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## The Best of Fall



# BON VOYAGE IN SANTA BARBARA

Social distancing becomes coastal distancing with **Hotel Californian's Sail Away** package ([hotelcalifornian.com](http://hotelcalifornian.com), from



\$1,099 per night), which includes a two-hour charter cruise for up to six guests as well as a picnic dinner to bring along from the hotel's Goat Tree cafe. Starting a short walk or bike ride away from the hotel at Santa Barbara Harbor, guests sail on a 42- or 50-foot Santa Barbara Sailing Center yacht south toward Montecito, past Stearns Wharf, East Beach, and the Santa Barbara Zoo.

"Oftentimes you can see the giraffes from the water," says Arianna Kamp of Santa Barbara Sailing Center. "I don't know if you can do that anywhere else in the world. The best views of the American Riviera are from the water."



## MISSION BAY GETAWAY

**B**eachside service, jet skis, standup paddleboards, and beach cruisers set the stage for a real escape at the **San Diego Mission Bay Resort** ([missionbayresort.com](http://missionbayresort.com), from \$225), which has reopened after a \$32 million renovation. "San Diego's Mediterranean-like climate offers locals and visitors some of the most amazing year-round weather, enabling them to spend more time outdoors and explore the beaches and nearby attractions," says the resort's general manager Douglas Rucker.

A 4,000-square-foot outdoor pool area has cabanas, a shallow wading pool for children, and fire pits, while expansive lawns invite fun with bocce ball, croquet, and horseshoes. First responders and their families receive 15 percent off selected room rates.



Thank a pandemic hero with a relaxing getaway at the **Four Seasons Hotel Westlake Village**.

## A SHOW OF GRATITUDE

Stay at **Four Seasons Hotel Westlake Village** ([fourseasons.com/westlakevillage](http://fourseasons.com/westlakevillage), from \$450) and thank someone who has made a difference during the pandemic. Purchase a two-night stay with the hotel's Honoring Heroes package to receive 25 percent off the best available rate and a room upgrade, as well as a complimentary night for your hero. The recipient of your gratitude can enjoy a room upgrade, complimentary parking, early check-in and late checkout, and the option to add additional nights.

"Whether it's a healthcare worker, a delivery driver, a public official, a grocery store clerk, an educator, or even a neighbor lending support, our communities are filled with people committed to the purpose of serving others as we navigate these challenging days," says Jacqueline Kerns, a hotel spokeswoman. "This package is a unique way to say thank you, while being able to enjoy and give the gift of rejuvenation to a hero in your life."



## MIRAMAR BEACH FASHION HUB

The latest addition to Montecito's **Rosewood Miramar Beach** ([rosewoodhotels.com/en/miramar-beach-montecito](https://rosewoodhotels.com/en/miramar-beach-montecito), from \$895) is The Webster boutique, a collection of ready-to-wear and resort clothing from designers like Bottega Veneta, Lisa Marie Fernandez, Proenza Schouler, and Alanui. Taking inspiration from feminine and brutalist aesthetics, the shop features a large onyx-meteorite display of fine jewelry, a bronze sculpture, and travertine accents.

The new location is the eighth for The Webster, which first opened in 2009 in Miami's South Beach. "We tailored the [offerings] for Montecito to fit with the many reasons people visit Rosewood Miramar Beach," says The Webster's Annica Litavis. The focus is on products that appeal to travelers as well as to those who live in the area looking for the latest fashions from their favorite designers.



## COZY LUXURY IN SAN LUIS OBISPO

Boutique meets luxury at the **San Luis Creek Lodge** ([sanluiscreeklodge.com](https://sanluiscreeklodge.com), from \$249) in downtown San Luis Obispo. The ambience at the recently redesigned lodge is cozy, with a new modern farmhouse-inspired aesthetic, just 25 rooms, and coffee and pastries delivered each morning. It's also luxurious, with plush beds, lavish linens, oversize showers, and Aesop bath products.

Fashioned by interior designer Nina Freudenberger, the decor features natural elements, including light-oak floors, rattan chairs, grass cloth wallpaper, and marble waterfall-edge countertops. Dried floral arrangements reflect the region, and graphic patterns lend a modern edge in artwork and linen throw pillows from Los Angeles' Block Shop textile studio.

"It's a true escape," says Kevan Beall, regional director for PRG Hospitality Group, the hotel company that owns the lodge. "And it's someplace you can feel truly comfortable." ♦

## TAKE CARE IN THE AIR



A new tool from Pilota travel technology company, **FlySafe** ([flypilota.com](https://flypilota.com))

offers some peace of mind for travelers during the pandemic. Started by four graduate students who met in a machine-learning class at Cornell University two years ago, FlySafe reveals details about specific airline flights with regard to social distancing, air filtration, mask requirements, food hygiene, and more.

"We can ingest all of these different data points and present them to users when they are booking their travel," says Pilota CEO and cofounder Saniya Shah. Interested travelers can download the free extension and use it with Google's Chrome browser. Updates slated for early October will include current travel restrictions for each state.