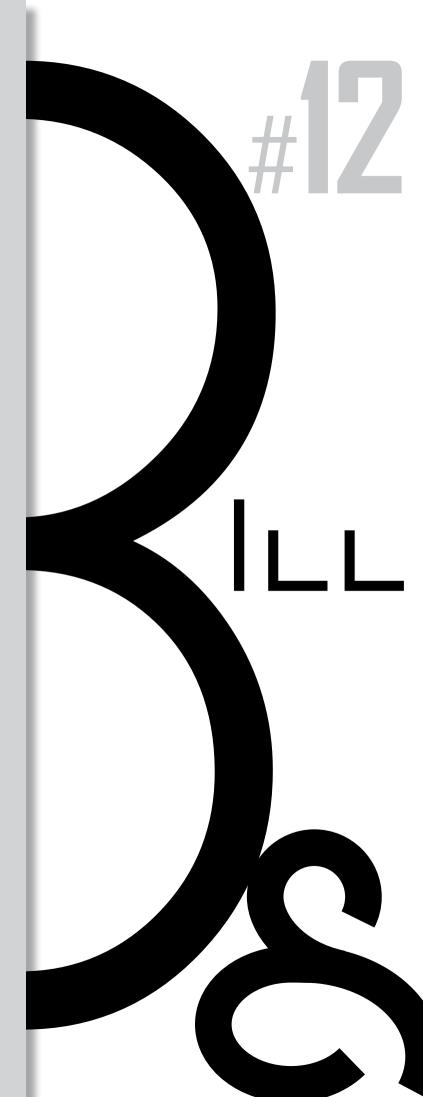
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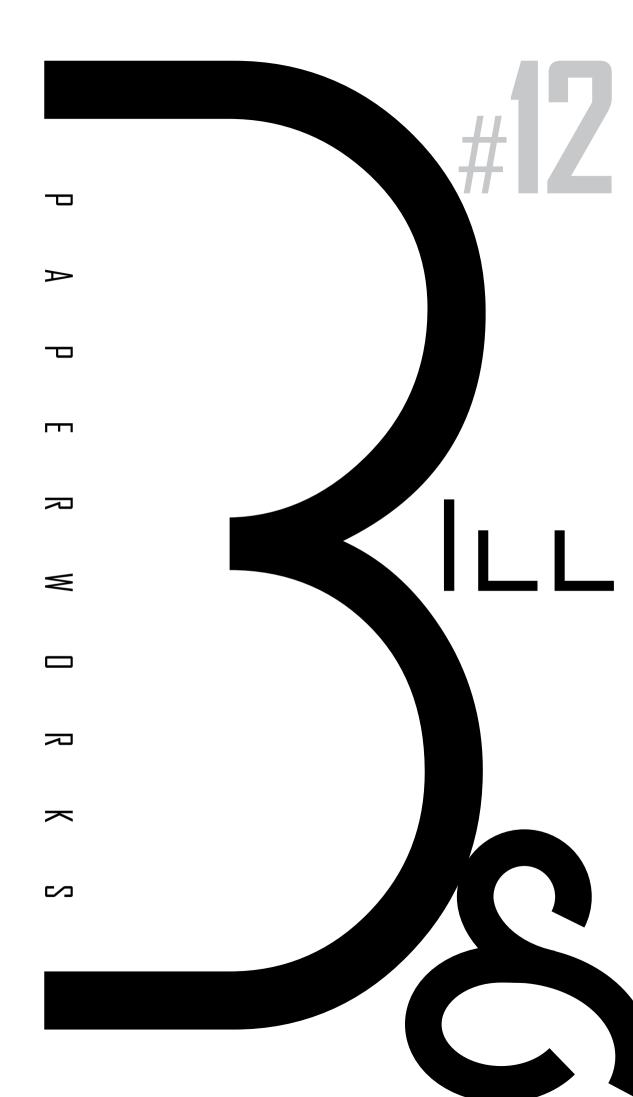
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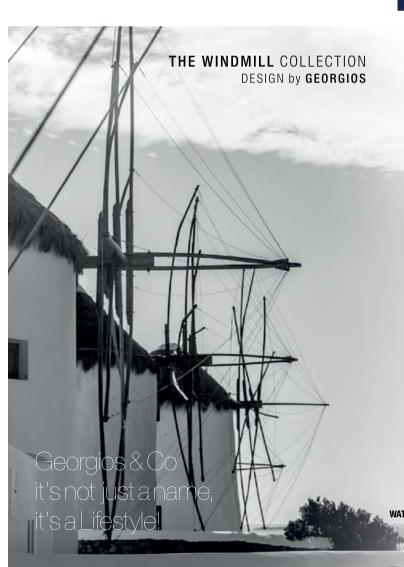














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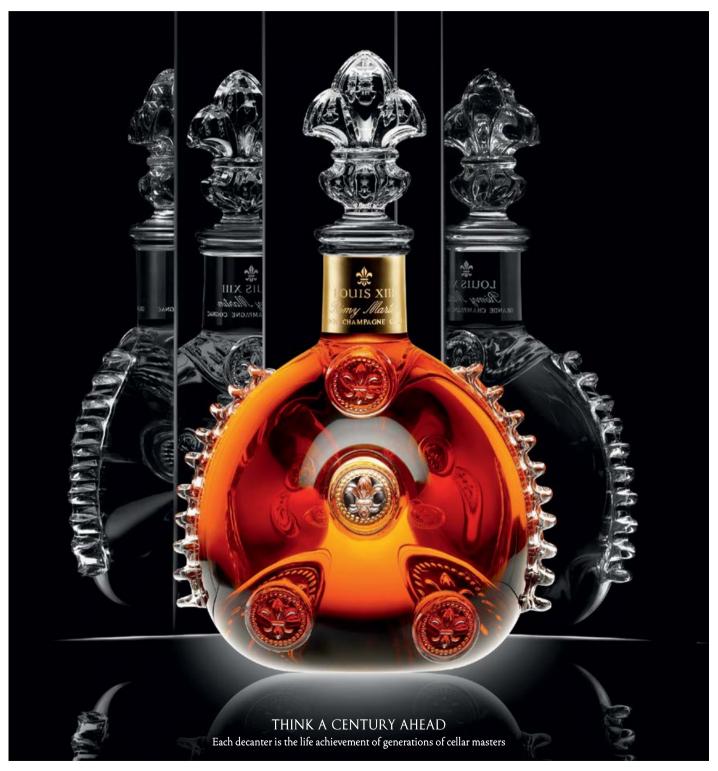
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Two years later, the great celebration of art returns to the alleys of Mykonos with the aim of embracing all the spaces of creation, making use of the special characteristics of the island as well as the locations that carry history and tradition. This year's program runs through a vision about the operation of the Public Space, and includes original walking routes during which you will discover five visual installations by established artists. Also, a group of great dancers will cross the Chora and create five small choreographies in situ (29/7), while the night of baroque music with Markellos Chryssicos on the harpsichord and the mezzo-soprano Theodora Baka (3/8) is of particular interest. In the Archaeological site of Delos, three performers will perform the adventure of the young Phaethon from the well-known myth, as recorded in Ovid's "Metamorphoses" and in the surviving fragments of Euripides' tragedy (9/9).









Top left: Lambros Konstanteas in Phaethon. Middle: Music for the middle ages-Kountouras. Bottom left: Theodora Baka in Baroque music night. Bottom right: Markellos Chryssicos with his harpsichord.

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## the season



## Contemporary art summer

UNTIL 30/9, SKOUFA GALLERY MYKONOS, SKOUFAGALLERY.GR

Always hosting historically significant, contemporary artists and devoted to promoting the polymorphic character of art in the contemporary age, Skoufa Gallery is presenting a rich exhibition program for this year's summer season: From "The Golden Era" a tribute to pop art (17/8–28/8), "This is Contemporary" (29/8–15/9) and "Summer Nostalgia" (16/9–30/9), to the special "Evzonas Project / Guards" which will run through August, the gallery offers a variety of exhibitions for every taste.

## THE DIVINE 4/8-4/9, HOFA GALLERY MYKONOS, THEHOUSEOFFINEART.COM

After the huge success of "The Divine" in London for Women's History Month and International Women's Day, the specially curated exhibition by the co-founder Simonida Pavicevic, is coming at Hofa's gallery in Mykonos. The exhibition showcases twelve internationally renowned female artists, that highlight the lack of female artist representation, and at the same time celebrate historical contributions by female artists to the art industry. Highlights from the show will include Korean artist lhwa Kim's White Portraits. Australian artist Loribelle's Spirovski critically-acclaimed Homme series will also showcase in the exhibition. Her portraits compose of various abstracted elements which come together with highly sophisticated figurative forms.



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Using all its three halls, Matogianni, Kalogera and Siriotis, the Municipal Art Gallery has gathered an impressive array of exhibitions for you to admire as you wander down the streets of Chora. The highlights include "ABS3NS3" by George Houndalas (21-31/7), the tribute to the Greek painter Petros Zoumboulakis "The Aegean gave you the marvellous journey" (12/7-3/8) and Alexia Koudigkeli's "The unruly palette of the sea" (5-10/8).



## KAPOPOULOS FINE ARTS

23/7-15/8, KAPOPOULOS FINE ARTS HALL AT MYKONOS, KAPOPOULOSART.GR

The historic gallery will open this year's summer exhibition season on the end of July with the artworks by Mr. Brainwash at the 15 Enoplon Dinameon str. Hall (23/7-4/8) and Richard Orlinski (30/7-16/8) at 48 Mattheou Andronikou str. The program will end on August, presenting Luca Valentini's exhibition (6/8-15/8) at the 15 Enoplon Dinameon str. All three of the artists will be present at the galleries during each one's exhibition.



## JEFFREY MILSTEIN

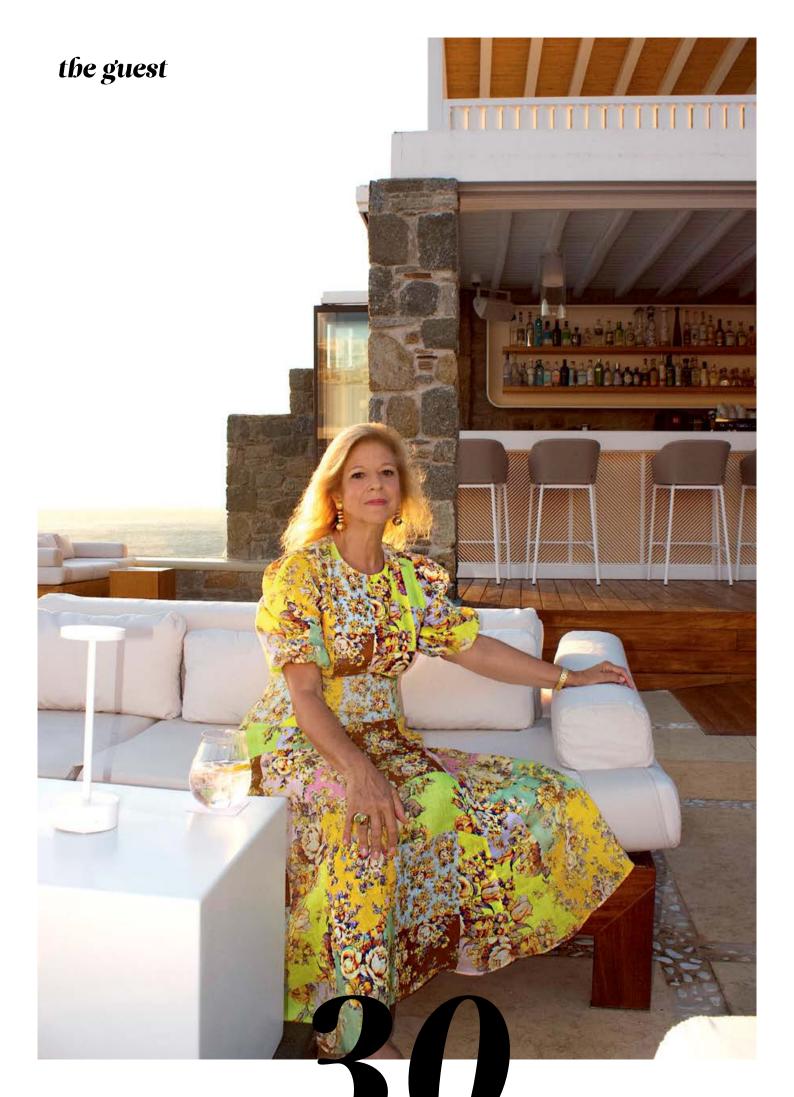
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The legendary photographer, architect author and pilot will present -for the first time in Mykonoshis awarded photography series that capture New York. Jeffrey Milstein's focal point for capturing hyper realistic architecturally symmetrical photographs is color and design as he achieves maximum alignment, clarity and precision in his images. They have been exhibited and collected throughout the world, and have been featured in international powerhouse publications.



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## What do you want "A Magic Cabinet" to be?

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## Can you introduce yourself in five words?

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## How do you think we can keep our creativity alive?

By reading. By listening to our inspirations and taking note of them. I personally find that too much technology kills my creative voice. Physical activity is a great meditation and I get my best ideas when I am out jogging.

## Where is the beauty in life?

Beauty is everywhere you look if you are open to it. My favourite place to find it is by the sea, on a sandy beach. In Mykonos of course!

### How do you start and end your day?

I start with lists and emails followed by a good strong workout. I end with lists and mail and a good night's sleep. I don't give up the workout or the sleep for anyone. Exercise and rest are both so important.

### When does success meet happiness?

It doesn't always. Success can be empty if it is not joined by its elusive twin, fulfillment. When I feel centered in my thoughts and something good comes out of that, that is what I call success.

## What is the best advice you have been given?

As I am very anxious as a person, someone once told me, "Don't worry, it may never happen." I also try to live by the credo...Be present and forward!!!

## Having a deep knowledge of the subject, what does the word "hospitality" mean to you?

I have worked in that industry for over forty years. Hospitality means welcoming, listening to, and taking care of your clients with warmth and sincerity. From the time of Homer, opening your home to a traveller has been a quintessentially Greek custom. I am proud to say that it still is.

## What is your favorite moment at Bill & Coo?

When the sun is just going down which is that glorious hour when we did our photo shoot at the hotel. The sun has warmed the stone walls and columns of the building, the sea is that wonderful grey-blue of the sunset hour, and the light a glowing orange. As darkness falls, those famous fiber optic lights illuminate the pool. I love that moment.

### What do you think makes Mykonos unbeatable?

The clarity of its light, baking the earth and bouncing off the sea. As soon as I arrive, I feel propelled by the energy, uplifted by the fresh air and gusty winds. It is true that the island is seriously overbuilt, yet there is still such striking physical beauty here. The beaches are impressive, and the sea is so pristine, so clear. I am a person who still enjoys and is impressed by the choice and range Mykonos offers in its shopping, dining, and clubbing options but I love to escape to my quiet and rocky running tracks and just hear the wind and smell the wild herbs.

