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In January, we reached a remarkable milestone at Rome Fiumicino Airport, welcoming the 500 millionth passenger across the WIZZ network since establishing the airline, which

we celebrated with special offers on selected flights.

Our network continues to expand, with our Warsaw base welcoming its 15th aircraft, serving new routes to Faro, Braşov, Lamezia Terme, Tallinn and Menorca. We will open a base at Târgu Mureş International Airport in March, and we've added new aircraft to Budapest, Rome Fiumicino and London Luton. We are launching six routes from London Luton, to Bordeaux and Dortmund in March, and the Greek islands in May this year – perfect for a Valentine's Day present this month or a summer getaway.

I'm also very pleased to announce Wizz Air's sponsorship of AS Roma for the 2025-26 and 2026-27 seasons. This partnership means a lot to us as we pursue our goal to be Rome's

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hometown airline. Football is important to Italian culture, and the iconic AS Roma embodies the same passion and pride Wizz Air have for travel.

As you embark on your travels today, perhaps you're looking ahead to the Easter break, which is just around the corner – and presents the perfect opportunity to reconnect with loved ones or discover a new place. Wherever your travels take you, thank you for choosing Wizz Air. We look forward to welcoming you on board again soon and sharing many more milestones.

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Editor's letter

Feeling ready for some warmer weather? Us too. But there's plenty to enjoy while we see off the last of winter. In this issue, we delve into the big events around our network this month - like the Winter Olympics near Milan (p9), Nuremberg's Techno Train (p27), the Six Nations in Rome and a series of art fairs in Brussels (p14) - while looking ahead to the happenings that will shape your springtime plans.

Easter is just around the corner, and if you're planning on visiting Oslo you might want to indulge in the national pastime of curling up with a murder mystery in a remote cabin (p10). In advance of the Eurovision Song Contest in May, we interview Antigoni (p18), the promising singer-songwriter who will represent Cyprus there. And we warm our cockles at London's newest sauna spots (p46), in time to get tickets for the capital's biggest sauna festival in April.

For our cover feature, we explore the dynamic surf and SUP scene in Spanish seaside spot Santander (p34). We celebrate Wizz Air's expanded Bratislava base with a bumper feature on the city's highlights from p64, and dive into how dating app fatigue is sparking a new breed of in-person matchmaking events in Paris and beyond (p55) - in honour of Valentine's Day. Wherever you're going today, I hope you find romance and adventure. Enjoy the issue, and your flight. **Florence Derrick, Editor**

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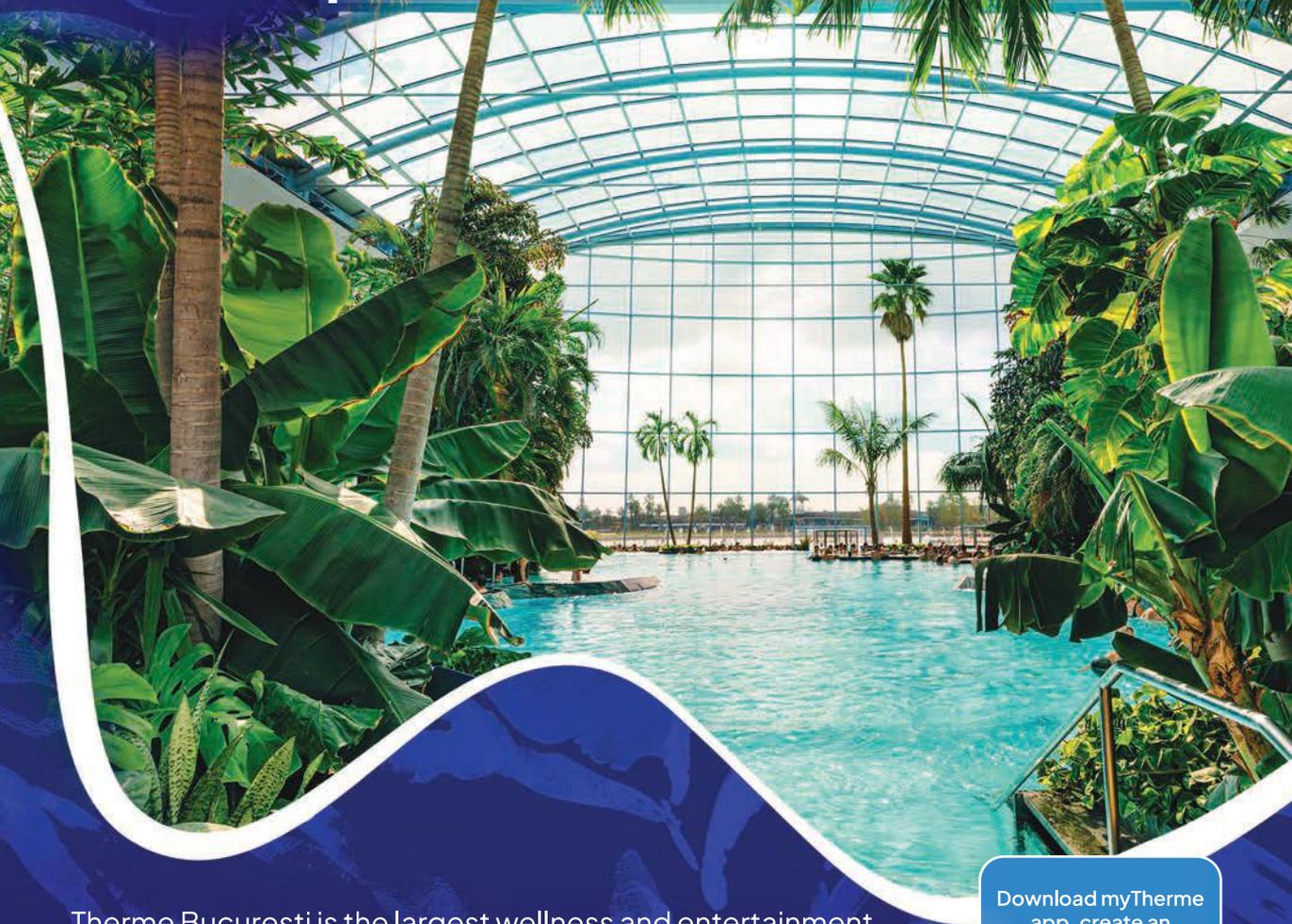


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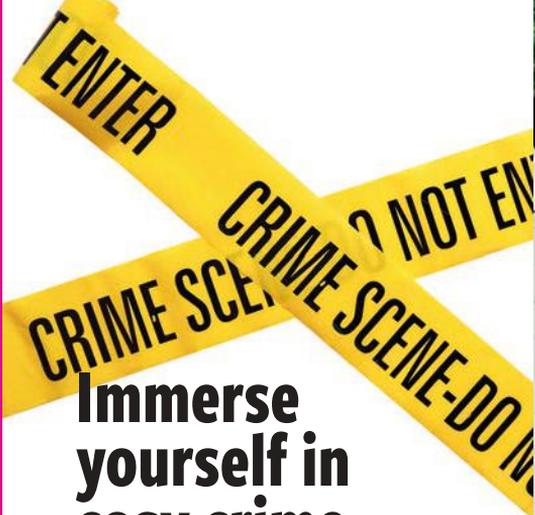


Witness history in action near Milan

The eyes of the world turn to Milan and Cortina d'Ampezzo from 6 February for the Milano Cortina 2026 Winter Olympics. It's the first in Europe for 20 years and the most gender-balanced ever, with 47% female participation and a record 50 women's events - including a doubles luge and the first mixed-gender team skeleton relay. We think this powerfully feminine Official Iconic Poster, by Italian illustrator Olimpia Zagnoli, sums up the history-making event perfectly. Watch out for alpine skier Sofia Goggia and freestyle skier Eileen Gu, among many rising stars.

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Immerse yourself in cosy crime in Norway

During the Easter holidays, thousands of Norwegians decamp to their cosy mountain cabins – skis at the ready, Kvikk Lunsj chocolate bars tucked into their rucksacks and... a stack of murder mysteries. The ritual for *Påskekrim* (literally ‘Easter Crime’), began in 1923, when a publisher ran a hoax front-page news story – “Bergen train looted in the night!” – to advertise a new thriller.

What started as a publicity stunt has snowballed into an annual spring pastime. Over the long weekend, Norwegians flick onto crime series on TV and radio, tuck into pocket-sized crime novels by candlelight and relish their creaking cabins as the perfect stage for a juicy murder mystery.

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Are you a LEGO Legend? Prove it at the world’s first LEGO Masters Academy, new to LEGO House in Billund. Inspired by the hit TV show of the same name, it’s the chance for visitors to pit their construction abilities against others making the same set.

Level 2 (for ages 5+) and 3 (more advanced, for 10+) launched late last year – and this year they’ll be joined by a game for absolute beginners (level 1) and also an intimidating level 4. No matter your level, you get to take home your build at the end. legohouse.com

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Explore a city reborn in Tirana

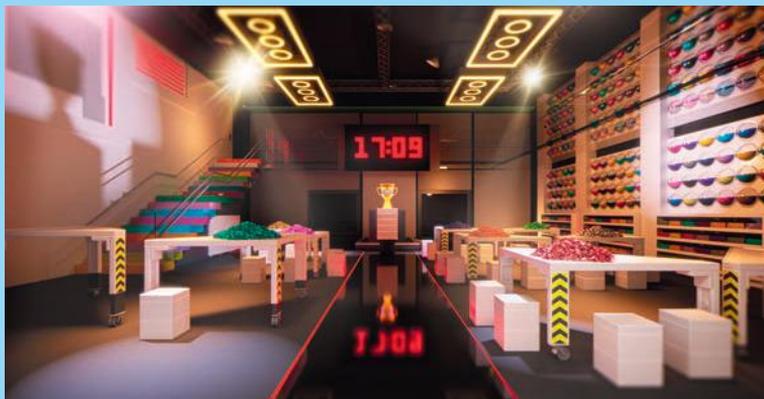
Wander the streets of the Albanian capital, and you'll encounter some unusual buildings. Among the Soviet-era tower blocks, stone temples and opulent mosques, the city has become a guinea pig for modern architects and their more outlandish ideas. There's a Brutalist pyramid dotted with what looks like garden sheds; a pointed 'mountain' tower complete with exterior forest; and a pile of seven gigantic cubes, which looks like it might have been abandoned there by some monster-sized toddler.

These are all part of the Tirana 2030 Master Plan, pioneered by Italian architect Stefano Boeri (best known for Milan's Vertical Forest building), who aims to enhance the city's architecture and create a "green and accessible city for all".

Get to grips with Europe's most exciting new design capital on a street art and modern architecture tour from Tour Tirana. Over two hours, the guide will take you to all the big hitters and share the details of the city's architectural awakening. It's free, too – so you can see what you want and just tip what you can afford.

