of four persons and a maximum of twelve persons. Free drinks and a succulent BBQ are available on board for everyone's enjoyment. The excursions provide time for swimming and snorkeling, and snorkel gear is provided at no charge. For more information, call: 1-800-766-6016, email:

usa@plazaresortbonaire.com, or visit: www.plazaresortbonaire.com.

Villa Ganshi: Visitors can enjoy a discount of 15% from the normal rates for any Saturday-to-Saturday booking from May 4th through May 18th, 2013. Those who can enjoy Bonaire's great diving and windsurfing for a fourteen night stay during this time can enjoy a 20% discount on the normal weekly rate. For additional information, visit: www.villaganshibonaire.com, www.facebook.com/VillaGanshiBonaire, or www.vrbo.com/379124.

Woodwind Snorkel & Sailing Trips: Mothers definitely will feel pampered on Woodwind's guided snorkel trip on Sunday, May 12th, 2013 from 9:00 AM through 2:00 PM. Everything is always included on Woodwind's trips, so only a towel is needed. The excursion includes snorkel equipment, a warm lunch, dessert, and open bar. A mother and son/daughter duo enjoy half-price rates, \$25.00 per person, or mothers are free when accompanied by others paying the normal rate of \$50.00 per person. For more information, call: +599-786-7055, email: info@woodwindbonaire.com, or visit: www.woodwindbonaire.com.

For 20 consecutive years in Scuba Diving magazine's annual Readers' Choice Awards, Bonaire has been selected as the number one Shore Diving destination in the Caribbean/Atlantic. This year, it received 17 awards, more than any other Caribbean destination. It was voted number one for Beginner Diving, Advanced Diving, Macro Diving and Underwater Photography also in the Reader's Choice Awards.