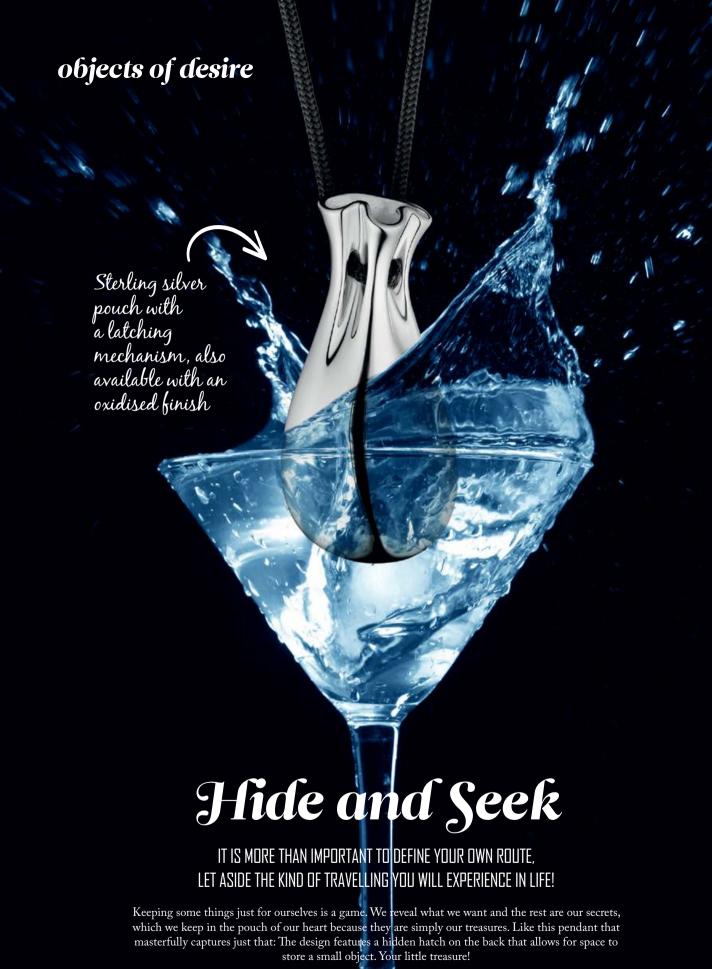
Mykonos is... unbeatable.

If the Greek summer were a perfume, what ingredients would it have? Jasmine. Honeysuckle. Salt.

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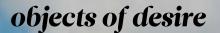
### Summer Essence

IT IS MORE THAN IMPORTANT TO DEFINE YOUR OWN ROUTE, LET ASIDE THE KIND OF TRAVELLING YOU WILL EXPERIENCE IN LIFE!

Self-taught talented designer Monique Giraud's dreamy wardrobe comes to life through new delicate creations inspired by the landscapes of the French Riviera. The iconic Camila - Blue Lemon Mini Dress, cut in a soft fabric, combines in another exquisite print the blue hues of the Mediterranean with earthy bright yellow accents that exude freshness, freedom and a carefree spirit. With the cosmopolitan aura of the French South and a harmonious feminine shape that accentuates the waist, with butterfly sleeves and an airy finish, this special piece from the beloved brand Poupette St. Barth is dedicated to carefree living, to the breeze of the island, to summer itself.

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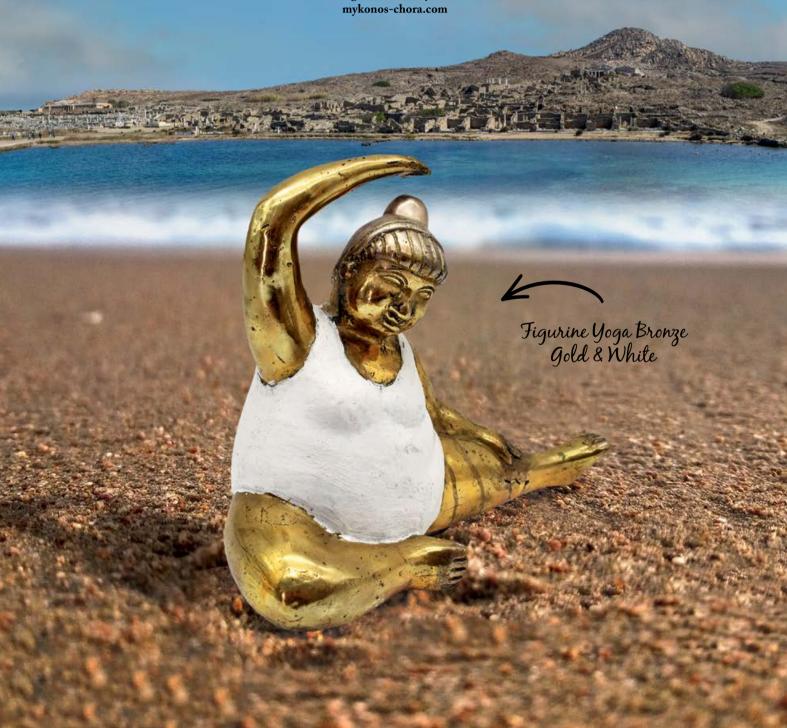
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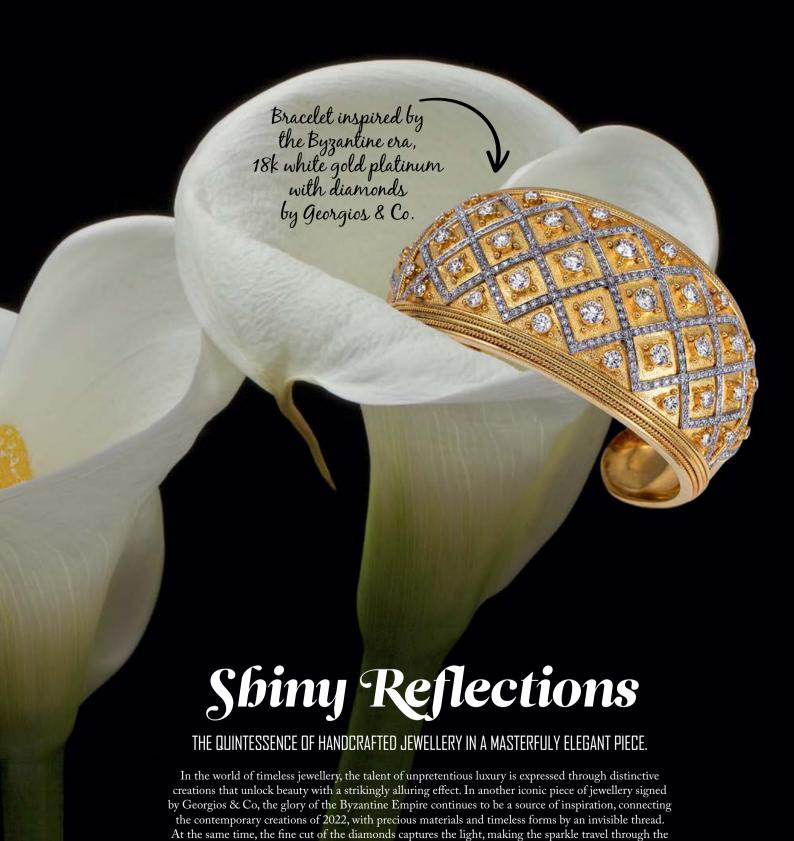
### EACH TREASURE IN CHORA TELLS ITS OWN INSPIRING STORY, DRAWN FROM LIFE.

The human body becomes a temple of wellness and inspiration. The bold exuberant figure performing yoga asanas with flexibility and grace supports a true connection with our self. In a world where forms are fluid, sizes are abolished and stereotypes are broken, the bronze statuette in the display cases of Chora Barefoot Luxury Living looks like it sprang from Fernando Botero's atelier, making a statement of inner balance, and the rounded form exudes optimism and hope.

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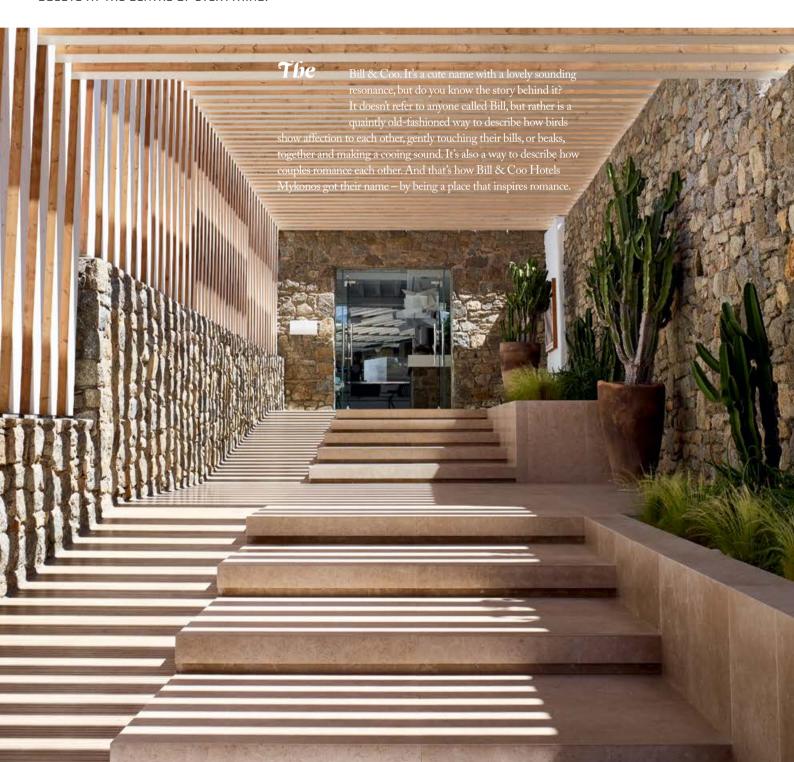


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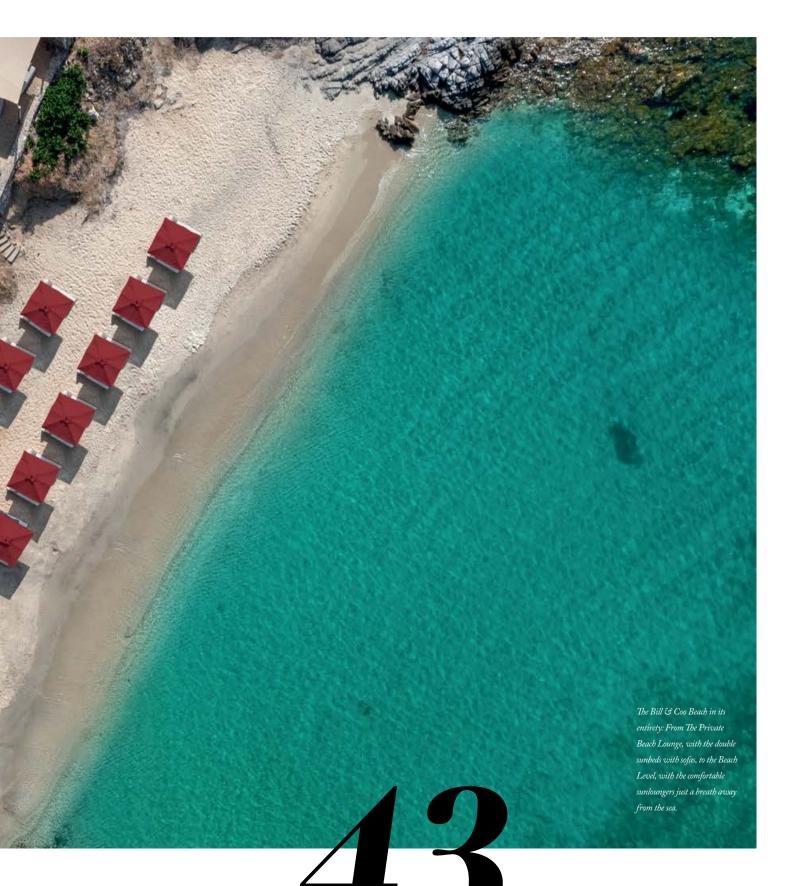
# Beach bound

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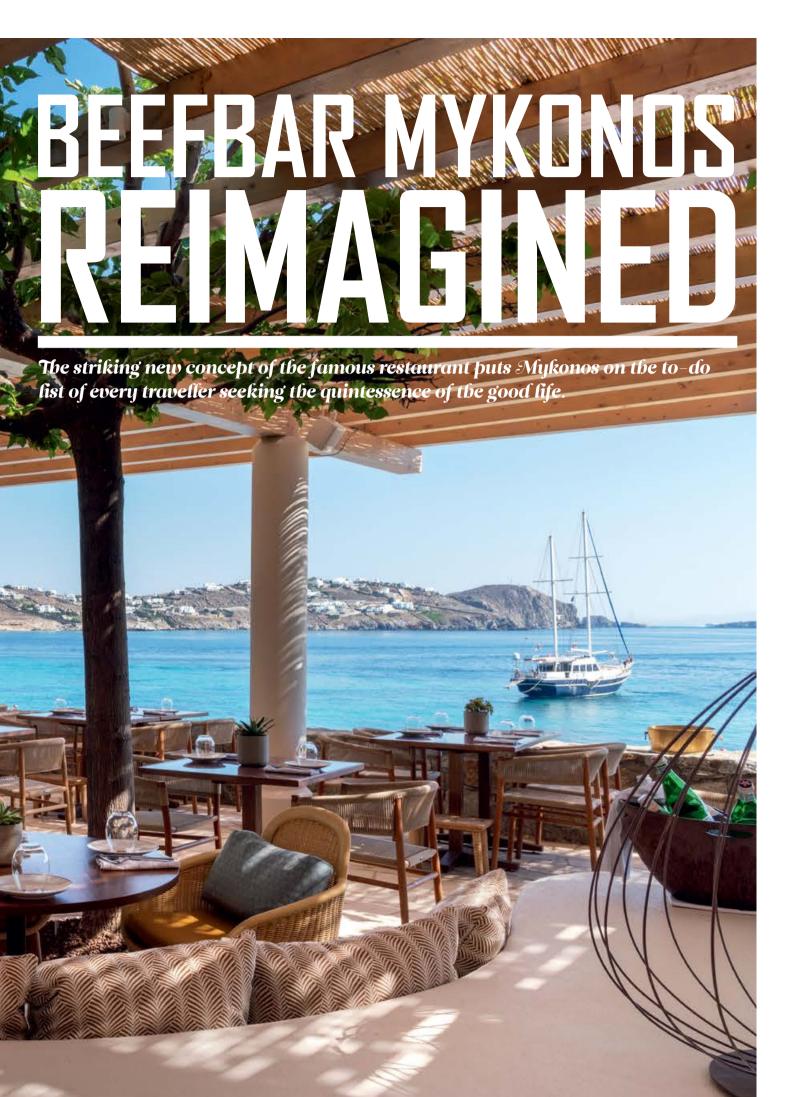
**Nestled** on a private sandy beach, protected from the famed Mykonos winds, the hotel's sandy shoreline balances the chilled

and the energized. Natural materials, in an organic palette of sand, rust, and slate, create a warm, tactile environment in harmony with the landscape. Featuring supersized loungers covered by canvas canopies, the beach guarantees absolute relaxation. Whether you lie on a sofa at the Private Beach Lounge, which is ideal for all-day lounging, or on the sunloungers on the Beach Level, perfect for sizzling afternoon suntanning, you can enjoy the blissful seclusion in a place where time is on pause: Days drift by yacht-watching under a shady canopy, people-watching at the bar as dusk gilds the horizon, stargazing with a champagne cocktail in the company of a glowing, easy-going crowd. Laidback lunches linger on into evenings, and lively dinners stretch into the small hours. Sunbeds are transformed into sharing sofas after dark, perfect for spontaneous gatherings. Swim in the waters of Bill & Coo Beach, facing the Aegean Blue, or try the refreshing waters of Aghios Ioannis bay that are just a few barefoot steps away-you don't even need to get your flipflops. Guests of both Bill & Coo hotels have priority access to the private beach club at Bill & Coo Coast Suites and complimentary transfer between the premises, whether they arrive by yacht or car, or they can just stroll over from their Bill & Coo Coast suite, and immerse in the alluring energy of this private beach lounge.