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Swap Berlin for its rival in Belgrade

According to *Lonely Planet's* top destinations for 2026, Belgrade is now the ultimate nightlife playground in Europe, knocking party hubs like Berlin and Ibiza off their podiums.

We spoke to Toby Anres at *Belgrade Nightlife Tours* (the top nightlife experience on TripAdvisor) about the best way to experience Belgrade after dark. "There is something for everyone," he says. "We have VIP offers such as limousine parties, then there are local bars with DJs and live music.

"Most regular bars shut at midnight. Then there are hidden

spots, speakeasies after that – and techno raves and electronic music afterparties until the afternoon."

Toby points out that most clubs have summer and winter stages and there are floating river clubs (Splavovi) in the hotter months.

"All the clubs, bars and restaurants spread all around Belgrade," he says. "So if you want to get the best out of a trip here for the nightlife, ideally you need a professional guide to take you to all the hidden gems and best places." Start with these top tips.

belgradenightlifetours.com

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WHERE TO PARTY IN BELGRADE

1. SAVAMALA – INDUSTRIAL-CHIC CREATIVE HUB

This gritty riverside quarter hums with artistic energy, repurposed warehouses, street art and underground clubs. Try Drugstore (pictured above and left), a dark techno temple housed in a former slaughterhouse, and Belgrade's answer to Berghain.

2. CETINJSKA (AKA DORCOLMALA) – ALTERNATIVE BAR COLLECTIVE

Once a brewery complex, Cetinjska 15 is now home to boutique bars and clubs. Pop into Zaokret for craft beer and laid-back indie vibes, then upstairs to Sprat for more DJ sets.

3. SKADARLIJA – BOHEMIAN, OLD TOWN CHARM

Cobblestone streets, traditional *kafanas* (tavernas) and live folk music define this boho quarter. Tri Šešira and Dva Jelena offer hearty Serbian food, rakija and nostalgic tunes in a historic atmosphere.

4. VRAČAR / STRAHINJIĆA BANA ('SILICONE VALLEY') – UPSCALE, TRENDY JOINTS

Strahinjića Bana Street in the Stari Grad area is lined with stylish bars for bar-hopping and socialising. Try Dorian Gray and Kandahar for dinner, well-mixed cocktails and a sophisticated crowd.



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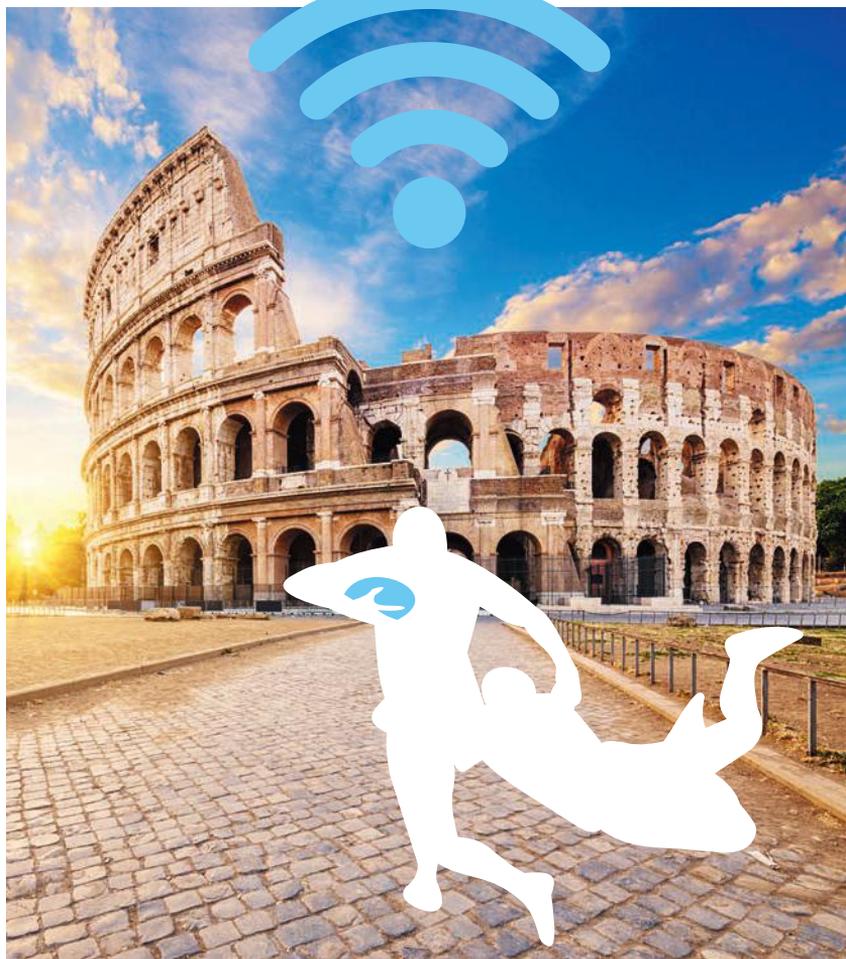
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Heading to the Eternal City for the annual Six Nations rugby tournament (7 February-7 March)? You'll be better connected than ever thanks to the introduction of free Wi-Fi in the central squares. And it's not the only way Rome is emerging as a world leader in digital tourism. Check out these futuristic ways to experience the ancient Italian capital.

❖ Access the city's new AI tour guide or 'virtual assistant' Julia who can supply you with personal itineraries or on-the-spot advice. julia.comune.roma.it

❖ Download the free AR Rome Guide app, which uses AR (augmented reality) to recreate ancient Rome from ruined sites. Just point your phone at the ruins, and you'll see accurate reconstructions of how they looked 2,000 years ago.

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DECORATE YOUR HOUSE IN BRUSSELS

One for your diaries, culture vultures: Brussels is getting ready for its own Pompidou Centre, set to open in November 2026. Known as the KANAL-Centre Pompidou (Kanal for short), the museum will be in the city's iconic Citroën garage and will showcase contemporary art by mostly Belgian artists. In the meantime, visitors to Brussels can start their own collections. From 4-8 February, check out the Affordable Art Fair Brussels 2026 at Tour & Taxis – the annual chance to snap up all kinds of accessible pieces from around €100. From 12-15 March, head to Collectible 2026, a contemporary design fair dedicated to ultra-modern interiors at the Vanderborcht Building. Or just get some inspo to turn your living space into a work of art.

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“Very few people get to represent their country”

We meet proud Greek-Cypriot singer Antigoni Buxton as she prepares to represent Cyprus at this year’s Eurovision Song Contest

 Words by Andy Hill

Picture a Cypriot taverna. Outside, the evening air is perfumed by pine, charcoal and citrus. Inside, a band shifts from a romantic ballad into something rowdier. Plates clink, cousins good-naturedly squabble and a bright-eyed young diner is hauled up to sing. She knows every word – and has the room rapt. In Stou Roushia taverna, Larnaca, Cyprus’s great Eurovision hope Antigoni Buxton is as likely to be found on stage as she is ordering more tzatziki.

You may remember Antigoni from *Love Island* season 8, but this reality star has real depth. London-raised and fiercely Greek-Cypriot, Antigoni is a BRIT School alumna who was signed to Island Records aged just 20. She cut her teeth singing late-night residencies in Athens and now fuses bouzouki with UK pop and hip-hop. And this spring, she’ll represent Cyprus at the Eurovision Song Contest, held in Vienna from 12-16 May.

“As a kid I remember squeezing round the TV with my family to watch Eurovision,” she says. “When Helena Paparizou won for Greece, a seed was planted in my mind – I thought, I’m going to do that one day.” When the call finally came late last year, she was in Soho. “I

was in a Greek café, Leon Dore. I’d just ordered a Freddo Cappuccino. As they handed it to me, my phone rang to say, ‘You’re going to Eurovision’. I started crying and jumping around like a crazy person.”

Is she nervous about singing for 160-odd million people? “Everyone keeps asking if I’m anxious, but I actually feel ready,” she says. “Very few people get to represent their country. I’m a very proud Cypriot, and I’ve been putting in so much work. I feel equipped.”

For Antigoni, Eurovision means a chance to bring the sound she’s been honing for years to the biggest stage in Europe. “I combine modern production with bouzouki and Greek-Cypriot elements,” she explains. “So this isn’t me suddenly going, ‘Oh, I’m representing Cyprus, let me make it a bit Greek.’ The Eurovision song is just a bigger, more enhanced version of what I already do.”

Language matters, too.

“Cyprus has its own dialect. There are words we only use in Cyprus, and I really wanted that flavour in the song.”

The track is mostly in English – a savvy move for Eurovision – with singalong Greek and Cypriot phrases and a title in





Cypriot dialect. It's high-energy, danceable and, she hints, "very me".

That blend of worlds is Antigoni's superpower. "I grew up in Finchley. London gave me go-getter city energy," she says. "But in Greece and Cyprus you have this saying, *sigá-sigá* – slowly, slowly. Relax, have a coffee, why are you rushing? There's something beautiful in that, but it can be frustrating too. I like that I've got both – London grit and the chiller side of Cyprus."

Ask her what Cyprus means and she goes straight to the senses. "That moment you step off the plane and the humidity hits you like a blanket," she says. "The smell of the church where we'd have my great-grandad's memorial every year when I'd visit as a child."

Afterwards, the whole clan would crowd into a taverna to eat and sing. "Music, food and family all go hand in hand in Greek culture. It's totally normal to end up on stage – if the band know you're a singer, you're not leaving without doing a song."

Her apprenticeship came in the bouzoukia clubs of Athens, where the biggest stars perform marathon weekend shows. "Doors open at midnight, the headliner might come on at two and still be singing at seven

Above Sirena Bay in Paralimni is Antigoni's favourite Cyprus beach
Below Antigoni is a force on stage having studied at the renowned BRIT School



in the morning," she grins. She spent a season opening for Nikos Vertis at a 3,000-capacity venue twice a week. "It wrecked my sleep but it was vocal and performance boot camp."

For all the graft, she's conscious of what it means to represent a homeland she didn't grow up in. "It's a known thing the children of the diaspora sometimes have more passion for the culture than the people who were born there, because we long for it," she says. "The overwhelming feeling from Cypriots, in and out of Cyprus has been really lovely. It makes me feel so emotional. Everybody is so happy for me."

As Antigoni rehearses and fine-tunes for the big night, she divulges one secret. "There's a Cypriot word we've built the track around: *Kefi*. It means a state of ecstatic joy, passion, high spirits. A zest for life."

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ANTIGONI'S TOP LARNACA TIPS

STOU ROUSHIA

A classic Larnaca taverna where Antigoni is as likely to be singing as eating. Think sheftalia in Cypriot pitta, halloumi-lountza sandwiches and buckets of tzatziki, with a live band turning dinner into a party.

