



ANANTARA
SIR BANI YAS ISLAND
ABU DHABI • RESORT

A SINGLE ISLAND,
AN OCEAN OF EXPERIENCES.





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A man and a woman are seen from the chest up, sitting in an infinity pool. They are looking towards the right, where a savanna landscape with green grass and trees is visible. In the background, several gazelles are grazing. The scene is bathed in warm, golden light, suggesting late afternoon or early morning. A dark, semi-transparent triangle is overlaid on the left side of the image, containing the text 'THE SPIRIT OF ANANTARA.'

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PURE DESERT LUXURY, INFUSED
WITH ARABIC HOSPITALITY.

DESERT ISLANDS RESORT & SPA BY ANANTARA

Feel the spirit of Arabia in this desert sanctuary. Gaze at endless panoramas of rolling dunes and turquoise ocean. Watch pink flamingos frolic across the island's lakes. Experience the vision of Sheikh Zayed Bin Sultan Al Nahyan, the late ruler and founding father of the UAE, in this exclusive desert resort.

ACCOMMODATION

Experience island luxury in a choice of 64 rooms, suites and villas. Relax in a palatial villa just steps from the infinity pool. Awake with the desert sunrise creeping into your beautifully appointed suite.

FACILITIES

Take advantage of a myriad of facilities. Escape to Anantara Spa or book our meeting and conference facilities with WiFi. Work out at the extensive fitness centre and let kids run free at the Kids Club.

DINING

Start your day of desert adventures with a sumptuous breakfast buffet at the Palm Restaurant. Afterwards, recline by the pool receiving excellent service. Refresh with a cool drink in Al Shams Restaurant & Bar and wind down after dark with a variety of shisha flavours in true Arabic tradition. Dine on exquisite seafood with the lapping sounds of the ocean as your soundtrack at Amwaj Restaurant.

DIVERSIONS

Offering exhilarating possibilities in this environment, choose from a range of water and land activities. Kayak along the shores of the Arabian Gulf. Explore just below the surface with snorkelling or scuba diving. Mountain bike the sandy dunes or take a guided wadi walk to see the island at a slower pace.

ACCOMMODATION



ROOMS (52 sqm) – Soak up spectacular sea or garden views from your private balcony or terrace. Evoking local colour and tradition, these rooms are decorated with indigenous fabrics and original pieces of Middle Eastern art for your pleasure.

SUITES (80 sqm) – Step into refined spaces with a large bedroom and a separate living room. Bathe the sands of the desert away in your deep bathtub. Relax on the balcony taking in the breathtaking views of the Arabian Gulf.

VILLAS (120 - 200 sqm) – Splash in your own private pool in an intimate tropical garden. Recline on your daybed with a cool drink from your mini bar. Sink into sumptuous fabrics in the bedroom and living areas. Enjoy direct access to the beach from your walled garden.



DINING



AMWAJ RESTAURANT

Feel a warm breeze across your shoulders as you dine at our seafood destination, Amwaj. Enjoy a relaxed ambiance whilst tasting grilled local catches. Find imported delicacies on our gourmet menu. Sample fine wines from our extensive cellar.

AL SHAMS RESTAURANT & BAR

Discover relaxed dining at Al Shams, with flavours to suit your mood. Snack on tasty bites by the pool. Sip on refreshing cocktails with friends at the bar. Feel the ambiance change by night as Al Shams transforms into a trio of romantic venues. Savour authentic Arabic dishes and international favourites, either in the stylish dining room or al fresco on the terrace.

THE PALM RESTAURANT

Greet the morning sun with a delectable breakfast buffet of local and international favourites. Enjoy occasional theme nights in the unique contemporary Arabic décor of this relaxed venue.

DINING BY DESIGN

Indulge in a custom-made menu and experience to delight you and your loved one. Be inspired by your surroundings to choose the perfect spot for romance.

SPICE SPOONS

The region's favourite dishes are inspired by thousand-year-old caravan and seafaring routes. Desert grills. Ocean catches. Spices from the East. Learn flavour combinations and Arab cooking techniques in a step-by-step class. Prepare moutabel dip, samkeh harra baked fish and basbousa cake from scratch. Enjoy your creations for lunch and return home with new skills and recipes to try out.