### the spot

### A leader

in the Mykonos summer scene, Beefbar Mykonos knows how to increasingly spoil its select audience, generously enhancing a sense of indulgence, relaxation, unpretentious luxury and the Mykonian lifestyle.

Following the radical renovation of the famous carnivore brand, at the Bill & Coo

Coast Suites, in Agios Ioannis, Beefbar Mykonos brings together all the essence of summer in a sophisticated and cozy environment that honors both its famous name and the history of the very island that has been hosting it since 2018.

Taking inspiration from traditional architecture and the neighbouring island, Delos, Beefbar's redesign - led by Interior Design Laboratorium, a Greek architect and interior-design studio - celebrates the island's traditions and materials. The redesign mainly features natural materials including marble and wood, combining an earthy palette referencing the island's history. The reimagined

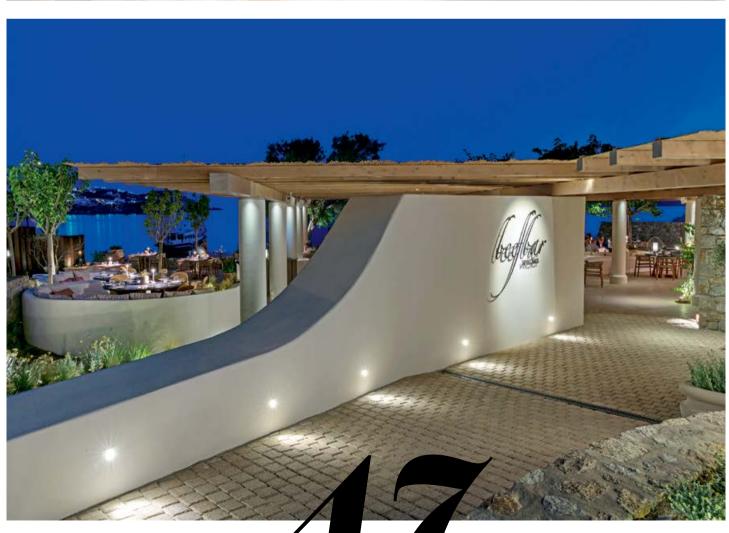
restaurant and beach lounge also feature vibrant tiles, including deep red, a typical feature of Mykonian architecture, which can be found at the iconic St John church, located just opposite Beefbar.

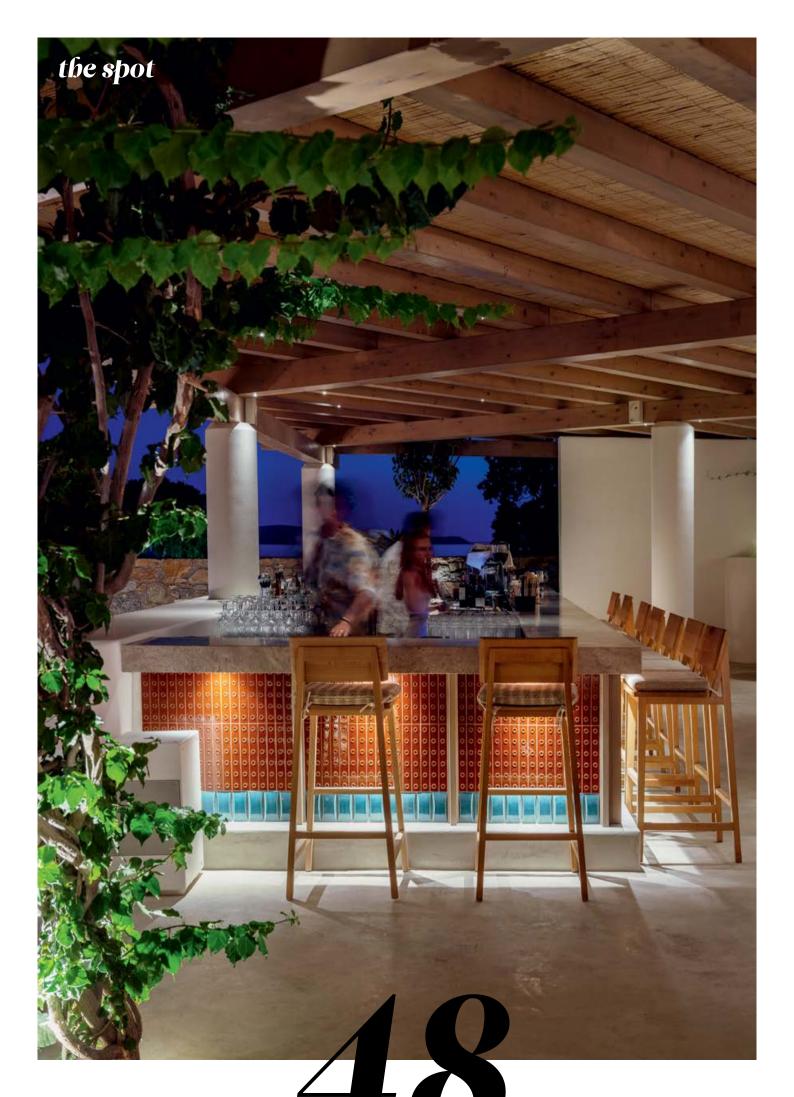
Comfortable sofas under impressive pergolas, tables set among the trees against the backdrop of the unique blue of the Greek sea, the revamped setting is designed with a single goal in mind: to create a well-cared-for destination for relaxation and enjoyment. On the taste side, casual fine dining lovers will discover unique suggestions in the also revamped menu, covering every taste palette. Beefbar Mykonos' award-winning and extremely talented Executive Chef Ntinos Fotinakis and his team create for one more summer an enhanced dining experience,

Enjoy the setting and the view and be ready to taste its new menu that will be shared between meat and fish creations.









# Top quality ingredients remain the ultimate stars

with three choices, Beef, Reef and Leaf. Top quality ingredients remain the ultimate stars with fresh vegetables, local fish and seafood, and the most premium meats from every corner of the globe taking centre stage in the impressive open kitchen, where you can see the team at work. This summer, the Reef menu has been expanded due to popular demand on the lunch menu with several options that have the freshness of the sea, such as the octopus tacos with tarama, chilli and fennel, several new dishes such as the signature Drunken Sea Bass Ceviche infused with ouzo, chilli and coriander, and an impressive selection of freshly caught fish. Some of the chef's tasty suggestions are also on the restaurant's supper menu, along with all of Beefbar's signature meat specialties, such as the famous Kobe Beef Gyros and fine premium cuts. Everything is accompanied by an excellent wine list with selected labels from the Greek and international vineyards, signature cocktails, impeccable service and the sound of cool summer music from the restaurant's in-house DJs.

As part of the hotel's major redevelopment, Bill & Coo Coast's new impressive and ultrapremium Beach Lounge, which favours all-day relaxation under the bright Mykonian sun, is yet another reason to be at this unique spot on the island, with the eponymous local chapel, the energy of Delos and the endless blue of the Aegean Sea, all contributing to a special summer day full of enjoyable moments. Transforming from a lively beach bar where guests can unwind in the Cycladic sun by day, to a glamorous restaurant with vibrant music and a lively ambience by night, there is no better place to ease into the laid-back lifestyle of Mykonos through the Bill & Coo way of life.



Ode to gastronomy

# Plate... ful life

EVERY SEASON BILL & COO HOTELS ELEVATE THE GASTRONOMY SCENE OF MYKONOS INTO NEW HEIGHTS ENSURING ITS GUESTS AND VISITORS UNPARALLEL YET EPICUREAN MOMENTS.





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you first meet Chef Ntinos (pronounced "Dinos") Fotinakis, you're immediately struck by his warmth and his huge

smile that's as big as his heart. "I believe in philoxenia, the Greek concept of treating everyone as a friend. Whether you come to my house in Athens or to my "home" at Bill & Coo here in Mykonos, you'll be treated the same way," says Ntinos. "I want you to feel comfortable, I want to make sure you're trying lots of different things, that you have a glass of wine in your hand, that we're having good conversation together." And it's when he's making his guests happy in this way, bringing the same passion and emotion to friends and family as to guests he's met for the first time that morning, that Ntinos feels most rewarded by making the career choice to become a chef.

### FOOD... ON STAGE

Ntinos first realized that he wanted to be involved with food as a child. In his family, food was always the main topic of conversation, and every Sunday he would go to his grandmother's house where everyone converged in the kitchen. "There was my grandmother, her sister, all the family together inside the kitchen and they were speaking what felt like a different language. It was the language of cooking and ingredients. Everyone was talking, laughing, sometimes arguing, and I just loved that feeling," he remembers. Ntinos also developed a love for plants and gardens, and at the family's country house he was intrigued by the vegetable garden. His grandmother would pick a tomato in the garden and explain to the young Ntinos that this was what she would use to make his favourite gemista stuffed vegetables. "It was like magic. I started to love plants and decided either to be a cook or a horticulturalist", says Ntinos. But studying was not something close to his heart, so rather than spending extensive hours in the classroom he dove straight into becoming a chef.

### FRENCH LESSONS

Initially he wanted to be a traditional Greek chef, a katsarolas, a typical one-pot chef who would make basic, hearty food full of flavour.

### Ode to gastronomy

But at school, he had a teacher who taught French cuisine. "At the time I didn't think I wanted to learn about French food. After all, I'm Greek and I wanted to cook Greek food. But my teacher told me to try it and see," explains Ntinos. He agreed, and was sent to work in Crete with Michelin two-star French chef Jacques Le Divellec. And it was there that he started to understand the language of French cuisine.

Having spent time in the kitchens of multi-Michelin-starred restaurants such as Four Seasons Hotel George V and Le Bristol in Paris, Flocons de Sel in Megève, La Bastide Saint-Antoine in Grasse, Greenhouse in London and Trussardi Alla Scala in Milan amongst others, he certainly brings a strong pedigree to his cuisine.

Ntinos carries this collaborative spirit to his kitchens today, working regularly with renowned chefs from around the world. It's worth keeping an eye out for what each new season might bring. Guests in 2017 may have been lucky enough to experience the one-day-only collaboration between Ntinos and Heston Blumenthal at Beefbar.

And these many years of experience traverse the cuisine he creates across all four of the restaurants at Bill & Coo Hotels Mykonos, from the Gastronomy Project to the poolside restaurant at Bill & Coo Suites and Lounge, to the Taverna and Beefbar at Bill & Coo Coast Suites.

### **MULTIPLE CHOICES**

So what should a guest coming to Bill & Coo for the first time try? "When you come for breakfast, there's one very simple plate that I believe starts off any day perfectly. All Greeks grew up with this. It's boiled eggs served in a bowl with chunks of bread, olive oil and thyme, all mixed up. It's so simple but so tasty, and you should order it alongside your other breakfast items," says Ntinos. At the pool at Bill & Coo Suites & Lounge, he recommends the summer salad made from green beans, Mykonian cheese, figs, and louza, a type of local cured ham similar to prosciutto, dressed with carob honey.

And every meal at Gastronomy Project, the only true fine dining restaurant on the island, is like a journey through flavours, with ingredients from the sea and the farm being transformed into four- or seven-course dégustation menus.

Over at Bill & Coo Coast Suites, diners should look out for the softshell crab burger, at Beefbar Mykonos, as well as the Kobe Beef gyros, a perennial favourite. At Taverna Ntinos recommends the traditional kakaviá fish soup, a simple yet tasty dish made by fisherman including fresh fish, potatoes, carrots and onion. And if you're in the mood for a Greek classic, the moussaka is not to be missed.

### A TWIST ON LOCAL CLASSICS

With a background in gastronomy, Ntinos likes to play with traditions, putting his own twist on classic dishes and comfort food. Take his version of the typical Mykonian kremidopita onion pie. Usually made with pork lardo, the version he serves in Gastronomy Project includes Wagyu lardo and local Mykonian cheese to enhance the flavour of the original recipe.

Another dish he likes to showcase is his ravioli with sea urchin. Sea urchins are abundant in the waters around Mykonos and unlike in other parts of Greece where they are eaten with lemon, here they are paired with vinegar. "I love this dish. I make the ravioli with sea urchin, wild fennel that we gather ourselves on the island, and salicornia. You really get a taste of the sea on your plate," he says.

### TREASURES FROM THE CYCLADIC ISLANDS

Mykonos and the surrounding islands act as something of a larder for Ntinos. On Mykonos, Ntinos forages for wild fennel and rock samphire that grows in abundance around Bill & Coo Coast Suites, picking the rock samphire early in the year when it's at its most tender and pickling it for use throughout the season. Guests can try the fennel in Ntinos' marathopita fennel pie and the rock samphire in his Greek salad. Other Mykonian ingredients include organic eggs from a small local farm, louza cured ham, local sausages served at breakfast, and tomatoes from the Bill & Coo gardens.

Tomatoes also come from neighbouring island Tinos. Santorini is the source of white aubergines, sweeter than their purple cousins. Goat meat, a local delicacy, comes from the nearby island of Schinousa. And Naxos is the source of potatoes, widely known as being some of the best around and the base for the perfect Greek fries.

And you can't overlook fish and seafood, which is delivered daily directly from the boat to Bill & Coo Coast Suites by the fisherman who caught it. Says Ntinos, "He arrives each day on his boat before lunch and we go and help him bring in his catch. Since it's straight from the sea we don't always know what we're going to get, but we bring it into the restaurant and our guests can choose what they want. It doesn't get fresher than that."

Top: Chef Ntinos Fotinakis and his team. Bottom: Amuse bouche: fish tartare, spinach rice, lobster tart.





### Ode to gastronomy



### PERFECT CHOREOGRAPHY

When asked what he's most looking forward to about every season, he smiles. "I'm excited to welcome new guests, and to welcome back regular guests who visit us year after year. When a regular guest asks me to make them something they haven't tried before, I forget that I might be tired or stressed, and dive straight into creating something that I know they'll love. Their happiness is my happiness, and it all ties back to that philoxenia that's at the heart of everything I do," says Ntinos. But there's something else that has special significance to Ntinos, the teamspirit. "Gastronomy is like a ballet, with everything choreographed between the serving and kitchen teams. I love this energy and to be part of it. There's a feeling of the team moving as one. Since we spent so much time apart over the winter, this is something I'm really excited about. I've really missed it," says Ntinos. "I can't wait to feel everything in synchronicity again." And what's so unique in the gastronomic experience curated by Bill & Coo? "At the heart of Bill & Coo lies a passion for cuisine and a desire to create different culinary experiences for our guests to enjoy. Bill & Coo places special emphasis on raw materials and fresh ingredients, seeking only for the best, mainly from Greece but also internationally.

We aim to add zest to every culinary experience of our guests and invite their senses every hour of the day to enjoy specially prepared dinners and lunches all with an alluring soundtrack in the background. Although boutique, Bill & Coo offers four different restaurants each with a unique cuisine for our guests to enjoy." says Ntinos. As per the new and surely hot additions elevating the experience in Beefbar Mykonos, Ntinos points out: "following its complete renovation, Beefbar Mykonos is an iconic day to night hotspot. The menu is divided in three axes, Beef, Reef, Leaf and this summer, the Reef menu has expanded to include new signature dishes and an impressive fish display with the fresh catch of the day that can be enjoyed grilled or sashimi. As Beefbar Mykonos is a beachside restaurant the Reef menu is a unique concept among all Beefbar restaurants, that we have designed to highlight the Aegean Sea and offer unique dishes like the Grilled Lobster with Beefbar's signature sauce, or the crispy prawns from Symi island with ,chili oil & ouzo sauce".