MINGLE

A small, modern brunch spot she loves for Greek salad, eggs with courgette and proper Cypriot pitta souvlaki. Bright, Insta-friendly and ideal for a lazy late breakfast after a long night out.

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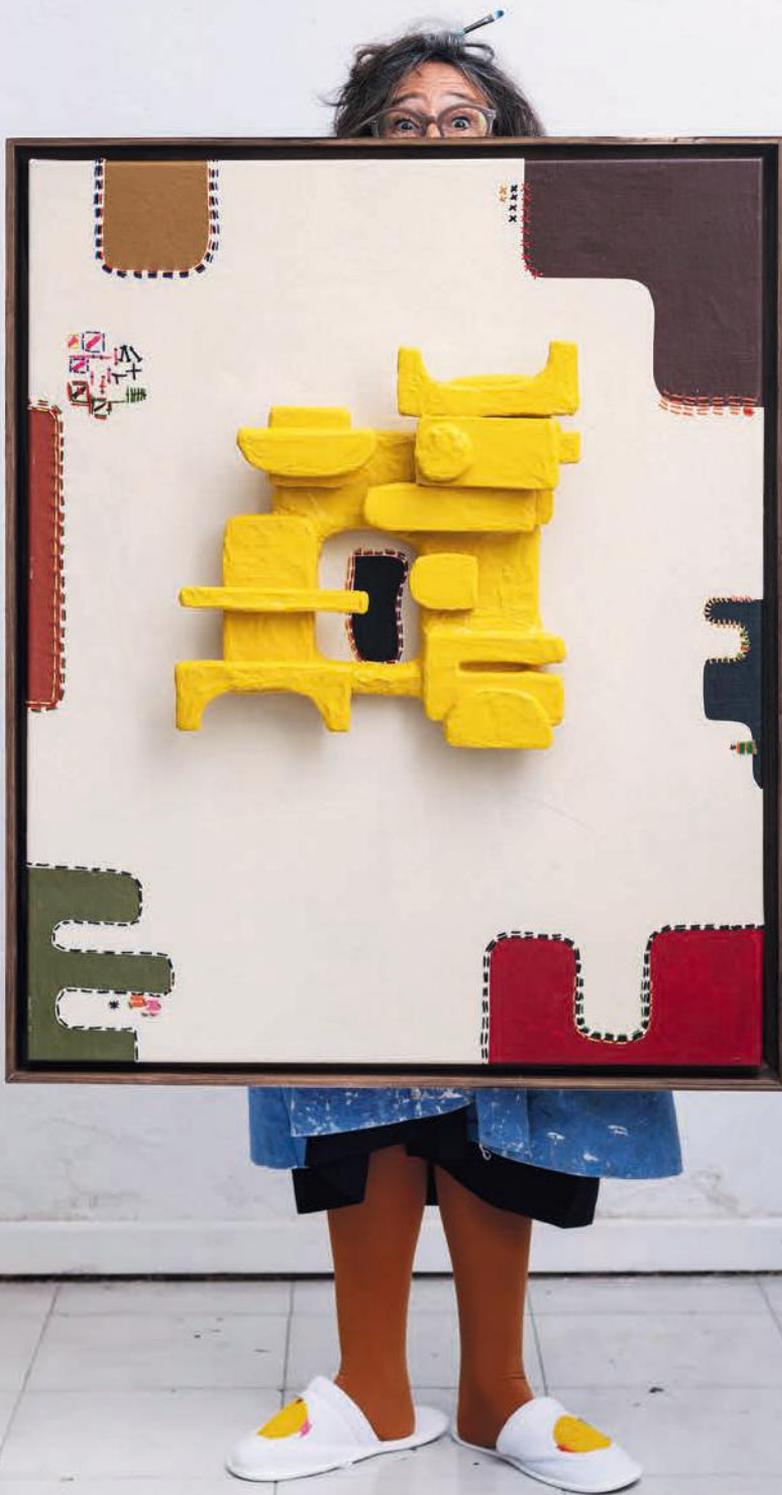
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“As a guest, you are invited into the daily life of an artist”

A group of local creatives has been given the keys to the penthouse floor of one of Barcelona’s most luxurious hotels – and the results benefit guests as much as the homegrown art scene

 Words by Florence Derrick

When gazing out from the rooftop of the Almanac Barcelona, the whole of the upscale Eixample neighbourhood is at your feet. To the east is the turquoise twinkle of the Balearic Sea, a half-hour walk straight down the Via Laietana thoroughfare. Look west and the Serra de Collserola mountain range looms beyond the city limits. And to the north are the misshapen spires of Barcelona’s most iconic and leftfield artistic project, the Sagrada Família cathedral, Antoni Gaudí’s architectural masterpiece and the quirky focal point of the Catalan city’s undulating horizon.

Barcelona’s skyline alone makes it one of Europe’s cultural capitals, but at this five-star hotel, the artistic experience only begins with the rooftop views. In October 2025, a new art floor was unveiled – an artist-designed takeover of the five art suites and one penthouse suite on the hotel’s seventh floor. The first to open displays bold, mixed-media canvases by local abstract artist Catherine Parra (pictured left).

While it’s common for luxury hotels to show art, the Almanac Barcelona’s new project takes things a step further. Each of the suites is conceptualised by a local artist who pairs a stay there with a unique experience they host themselves. For example, guests in Catherine’s suite visit her studio and are given the opportunity to take home a secret artwork she has hidden in the room herself.

The programme is on offer until the end of March, with the art suites bookable for at least a year longer. Signed artworks, craft workshops and commissioned works are for sale from six artists: Catherine Parra, Alex Voinea, Mariona Espinet, Vasty, Gastón Lisak and Jimmy Millán.

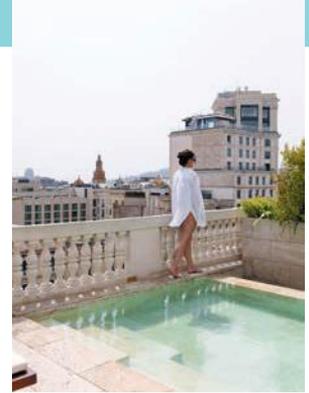
Throughout each month of the programme, a new suite has been added, with a guest experience attached. In February, conceptual artist Gastón Lisak unveils his, which displays his *Arqueologia Mundana* pieces – time capsules made by pouring liquid plastic over a selection of items, letting it solidify and preserving them. The associated guest experience is to go to a local flea market, collect some unremarkable objects and create your very own time capsule to represent your stay in Barcelona, Gastón style.

“Through *Arqueologia Mundana*, I explore everyday objects from an altered perspective,” explains Gastón, of the project. “The familiar becomes strange, colour fades into white, ugliness transforms into beauty, and noise dissolves into silence.” It’s a fairly accurate summary of the experience of staying in an Almanac Barcelona art suite, where the bustle of the city fades around you, and clean white walls and linens contrast with objects of unexpected beauty.

It’s one of the Almanac hotel group’s core principles to always work with local designers, architects and producers, but there’s a political element to its focus on collaborating with



Clockwise from far left
Pieces by Alex Voinea and Catherine Parra; rooftop views; art by Gastón Lisak and Jimmy Millán; the hotel exterior; work by Vasty and Mariona Espinet

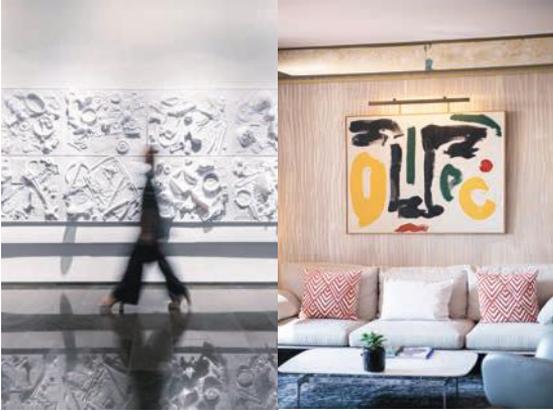


local artists here. In recent years, Barcelona has regularly made international headlines for protests against overtourism, which some residents blame for a housing crisis and rising living costs. Emerging artists can be particularly affected by soaring rents, and from a visitor's perspective, Barcelona's art galleries get booked up long in advance and are just as overcrowded as iconic sites like Park Güell, which now has a daily visitor limit in place.

Last year, Barcelona's tourism authority teamed up with its museums to create Barcelona Art Season – a quality-over-quantity approach to attracting tourists keen to engage in the city's cultural scene. Along with big exhibitions in the works, the initiative promises major public investment in the National Museum of Catalan Art (MNAC) and the Museum of Contemporary Art of Barcelona. It's a similar approach to that of the Almanac Barcelona, which scales things down to a micro level, giving local artists an unprecedented opportunity to display and sell their work while engaging intimately with international consumers of fine art.

"Art and business should build stronger connections to create more engaging spaces,





without ever losing the soul and energy that artists bring,” says Gastón. “What makes this particular experience unique is that, as a guest, you are invited into the daily life of an artist – becoming part of their creative process. In the end, when the artwork finds its place in your home or space, it carries with it the memory of that shared moment.”

2026 is set to be a big year for arts and culture in Barcelona. The centenary of Antoni Gaudí’s death coincides with the scheduled completion of the Sagrada Família, after 144 years under construction. A new contemporary art gallery opened at Gaudí’s Casa Batlló in January, and there will be 1,500 citywide events celebrating Barcelona’s status as the UNESCO-UIA World Capital of Architecture 2026. The Almanac’s new art floor is an example of how hotels in Barcelona are attempting to address issues created by overtourism by homing in on the local art world and forging creative collaborations, while still celebrating Barcelona’s importance on the global cultural scene.

“Almanac Barcelona’s art floor offers travellers a meaningful alternative to the queues and crowds,” says Sandra Jiménez, general manager at the hotel. “By bringing the work of local artists directly into our suites and creating opportunities for guests to engage with them, we’re not only easing pressure on the city’s most-visited museums, but ensuring that the economic value of tourism flows straight back into the creative community.”

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“It’s mid-afternoon but there’s a 3am feeling”

This spring, Nuremberg’s legendary Techno Train returns for another eight-hour rave through the Bavarian countryside. But it’s not for the faint of heart...



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Words by Jamie Fullerton

Entry to the Techno Train is won with a fast trigger finger. The train's online ticket drop, announced solely through social media, arrives while I'm poised in a praying mantis position, staring at my phone, ready. Page refresh, click, click... success. Within a minute all the other tickets – around 700 in total – are sold. My next challenge? To survive nine hours on what could be the most hedonistic train ride in the world.

Fast forward a few months to a sunny lunchtime outside Nürnberg Frankenstadion station on the outskirts of Nuremberg. I'm queuing for the train, wearing standard German nightclub attire – dressed all in black – but I needn't have been so conservative. Plenty of the Techno Train's soon-to-be passengers are unbuttoning neon shirts or strapping leather harnesses around their chests.