EXPERIENCE AN INDIGENOUS OASIS
AT THE HEART OF THE DESERT.

ANANTARA AL SAHEL VILLA RESORT

Admire the wonders of Arabian wildlife as they wander through the lush savannah. Breathe in the exotic atmosphere as desert plants sway in the afternoon breeze. Discover a holiday escape where care is taken to support the wildlife and environment. More than just a hotel, the villas marry the delights of discovery with a philosophy designed to support local creatures, flora and fauna.

ACCOMMODATION

Unwind in any of our 30 villas, offering modern amenities and a plunge pool. Take in stunning views of free-roaming wildlife from your terrace.

FACILITIES

Enjoy a range of facilities including a gym and prayer rooms. Chill out in the lounge or infinity pool overlooking the surrounding nature reserve.

DINING

Indulge in succulent dishes from the African continent and meats from the grill at Savannah Grill. Enjoy the informal atmosphere of this rustic restaurant, complementing the natural surroundings.

DIVERSIONS

Explore bountiful nature on a wildlife drive. Learn more about the history of the island with a culture and history tour. Practice traditional archery or snorkel the colourful reefs of the Arabian Gulf.

ACCOMMODATION



ONE BEDROOM VILLA

Cherish your privacy in your own villa with ample space to relax. Absorb nature at play as gazelles converge on the plains. Natural light abounds throughout these villas that blend into the local landscape.

ONE BEDROOM POOL VILLA

Enjoy the combination of abundant natural beauty with luxury facilities. Spread out in an expansive bedroom with sumptuous fabrics offering a touch of African splendour. Relax on your private terrace surrounded by the majestic savannah.

ANANTARA TWO BEDROOM VILLA

Step into the opulence of these impeccably designed villas. Admire the exceptional views of passing wildlife from your wrap-around terrace. Refresh with a dip in your private pool.

DINING

SAVANNAH GRILL

Savour delicious delicacies from the African continent. Relax and let the majestic surrounds of the grassland enthrall you.

SAVANNAH LOUNGE

Indulge with refreshing beverages alfresco whilst admiring the magnificence of your surroundings.

BOMA

Experience delightful African cuisine served under a canopy of stars. Enjoy precious moments in our warm and inviting dining space beside the fire.



DINING BY DESIGN

Create an exclusive menu to kindle your heart's desire. Let us help you achieve a dream dinner in our nature reserve, by the mangroves or with the Arabian Gulf as your backdrop. The echoes of the wild will provide a soundtrack to your intimate dinner for two.



ARABIAN BEACHSIDE LUXURY.

ANANTARA AL YAMM VILLA RESORT

Be charmed by wading flamingos as they make their way along the shore. Located on the eastern shores of Sir Bani Yas Island, Anantara Al Yamm offers luxury beachside villas reminiscent of an old fishermen's village.

ACCOMMODATION

Unwind in one of our 30 luxurious villas with beachfront or mangrove lagoon views and savour serene comfort and elegance.

FACILITIES

Discover a wide range of conveniences to ease your holiday. Work out at the gym or chill out in the lounge by the infinity pool.

DINING

Unwind with tasty Italian food, in our idyllic poolside restaurant Olio.

DIVERSIONS

Discover this stunning nature reserve through nature drives and walks. Ride horses through the dunes in the morning sun. Try a new watersport on the azure waters of the Gulf.



ONE BEDROOM VILLA

Surround yourself with access to pristine sands or enjoy a panoramic view of the mangrove lagoon while reveling in superior comfort and luxury. Rest in 68 square metres of indoor space, with an expansive terrace to stretch out on.

ONE BEDROOM POOL VILLA

Designed in contemporary luxury with touches of local flair, these One Bedroom Pool Villas offer the perfect setting for your holiday. Relax in the enchanting Arabian landscape with the sand between your toes or enjoy the privacy provided by a mangroves lagoon. Cool off in your private plunge pool.

