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Re-opening after 9 months of closure ! To even greater new beginnings...

We have missed our Maison in Salta!

House of Jasmines is glad to reopen its doors on the 17th of December 2020. The Argentinean government has put the whole country under lockdown since March 2020. Fortunately, tourism has started to reopen and tourists from Chili, Bolivia and Paraguay have been authorized air



travelling since November. Additionally, national tourism will be totally re-engaged from the 15th of December 2020 onwards.

After such a tumultuous year, we understand more than ever the importance of caring about ourselves, others and the environment.

At House of Jasmines we participate in the international Food for Change campaign brought to us by Relais & Chateaux. It aims at fighting climate change and protecting biodiversity by promoting the use of local and seasonal ingredients. We cultivate a lot of our own fruits, vegetables and aromatics in-house and strongly engage with local producers that are located 40 kms around the Maison. Diego de Fernandez, our chef, is always looking for the best local ingredients to take our dishes to the next level.





To pamper yourself, we have added a new experience to be done at the Estancia: made to measure yoga classes.

3 QUESTIONS TO OUR YOGA TEACHER, CELESTE:

Let us know more about your experience practicing and teaching yoga.

I have started practicing yoga 16 years ago, when in Salta it was still very new and unknown, I started following live classes on a national TV channel. Later I trained as a Kundalini and Nada yoga teacher, developed a full pregnancy yoga course and keep studying and learning with the same enthusiasm until today. This was part of a personal search for self-discovery. It is a bit cliché to say but it's really been the case for me: yoga has changed my life. On the mental side it has heightened my consciousness, it has given me balance and helped me overcome many blockages and challenges in my life.

On the physical side, yoga has helped me stop smoking, balance my weight and sleep better to say the least. The practice of yoga never stops fascinating me and it keeps surprising me, taking me to uncover either new or deeper aspects of myself.

Long term, yoga brings a sense of connection to the self, an ability to detach from your thoughts and emotions offering you a chance to respond to your circumstances instead of just reacting impulsively.

Please describe the benefits of practicing yoga as a one-shot class at House of Jasmines?

Most important of all, straight from the first class you will benefit from releasing stress and physical as well as emotional tension, this is one of the most thought-after benefits of this practice and much needed in modern times.

Breathing is key in yoga and offers a quick pathway to achieving conscious relaxation. It is also the only automatic body function that we can control, we therefore focus a lot on breathing exercises and rhythm during class.

How would you describe the experience of practicing yoga with you? What makes it different?

I am conscient that every person is different, every anatomy has its own particularities. During my classes, I fully empathize with each individual student to bring the best alternatives possible to all poses and exercises that are proposed in order for everyone to get the most benefits out of the practice. My objective is for everyone present to relax and enjoy in their very own way!





Communication campaign "Hacé del Colibri tu casa

In order to face this unbelievable sanitary crisis, we have developed an offer to suit the actual needs of our guests: getting privacy and made-to-measure experiences.



The 9 bedrooms Estancia "*El Casco Colonial*" and the former owners' house, "*La Maison*" have the possibility to rent both of them privately, with made to measure à la carte services.

The Maîtresse de Maison, Gabriela and her team organize 7 days a week tailor-made activities be it for stays at La Maison, at the Casco Colonial or at the Estancia for its normal hotel services. The chef Leo offers regional dishes made with local and, most of the time, home-grown ingredients such as seasonal fruits and vegetables from the garden, eggs and milk from the farm and beef from our next-door cow ranch. Maxi the famous Gaucho makes sure guests enjoy the farm as much as possible by interacting with animals, horse-back riding through the fields and the river. Finally, Felipe, the professional Polo player is at guests' disposal to arrange polo lessons for beginners or practices for more advanced players.

With this new proposal, the whole property is available to be enjoyed by guests as their own 445 acres Argentinean Estancia.

Additionally, the *Casco Colonial* of the Estancia keeps its hotel service and remains available for stays as before, renting individual rooms for couples, families and friends.







LA MAISON A RELAIS & CHÂTEAUX VILLA

The first Relais & Châteaux Villa in Argentina

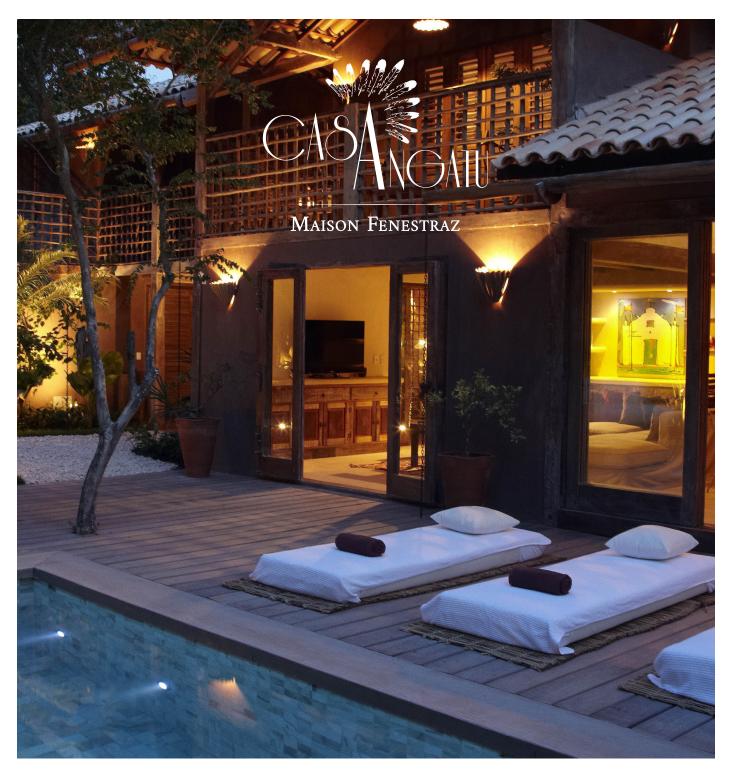
La Maison has been the owners heaven for 18 years and is now available as the first Relais & Châteaux Villa for rental in Argentina. This is an opportunity to share a magical moment with the family or amongst friends simply and privately, in a home away from home.