Organised by the Nuremberg nightclub Haus 33, the Techno Train first ran in 2019, largely as a mobile party for the club's regulars. A train was hired, sound systems and DJ booths were installed into carriages, bars were stocked with beer and Club-Mate soda, and the ultimate rave train was unleashed – pumping nosebleed techno around the Bavarian countryside before returning to the city.

Footage of railway ravers in shuddering, strobe-lit carriages went viral. Soon people from beyond Germany started joining the Haus 33 hardcore on the Techno Train, which now usually runs twice a year, with tickets costing around €100. As I take a seat in a 'chill-out zone' – one of the few carriages without massive speakers strapped to its ceiling – I hear English, Indian, Scottish and French accents among the German.

"The best thing about it is the people," says Vincent, a 22 year-old Nuremberg-based techno





obsessive in wraparound sunglasses. He's ridden the Techno Train before, as has his smiling, bearded friend Benedict, who gives some sage advice: "Use the toilets early."

We cheer as the train starts moving, then I follow the sound of a diaphragm-rattling beat to the next carriage. Nuremberg-based DJ Es.Ka is on the decks. The carriage windows have been blacked out, and low red lights illuminate a crowd of fluttering, raised hands. It's mid-afternoon but there's already a 3am feeling.

Timm Schirmer, one of Haus 33's resident DJs, who also helps organise the Techno Train, is scheduled to play a set later. "While you're DJ-ing, the train can make turns or slow down. It's such an unusual feeling," Timm says. "When you're dancing it can feel like you're at sea, because you can't always see that you're moving."

Yet the surreal movement on the Techno Train feels more like fun than seasickness. As the sun sets, I move to a DJ carriage with open windows and enjoy blasts of fresh Bavarian air as hummingbird heartbeat-paced techno blasts around me. "The music is dark," says Vincent, the Haus 33 regular I met earlier. "But when you look outside there's this soft view. I love the difference."

As we trundle past dainty villages, grinning children on garden swings exchange waves with ravers poking heads out of windows. Timm says that despite the friendly reception from locals, getting permissions to run the train is tough. Organisers need authorisation from the various jurisdictions it passes through on its 100km route from Nuremberg to the city of Würzburg, then back again. "It's really expensive," he says. "You can't make money from this."

With no corporate sponsorship or marketing beyond social media buzz, the Techno Train is an underground success story in a national club

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the challenge NUREMBERG



scene that needs more wins. Recent techno news in Germany has often been about clubs closing, under pressure from property development and rising living costs.

Also, says Timm: “Bavaria is really, really conservative. It’s the opposite of Berlin – in Bavaria it’s really hard to do good parties. We’re lucky to have hype on Instagram and TikTok. When you don’t have this, you’re going bankrupt.”

Eight hours after boarding the Techno Train, I return to the blacked-out carriage for one last burst of dancing. Energy levels are still high, although some ravers have tapped out, sprawling on chairs and cooling their faces with handheld fans. Transport rules dictate that there must be a seat for every passenger, so it’s never a problem to find a moment of rest away from the sticky-floored, ever-moving dancefloors.

The Techno Train pulls back up to Nuremberg and passengers reluctantly step out. Timm Schirmer is stuffing DJ equipment into his backpack.

“Coming to the afterparty?” he asks.

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Boards of

Santander



In northern Spain, this port city is becoming increasingly known for its well-established surf scene. Now, standup paddleboarding (SUP) offers a calmer, more accessible way to explore the dramatic coastline



Clockwise from left Guide and local sports hero Saul Viadero; our writer's SUP class heads into the waters off Santander; the ferry to Somo

It's past sunset when we push out from the slipway with the low evening tide. We glide almost silently under the Somo-Pedreña road bridge and out through the Ría de Cubas estuary, where the Miera River meets the sea, just in time to see the streetlamps of Santander come on across the bay. I'd be more entranced by the city's glowing reflection if I wasn't trying to keep my balance on a standup paddleboard (SUP), against a quickening wind that makes the surface pretty choppy.

A passing ferry creates a wake I have to brace for, bending my knees to absorb the pulse that lifts the board beneath me. The trick is to look straight ahead, says my guide Saul Viadero. "If you look down at the water, that's where you'll go." But he wants me to look around too, "to enjoy the marine environment", which is to Saul the point and pleasure of SUP. Behind us rise the twilight peaks and pines of Cantabria's coastal mountains. Before us lies

Santander city centre, built to resist the elements on the sheltered inner edge of the Magdalena Peninsula. The city's own golden urban beach and only central surf and SUP spot, El Sardinero, glints with the last of the day's light.

To the east, around the estuarial bend, is Somo Beach, a short ride from the city on a small ferry that looks more like a tugboat. That's where Saul first learned to surf the smooth, steep, near-sculptural waves that barrel in from the Bay of Biscay. Many years later he's a veteran instructor there at the country's first and best-known surf academy, the Escuela Cántabra de Surf, though SUP has since become his core passion. A student like myself can take both in the same day, if the weather is right.



Santander is known for its stunning natural bays, fresh seafood pinchos and palatial architecture. But in recent decades the northern Spanish city has become Spain's unofficial surfing capital, with prime spots



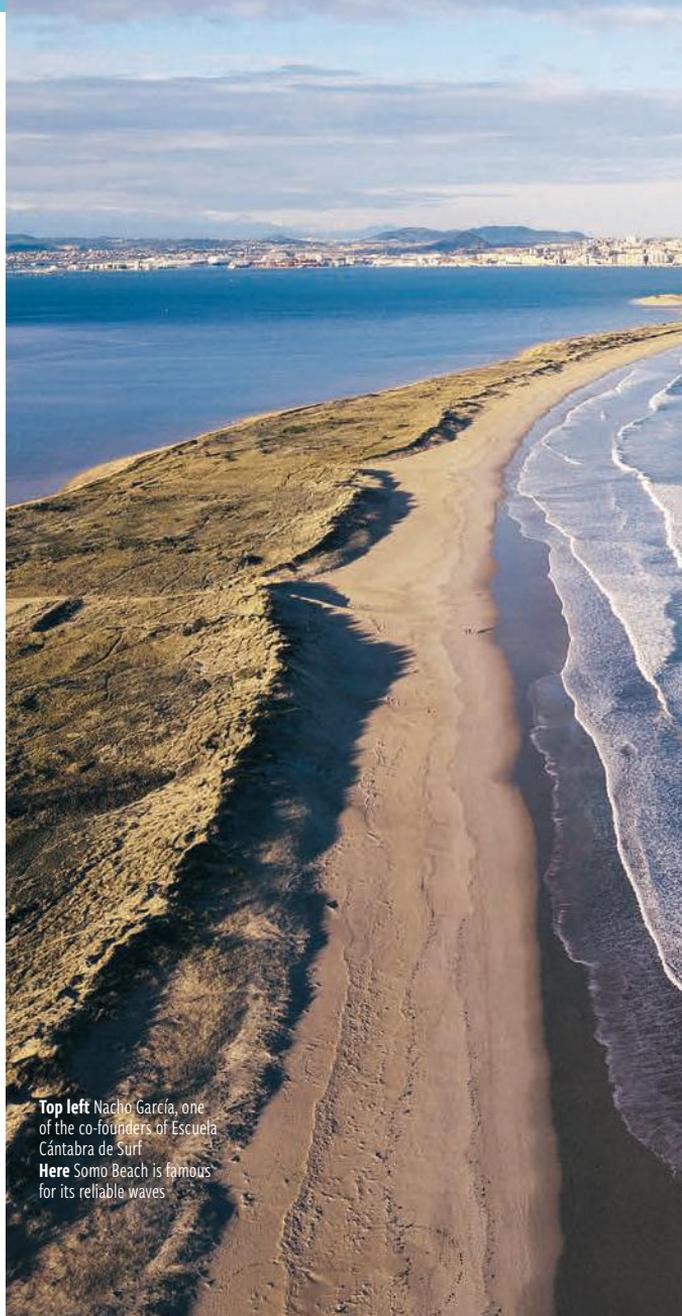


Santander has become Spain's unofficial surf and SUP capital

within a few miles of the city including Liencres and Berria. Somo is the nexus, beloved for its reliable waves, and SUP has lately opened up the local waterways for gentler, more beginner-friendly exploration.

"I much prefer paddling to surfing," says Saul. "It's such a different way to be in the water, and it lets you disconnect from everything else." While the SUP experience can be peaceful, Saul also goes in for serious feats of endurance. The SUP Endurance Championship is held at Somo each July, and to compete means paddling for 24 hours straight, passing his hometown, Noja, and other beaches known for big waves, like El Ris and El Brusco. Saul has placed second and third in that event.

A local sporting hero, he's just the guy you want leading a SUP excursion. He's a strapping fellow, built like a logger, with a steady presence and a Zen-like way of correcting your stance on the board and grip on the paddle - especially for a rusty former surfer like myself. "My students cannot fall," says Saul. Right on cue, I shift my position slightly and my whole board tips up and out from under me. A tiny adjustment, a



Top left Nacho García, one of the co-founders of Escuela Cántabra de Surf
Here Somo Beach is famous for its reliable waves



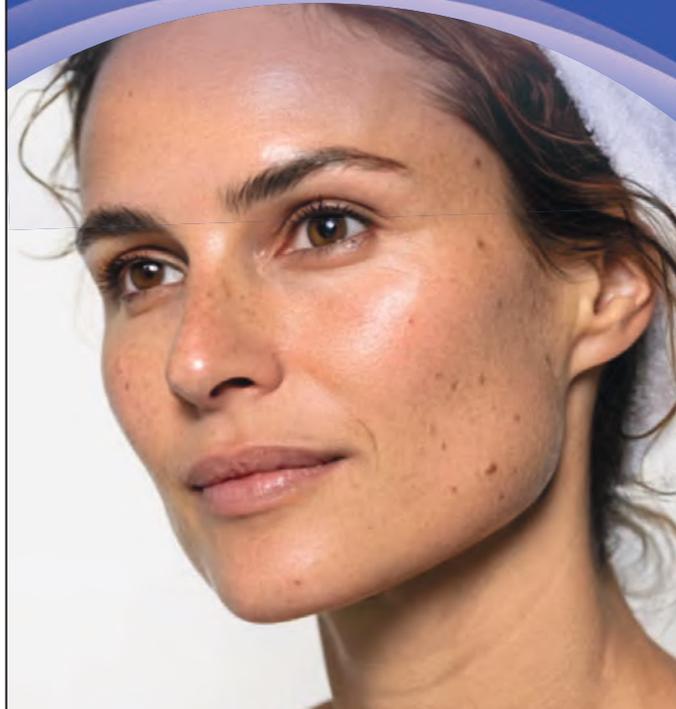
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spectacular error. I drop like an anchor into Santander Bay. It's very cold, sure, but maybe not as bad as you'd expect – at least when you're wearing neoprene booties and a 5/4mm wetsuit. At the time of my dunking it's close to midwinter, which is low season here on Spain's Atlantic coast. The summer crowds have long since cleared out and the locals hunker down as heavy winds and rains roll over the seascape. But there are many bright, clear spells too, and the waves tend to be sturdiest from October to April, drawing keen surfers to the water.

