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CONDÉ NAST TRAVELER NAMES BUCUTI & TARA A TOP CARIBBEAN RESORT

The Eagle Beach property leads all four Aruba winners

EAGLE BEACH, Aruba – Oct. 7, 2019 – The votes are in - Bucuti & Tara Beach Resort has been named by readers of **Condé Nast Traveler** among the Top 50 Resorts in the Caribbean.

The romantic enclave made a major jump on the highly coveted 2019 Readers' Choice Awards list, up 13 spots to No. 26. Additionally, Bucuti & Tara leads the four winners from One Happy Island. At just 104 rooms, the resort topped the three other Aruba winners, all being large hotels with at least 360 rooms each.

"Being recognized by the very guests we strive so hard for in providing a sustainable, laidback luxury vacation is a true honor for us from Condé Nast Traveler," shares Ewald Biemans, owner/CEO of Bucuti & Tara Beach Resort. "As competition increases, I'm proud of our Bucuti associates who continue to raise the bar and lead the guest service experience by providing an authentic, unforgettable stay."

More than 600,000 Condé Nast Traveler magazine readers worldwide submitted millions of ratings and tens of thousands of comments, sharing their recent travel experiences of the world's cities, countries, islands, hotels, resorts, spas, cruise lines, trains, airlines, and airports—good or bad. Results will also be highlighted in the November print issue due on newsstands in late October.

United Nations recognition

The adults-only resort continues to make news with their environmental and guest satisfaction achievements. Most recently, it was named a finalist of the United Nations 2019 Climate Action Awards. The UN invited Bucuti & Tara to enter their climate action competition after learning of the resort's achievement of becoming the first and only certified carbon-neutral hotel in the Caribbean.

To learn more, visit Bucuti.com.

About Bucuti & Tara Beach Resort

Declared the first CarbonNeutral®/net zero hotel in the Caribbean in August 2018, Bucuti & Tara Beach Resort is one of the Top 10 Hotels for Romance in the World, No. 1 Hotel in the Caribbean, No. 1 Hotel for Romance in the Caribbean (fourth straight year) and No. 1 Hotel for Service in the Caribbean. Aruba's premier adults-only boutique resort is led by celebrated hotelier and environmentalist, Ewald Biemans, named by Caribbean Journal as the 2017 Caribbean Hotelier of the Year. The resort is nestled on the powdery white sands of Eagle Beach, home to protected sea turtles and named one of the "Dream Beaches of the World."

Bucuti offers 104 well-appointed guestrooms, suites and penthouses; sunbeds and shade for every guest; freshwater infinity pool; spa; WiFi; and complimentary iPad with Skype for use during stay. Award-winning healthy dining is enjoyed at oceanfront Elements, Tara Lounge and private beach dining. Reserved exclusively for guests and their friends, the open-air SandBar on the beach offers top-shelf cocktails and live music daily along with the Caribbean's first Healthy Hour. The resort is TAG Approved® as a LGBTQ-friendly hotel. Bucuti, a worldwide sustainable tourism leader, holds eco-certifications of LEED Silver, Green Globe Platinum, ISO 14001 and Travelife Gold and was named the World's Most Sustainable Hotel/Resort in 2016 by Green Globe.

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