TWO BEDROOM ANANTARA POOL VILLA

Experience unparalleled comfort in an exclusive beach or mangroves front hideaway. Spread out in 229 square metres of space for the family to enjoy. Refresh with a swim in your pool overlooking the sparkling ocean. Recline indoors with a selection of modern conveniences.



DINING

OLIO

Explore Italian-inspired flavours at this casual venue. Start the day with a scrumptious breakfast. Taste crisp salads at lunch and a menu of delicious pastas and desserts at dinner. Delight in panoramic views as the sun goes down.

OLIO LOUNGE

After a day of island exploration, choose your spot at the bar or outdoors for a romantic view over the Arabian Gulf.

DINING BY DESIGN

Design a special dinner menu with the help of our talented chefs. Have it served to you by your own private butler under the star-studded sky with the sound of gentle waves in the background.





ISLAND FEATURES

- Anantara Spa
- The Workout Room
- Kids & Teens Club
- Tennis court
- Watersports Centre
- Stables
- Standalone Conference Centre
- Wedding venue and facilities
- Library

TAILOR-MADE EXCURSIONS AND ACTIVITIES

NATURE AND WILDLIFE DRIVE

Take a thrilling game drive in our dedicated 4x4 vehicles. Track giraffes, gazelles, oryx and cheetahs in their natural environment.

CULTURE AND HISTORY TOUR

Sir Bani Yas Island is named after the Bani Yas Tribe, who first settled in Abu Dhabi 250 years ago. Explore the ruins of a Bani Yas Tribe settlement here on the island with our engaging cultural tour.

NATURE AND WILDLIFE WALK

Interact with nature on our wildlife walk. Get up-close to the protected species that inhabit the island.

ARCHERY

Take part in a fun activity for the whole family. Archery is a long cherished Arabian tradition that remains a popular sport to this day. Practice your aim as you shoot for targets up to 30 metres away. Whether you are a beginner or a pro, we provide all the equipment and training needed to make sure you get closer to the bull's eye.

LAND SAILING

Enjoy a fun day out with the entire family and explore a unique side of the island like never before. You can choose to sail independently or make the activity interesting by racing against each other.

HORSEBACK RIDING

Jump on an Arabian horse for an authentic exploration of your surroundings.

WADI WALK

Get a closer view of the island's scenery and wildlife on a guided wadi walk. Discover unspoiled sand dunes and explore rock corridors containing a variety of ancient fossils and minerals.

KAYAKING

Meander through the lush mangroves in the afternoon sun. Cut through the still, azure waters of the Arabian Gulf for a relaxing activity.

MOUNTAIN BIKING

Mountain bike through the rugged terrain surrounding the villas. Watch the animals at play as you manoeuvre with care.

WATERSPORTS

Spend an afternoon in the turquoise seas of the Gulf. Observe the magnificent aquatic life surrounding the island. Embark on a varied selection of exhilarating watersports activities for all levels of enthusiasts.



ESCAPE TO INNER PEACE.



ANANTARA SPA

Retreat to a haven of tranquillity at the Anantara Spa. Let your worldly cares slip away in a picturesque natural setting with the sounds of the ocean lapping the shore. Embracing the spirit of its Thai origins, the Spa offers a selection of therapies that combine the time-honoured rituals of Arabia with age-old Eastern health practices. Take an exotic journey to relaxation and rejuvenation.

The greatest stories are felt, not told. Visit spa.anantara.com



ACCESS

Driving directions: Follow the E11 highway directly from Abu Dhabi or Dubai in the direction of Tarif, Mirfa and Saudi Arabia. Continue on, passing Tarif, Mirfa, Baynoona and Al Ruwais. Take exit 113 marked Sir Bani Yas Island, and at the roundabout take the Sir Bani Yas Island exit. At the next roundabout, take the 2nd exit. Follow the road and at the roundabout, take the exit for Sir Bani Yas Island. At the jetty, park your car in a safe shaded area before boarding the water taxi for a 25-minute journey to Sir Bani Yas Island.

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Decimal Degrees (DD)

Latitude 24.365942

Longitude 52.5946

Degrees, Minutes and Seconds (DMS)

Latitude 24.21.57.39 N

Longitude 52.35.40.56 E

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