We join them the next morning, which brings optimal conditions to Somo Beach: blue skies, a mild breeze and powerful swells, perfect for surfing. One street back from that long stretch of honey-coloured sand is the Escuela Cantabria de Surf, where co-founder Nacho García tells me they get about 320 'surfable days' per year in this spot. Part of Nacho's mission is to make people understand that the colder, quieter months can be the best time to come. “Look, you have the beach to yourself.”

The school he founded here with his older brother David “Capi” García in 1991 was the first

APRÈS-SURF IN SANTANDER

Somo Beach has good spots for seafood, Hawaiian-style pizza or locally sourced beef burgers after hitting the waves, but the short ferry ride to Santander brings you to some of Northern Spain's best bars, restaurants and taverns.

Bodega Cigaleña

A 1940s landmark that abides as a “museum of wine”, gorgeously brocaded in ornate glass, iron and woodwork. Order a bottle of local albariño (white) or garnacha (red) to pair with house specials like hake with clams, monkfish with kimchi, or wild boar stew. And for a digestif, try a shot of *orujo* – the clear pomace brandy that fortifies fishermen in these parts, and warms up winter surfers very nicely. cigalena.com

Vermutería Solórzano

Just behind the waterfront, this beautifully tiled and painted bar first opened in 1941, specialising in cask-drawn house vermouth and small plates like Gilda pintxo (salty, tangy skewers of olive, anchovy and pickled green Ibarra chilli pepper). barsolorzano.com

Bodega Fuente De

Trusted, beloved and almost always packed, this unfussy crowd-pleaser bangs out platters of Cantabrian cheeses, lamb chops and salt cod, but the true house special is *cocido lebaniego* – a rib-sticking stew of chickpeas, potatoes, cabbage and mixed meats. bodegafuentede.com





Top left Views of Santander from surfer beach Somo
Here the lush, sun-kissed streets of Santander



of its kind in this country. Born in Santander, they spent their youth as “beach rats” at Somo. Their own parents taught them to surf here, having been among the first generation to ride *plankis* (surfboards) in Cantabria alongside fellows like Jesús Fiochi – the pioneer credited with bringing the first modern fibreglass board to this coast from Biarritz in the 1960s.

Now, after what Nacho calls “35 seasons of hard work”, their school is also a gear rental shop, a surfwear boutique, and a reception area for the hostel and cabins where they accommodate guests for weekend breaks and summer training camps. The village around it has steadily transformed into a Spanish equivalent of big wave communities on Maui or Bali, clustered with cafés, pubs and burger joints that bear the word ‘surfer’ on their signs.

“We’re proud to have put Somo on the map for a lot of people,” says Nacho. The surrounding region, known as Ribamontán al Mar, was designated Spain’s first surf reserve in 2012, a largely symbolic title that might yet ward off the

“The local economy has grown with these waves, this natural resource that is infinite in theory. But we have to protect it”

From top to bottom
Surfing instructor Alvaro
Herrera puts newbie wave-
riders through their paces



kind of development that has tarnished other surf breaks from the Canaries to Mexico. “The local economy has grown with these waves, this natural resource that is infinite, in theory. But we have to protect it.”

The family business, meanwhile, has broadened out from surfing to SUP, which Nacho calls “another angle of attack”, expanding their domain into the river mouth and other, calmer waters. If the sea is flat enough, you can also paddle out to the islands of Santa Marina (a former colony for monks, now deserted) or Mouro, where a cave system forms a navigable tunnel right through to the far side. But when the sea is high, some experts now combine the disciplines to SUP-surf on modified boards, using the paddle as a manual rudder and power-steering tool.

It’s something close to what the early Hawaiians used to do: the very origins of surfing as we know it, though it’s not for beginners like myself. Not for Monica Gomez either, who was



“When you touch the water, there's so much adrenaline you want to scream like a kid”



Far left and below
Monica Gomez
reacquaints herself
with surfing
Left Surfboards at
Escuela Cantabra
de Surf

born and raised in Santander and took some lessons there at El Sardinero as a teenager. “But the waves are usually better at Somo,” she tells me. Back in town for a while, she’s been crossing the bay to catch them almost every day this week, trying to pick up where she left off.

“I thought I’d forget,” says Monica, “but it’s coming back. When you take a wave that hasn’t broken yet, and touch that wall of water, there’s so much adrenaline you want to scream like a kid.”

This is just what I want to hear as I head out for my own lesson. I surfed a little in my backpacking youth, and I’d love to think it’s not too late, though instructor Alvaro Herrera warns that advancing years (and increasing bodyweight) can really work against you in this sport.

Even with Alvaro holding my board steady, pushing it onto the breakers, and telling me when to pop up, I move like a potato on a butterknife. On top of my physical liabilities, I’m naturally resistant to claims made for surfing as a spiritual exercise too. But, it’s also true that one good wave is enough to give you hope, or even faith. Just a few seconds can feel like light years: rising, standing, walking on water.

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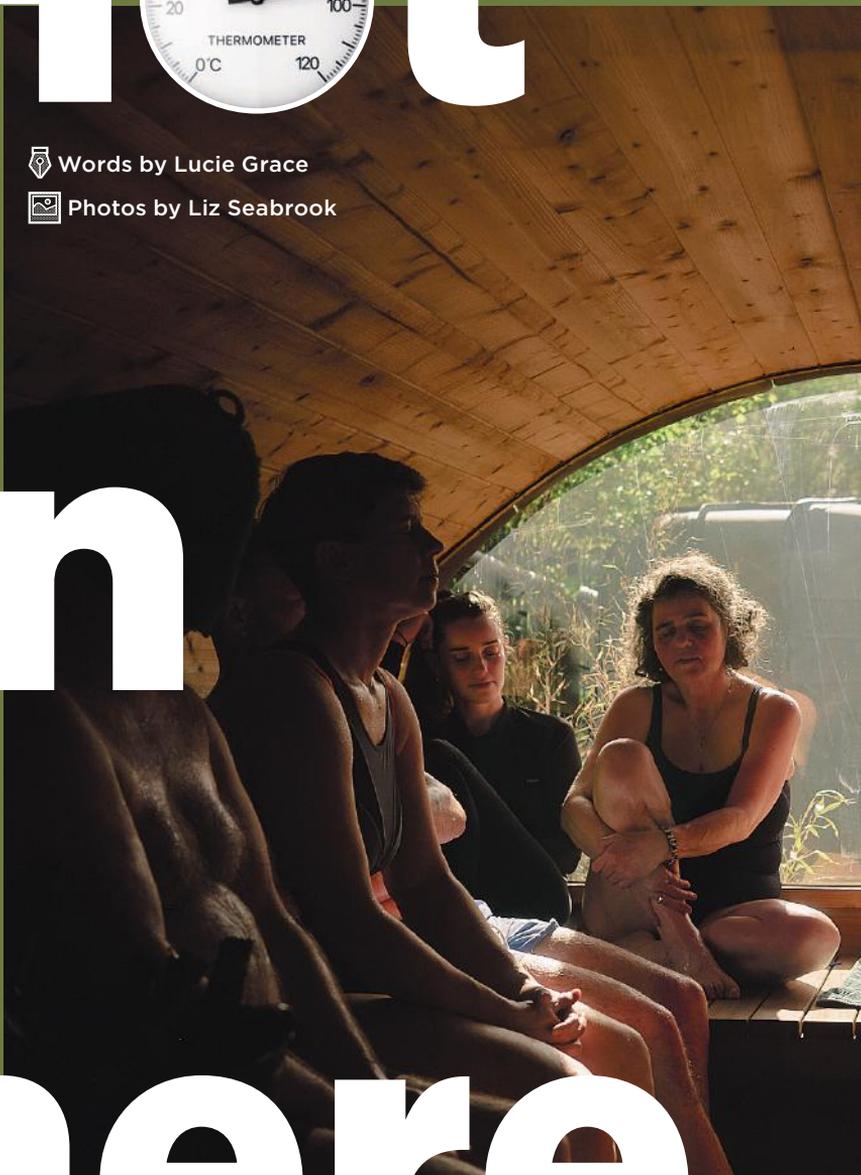
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The UK is experiencing a post-pandemic sauna boom. In London, community spaces – and a dedicated festival this spring – are making sauna culture accessible to all



Pink-faced, blissful and coated in sweat, I'm desperate to dunk myself in bracing cold water. I've just been on a journey of heat, steam and incredible scent. Known as *pirts*, the Latvian sauna ritual saw me tapped, smacked and brushed with venik bundles of oak, linden and birch leaves. Baltic sauna tradition is a spiritual thing, rooted in a belief of gods of fire, water and earth coming together. I understand why as I emerge from the cold plunge, reborn. Sauna master Mon Klavins wraps me in blankets and I rest, reflecting on how beautiful life can be. But I'm not in Riga. This is Hackney Wick, in the east end of London.

The UK isn't the first place in Europe you think of when it comes to sauna culture, but the country is experiencing a colossal boom, with some 45 open to the public in early 2023 increasing to over 200 saunas by 2025 – particularly in its capital city, London.

The site of my ritual, Hackney Community Sauna Baths, was one of the pioneers, serendipitously built in the yard of an Art Deco, former public baths building. The stoves here were first fired in 2021, stoking London's bathing renaissance years ahead of the curve. The garden is like a playground, with toy dinosaurs perched between the ferns that line six cold plunges, surrounded by seven saunas.

The largest of the wood stove-heated saunas is three-tiered Saunaverse. The name hints at its backstory: the sauna was built for The Saunaverse Festival, which launched in 2023 at Hackney Community Sauna Baths (or CSB for short) and is now a permanent fixture here.

The fifth edition of this joyful sweat fest is back on 18-19 April at Hackney CSB, and promises to be bigger, sweatier and jollier than ever. Two 12-hour days of unlimited sauna, cold plunges, hot tub soaks, music, dance,

Clockwise from above
Hackney Community Sauna Baths offers everything from whisky barrel plunge pools to seven sauna huts where you can work up a sweat

A wooden sauna with a shingled exterior. A sign above the door reads "Malke". The interior is dark, showing a person's legs and feet on a wooden bench. The sauna is built with light-colored wood shingles. A small black vent is visible on the right side of the exterior wall.