### the recipe Moussaka

### Becbamel – Gruyere cream

Ingredients:		Execution
Butter	300 gr	First we add butter to a saucepan. As soon as the butter melts,
Milk	3000 gr	we add the flour. At the same time, we heat the milk in another
Flour	300 gr	pot. As soon as the mixture with the butter and the flour turns
Gruyere	750 gr	brown, we slowly add the warm milk. Once the béchamel
Sea salt	10 gr	mixture has boiled, we remove the pan from the heat and we
Black pepper	3 gr	add salt, nutmeg, pepper and gruyere. We stir until the mixture
Nutmeg	3 gr	is smooth.

### Minced meat

Ingredients:		Execution
Carrots	500 gr	First we sauté the minced meat in a saucepan. Once the minced
White onion	500 gr	meat is colored, we add the vegetables. We continue cooking
Leak	300 gr	until the vegetables wither. Then we add the pulp, we quench
Celery	150 gr	with red wine and after the alcohol evaporates we add water
Tomato paste	200 gr	until it covers the minced meat. We cook until it boils and dries
Cinnamon	10 gr	completely.
Spices	2 gr	
Minced beef	3000 gr	

### Tomato marmalade

Ingredients:		Execution
Tomato	3 kg	In a saucepan we add all the ingredients. We cook until there is
Chili	100 gr	no moisture. Then we transfer the mixture to Thermomix. We
Red onion	250 gr	beat very well and pass it through the etamin.
White sugar	250 gr	
Tomato paste	50 gr	
Glucose	100 gr	

### Composition

In a pan, we place the potatoes that we have peeled and cut into thin slices, about 2 cm each. We bake for 20 minutes at 180 degrees with weight on top. Then we lay the aubergines, after we have cut them into slices of about 3-4 cm. We bake all the ingredients again at 180 degrees with weight on top for 20 minutes. Once they are ready, we add the minced meat with a thickness of about 3-4 cm. We leave the pan in the fridge for a day to set. After we cut the ingredients to the desired shape and size. Then we do the breading with flour, egg white, panko and again egg white and panko. We fry at 180 degrees for about 2-3 minutes until the color becomes golden and last we bake at 200 degrees for 5 minutes.





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### The

### Bill & Coo Experiences "palette" creates a new relationship between guest and hotel. What is it?

The idea behind the experiences is to give our guests something different. Bill & Coo is more than just hotels - #billandcoowayoflife is exactly what we want

to pass on to the world. For us it's a way of life. From trying a new wine, to tasting a new dish, to "marrying" the aromas and flavours of a cigar with a spirit. We try to take guests on a journey based on our experiences and our passion for hospitality.

### What are the innovative elements that these Experiences include?

We are looking for the different - the special. All of us, as a team, strive to capture and present experiences to our guests across the F&B spectrum, from fine wines from Greek producers to hard-to-find cigars and spirits. We are quite creative and want to pass it on to our guests. All the details are important. From the utensil to the serving ritual. We're always working on finding things that will enhance our program and offer new experiences.

### With what vision were they designed?

It all starts with whether what we want to do is Bill & Coo. It's our DNA. A simple menu is not Bill & Coo. But a creative menu with special elements, presented by a naturally cheerful and knowledgeable staff, is Bill & Coo. A commercial wine list is not Bill & Coo. A dynamic wine list which is regularly updated with new vintages and a team of sommeliers who try to give our guests the ideal wine for the moment and not necessarily the most expensive one, is Bill & Coo. We want to create a sequence of experiences in which we don't stick to one menu but can evolve and improve them.

### The experience with cigars is also linked to your own love for them. Tell us about it.

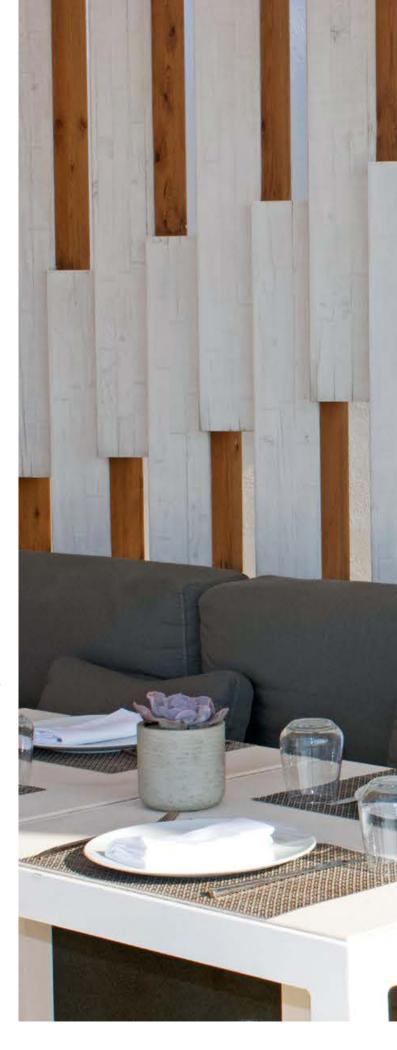
My love for cigars started several years ago. I am a wine and cigar enthusiast. For me they have a lot in common. I am a person who enjoys, appreciates and respects craftsmanship, specially when the result takes a long time to produce. When I like something I want to learn as much as I can about it. I want through the experiences we have prepared, to be able to share my passion for the wonderful world of cigars. It's not just a tobacco product. The cigar is a lifestyle, for me it's a way of life.

### What is the element that makes Bill & Coo different?

The element that makes Bill & Coo different is its people. And it starts with the owner. It's our passion for hospitality. We have many repeaters who when they come back to our hotels, we welcome them with a big welcome home! Pools and good architecture can be found almost everywhere. The difference is the smile, the kindness and the contact with our guests who when their stay is over will leave as friends and we will renew our appointment for the next season.

### What in your opinion makes Mykonos so special?

Mykonos has always been special. What made it special were its people - the locals - and those who believed in and were open to the new and different. In Mykonos you can have different experiences. You can have moments of peace and quiet, but you can also find places to have fun at all hours of the day. Every year Mykonos is renewed and more and more international brands - in all sectors - want to be part of the beauty, sophistication and lifestyle of this island.









## EXCEPTIONAL WINE

VINEYARDS' PARADE

Enjoying a remarkable wine in the unique environment of Bill & Coo Hotels is certainly an experience in itself! The Wine Program aspires to satisfy even the most demanding customer as the wine lists are selectively built to match the style of each restaurant and the profile of the guests. The international vineyard is the foundation and includes thoughtful selections, primarily from France and Italy. But wines from the new world also have an important place on the lists. And of course, the Greek vineyard could not be absent from the Bill & Coo Hotels as the best that Greek wine has to offer is selected, while for the commercial wines the largest formats that age best are chosen. With a passion for gastronomy and fine wine, the Bill & Coo Hotels constantly strive for excellence. Thus the En Primeur programme is already in place, i.e. investing in wine zones and producers by pre-purchasing wines before they are even bottled. This makes it possible, over time, to build up a cellar of consecutive vintages of excellent wines.

The international vineyard includes thoughtful selections.



### **12.**CIGAR EXPERIENCE

### THE PREMIUM COLLECTION

This experience is an initiative of Mr. Konstantinos Kagias, Group F&B Director of Bill & Coo Hotels. He has been involved with cigars for the past eight years and, as he points out, it's one of his passions. "The rest is again related to my job and it all has to do with time. To get a cigar into our hands and enjoy it, takes 500 manual tasks and a lot of time. That's what has made me appreciate them so much. As well as spirits whose production process goes on for years, like tequila, whiskey, cognac. Also wines."

The collection consists of cigars from Cuba, Santo Domingo and Nicaragua, which the trained staff is ready to suggest, present, prepare and serve. Obviously there's been a selection process: "due to the increased demand for cigars and the limited production – especially of Cuban cigars – we are flexible but selective in the choices we make." The Cigar Program is based on the fact that each cigar has a different flavour profile, and the experience involves three parts, specifically in each 1/3 of the cigar we pair it with a spirit that has characteristics that match the cigar.

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# TAVERNA MODERN GREEK CUISINE IN BALANCE

Taverna is your casual place to... eat when you look for authentic Greek food. Indulge in the Greek gastronomic tradition -with a lighter twist- prepared exclusively for Bill & Coo residents by the award-winning Executive Chef, Ntinos Fotinakis and his team in a relaxed ambience, overlooking the hotel's dazzling infinity pool. Start the day with a meze-style Mykonian breakfast, snack on stuffed vine leaves or grilled sardines with tomatoes and sourdough bread with a bottle of chilled rosé, or share the signature moussaka with a summery array of spreads and salads.





### **14.** CASCADE OF COLORS

A SOUNDRACK FOR THE SUNSET

The senses take center stage in Bill & Coo Hotels' experiences and soar in the colors of the Myconian sunset. As the sun dips into the waters of the Aegean Sea, in a perfectly Instagrammable moment, a unique sunset event, the Cascade of Colors, begins. The gaze is riveted in this moment, when the sun's rays dip into the Aegean Sea and music then takes center stage. The selections of renowned DJ and producer Alex Nude, a true Mykonos insider, who for almost twenty years has been putting his own melodic stamp on the island, create a special soundtrack exclusively for Bill & Coo Hotels that stirs the imagination and the senses. Alex, who also curates the music at Beefbar Mykonos, seeks to explore the vast worlds of grooves and melodies creating an energetic, profound and refreshing sound. His soundscapes take you from the warm Aegean islands to the cold Nordic winters; from the thickest tropical jungles to the soul of urban heartbeats. In 2019 Alex was brought to Hong Kong by industry trailblazer Cassio, which experienced a meteoric rise to become the city's leading music venue under his supervision as Music Director. Alex has performed in London, Hong Kong, Melbourne, Sydney, Belgrade, Cyprus and Athens alongside the industry's biggest artists, such as Joe Claussell, Âme, Osunlade, Solomun, Boddhi Satva and more.

# THE VALMONT FOR BILL & COO

The Valmont for Bill & Coo in Mykonos is a destination that will carry you on a unique journey of relaxation. Offering a wide range of tailor made services, the spa reflects a sophisticated approach to mind and body rejuvenation with an inspired blend of luxury and comfort. The Valmont for Bill & Coo boasts two spacious spa suites available to be reserved for one up to four persons, along with the specially designed treatments. Whether it is only for one or for friends, couples and families who wish to spend time together in privacy, the two wellness spa suites offer a bespoke private pampering experience you'll never forget. The hotel's guests and visitors can combine amazing treatments by Swiss Valmont and relaxing massages with Cinq Mondes essential oils. They may also enjoy the Spa Suites services: dual treatment beds, a separate living space for lounging and dining as well as a spacious private bathroom and changing area. In order to enhance their well-being experience, there is also an a la carte Wellness Spa Suite Menu, specially designed by the hotel's



chefs. Viewing each guest as a unique individual, the Valmont Spa offers personalised holistic treatments designed to relax, restore and uplift the body, soul and mind. Rejuvenation, skin regeneration, thanks to product performance and original "Butterfly" gestures, with immediately visible results, from the first application, are the benefits of Valmont the "Magician of Time". Don't miss the Delos Beauty Treatment exclusively designed by Valmont for Bill & Coo, aiming to assist in recharging and erasing all signs of fatigue and muscle tension. The full body treatment includes the use of an eye collagen mask and premium Elixir Glaciers products that will help you recuperate from the busy days and nights spent in Mykonos.

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### **06.**MADE OF TIME

### LET ME TELL YOU A STORY, THE STORY ABOUT ONE OF THE MOST LUXURIOUS SPIRITS ON EARTH.

When time is suspended, a great experience begins, unfolding through intense drops that lead you into the story and creation of a priceless spirit. It was in 1724 when Paul Emile Rémy Martin founded the eponymous French house, with a vision to create the most exceptional spirit on the planet with the best eaux-de-vie from the vineyards of the blessed land of Grande Campagne. A century and a half later, in 1874, Louis XIII is born, named in honour of the King of France, patron of the Cognac region. The vein of "gold" created at that time by the master blender of the house, Remy Martin, assigns to the next generations of cellar masters of the family, the greatest project in the history of the famous French spirit. The life of the precious spirit is measured in centuries, with each stunning crystal Baccarat carafe being the lifetime achievement of generations of cellar masters. Today, the story continues with Cellar Master Baptiste Loiseau preserving the finest eaux-de-vie as a legacy to his successors for the next century. While the pioneer and the one responsible for the conception of Louis XIII may never have tasted the finished product in his lifetime, he left that privilege to the house's brand ambassadors, who travel the world and reveal the complex art of tasting the world's finest cognac at tasting evenings.

### DROPS OF A PRECIOUS EAUX-DE-VIE

Like everything precious in life, Louis XIII is enjoyed in small doses, one drop at a time. Let the first one roll between your lips, preparing your palate for a fireworks display of aromas and flavours that are revealed in your mouth by the second drop. Honey, walnut, dried rose with honeysuckle and jasmine and ripe fruit make up this melody of happiness. Multifaceted, rich, intense and at the same time silky and elegant, Louis XIII's golden nectar with its seductive colour rewards the connoisseurs of the house with an aristocratic ritual. The unique spirit is served with gloves and a special pipette, the traditional tool used by generations of cellar masters to taste and serve this unique blend, in Baccarat glasses that ring like bells when clinked!

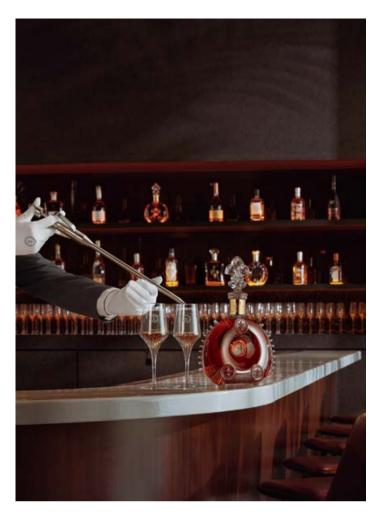
### AN EXQUISITE RITUAL

The legend of Louis XIII in cosmopolitan Mykonos is brought to life in one of the island's most iconic hotels. Combining its passion for perfection with the excellence of its unique spirit, Bill & Coo offers its distinguished guests another tailor made experience that activates all the senses. The sacred moment of tasting the legendary spirit, at Bill & Coo's pool lounge, lasting an hour and a half, introduces you to selected spirits from the Remy Martin range with an exceptional pairing with dishes by Executive Chef Dinos Fotinakis, culminating in the tasting of the unique Louis XIII spirit. Upon request, the ritual can be "orchestrated" by the brand ambassador of Louis XIII in Greece, Mr. Panagiotis Panagiotakos.



















### COCOON'S NEST

The Bill & Coo Villas capture the quintessence of relaxation: Tailor-made services and absolute privacy in a dream-like setting dominated by the Aegean blue.

High

aesthetics, refined elegance and added privacy in harmony with the Cycladic landscape: The philosophy of Bill & Coo way of life is

imprinted in the three dream Villas above the Megali Ammos beach.

