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Regenerative Aruba Resort Tops for Rendezvous - Six Years Running

EAGLE BEACH, Aruba – May 17, 2021 – For the third straight year, guests worldwide have once again crowned Bucuti & Tara Beach Resort as one of the **Top 10 Hotels for Romance in the World** according to Tripadvisor. The world's largest travel review site unveiled its Best of the Best Traveler's Choice Awards 2021 this week. With 98% of its Tripadvisor reviews being the coveted 5-Bubbles status, Bucuti & Tara's guests are wooed with the dreamy couples' hideaway.

For the sixth year in a row, Tripadvisor also named the adults-only enclave as the <u>No. 1 Hotel for Romance in the Caribbean</u>. Bucuti & Tara continues to be ranked No. 1 Hotel in Aruba in in the Top 10 Hotels in the Caribbean.

"We are tremendously grateful to the Tripadvisor community for these 2021 Travelers' Choice Awards in recognition for the world-class vacation experience guests enjoy at Bucuti & Tara Beach Resort,"

Travellers'
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Tripadvisor
Best of the Best

Top 10 Hotel in the World for Romance
Top 10 Hotel in the Caribbean
#1 Hotel for Romance in the Caribbean
Caribbean's only Carbon Neutral Hotel

shares Owner/CEO Ewald Biemans. "The Bucuti Associates find new ways every day to continue enhancing our guests' stays and being top rated so many years running is an honor we hold dearly."

Perfecting the romantic vacation

Global winners span Australia, the Maldives, Seychelles, Spain and beyond, with Bucuti & Tara in the Top 10 for the perfecting the most romantic, fulfilling vacations for couples. Tripadvisor reviews for the Aruba resort highlighted the outstanding service, stunning white sand beach, pampering staff, sublime tranquil setting,

Owner/CEO Ewald Biemans takes pride in personally replying to every Tripadvisor review – all 7,207 to date. The resort team takes every comment seriously and as Biemans shared just this week with a reviewer, "we consider every comment and tweak, and adjust, and change in the hope to exceed every guests' expectations."

Guiltfree stay with regenerative travel experience

With the return to travel, comes an increase in demands for regenerative travel – or leaving a place better than it was found. During the pandemic-induced down time in travel, consumer interest in a safer, more sustainable experience that protects for future generations is growing in popularity.

Bucuti & Tara's love story for its guests carries over to its commitment to the planet. It is the Caribbean's first and only carbon-neutral hotel and continues to hold the most eco-certifications. Its relentless engagement of providing the safest setting for guests, safest workplace for staff and vendors, and actively caring for its community puts it at the forefront of the profile of travelers eagerly returning as evidenced by the resort's rapidly increasing reservations. Guests are returning to a new doctor-developed, high-tech, hospital-grade COVID-19 safety and health protocols that protect themselves and the environment; a new Authentic Aruban & Caribbean Lunch option that island locals are already raving about; a new Vegan menu for the increased demands in plant-based dining; renovations and even a new endangered sea turtle nest countdown calendar for an up close encounter with Aruba's earliest visitors.

To learn more, visit Bucuti.com.

For accompanying images, please visit this Dropbox folder.

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 (fifth straight year) and No. 3 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."

Now home to the Caribbean's Safest, Healthiest Vacation Experience thanks to its physician-developed COVID-19 safety protocols and Aruba's Health & Happiness Code seal, Bucuti has 104 well-appointed guestrooms, suites and penthouses. It offers 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 newly renovated open-air SandBar 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 Gold, Green Globe Platinum and Travelife Gold and was named the World's Most Sustainable Hotel/Resort in 2016 by Green Globe.

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