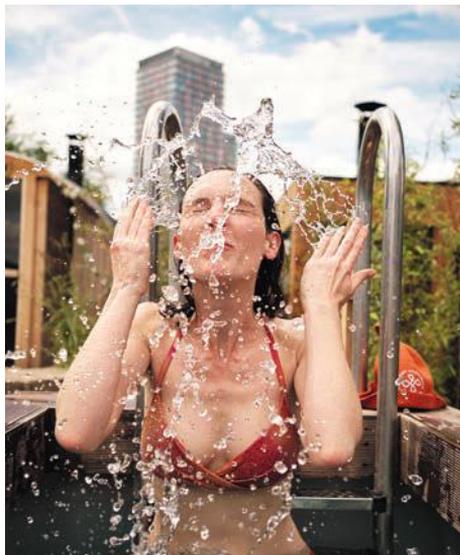
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“We’re giving an insight into sauna cultures from across the world”



This page The Community Sauna Baths in Hackney Wick and Stratford, and the Saunaverse Festival (right)



workshops, sauna rituals and revelry will be held over the weekend.

“In the UK, we are defining our own sauna culture as we go along,” says Saunaverse founder Tom de Wilton. An engineer by training and sauna builder by trade, Tom is brimming with excitement for the next instalment of his gathering that sees 350 attendees per day float around the yard in colourful dry robes and sauna hats, rotating between having a sweat and vibing to the tunes.

“We’re giving an insight into sauna cultures from across the world, in a little micropocket in London,” he continues, explaining how *aufguss* (the German-born practice of wafting hot air and aromatherapy oils around a music filled sauna), *whisking* (a Baltic and Eastern European ritual of tapping and cleansing guests with leaves and branches) and sound baths (Tibetan





bowls and other instruments played inside the sauna) are just a few of the rituals that bring attendees to the yard, with eager punters queuing up before the session is due to start.

What started out as a festival full of sauna industry professionals and Hackney locals is growing with the same momentum as Britain's insatiable love for all things sauna. Global wellness is now worth an astonishing €5 trillion and is being driven by younger generations, who see mindful, therapeutic treatments as part of their daily routine rather than an occasional treat. The rapidly rising wellness market was boosted by the Covid pandemic – which underpinned a greater interest in mental and physical health – and Millennials and Gen Z are increasingly behind more fun ways of exploring the benefits of heat therapies.

“We’re hoping to convert a new wave of sauna goers,” says



SOAK IT UP

London hotels aren't generally well-equipped with sauna stoves, but these stays are on top of wellness in travel

The Shangri-La at The Shard

On the 52nd floor of London's tallest building, the spa at this elevated stay has absolutely incredible views of the city below, from the aptly named Sky Sauna and Sky Pool.

shangri-la.com

The Landmark

This vast heritage property in Marylebone has a suitably luxurious spa suite with a chlorine-free indoor swimming pool, Jacuzzi and sanarium steam room awaiting.

landmarklondon.co.uk

The Rubens at the Palace

Heritage properties don't come finer than this sumptuous hotel beside the Royal Mews, who've partnered with AIRE Ancient Baths, Charing Cross to give hotel guests VIP soak and steam perks.

rubenshotel.com



Here You can try a traditional *parenie* at Banya no.1 Hoxton
Below Tunes at the Saunaverse Festival



SWEAT BOX

The sauna boom spreads far and wide across the UK, with more than 200 to visit on Britain's coast, in its forests and on the shores of glassy lakes and lochs

Hot Tottie, Luss

North of Glasgow,

This cosy barrel sauna stares out over majestic Ben Lomond and is perched on the shores of Loch Lomond, the serene lake which you can dunk in after.

hot-tottie.com

The Wild Sauna, Cherington

An award-winning, unfathomably pretty sauna and hot tub sanctuary shrouded by trees and wildflowers, on the banks of a babbling brook near The Cotswolds.

whichfordmill.co.uk

Beach Box, Brighton

Pioneers in the scene, this longstanding outfit sits on the pebbles of Brighton beach – a cluster of saunas, cold plunges and a fire pit, where regular events and rituals are held.

beachboxspa.co.uk



“We are hoping to convert a new wave of sauna goers”

Tom, who enjoys seeing people come for the DJs and stay for the heat. “The hope is they’re getting a great sauna experience, have a boogie and become sauna lovers.”

Music is a big part of the festival, with chilled acoustic sounds in the morning and progressively dance-y evenings. Beers are on sale and there’s one ‘clothing optional’ sauna tucked away for the traditionalists.

If that doesn’t sound very British to you, you’d be right. Tom is championing beers and clothing optional saunas, found in Finland and central Europe, to offer an authentic experience. And he’s

not the only one in London who’s this committed. While community saunas are all the rage, there’s a handful of sweaty spaces who’ve been flying the flag for decades, some surviving from the early 20th century’s bath house era – when Londoners didn’t have running water at home – while others brought global bathing culture to London. Banya No.1 in Hoxton is one of the latter and is authentically Slavic, with refreshments – whether that’s beer or *kvass* (fermented, probiotic like kombucha) – an essential part of the experience. Having plugged the hospitality element of heat therapy for 14 years, founder Andrei Fomin says that increasingly Gen Z groups are visiting his establishment, where the star treatment is a euphoric *parenie* (a Russian form of whisking, where you’re beaten with silver birch twigs by two sauna masters in 70°C heat).

All of a sudden, you’re spoilt for choice when it comes to getting a sweat on in London. Read on for our favourite new sauna spots in London.

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1. ROOFTOP SAUNAS HACKNEY

Sweeping views of London's cityscape are the USP at these cabin saunas, an oasis of calm up on the roof of Netil House in east London. But if the views alone aren't enough to tempt you, then privacy might be – each little sauna is bookable for four friends (or solo).

Price: From £16.50pp

2. SAUNOS SAUNA, ISLINGTON

This luxurious Finnish style sauna and cold plunge pool is built into a big Dutch barge, floating in a canal near Angel. Gazing out of the windows at boats, joggers and maybe even a kayak passing by is all part of the charm.

Price: £20 for 45 minutes

3. SAUNA SOCIAL CLUB, PECKHAM

The carefully curated ambient music has put this friendly space on the map, along with its cosy living room vibes that you don't initially expect, given its train arch exterior. It's one for music lovers who want clubbing community vibes without the alcohol and late nights.

Price: Ambient Sauna = £24.99, Essential Sauna = £14.99

4. WALTHAMSTOW COMMUNITY SAUNA

The latest outpost from the CSB team is worth the pilgrimage on the Victoria Line simply to try out their large, octagonal sauna, designed with Aufguss in mind. There's a meaty programme of sauna rituals on the calendar, but if that's not your thing, their chilled out garden and sauna spaces are just the zen you need.

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5. SKUNA SAUNA, CANARY WHARF

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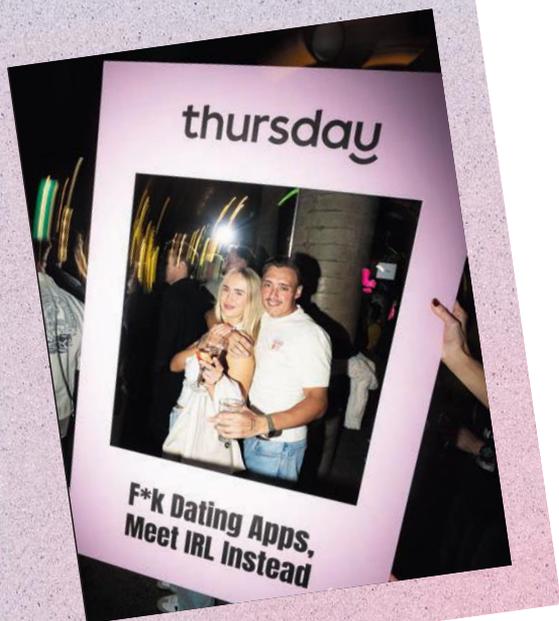


Dating app burnout is real, with more people ditching the apps in favour of singles-only group trips. We go to the City of Love to see what's driving the return to in-person dating – and how apps are bridging the gap between online and IRL

 Words by JD Shadel

 Illustrations by Marcos Montiel





It's 7.57pm, and my time-blocked tickets expire in three minutes' time. I'm on my way to a singles-only event hosted by Thursday – a dating platform known for its events held in packed bars, dinners, running clubs and group holidays – with my newly single friend, Celine. We're running late.

We've just power-walked across the second arrondissement in snazzy but impractical date-night shoes, dodging couples strolling hand-in-hand past glowing shopfronts and shadowy covered passages. There's real romcom energy in Paris that makes you hope you'll bump into a handsome stranger who changes the course of your life – even as a queer person at a straight dating event organised by an algorithm.

We step into the industrial-chic Mira Bar in the techy Sentier neighbourhood, nicknamed Silicon Sentier for its concentration of startups. On one side of the room, against an exposed-brick wall, women in their 20s and 30s chat amongst themselves. On the other side, bachelors sit alone in leather chairs, nursing pints. But as the bar fills up, the energy shifts from awkward school dance to concrete club with a hi-fi sound system, and we're soon shouting in each other's ears to be heard.

In Paris – like in almost every city on the planet – singles aren't feeling the spark for dating apps like they once did. In the mid 2020s, we've come a long way since the controversial and exciting early days of dating app culture, made

mainstream by Grindr in 2009 and the infamous invention of swiping by Tinder, three years later. But nowadays, whether you call it swipe fatigue or app burnout, young daters are increasingly turning to more old-fashioned ways of meeting potential matches in real life.

"Dating app burnout is a very real phenomenon," says Dr. Liesel Sharabi, an Arizona State University associate professor who studies how dating apps shape relationships. A recent study she co-authored followed dating app users over time, finding they felt more "emotionally exhausted" and "ineffective" the longer they stayed on them. Meanwhile, a 2025 health survey by *Forbes* found that 78% of respondents feel emotionally, mentally or physically exhausted by dating apps. The surface-level novelty of swiping left or right seems to have decidedly worn off. While complaints about being single are as old as time, leading researchers confirm that dating apps have introduced new psychological stressors.

"Dating apps create environments with high degrees of choice, which may lead to decision fatigue, repeated experiences of rejection, and a range of other stressors that can all contribute to burnout," Dr. Sharabi explains. "People are getting tired of endless swiping, dead-end conversations, and disappointing first dates. I think it makes



“People are getting tired of endless swiping and dead-end conversations”

sense that apps are trying to facilitate more IRL interactions as a way of combating the burnout.”

From online to IRL

This kind of fatigue is part of what drove Thursday to shut down their dating app, initially launched in New York and London with a clever gimmick: users could only access the app one day a week before matches disappeared. Yet, “the world just didn’t need another dating app,” co-founder Matthew McNeill Love admits. “However you dress it up, you’re just connecting people online based on looks.”