Located in Bill & Coo Suites and Lounge, on the edge of Mykonos town, the Villas offer extra privacy in addition to the uninterrupted sea and sunset views and of course, access to the hotel's facilities. Ideal for romantic getaways, but also family vacations in a well-designed space, they are purposed to make guests feel at home. Blurring the lines between indoors and outdoors, each Villa offers a total living area of 200 m2 (2.150 ft2) and features a bedroom, dining room, indoor and outdoor living area and a heated infinity pool.

The architectural design approach of Bill & Coo Villas is based on the traditional, distinct architecture of the Cyclades, combining modern, artificial and functional elements that coexist with the natural environment. This unity was a foundational idea from the start, established by the renowned architectural team Divercity. Natural local stone, white walls, yellow wood and earthy colors and shades create elegant minimalistic forms, perfectly aligned with the Cycladic aesthetics, and blended with serene images, aromas and sounds that entice you into a truly different summer experience.

The Bill & Coo Villas are designed for those looking to be isolated and taken care by the 24-hour concierge service of the luxury hotel, which guarantees to make every wish come true. Enjoy a gastronomic journey by a private chef who can prepare a memorable meal or grill up some of the world's best steaks from Beef Bar, while sipping on a signature cocktail by the pool with an enchanting sunset filling your background. Sounds enticing?







# Suite Surrender



### BILL & COO COAST WILL REOPEN IN SUMMER 2023 WITH THE LAUNCH OF 10 BRAND-NEW SUITES WITH STUNNING VIEWS OF THE AEGEAN. STAY TUNED!



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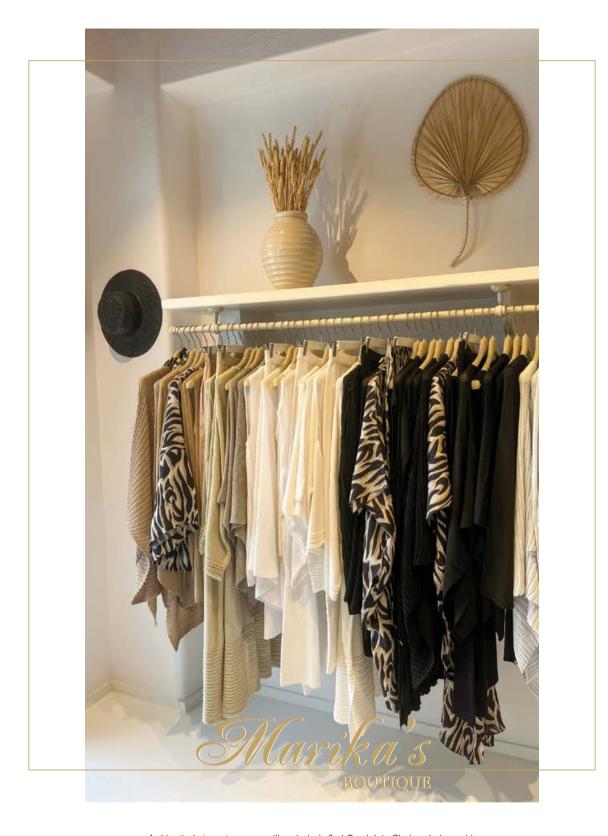
adults only property, Bill & Coo Coast is an intimate seaside retreat providing an oasis of tranquility, perfect for

guests looking for a beachside location for that feet-in-the-sand feeling. With sweeping views onto the horizon and looking over the sacred island of Delos and the picturesque chapel of St John, the brand-new suites will be the largest accommodation at Bill & Coo Coast, epitomising secluded luxury with the benefit of round-the-clock service from the hotel team. The brand-new suites will combine the aesthetic of Cycladic architecture with clean white lines and natural materials. The outdoor verandas will feature large spaces for relaxation with a private swimming pool, benefiting from long hours of daylight. The interiors are characterized by a light-filled open plan living area, where guests can relax.

With all bedrooms having stunning views of the Aegean sea, Bill & Coo Coast guests can walk straight onto the Bill & Coo beach from their suites. The beach is also accessible to guests of Bill & Coo Suites & Lounge: complimentary luxury car transfers are included.

The ten new suites offer sweeping views onto the horizon and looking over the island of Delos.





At Marika's boutique you will exclusively find Greek Join Clothes designs with a variety of different styles, earthy tones and bright colors of natural fabrics such as silk, linen and cotton. Selected men's versatile clothing of the same desiger will definitely satisfy you. Concerning our accessorizes exceptional wooden necklaces of Jianhui designer will make a perfect combination to your outfits while Savapile Handmade straw hats and bags will add to your style.

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<mark>YIORGOS KORDAKIS:</mark> THE PRINCESS OF THE AEGEAN

DUE TO THE HEALTH MEASURES FOR COVID-19, THERE MAY BE ALTERATIONS IN THE DATES OF THE SHOWS AND IN THE OPERATION OF SHOPS, RESTAURANTS & BARS



# Feellike a Mykonian

LEGENDARY LANDMARKS, SMART TIPS AND TRADITIONAL DELICACIES REVEAL THE ORIGINAL FACE OF THE ISLAND.

## **WEST WORLDS**

Indulge in a unique horse-riding experience through the breathtaking scenery on the island of Mykonos, between rocky mountains and farming areas to a beach off the beaten track. Mykonos Horseland offers memorable riding experiences since 1995, providing specifically trained horses for trekking and for riders of all abilities. The man behind it all, Theofanis Rouvas "the original Mykonos Cowboy", who loved horses and started riding them at a young age, arrived with all his horses in the island in 2005. Many of them were rescues, or bred from rescues, working closely with animal protection services. The company lets you choose between a variety of themed rides, each one starting from Horseland stables and reaching the final destination of Fokos Beach. You can take a break and have a swim at the beautiful beach, sunbathe, or soak up the Cycladic landscape while enjoying a lunch and drink at the seaside tavern. mykonoshorse.com

## THE LANDMARK

"Sometimes I think about the man from the Cyclades. He made these superb sculptures deliberately in that form, didn't he? In exactly that form. Better than Brancusi. Nobody has ever made an object stripped that bare." These are the words of Picasso. Modernist pioneer Le Corbusier admired the archaic lines and uncompromising simplicity of the cube-like houses and the Paraportiani church so much that he viewed them as models of architecture. "Now I know that nothing I have built is worth the effort," he said emphatically. It is no accident that the famous Chapel of Notre Dame in Ronchamp reflects these influences.





## **CINEMA IL PARADISO**

Summer cinema in Greece is an experience in itself. All the more so when you experience it in a theater that has received rave reviews from the Greek and international press. "In fact, Cine Manto is quite possibly the most beautiful place in which you could hope to watch a film: it's a botanical garden with a silver screen and director's chairs", as Monocle magazine wrote in a tribute to the Mykonian theater. Beyond its cinematic perspective, Cine Manto, in a lush garden full of trees, palm trees and cacti – perhaps the largest in the world that bloom for a single night – conveys an unexpected and different view of Mykonos, far from the bustling and frenetic side of the island. A little piece of paradise hidden in the heart of Chora, ideal for spending a special cinematic night, watching your favorite movie under the stars while enjoying juicy well-roasted souvlaki, tasting Greek flavours at the eponymous café-restaurant and admiring works of art. cinemanto.gr

## **BACK TO... RIZES**

The creation of Nikos Zouganelis is the result of dedication to a way of life that seems foreign to the new Mykonos era, but is familiar to those who search for the hidden side of a land that still has a living tradition. The trip to Rizes is a journey through time and the history of authentic Mykonos. In the heart of the island, a traditional Village captures with images and interaction, the daily life of a Mykonian family that continues to live with tradition and customs. The traditionally decorated house, the authentic wood-fired oven where they still bake bread and food, the dairy where they produce their cheese, the well and the chapel, the folklore workshops, the verdant gardens, the domestic animals and the impassable paths, all remind you of the splendour of simplicity. Each tour ends with a rich and tasty treat in the village courtyard, with local wine and tsipouro, home cooked handmade pies and local delicacies. You can even participate in cooking classes or knead bread and enjoy it hot as soon as it comes out of the wood-fired oven. Whatever you choose, the tour is included. rizesmykonos.com



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## THE KING OF COLD MEATS

With a particularly salty flavour, intensity and very little fat, louza impresses. Especially on Mykonos, where it's consumed with summer savoury and allspice, it has a stronger, more characteristic flavour compared to the other Cycladic product variants. The history of louza starts many years ago, from the notorious celebration of the pig slaughters. According to tradition, every household, would slaughter a pig in autumn, which they had raised all the previous year. They would then take the tenderloin and the fillet, salt them, add summer savoury and pepper and after putting the meat in the "eyes" (pork intestines), they would salt it again and dry it in the Myconian sea breeze. In recent years the demand has grown a lot and the producers are trying frantically to meet it, while it doesn't need to be refrigerated to keep.



The birthplace of Apollo, the god of light and the arts, has become one of the greatest sites of worship in the ancient world. Perhaps because of its sacred status in antiquity, perhaps because of its geographical position, Delos has acquired a new age mantle, according to which it is endowed with hidden energy. Archaeologists have taken a more rational view. "In 1455 Cyriacus of Ancona, one of the fathers of archaeology, visited the ruins, where he sketched and wrote descriptions of the colossal statue of the Naxian Apollo. In the 17th century the Venetians brought back one of the ancient lions to adorn Arsenale, while other antiquities were taken to Rome and England," archaeologist P.I. Hatzidakis notes In 1873 the French Archaeological School began digging on Delos, and from 1904 to 1914 the most important parts were excavated. Delos became a world monument and one good reason for the development of Mykonos.





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## **MOSAIC MASTER**

Born in Delos, Irene is one of the few people on the planet that can declare the uninhabited Delos as her origin. Her father was a worker for the French Archaeological School and a farmer and one of the few people who had a small house in Delos. "I've grown up in Delos and Rhenia and my influences are very clear. I worked in Delos too for ten years and I raised my daughter Georgia there. I carry its charm and magic with me always." She's of an artistic nature that doesn't fit in moulds, but reproduces in the most authentic way with mosaic tiles, representations of Delos in small art objects up to large frescoes, floors and pools that adorn villas in Mykonos and Greece, as well as all over the world, from Australia to America. "What I do is very particular, but I'm not forced into doing things that I don't like. It's heavy work, with stone and cement, but I won't change it for anything, even if I'm living in cosmopolitan Mykonos."

## **AMAZING VIEWS**

Instagram alert! The Armenisti lighthouse built in 1891 can cast its light as far as 35 miles into the sea and is a wonderful spot to admire the view to Tinos island. Climb up to the 19-m. peak to visually appreciate its total height, which exceeds 184 m. Awarded by the International Exhibition of Paris, the Sauter Lemonier's mechanism functioned until 1983. Since then, it has been exhibited in the courtyard of the Aegean Maritime Museum in Chora. The crumbling twisted ladder of the lighthouse leads you up to its all-seeing vista from a height of 19 meters. Hardly can you elsewhere find such a panoramic snap.





# THE PRINCESS OF THE AEGEAN

Through a new book dedicated to Mykonos master photographer Yiorgos Kordakis sends a love letter to the island of the winds.



Mykonos Mediterranean Cycladic publication offers exquisitve views on the island.





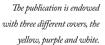


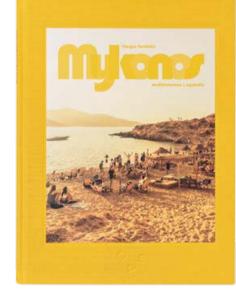


ompleted in the course of many different photographic sessions that were then carefully curated through a fresh artistic mindset, Mykonos Mediterranean Cycladic is an iconoclastic tribute to the untainted soul of the island of the winds. From the nonchalant bohemia to the jet set utopia that still shapes Mykonos' two opposing but totally amalgamated faces, master photographer Yiorgos Kordakis studied both as well as the world in between them with equal intrigue, searching for that perfect balance that sets the island apart since the day it was first inhabited by partygoers and wandering souls alike. Through the artistic filter of his own, personal relationship to Mykonos, both as a visitor and as a professional, this is the photographer's testament to the iconic Cycladic princess. Born in Greece, Kordakis explains his unbreakable chain with the sea and the summer: "I was born and raised in Greece, a country surrounded by the sea, the reason why my relation with water soon became a very intimate one." Therefore after the attentive exploration of every angle, light and color of its

The nonchalant bohemia and the jet set allure continue to shape the two opposing faces of the island.

## view master









of Domnika Gregoriades. The designer who gave life to the publication through an almost architectural approach, attentively designing it as a creative love letter to the living, breathing Printed in Greece, the 220-page publication is endowed with three different covers: The yellow,

purple or white fabric that embraces the hard cover becomes the frame highlighting the chosen image of each of the three. All the while, subtle engraving and distinct typography bring out the genuine feel of a place that seems to inhabit its own space in time.

organism that is the Mykonian summer.

peculiar ecosystem, his affair with the island was incarnated through the sharp artistic direction

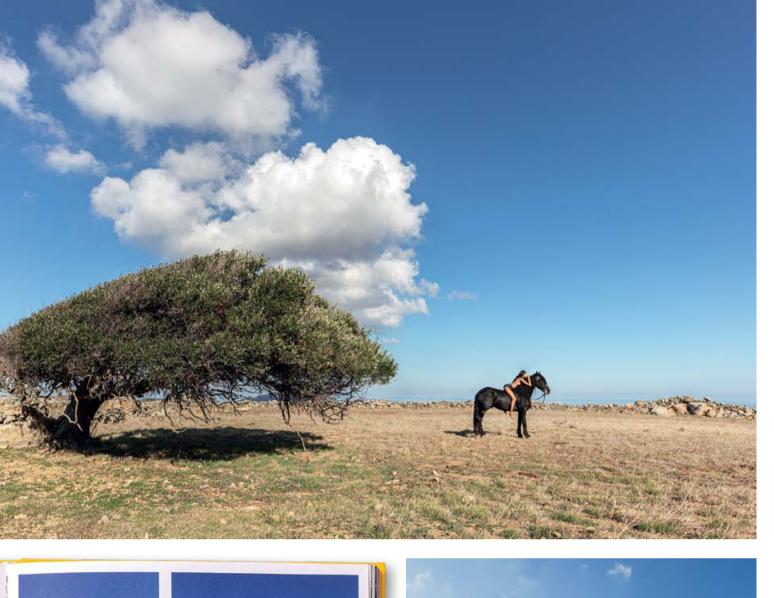
A previous Kordakis project, The Global Summer, a study with Polaroid photos, attempted to compare the way people enjoy the summer in different places like the USA, Romania, Greece or India. It also pointed out that, despite their similar needs, people have strong behavioral differences that come with diverse environments and cultures. In a sense, its a study on universal behavior and, more specifically, on how people relate to water as a natural element. The artist suggests that when people are near water - the sea, lakes, rivers and swimming pools - they are not only relaxed and amused but, wearing as little as possible, they reveal their inner nature.

