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*European round-up*

## THE EDITORS' LIST 2018

OUR FAVOURITE AFFORDABLE NEW HOTELS

*From only  
£80 a night*

**AUSTRALIA'S  
FOODIEST CITY**

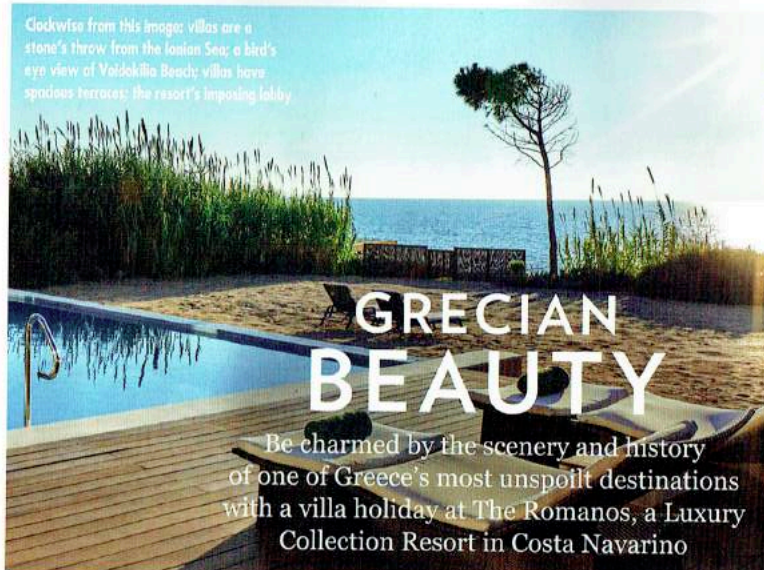
**EPIC TREKKING  
ON THE  
HIMALAYAN  
PLATEAU**

**THE FRESHEST BEACH  
HIDEAWAY IN MALIBU**

**UNDER THE RADAR  
CARIBBEAN**



Clockwise from this image: villas are a stone's throw from the Ionian Sea; a bird's eye view of Vaidokilia Beach; villas have spacious terraces; the resort's imposing lobby.



## GRECIAN BEAUTY

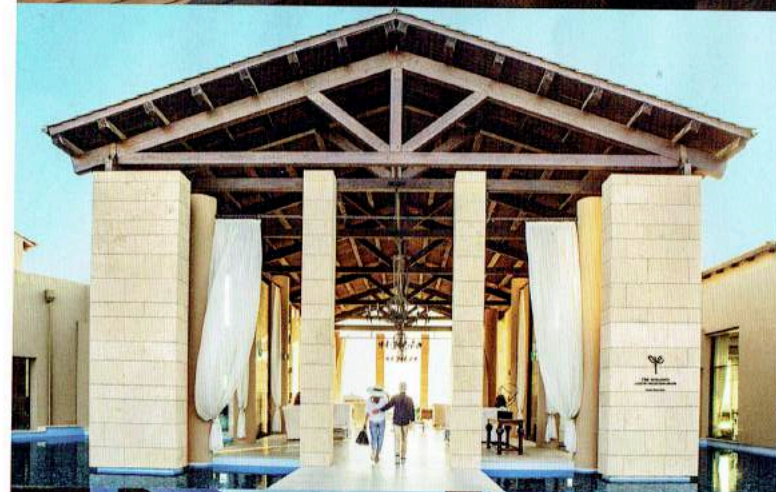
Be charmed by the scenery and history of one of Greece's most unspoilt destinations with a villa holiday at The Romanos, a Luxury Collection Resort in Costa Navarino



Sun-kissed beaches, ocean-fresh seafood, crystal-clear waters and warm welcomes – it's easy to see why Greece remains eternally popular. At Costa Navarino, in Messinia, in the south-west Peloponnese, visitors can expect all of these things and more in one of the most unspoilt seaside destinations in the Mediterranean.

Costa Navarino is the perfect base from which to explore the treasures of the Peloponnese, where nature and history meet. Guests can discover crumbling Mycenaean palaces, UNESCO World Heritage sites and nature reserves home to protected bird and marine life. Or get under the skin of the culture by cooking with locals, enjoying farm-to-fork dining, wine tasting and olive oil sampling.

Stay at The Romanos – a collection of spacious, beautifully designed suites and villas – and a dedicated team will be on hand to arrange excursions to help you get the most out of this fascinating destination. If you can bear to tear yourself away from the exquisite comfort of your villa, that is. Start your day with a sunrise yoga session on your terrace overlooking the Ionian Sea. Make the most of preferential tee times with a few rounds of golf before sitting down to a lavish lunch created by your private chef. Afternoons pass in a blissful whirl of lazy laps in the infinity pool, as your personal butler brings cocktails to your sun-lounger, or why not exercise the mind with a philosophy walk beneath 1,000-year-old olive trees – just one of the exclusive activities designed to bring Messinia's 4,500 years of history to life. And when it's time to say goodbye, take advantage of the helipad for an exit as stylish as your stay.



### FOR FURTHER INFORMATION:

Call +30 272 309 6000 or visit [costanavarino.com](http://costanavarino.com) for more on The Romanos, a Luxury Collection Resort in Costa Navarino

## AMBASSADOR VILLA

### Romanos Costa Navarino, Greece

A private haven right on the golden Dunes Beach, this palatial villa has its own pool and private stretch of sand, two spacious bedrooms and a chic, open-plan lounge and dining space. The villa comes with butler service and a concierge, who can advise on day-trips and activities around Messinia. Guests can also make use of all the facilities within the Costa Navarino resort, including eight restaurants and bars, and the state-of-the-art Anazoe Spa. Sleeps up to six.

From £3,195 per night; +30 272 309 6000,  
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# HOTELS WITH VILLAS

All the five-star features of a hotel plus the privacy of your own space