After hosting its first in-person meetup in east London, which drew an unexpectedly massive crowd, Thursday pivoted entirely to IRL events. “We made single events cool,” Matthew tells me. “It sounds very arrogant, but it’s true. Before us, there was mostly just speed dating,



and dating events had a negative connotation.” Whether or not Thursday reinvented the wheel, they’ve certainly scaled it: 150 cities in 18 months suggests they’ve tapped into something genuine. IRL dating isn’t new, of course. But following over a decade of app culture dominating the global dating scene, not to mention a years-long pandemic that kept us all cooped up, the so-called experience economy is now trending. While group travel companies targeting solo travellers are increasingly popular and plentiful, like WeRoad and Much Better Adventures, there’s now a new breed of reality TV-esque matchmaking holidays on the scene.

The corner of the travel market catering to singles is rapidly expanding: think skiing in the French Alps and yacht trips to Croatia. And somewhat ironically, they’re held increasingly by dating platforms like Thursday – while local in-person events are on the rise, too, held by the likes of Feeld which caters to singles, non-monogamous couples and kinky communities.

At this new wave of events, travellers and locals are doing something that feels increasingly rare: awkwardly chatting up strangers at the bar. And on this frigid evening at Thursday’s regular Paris event, I’m one such awkward stranger.

Celine and I aren’t the only first-timers here. Everyone I talk to is at their first Thursday event, and there’s one thing we all agree on: we’re tired of dating apps. But meeting people in real life isn’t a cakewalk, either.

“Dating apps feel like they’re designed to keep you single, but talking to people in a normal bar kind of makes me feel like a creep,” says Mo, a 20-something startup employee. “I like this because all the girls are single and want to talk to guys.” Events like this seem to be a midway point between the two extremes of meeting online, versus showing up to a random bar in the





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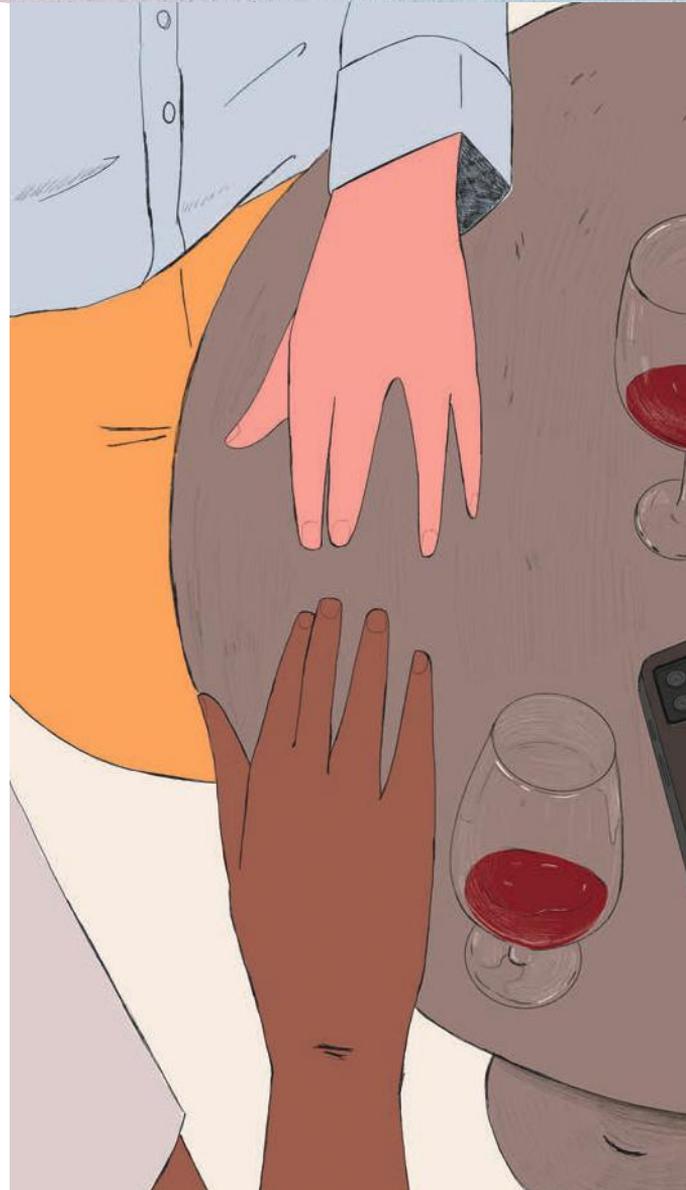
hope of meeting someone there. And this more sophisticated use of dating apps has younger generations written all over it.

“Gen Z is leading this shift. They’re embracing IRL spaces more than any other group, and it shows in our growth,” says Maceo Keeling, experiential marketing manager at Feeld, which began hosting global events in 2022 after observing that users wanted dedicated spaces to meet off the app. “We’ve grown 89% year over year with Gen Z specifically, and events continue to be a major touchpoint for them. Interestingly, we have noticed travellers using Feeld events to find community and dates while they’re on vacation or already travelling.”

Matchmaking on tour

Thursday is best known for bar nights like the one I attend in Paris, but they’re now doubling down on their group trips for singles. Last year, Thursday’s third ski trip in the French Alps quickly sold out 500 slots. For 2026, they’ve doubled capacity to more than 1,000, with people from around 40 countries travelling to Val d’Isère – a high-altitude resort near the Italian border known for serious skiing and serious après-ski – for a seven-night takeover from 21-28 March.

“We take over the whole town. It’s kind of like a festival, but everyone is there to talk in real life,” says Matthew. The vibe is unabashedly rowdy: club nights, gondola raves, snowball fights. But it also has some romantic moments baked in, including speed dating on the Chairlift of Love, where you talk on the ride up then ski down together.





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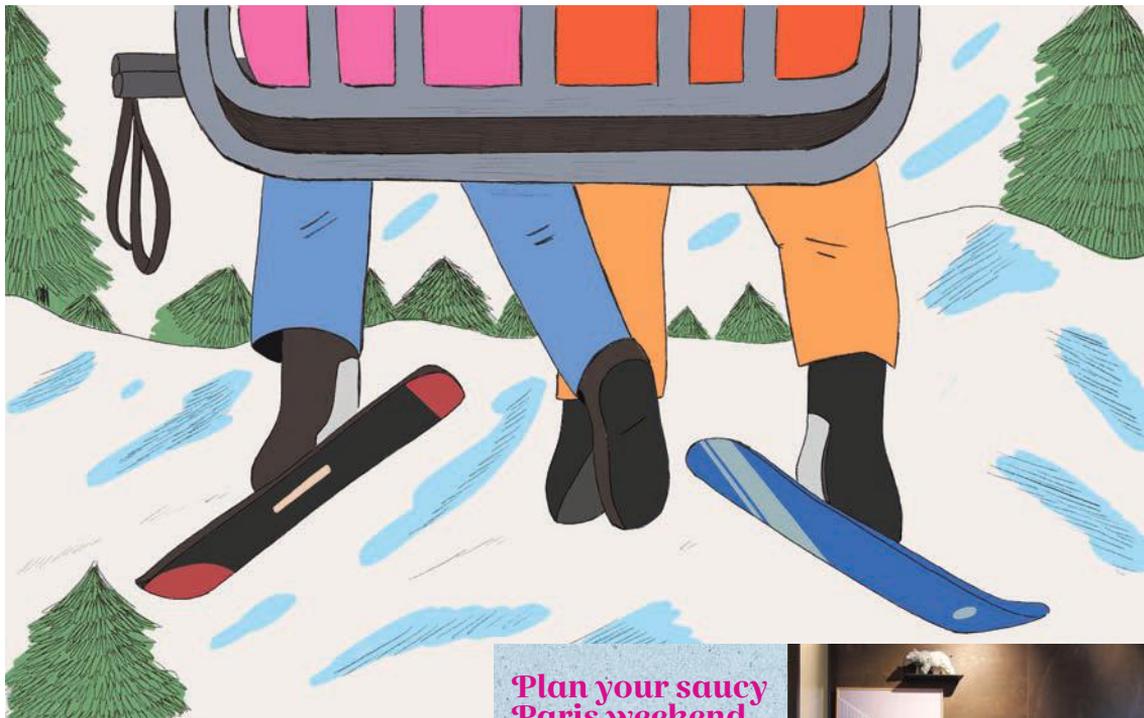
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Back at Mira Bar in Paris, several people tell me they're considering buying tickets for the ski trip. Celine, on the other hand, prefers climbing mountains and running marathons to raving on the slopes. Luckily for her, dating platforms are one step ahead, with Thursday planning to also roll out other, more intimate events soon.

"I can't say exactly what just yet, but there will be slightly more niche activity-based trips," says Matthew. "Hiking in certain parts of the world, wild camping and fishing."

Maybe you'll soon be fishing for love with an actual reel or grappling with the performance anxiety of speed-dating in a gondola. Regardless, it's clear that the niche IRL dating economy shows no signs of slowing down. The apps may have taught a generation how to swipe, but it's the in-person events that are teaching them how to actually talk to each other again. From a bar in Paris to the slopes of Val d'Isère, singles are betting that the best connections happen when you put your phone down and go back to basics.

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Go for a romantic stroll

Sometimes, the best things in life are free. One of the most iconic dates in Paris is climbing the 222 steps to the **Sacré-Cœur Basilica** in Montmartre, sharing a bottle of wine and drinking in the stunning views of the city while buskers provide the soundtrack.