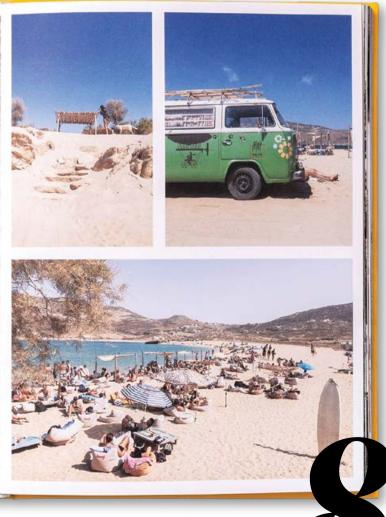
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Born in Greece master photographer Yiorgos Kordakis lives between New York City and Athens. He has perfected a large format Polaroid photography method with Inkjet technology and fine Art Archival Paper. Kordakis' popular Global Summer series has captured viewers across the US and Europe who are fascinated with his images of blurred people and structures creating complex abstract patterns. Instagram: @yiorgoskordakis Online book sales:

www.ode-studio.com

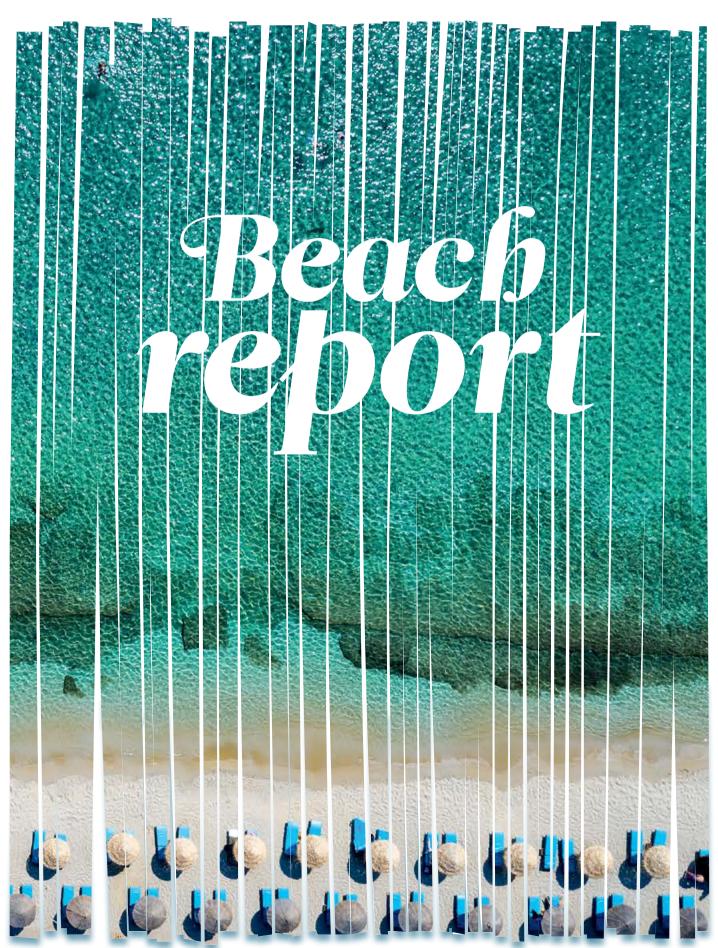








## waves of fun



## AGHIOS IDANNIS

Protected from both northerly and southerly winds, the beach is divided in two by some gentle rocks and boasts the stunning sunset featured in the 1989 film, Shirley Valentine. Among the beach's strong points are the interesting seabed towards the right, ideal for snorkelling, the very fine pebbles that are perfect for natural reflexology and for barefoot luxury lovers. For such an experience visit the redesigned Beefbar on the Coast in Mykonos and the brand-new exclusive Beach Lounge (mykonos.beefbar.com).

## PARAGA

It is the first beach on the island to open and the last to close, since its favourable orientation guarantees warm days from May to October. There is easy parking at both entrances: from Aghia Anna and just before Paradise. Get ready for frenzied dancing at SantAnna (+30 6956 762847, santannamykonos.com) and the bohemian style of Scorpios as you enjoy its vibes until the night hours (scorpiosmykonos.com).

## **AGHIA ANNA (KALAFATIS)**

Drive a bit further past Kalafatis or walk a few minutes to find the somewhat hidden little beach. With clean, emerald waters and sand that continues some distance into the sea, the beach is embraced by ancient Divounia, which act as wind breakers for its calm and velvet sandy beach. Don't miss a romantic dinner at Spilia Seaside (spiliarestaurant.gr).

## **AGHIOS STEFANOS**

This is an ideal beach for those who wish to avoid high society, admire the magnificent views of the Small Delos islands and enjoy a magical sunset with the locals. If you feel adventurous, keep driving towards the protected Houlakia beach. Swim to the small cove behind the rocky shoreline and benefit from this idyllic location despite the strong winds.

## PANORMOS

The livelier beach of Mykonos remains a quiet corner. This ex-hippie and nudist haunt is reminiscent of old Mykonos, while it has a wild beauty with its colours changing throughout the day. Don't miss the August full moon party here; an unforgettable experience.

Or the chance to spend a day at the Principote, nestled on the breath-taking beachfront (principote.com).

## **KORFOS**

Just 2,5 km from Chora, at Korfos beach, you encounter intense winds that create the most adventurous waves, the perfect setting for kitesurfing. If you haven't done that before, try it under the guidance of the instructors of Kite Mykonos (kitemykonos.com).

## **PSAROU**

It has been experiencing glory days since the 1980s, setting the summer's trends and defining the concept of luxury living on Mykonos. It boasts warm waters even from the early spring. The road is quite narrow with sharp turns and requires attention. You will come here to see and be-seen. If you have some time to enter the design world of Nammos Village with many famous luxury fashion brands.

## HOULAKIA

A beautiful beach with golden sands and emerald waters, only 4 km north of the capital. It's a protected beach of natural beauty, divided in two parts. The left combines a small cove with a small beach. The right side is full of big, round multi-coloured pebbles. Get ready to feel a sweet seclusion and a bit of "The Blue Lagoon" feeling.

## ORNOS

The island's most popular family beach attracts all types of tourists, Greek families and quite a few locals. The natural barrier created by the settlement's houses blocks the strong north wind which often pounds the island, while the south wind does not affect the sea since the bay, while large, is closed and protected. Ornos' long sandy beach has numerous restaurants and café-bars with tables all the way to the sand.

## AGHIOS SOSTIS

No make-up, bars, shops, tourist enterprises or sunbeds. With wonderful deep blue water, it favours snorkelling fans. Here you will see celebrities and anonymous nudists, as well as locals. Best from May to mid-July and then in September; avoid the August meltemi winds which make conditions unwelcoming. You could go by your own vehicle or by taxi.

## LIA

Lia is the last of the southern beaches that you can go by car. A small bay with deep crystal waters protected from the strong northerly winds which is ideal for snorkelling. This is the alternative preferred by celebrities who arrive by boat. Get ready for a more secluded experience, walk over the rocks to reach the neighbouring Tigani beach. But before that, have a look at Liasti beach bar (liasti.com)

## KALO LIVADI

In the southern eastern part of the island you will find one of the best organized beaches with a strong cosmopolitan feel, which covers every entertainment and taste expectation. Indulge in this long, yellow sandy beach with green-blue clear waters, abundant umbrellas, sunbeds and water sports.

## AGHIA ANNA (PARAGA)

Aghia Anna still maintains, to a degree, the image of a quiet, family beach, functioning as a discharging point from its two noisy neighbours. The beach faces southwest and gets the sun until late, offering the opportunity for long-term sunbathing before or after enjoying the authentic recipes of Nikolas taverna (nikolas-taverna.com).

## **AGRARI**

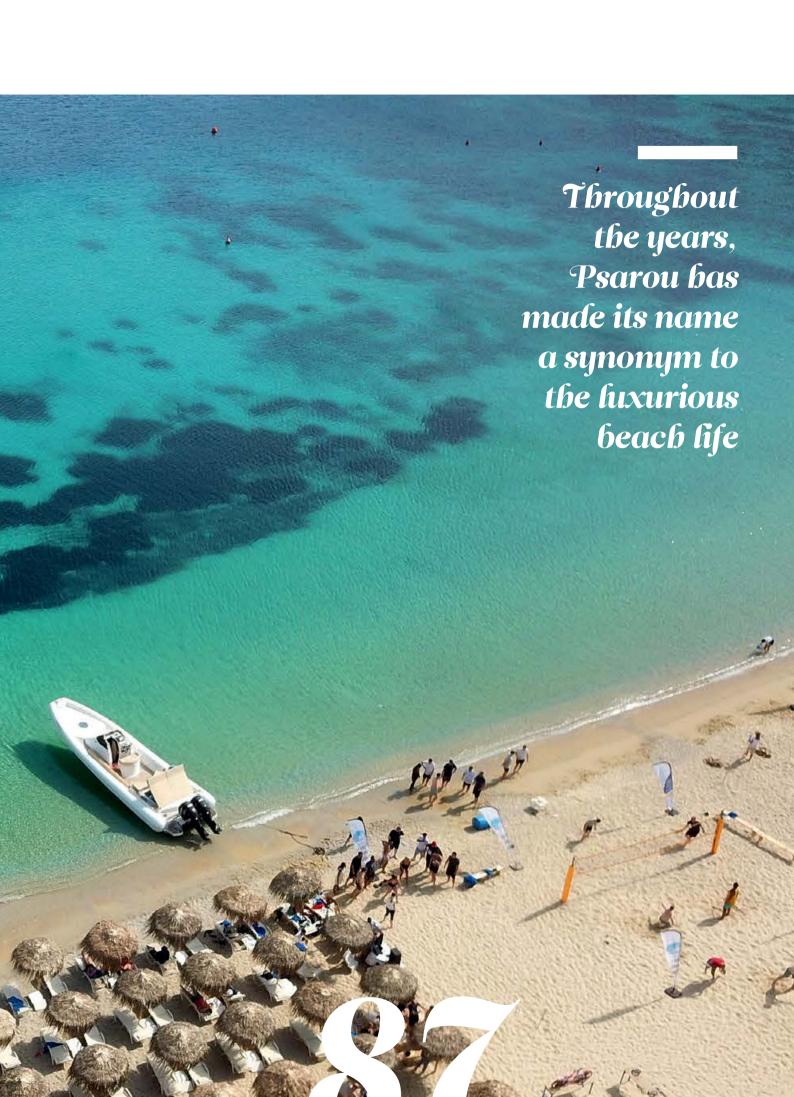
On the south side of the island, Agrari introduces its charm and calmness. It has sun loungers and water sports and can also be accessed by small boats from Platis Gialos. The beach's right-hand side, by the rocks, is ideal for diving and playing games in the clear blue water. Taste local appetizers and share traditional recipes at noon at Agrari Beach Restaurant (agraribeach.gr).

## MEGALI AMMOS

Free of umbrellas and sun loungers, the beach is ideal for a quick dip for those who want to keep within a safe distance from the Chora. Accessible even on foot, the golden beach with fine sand and northerly winds is also a great place for windsurfing, and a luxurious stay with high dining. Dive in the unique pool of Bill & Coo Suites

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# Indulge in the coastal craze of crystal-clear water and live your fairytale on the island

& Lounge and taste the dishes of the Bill & Coo Gastronomy Project (bill-coo-hotel.com).

## **ELIA**

A lot of people prefer Elia as the best beach on the island, ideal for water sports and for families. You must visit to discover it for yourself! Do not forget that it is one of the bigger sandy beaches on the island and that it preserves its bohemian feeling. It is better to visit it on days with a north wind for calm waters.

## **PARADISE**

It is among the first of the island's hot spots to strongly support the nudist dogma. Numerous beach bars are lined on the beach, inspiring people to get up and dance. The beach is also accessible by sea on small boats (caiques) which depart from Ornos and Platis Gialos. The nights at Cavo Paradiso with a dazzling DJ programme are enjoyable. (cavoparadiso.gr).

## KAPARI

A western beach that is worth visiting late in the afternoon. A ten-minute walk from Aghios Ioannis and you will arrive at one of the island's last havens. Nudists and old Mykonos devotees gather here daily, while the concept of organization is completely absent. Dive into the sea from the smooth rocks at the end of the beach and seek your privacy.

## FOKOS & MYRSINI

Fokos still remains an untouched treasure, as buses don't reach this beach, with shallow green water and thick sand. Picturesque and calm with the island's coldest waters, it is located right after the artificial lake of Marathi and is quite seriously affected by the north winds. Myrsini is the next beach with crystalclear green waters. Another small, sandy gem that calms you, with its natural tranquillity and its blue horizon.

## SUPER PARADISE

Super Paradise is reborn and enters a new era of partying, connecting with each other and enjoying life, charged with the special energy that this beautiful beach in Mykonos has been radiating for over fifty years. A landmark holiday destination, the new Super Paradise Beach Club is a place where guests from around the

world become co-travellers in the journey of authentic, most-modern bohemian fun, partying moments, relaxation, and pampering with mouth-watering food options, sensational wines and creative cocktails. Located above the dazzling turquoise waters of the beach, Jackie O'Beach Club awaits with an explosion of the senses (jackieomykonos.com), while the new Paraj Restaurant and Beach offers an exceptional high-end experience (paraj-super-paradisemykonos.com).

## KALAFATIS

This is one of the island's biggest beaches and even when crowded, it offers a sense of space which is ideal for families. Sports lovers would not change it for the world; you can try everything from jet skiing and banana boat rides, to parachuting and diving. The sand is quite pebbly, while there are many trees for natural shade. Get ready for a diving lesson by world record holder Waldemar Foit at his W-Diving school (mykonos-diving.com).

## RHENIA

The best way to visit Rhenia is by boat. Hidden caves and virgin beaches await those who get there. There are four unique and isolated beaches with golden-white sand and crystalclear waters with blue-green colour on the island: Glyfada, Stena, Lia and Ambelia. Take a small beach hopping journey to see them all.

## PLATIS GIALOS

Protected from the winds and beautiful albeit packed, Platis Gialos is fairly developed. Its big plus is its sporty character and the plethora of restaurants and hotels that line the beach. Do not miss out on the opportunity to learn how to water ski on its calm waters. Test your skills with jet ski exercises in the afternoon, to avoid the very hot hours (mykonoswatersports.gr).

## **FTELIA**

Ftelia is divided into two by a rock formation that reaches the sea. Starting from Chora, take a right turn at the crossroads to discover the ideal surfing destination and admire a performance offered by the virtuoso surfers. When it is not windy, the landscape is reminiscent of a lagoon and the beach is frequented by a number of locals and artists.

## Clockwise from top left:

Super Paradise Beach
Club, Rhenia, Elia, Super
Paradise Beach Club, Korfos,
sunbathing on the boat,
sandy and secluded beaches
can be found everywhere on
Mykonos.

## dining pleasures

## BITES UP!

A little bit of creativity, a dash of tradition and fine ingredients make the best tastes that you can savour on the island.

## BABOULAS OUZERI

Baboulas is back "like in the old days". So go ahead, take advantage of his privileged location, and delight yourself with the simplicity of authentic Greek flavors. In a unique spot between Old Port and Gialos, right where the waves break, Baboulas is the absolute destination for a real food experience while enjoying the live sunset performances. Old Port, Mykonos, +30 2289 078950 @baboulasmykonos

## BAKALÒ

Next to a traditional well is located a patio that fills you with a sense of recognizable peace, a delicious heaven you want to share with a select few. Even when full of visitors, the restaurant's warm, homey atmosphere gives the impression that the kitchen creates dishes bursting with the flavours and aromas of Greece, such as grilled squid stuffed with spinach rice and tarama vinaigrette. Just like dinner on your veranda at home. *Lakka*, +30 22890 78121, bakalo.gr

## **BEEFBAR MYKONOS**

After an extensive redesign, the only Beefbar located next to the sea draws inspiration from the Aegean and Delos and celebrates the island's traditions and materials. The renowned restaurant that breaks tradition with the rigid codes of high-end steakhouses serves prime cuts of beef from around the world as well as locally sourced seafood and fish. Transforming from a lively beach bar where you can unwind in the Cycladic sun by day to a glamorous restaurant with vibrant music and a lively ambience by night, there is no better place to ease into the laid-back lifestyle of Mykonos through the Bill & Coo way of life. Agbios Ioannis, +30 6956600169, 22890 77865, mykonos.beefbar.com

## BILL & COO GASTRONOMY PROJECT

Here, in this wonderful, cosmopolitan space with the divine view of the ocean, where all the senses soar, flavour is one of the restaurant's greatest advantages. Aromas, smells and flavours that marry East and West, through the inspired recipes of chef Ntinos Fotinakis, based always on the Greek, organic products of the beloved island.