Decorated with style and refinement, this villa is composed of 5 bedrooms and extensive social areas for large groups of people up to 12. It is possible to arrange all types of activities and extra services such as a personal chef for meals to be prepared with fresh, locally grown ingredients, nanny for children, horseback rides with the Gaucho, visits to the farm and interaction with the animals, Polo lessons. The list is endless as Gabriela, the Maîtresse de Maison makes sure you benefit from a discreet personalized service.

The team at Estancia el Colibri is proud of this new project and looking forward to create more unique memories for their guests.



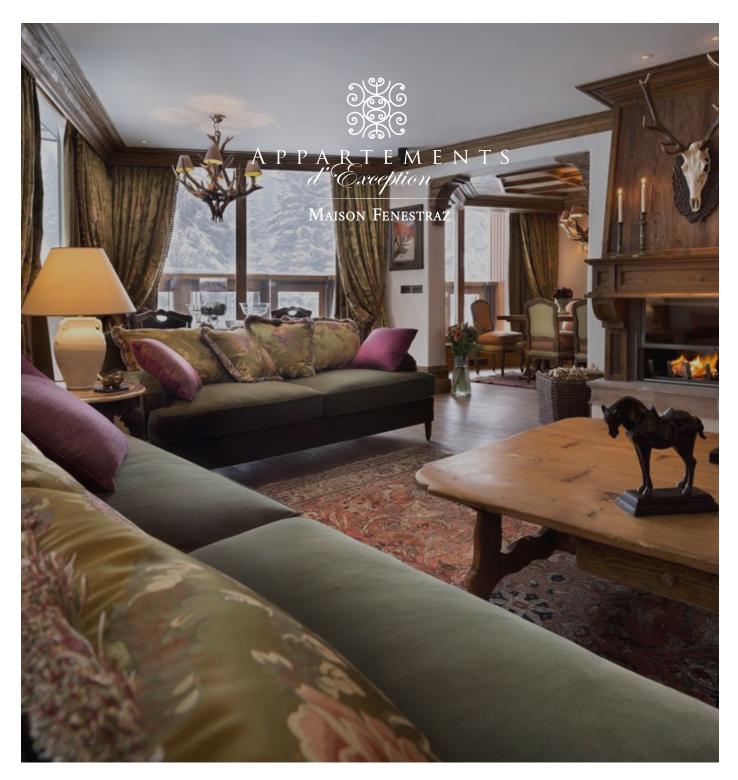




CASA ANGATU TRANCOSO - BAHIA - BRAZIL

The only Maison Fenestraz establishment to have remained open during the whole of 2020

Casa Angatu is a beautiful private home located in the center of the fishing village of Trancoso, Brazil. Equiped for a total of 10 guests, this peace haven is proud to have kept welcoming guests all year round ensuring the appropriate sanitary protocols are met.



APPARTEMENTS D'EXCEPTION Annecy and Courchevel - FRANCE

Discover the mountains differently!

To enjoy the fresh and pure mountain air, the Appartements d'Exception in Annecy and Courchevel 1650 and 1850 will remain open and available for rental: <u>https://www.appartements-exception.com</u>

Mountain resorts are a very popular destination for end of year festivities and many activities are available outside of downhill ski: hiking and snowshoeing, sledding, snowmobiles, snow scooters and fat bikes, paragliding, ice climbing, hot air balloon rides, ice skating, water activities in the largest mountain aquafun center in Europe located in Courchevel Village... there is something for everyone to have fun this winter!



MAISONS ALPINES Courchevel 1850 - Méribel Mottaret - FRANCE

Think about tomorrow

At the end of November, the good news of the soon reopening of our Maisons Fenestraz in the Southern Hemisphere was unfortunately tarnished by the announcement in France of the non-opening of the skiresorts, bars and restaurants for Christmas and New Year.

Nevertheless, the French Alps hotels, are looking forward to the 20th of January 2021 for reopening both the Chalet Hotel de La Loze**** in Courchevel 1850 and the Hotel Alpen Ruitor****SPA & Restaurants in Meribel-Mottaret. The teams are looking ahead to putting all their energy on making the most of a shorter than usual winter season.

The communication campaign "Pensez à demain" was launched in November 2020 offering special rates for those who have not had the opportunity to take their vacation in the summer and want to enjoy the mountains in winter. This campaign will go on throughout the winter season for both French hotels.

For this 2020-2021 winter season, Hotel de La Loze^{****} has collaborated with l'Atelier in creating an in-house ski shop and rental service. Guests of the hotel will benefit from heated ski boots (personal or rented) and their skis put right on the slopes in front of the Hotel.

Hotel Alpen Ruitor^{****}, located at the heart of the 3 Valleys, on top of Méribel and 1750 meters above sea level, offers a great option for family holidays right on the slopes.

Maison Fenestraz remains positive and applies all the necessary sanitary protocols to ensure a safe stay amongst the hotels. South American and French Maisons look forward to welcoming its loyal and new guests with open arms to live more memorable experiences in unique destinations.