Bill & Coo Suites & Lounge, Megali Ammos, +30 22890 26292, bill-coo-botel.com

## **CATARI**

Its retro patio has become a reference point for all fans of authentic Neapolitan pizza, the one with the extremely thin crust and delicious toppings, homemade pastas and fresh fish. Groups of friends gather at this old town house that boasts impressive retro tiles, home to the only "Authentic Italian Restaurant" on Mykonos, as certified by the Italian Ministry of Foreign Affairs. Agbia Anna, Chora, +30 22890 78571, catari.gr

Clockwise from left:
BeefBar Mykonos,
Baboulas Ouzeri
chef Ntinos Fotinakis,
Bousoulas, Bakalo, Catari.

## JACKIED' CANTINA

Indulge in the award-winning cuisine of Christoforos Peskias and let him take you on an incomparable journey of taste. From the Cycladic traditions to the fusion of east and west, Chef Peskias combines present, past and future to elevate all your senses into a supreme gastronomic experience. Whether lunch & dinner for two or a gathering of friends, let JackieO' Mykonos Restaurant spoil you. jackieomykonos.com

## KATRINE'S

The first to introduce French cuisine to the island in 1971, it continues successfully with renowned quality. Served to a few tables the famous osso bucco, lamp chops with rosemary and stuffed courgette flowers are living proof that classic Greek cooking, combined with French savoir faire, can result in excellent gastronomic creations.

1 Nikiou Str., +30 22890 22169





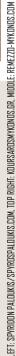








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## **KOURSAROS**

In a pirate setting, in Chora, near Little Venice, the simple yet imposing restaurant, takes you on a journey with its design, atmosphere and particularly with its special flavours. Specialising in fish and seafood, the famous restaurant has devoted followers, that never pass a chance to check in. And for those that love Asian flavours, here they'll find their hangout! Meletopoulos Sq., +30 22890 78140

## NIKOLAS TAVERNA

Nikolas keeps the tradition of the oldest tavern in Agia Anna (since 1967) alive and full of delicious flavors, for three generations. You should definitely try the classic onion pie, the homemade lasagna, spaghetti with lobster and any specialty that comes out of their garden. Agia Anna, Paraga, +30 22890 25264, nikolas-taverna.com

## **OTI APOMEINE**

The passion for traditional Mediterranean cuisine and the fresh ingredients, produce an excellent result and dishes that make the senses soar. The zucchini balls, the salads, the spicy cheese spread, the pittas, but particularly the roasts and especially the piglet, are famous for decades. Ano Mera, +30 22890 71534, otiapomeine.gr

## REMEZZO

Always one of the most chic and elegant places to be for experiencing unforgettable nights. Located in a magnificent spot with stunning view over the old harbour of Mykonos town offers to its guests fine Greek dishes, unique service by always welcoming and experienced staff and lively atmosphere, combined perfectly with the legendary energy of the most historic spot on the island.

remezzomykonos.com

## SPILIA SEASIDE RESTAURANT

Peacefully nestled on a natural platform on the rocks, hanging over the sea, Spilia (cave) Seaside restaurant is one of the most iconic Mykonos hotspots. It is a true paradise for anyone who considers taste and a divine ambience as of equal importance. Seafood and fresh fish are served straight from the Aegean.

Agia Anna Beach, Kalafatis, spiliarestaurant.gr





## **TAITTINGER**

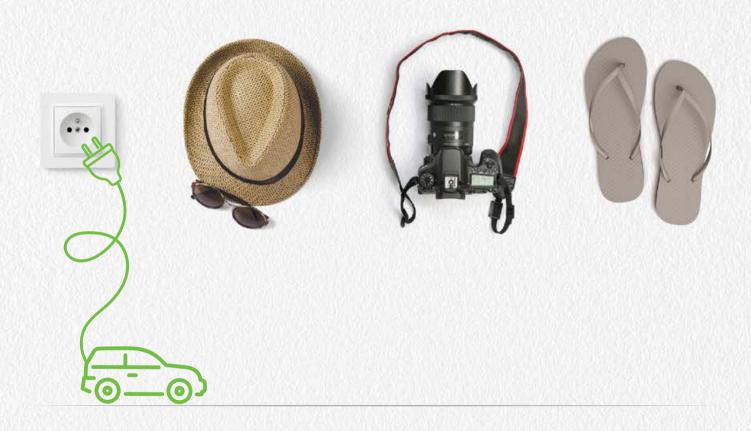
Trinity Wines' exclusive partnership with the historic house of Champagne Taittinger is highlighted by the unique cuvées, Brut Reserve, Prestige Rosé, and the gem of the crown, Comtes de Champagne Blanc de Blancs. The prestigious house is devoted to make every moment of your life a special one. Now make the picture of you having the unique taste of these premium champagnes while admiring the view from the Bill & Coo Lounge Bar. The perfect scenery to savour the aromas, the intensity, and elegance of Champagne Taittinger.

Bill & Coo Suites & Lounge, Megali Ammos, +30 22890 26292, bill-coo-hotel.com



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## bar zone

## **ASTRA**

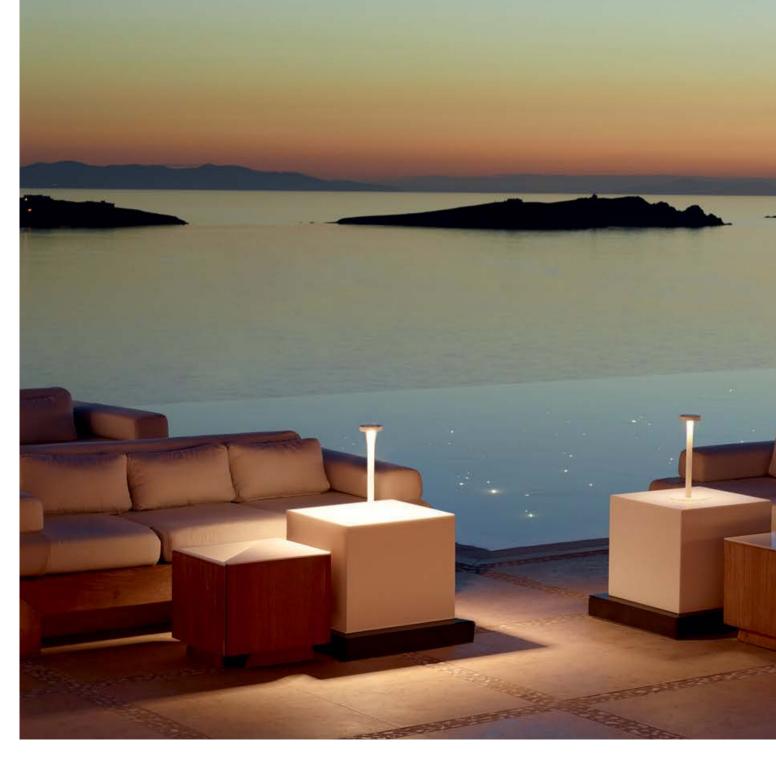
Astra welcomes you to its 35th summer, proving its classic presence through time and in style. Its history is visible in its consistent characteristics and in its famous guests, such as the rock legend Keith Richards and Monaco's young royalty, Andrea Casiraghi. The iconic bar is still receiving great success with its hip music, rock influences, special events and fashion evenings that attract Greek and foreign showbiz personalities, among others. Chora, +30 22890 24767, astra-mykonos.com

## **BEEFBAR MYKONOS**

After the completion of an extensive revamp, Beefbar Mykonos is back! Boasting a select wine and champagne list from Greece, France

Italy and Germany, the renovated Beefbar is your destination for quality drinks and a night full of music and entertainment. This summer, Alex Nude creates a unique melodic sound exclusively curated for Bill & Coo Hotels and Beefbar Mykonos, seeking to inspire imagination and offering an alluring experience. Apart from the classic cocktails, what about a BeefBar Sunrise, a Peruvian Soul or a Fallen Star cocktail? Wait, there's more; you can make your personalized

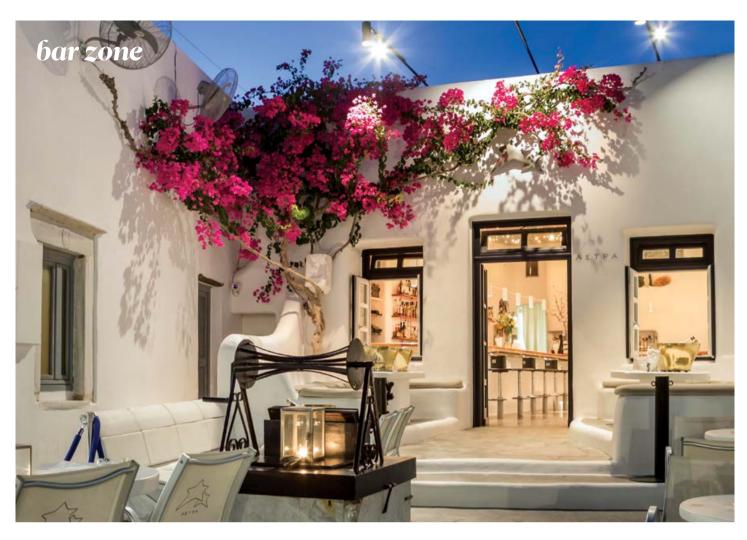
Bill & Coo Sunset Lounge





The finest and most refreshing botspots are bere to offer large doses of joy and fun. Just follow the sound of the music and drink to the spirit of Mykonos nightlife.





cocktail here. All you need to do is let the mixologists know your favourite flavours and they will design your own cocktail.

\*Aghios Ioannis\*, +30 6956600169, 22890 77865, mykonos.beefbar.com

## **BILL & COO SUNSET LOUNGE**

Blend the energy of summer with mouth teasing flavours, and quench your thirst with exotic tastes in an extra-terrestrial scenery. The light and refreshing signature cocktails of Bill & Coo Lounge Bar are served within a stylish, cosmopolitan yet unpretentious and relaxed ambience by the pool. Bill & Coo Lounge Bar prepares an array of cocktails and light snacks, perfect for those Mykonian sunsets with a stunning sea view. Bill & Coo Suites & Lounge, Megali Ammos, +30 22890 26292, bill-coo-botel.com

## JACKIE O' TOWN BAR & JACKIE O' YACHT CLUB

Just below the famous church of Paraportiani, the elemental location of Jackie O'Mykonos Town Bar is the perfect setting for sunset cocktails, pre-dinner drinks or dancing the night away, with the friendly bartenders and welcoming staff. Nightly Drag-shows spice up the hottest party scene in town. Jackie O'Yacht Club will dazzle you with new cocktail and champagne creations by the experienced team of bartenders lead by award winning mixologist Yiannis Bakos. Chora, +30 22890 77298, jackieomykonos.com

## GALLERAKI

One of the first cocktail bars in Little Venice and on the entire island, which still however, flies the banner of innovation. The mystery over the content of the now famous "Katerinaki" cocktail still hangs in the air. The tables outside are right on the seafront and the breeze



keeps you cool as you sip on refreshing fruity cocktails. If there's no room at the little bar, climb the stairs on the left to visit Gallery, dance comfortably and enjoy the view of the windmills from the wonderful balcony. Here, inspiration becomes a work of art to drink from a glass. Everyone that's tried the very tasty cocktails in the lilliputian interior or at the tables outside, have their favourite. Ask for the pistachio flavoured cocktail. *Scarpa*, +30 22890 27188, galleraki.com

Clockwise from left: Astra, Jackie O'Yacht Club, Beefbar Mykonos, Jackie O'Town Bar, the famous Katerinaki cocktail at Galleraki













## AL GIGA MYKONOS

The boutique is like a dictionary of Greek design, where you can find the collections of many remarkable designers and be informed of the country's fashion trends. Find unique pieces by Cutcuutur, fresh men's designs by Dante and select luxury accessories. Get your bohemian vibes, your snakeskin outfit and your summer kimonos so that you are stylish all day. 6 Sotiros Str., +30 2289 306730, algigamykonos.com

## **AUDEMARS PIGUET BOUTIQUE**

The Audemars Piguet boutique on the island reflects the international mindset of the company that is based on its cultural heritage, as well as its good taste and the Cycladic feeling. The boutique offers a wide range of men and women's watches by top brands, as well as a pleasant environment, so the customers can enjoy more of their time and choices. Berni Zorzi & 12B Enoplon Dinameon Str., Mykonos, +30 22893 06726, audemarspiguet.com

## BORSALINO

The first single-brand boutique in the luxury mall Nammos Village offers the perfect affinity between expertly handcrafted Borsalino straw hats, symbolic of an Italian luxury lifestyle, and Mykonos as the ultimate in exquisite Greek destinations. Always in the finest natural materials, the featured selection of renowned Borsalino Summer designs range from classic contemporary to inspired Optical Art motifs. Discover more about this unique Borsalino boutique set against the backdrop of one the world's most beautiful locations. Kiosk, nammosvillage.com

## CHORA MYKONOS, BAREFOOT LUXURY LIVING

Awarded for its interior design, this shop featuring special home and decoration items captures the eye and your interest regarding the renewal of your space. Decorate your walls with unique pieces that lead you to a different dimension. Maximum intensity with the minimum of means; this is what leads artists to give character to a painting of even greater emptiness. And it is the same power that leads you to adorn your space with artistic objects, as well as a variety of elegant furniture, dining items, mirrors, handmade lucky charms and, of course, paintings. Aghios Taxiarchis, +30 22890 71107, & 43 Floron Zouganeli Str., +30 22890 79363, choramykonos.com

## D.S. GOLD JEWELLERY

In this store, jewellery is a family affair. For more than two decades, the owners design and make high quality jewellery, suitable for all tastes and budgets. Knowhow, specialization and aesthetics meet with the precious materials in a jewellery shop that has something for everyone. What will you choose? Aghia Anna, Chora, +30 22890 25251, sabasgold.com

Clockwise from left: Chora Mykonos/Barefoot Luxury Living, Borsalino, Audemars Piguet Boutique.



## **ENNY MONACO**

Famed for its enticing selection of ready-to-wear bags, shoes and accessories, Enny Monaco is your luxurious fashion destination this summer. Take a glance at the latest sculptural silhouettes by Alaïa, the impeccably tailored blazers by Balmain, the timeless Kiton separates and Christian Louboutin's limited-edition Caracaba tote. Take your time as there are even more stylish choices for you to make the greatest impression on the island. *Tria Pigadia, Mykonos +30 22890 77100, ennymonacostyle.com* 

## **ERES**

An exceptional House with its own distinctive character. From the emblematic Peau Douce fabric to exclusive lace designs, and from the bewitching almost-blacks to sumptuous and original colour ranges, ERES considers every detail to create a completely unique wardrobe. From beachwear to lingerie, Activewear to nightwear, on the beach, on a flight, for an evening out, or simply at home, all the creations co-ordinate, and can be worn together, wherever you go, for a natural and harmonious look. The ERES style is sleek and incomparable, whether minimalist or spectacular, for a distinctive look that is all yours. nammosvillage.com

## **GEORGIOS & CO**

Here, everything has been revolving around handmade jewellery for thirty years. The sun, the sea, the sand and the ancient Greek tradition of Mykonos and Delos are the sources of inspiration of the great designer Giorgio, who serves jewel-making loyally and consistently; in fact, loyal fans of his creations hail from all over the world. Elegant masterpieces made with silver, gold and precious stones become











temptations for every visitor at the Mykonos shop. Aghia Anna, Mykonos Waterfront, +30 22890 79259, georgiosco.gr

## **GUCCI**

The impressive Gucci boutique in Chora - where the heart of the island shopping beats - is a hot fashion arrival. The Italian house opened a space with a special Cycladic aesthetic and Jungle chic details where you will discover the ready-to-wear creations from the women's and men's collection, luxury bags, shoes, shiny jewellery and accessories, which enhance the shopping experience on another level. *Gucci boutique*, 7 *Meletopoulou Str, Chora, gucci.com* 

## HARRY MESTRO

As you walk through the door, you immediately realize that the inspiration is the actual everyday life of this store. Handmade items, unique and impressive, always inspired by Mykonos and its "free spirit" philosophy: the Aegean turquoise, the white houses, the red sunset sky, the openness to new ideas. Everything that enchants us on the island, you can wear in the form of the most bohemian necklaces and bracelets made from semi-precious stones. The highlight is the unique Ancient Cultures series made exclusively in one-piece design. 11 Agbiou Gerasimou Str. & 28 Florou Zouganeli Str., +30 22890 27837, barryjwls.com

## KARAT MYKONOS

With the motto "Jewellery for the soul", the alternative fine jewellery boutique in the heart of Mykonos downtown makes its statement with luxury, handmade jewellery by young as well as established Greek designers, made with silver and gold, impressively merging the

## glam n' glow

traditional with the modern. Exceptional and unique jewels handmade by Greek artists, displayed in a stunning turquoise and cream-colored space! 14 Mitropoleos Str., +30 22890 77949, karatmykonos.com

## LA PERLA

Since founder Ada Masotti set out to revolutionize the world of lingerie in 1954, La Perla has become synonymous with femininity, innovation and quality. Dedicated to its 'Made in Italy' heritage, the brand continues to transform the way women dress in lingerie and nightwear that showcase an intimate understanding of the female body and a level of unrivalled craftsmanship. nammosvillage.com

## LOUIS VUITTON

The exclusive pop-up in Mykonos Nammos Village, the Louis Dreamhouse™ conceived by Virgil Abloh (Collection 8), is dedicated to the Men's Fall-Winter 2022 collection. Striking by its iconic light blue colour and cutting-edge design, the Louis Dreamhouse™ invites clients to discover a new world where the surreal becomes real and fantasy manifests in real life. New shapes take centre stage with a rainbow of six Paint Can bags and exclusive LV Trainer 2, solely showcased in Mykonos for a limited period. nammosvillage.com

## MARIKA'S BOUTIQUE

Love at first sight, a shop that will make you join the island style. Cotton linen and silk dresses at their best expressions made by Join Clothes will definitely satisfy your cravings and you will find them exclusively here. You can choose from accessories, caftans, beachwear and selected menswear all inspired by the island's breeze, while Marika's team will make your shopping a unique experience. 39 Kouzi Georgouli Str., +30 22890 22285

## MINAS

If the island was a jewel, it would have been a masterpiece created by Minas, the legendary jewellery designer of Mykonos. From the Jolly Roger and the Girl from Rio to the double star, every design by iconic Minas is, literally, a mini work of art. And do not forget the creative items and decorative pieces which add another artistic touch to your home, or make the perfect gift to a loved one. Fortunately, his sons seem to have inherited his talent - which means that the shop that looks like a gallery is expected to be a reference point on the island for many years to come. *Agbias Kyriakis Sq.*, + 30 22890 27320, esbop.minas-designs.com

## **POUPETTE ST BARTH**

An iconic brand made by a woman, for women. The style is distinctly Boho Chic and gives you a feeling of freedom and joyful elegance that is easy to wear. Poupette St Barth offers first and foremost a colourful vision, with a strong identity, easy to recognise models and exclusive prints that are all hand-made thanks to ancestral Balinese techniques that Monique Giraud, the brand's creator, discovered during her travels. *Arches, nammosvillage.com* 

## **VP JEWELLERY**

Exquisite male and female jewellery, handmade pieces defined by plain but impressive forms, reflect the glow of gold and silver adorned with precious and semi-precious stones under the signature of VP Jewellery; a signature with an expertise that dates back t 1936. 42 Florou Zonganeli Str., +30 22890 79363, vp-jewellery.com

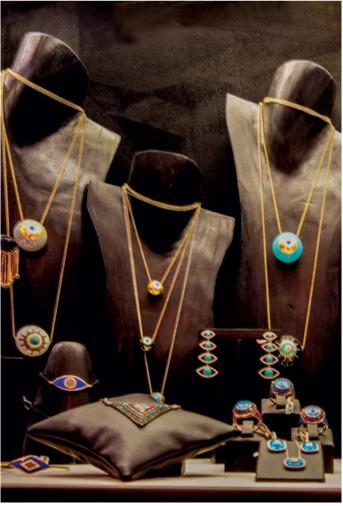


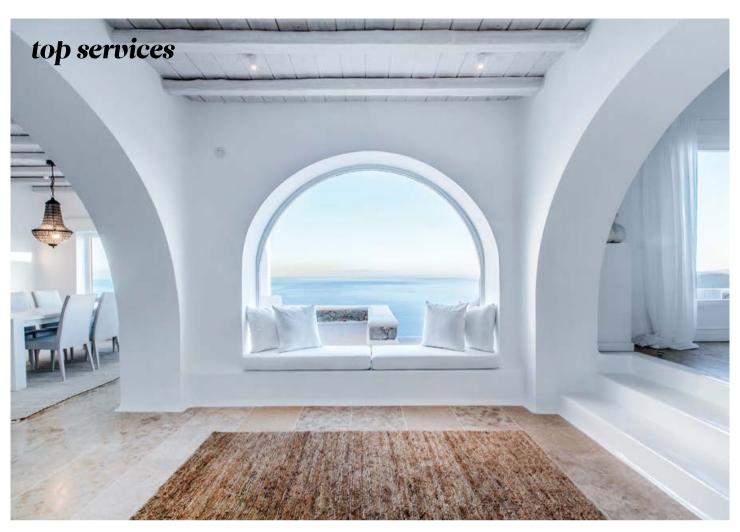














# YOU FIRST

## Gold treats in the island of the winds ensure an unforgettable stay.

## FLORA

In a minimal design space, you can shop, dancing to the dj chosen rhythms. The wine cellar houses the largest collection of wines and champagnes in Mykonos, with a huge variety and in a specially designed preservation room. In the delicatessen section you can find French truffles, cheeses from all over the world, Iranian caviar, varieties of Italian prosciutto and sauces from France, England, Italy and the USA. The final touch is given by the exclusive "84600" packages, which will convert your choices into premium gifts.

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## **ICAR MYKONOS CAR RENTAL**

Having gained valuable experience though the years in demanding customer service and the provision of high standard vehicles and cars in Mykonos, the ICAR luxury car rental offers a wide range of car models and car sizes for fulfilling all customer needs. Operating for more than 27 years in Mykonos market ICAR is the only car rental company in Mykonos with electric cars. It is distinguished for its quality and value, while the average age of the cars is below 6 months, which are constantly maintained and always checked, making ICAR a top choice.

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## L'O YACHTING

The L'o Yachting team has excelled in sharing its passion for the yachting world, its insatiable thirst for life, and the discovery of new hideaways. With most of its fleet based in Mykonos, it awaits to greet guests on board, where one soon enough explores, experiences, and becomes one with an incredible fairytale setting of unprecedented natural beauty, leaving behind the stress of every day routine. L'o Yachting provides an exclusive charter experience in one of the world's finest holiday destinations, the Cyclades shaping its fleet with the intention of providing a variety of yachts of different sizes and styles.

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## SUPERIOR AIR

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Clockwise from left: Revithis & Partners, Flora Super Market, the Faneromeni traditional caique of Lo Yachting.



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TOP LEFT: HERT NIKS ON UNSPLASH, MIDDLE LEFT: ALEX ANTOWADIS ON UNSPLASH, BOTTOM: CRISTINA GOTTARDI ON UNSPLASH

# The long und south

THE COASTLINE OF ATHENS IS A NO-BRAINER FOR THIS TIME OF THE YEAR. GET THE MOST OUT OF THE ATHENIAN RIVIERA WITH THESE ESSENTIAL STOPS STRETCHING FROM PIRAEUS TO THE TEMPLE OF POSEIDON IN SOUNION.

## **Summer** in Athens has always

been something of a taboo: Most people prefer to be on one of the beautiful Aegean islands, but those who eventually

choose the capital never regret it. Just a few kilometres away from the historic centre and the Acropolis, Athens has an enviable coastline that is the go-to destination when the mercury hits red. Amidst the magnificent blue-water sandy or pebbled beaches, the marinas, bays and parks, lies an authentic island destination that invites you to discover it. Starting from the famous port of Piraeus, we will traverse the entire lacy coastline of the Athenian Riviera until we reach the archaeological site of Sounion, ideally at sunset.

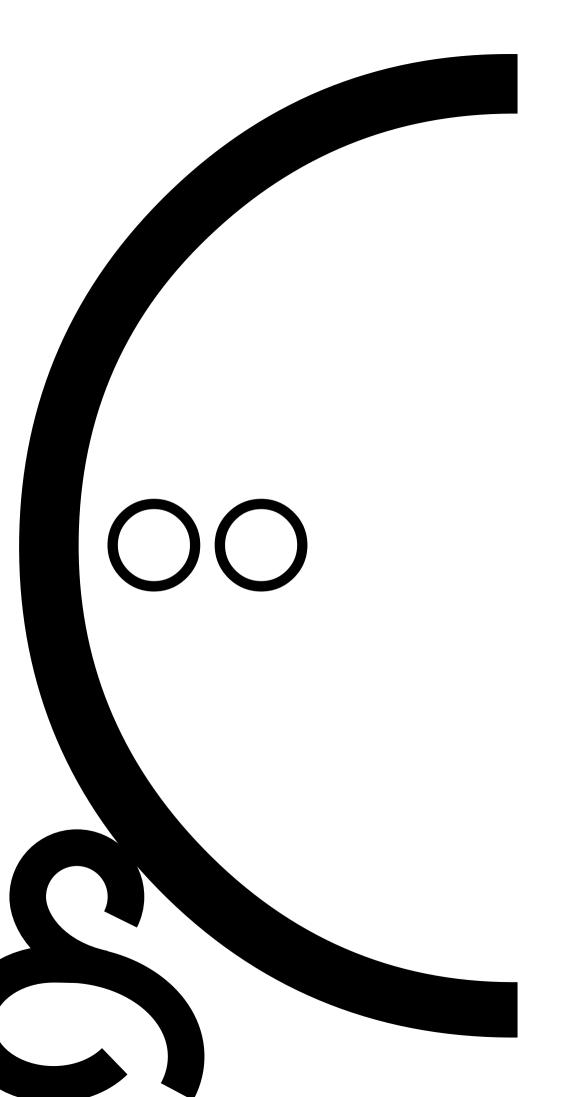
The road trip on the Riviera begins and ends

Clockwise from top left:
Fun at the Athenian beach,
Maman at SNFCC,
Flisvos marina at Palaio
Faliro, sunset on the beach,
a gastronomic delicacy,
the impressive Temple
of Poseidon in Sounio,
Vouliagmeni Lake.

with culture. The first stop is the Hellenic Maritime Museum, the largest of its kind in the country, dedicated to the rich maritime history and tradition of Greece. Admire up close ship models, ancient stone anchors, nautical instruments, paintings, photographs and sailors' uniforms arranged chronologically and thematically, covering the period from prehistoric times to the present day (hmmuseum.gr). We continue with a stroll at the Stavros Niarchos Foundation Cultural Centre Park, ideal for families, with vast expanses of greenery and child-friendly activities on the edge of the Falirikon Delta. The architectural landmark, signed by Renzo Piano, in addition to the Park, includes the National Library of Greece and the Greek National Opera. This season, don't miss a closeup look at Louise Bourgeois' imposing sculpture Maman, a giant spider that overshadows the Esplanade of the SNFCC (snfcc.org). Nearby, ideal for a refreshing coffee against the backdrop of an armada of luxury yachts, is the Flisvos Marina in Palaio Faliro (flisvosmarina.com). Regarding the beaches, the iconic Astir Beach has been a benchmark for all of Attica for over half a century. Swim in its beautiful blue waters and enjoy sunbathing, while the highlight is the breathtaking sunset (astir.gr). Of course, another must-destination for a swim is Lake Vouliagmeni, the hidden treasure of Attica's nature. In an idyllic landscape, consisting of a massive rock, brackish thermal waters, winding underwater tunnels and lush green vegetation, it's a rare geological phenomenon. The therapeutic waters are constantly renewed, both from the underground thermal springs and from the sea and promise a natural and unique thermal spa experience (limnivouliagmenis.gr). Finally, we end up at the southernmost tip of Attica, at the craggy cape of Sounion, and specifically at the temple of Poseidon, which exudes a unique aura that will take you back to the era of Ancient Greece. Recalling the respect that the ancient Athenians, especially the sailors, had for the god of the sea, the temple was probably built at the same time as the Parthenon, during the Golden Age of Pericles, by the same architect who built the Thiseion in the Ancient Agora of Athens. He decorated the Temple with sculptures of Parian marble depicting the feats of Theseus and battles with Centaurs and Giants. In addition to the long history and energy of the place, the moment of sunset, with the sun's rays illuminating the Temple, is magical.



SPENCER DAVIS ON UNSPLASH



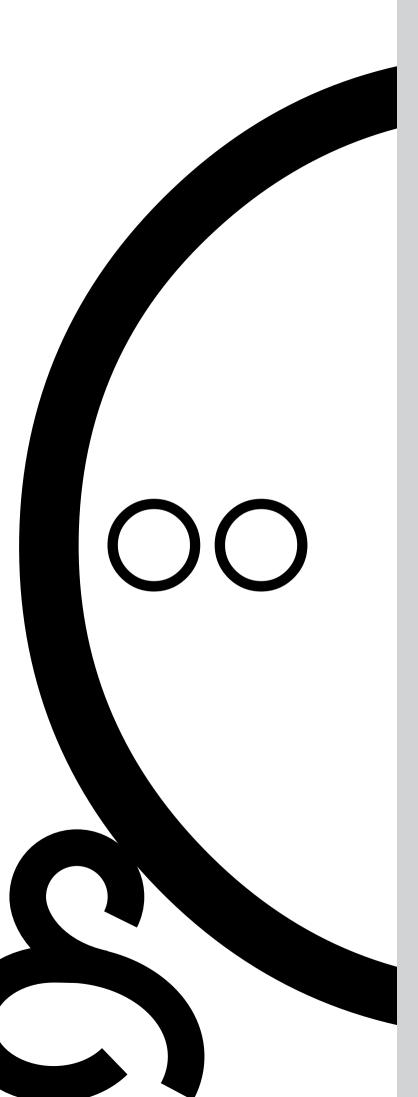
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