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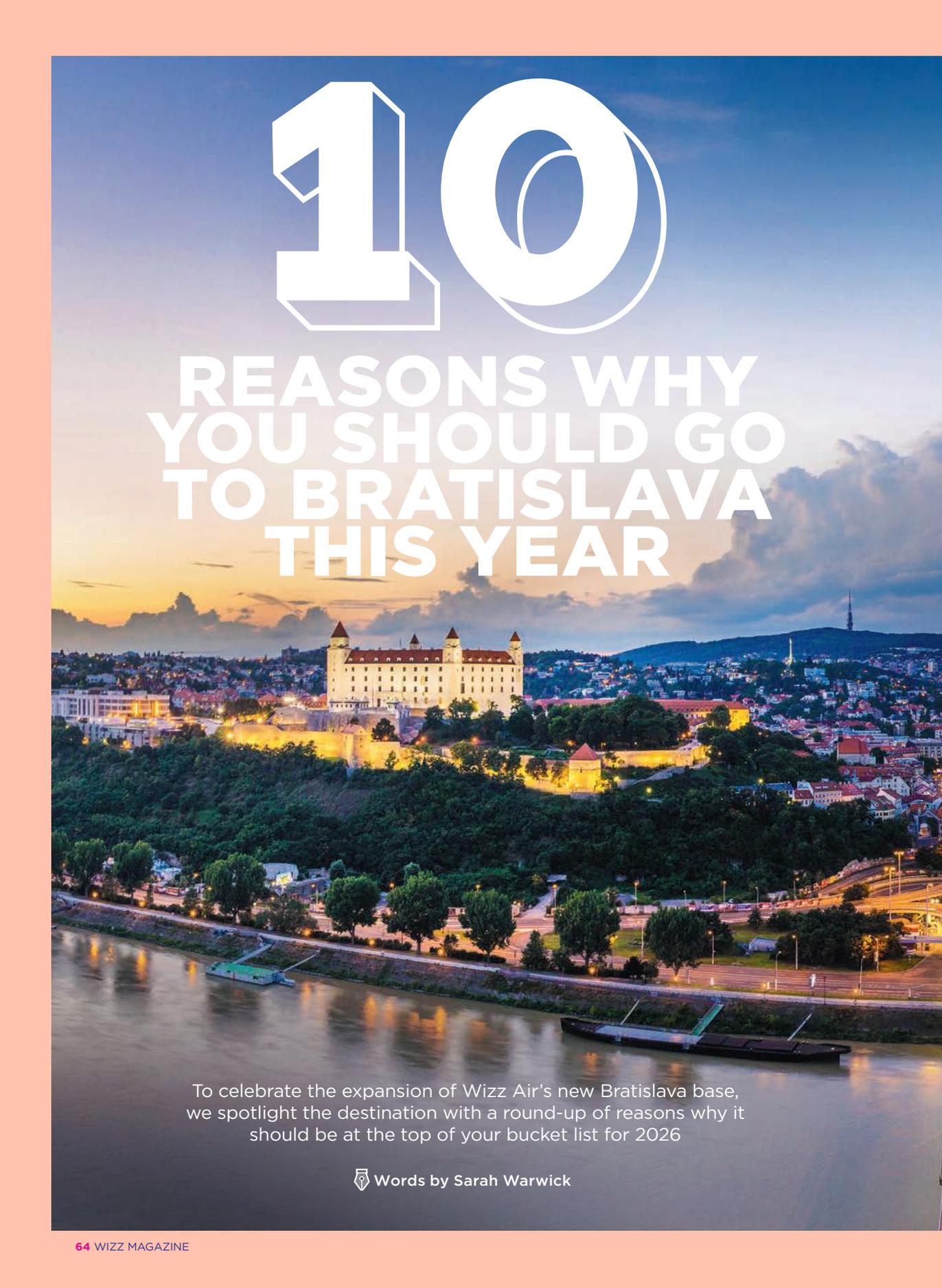
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An aerial photograph of Bratislava, Slovakia, at dusk. The Bratislava Castle is the central focus, illuminated with warm lights. The Danube River flows through the foreground, with a small boat docked. The city lights are visible in the background against a twilight sky.

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REASONS WHY YOU SHOULD GO TO BRATISLAVA THIS YEAR

To celebrate the expansion of Wizz Air's new Bratislava base, we spotlight the destination with a round-up of reasons why it should be at the top of your bucket list for 2026

 Words by Sarah Warwick

1. It's seriously 'doable'

For a certain breed of traveller, there's nothing better than having visited a place and ticked off all the major sights and experiences. Unlike London or Paris, Bratislava is what estate agents would call *bijou* – a delightfully pocket-sized capital city. Most of the city's accommodation and sights are all within a 2km radius. It's financially doable, too. Expect to spend around €2-3 for craft beers, €10-15 for a restaurant meal and under €100 for a hotel room for two. You can also pick up bargain food, crafts and souvenirs at one of its 50+ street markets.



YOUR ONE-DAY ITINERARY

❖ Start at Bratislava Castle

The crown jewel of the city. Get panoramic views of the Old Town (with Austria on the horizon) and walk through the Baroque gardens.

❖ Stroll down to the Old Town

Take the scenic path down Zámocké schody into the historic centre for its pretty townhouses and café culture. Don't miss Michael's Gate, Main Square (Hlavné námestie), the Old Town Hall and the Primate's Palace – a gorgeous Neoclassical landmark with a tranquil courtyard.

❖ Have lunch

Try a classic Slovak lunch in the Old Town: bryndzové halušky, schnitzel or roasted duck.

❖ Go up UFO Tower

Walk across the SNP Bridge and take the lift up the UFO Observation Deck for a striking 360° view and obligatory selfie.

❖ Devín Castle

A 15-minute taxi ride takes you to the ruins of Devín Castle, dramatically perched above the confluence of the rivers Danube and Morava. It's one of Slovakia's most atmospheric historic sites.

❖ Spend the evening in the Old Town

Back in the centre, settle in for dinner at a restaurant on Panská or Hviezdoslavovo námestie.

2. It's still under the radar

Bratislava only has 1 million tourists per year, which is a snip compared to the near 20 million who flock to its near neighbour, Vienna. All the advantages of a less-visited capital await you, whether that's elbow room at the main sights, a lack of tourist traps and fewer pesky heads in your photos.



3. The wine scene is top-notch

Slovak wine isn't exactly as well-known as the French stuff, but its white and dessert varieties are excellent – and it's well worth planning a trip to some local wineries while you're there. In town, at the Slovak National Collection of Wine, you can challenge yourself to taste 72 of the best wines in 100 minutes. Or how about the unusual, underground 'Tmavá degustácia' experience: wine tasting in the dark. salonvin.sk; tmavadegustacia.sk



Here Vineyards outside Bratislava supply a thriving local wine scene in the city

4. It looks great on the grid

Let's be honest, even those of us who occasionally swear off social media love a citybreak selfie. Bratislava has dozens of ideal spots where you won't have to queue before you pose. Try these Insta-worthy sights...

1. The striking St Elizabeth's, known as the Blue Church
2. The UFO Observation Deck, on top of the SNP Bridge, has stunning views
3. Cumil the Sewer Worker, one of the playful sculptures in the Old Town
4. A spaceship statue in Medzizarky
5. Posing for a selfie next to the Danube
6. The multicoloured Hotel Galeria is made for Instagram
7. Using the pretty Bratislava City Museum as a backdrop
8. The 13th-century Bratislava Castle
9. Dialling up the envy levels with a cup of tea in the Old Town's Main Square



5. It's extreme

Don't be fooled by its chocolate box houses and gorgeous Baroque architecture. There's plenty in Bratislava for thrill-seekers, from bridge jumping to flyboarding and motor racing. Make sure you try white water rafting at the Čunovo Water Sports Centre (pictured right) – one of the best in Europe. And if you're feeling grumpy, there's the Rozbijacka rage room and even the chance to use a 15-tonne tank to smash up a car (popular with stag groups). zazito.ooo/hra/rozbijacka/ [herofactory.sk/no-limits;](http://herofactory.sk/no-limits/) divokavoda.sk

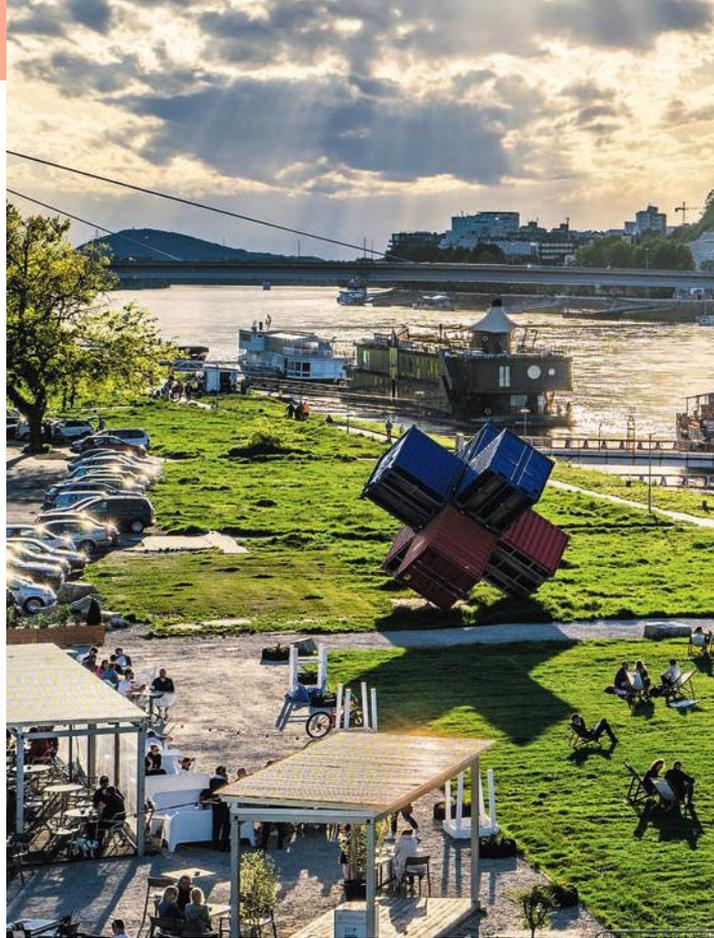




6. The river is gorgeous

All year round you'll find lots to do by the Danube, from walking the Promenade, to the Botanical Gardens, or eating at the popular Riverbank restaurant. In summer, you can spend days enjoying the sandy beaches with bars and beach volleyball courts, plus kayaking, paddleboarding and even wakeboarding. Finish up at Klub Mark Twain, a popular outdoor pub.

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7. It's well connected

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Here The banks of the Danube are the perfect place to relax in the sun
Below The Bratislava Street Art Festival celebrates its 15th birthday next year

8. It's full of artists

Get under the skin of the place by exploring the city's small but exciting art scene. For background on Slovak art, the Nedbalka Gallery has works from 1900 to the present day, while Kunsthalle Bratislava (KHB) focuses on contemporary big hitters. There are several smaller galleries that share the work of young boundary-pushing Slovak artists, including SODA Gallery, Nová Cvernovka cultural centre and A4 Place for Culture. You'll find lots of street art, too, particularly around the SNP Bridge underpasses, and in neighbourhoods like Petržalka, Ružinov and Kamenné námestie. In the autumn, the Bratislava Street Art Festival turns 15 and promises to be bigger and more impressive than ever before. kunsthallebratislava.sk; nedbalka.sk



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Here The Mirror Bar is rated as one of the best cocktail joints in the world

Left and below Perfectly steamed coffee and the Old Town's Main Square



10. It's serious about coffee

Bratislava is home to a lively coffee culture that dates back 300 years – and it has a dizzying number of cafés to get your caffeine fix, with 150 in the Old Town alone. You can choose between traditional-style places – such as Pasteleria Panská, with its huge cream cakes – and modern, '3rd wave' places, like the highly rated hipster hangout Black. If you're as obsessed as the locals, visit in May for the Roast Different Festival (30-31 May), a celebration of local coffee culture and a chance to try unlimited speciality blends. roastdifferentfestival.com



BEST TIME TO VISIT

The best time to visit is between March-October for milder weather and to take advantage of this park-filled, walkable city. One stand-out weekend is the last of April, for City Days: a lively annual festival when venues throw open their doors for free to locals and visitors, and fairs and parades bring the streets to life. visitbratislava.com/bratislava-city-days
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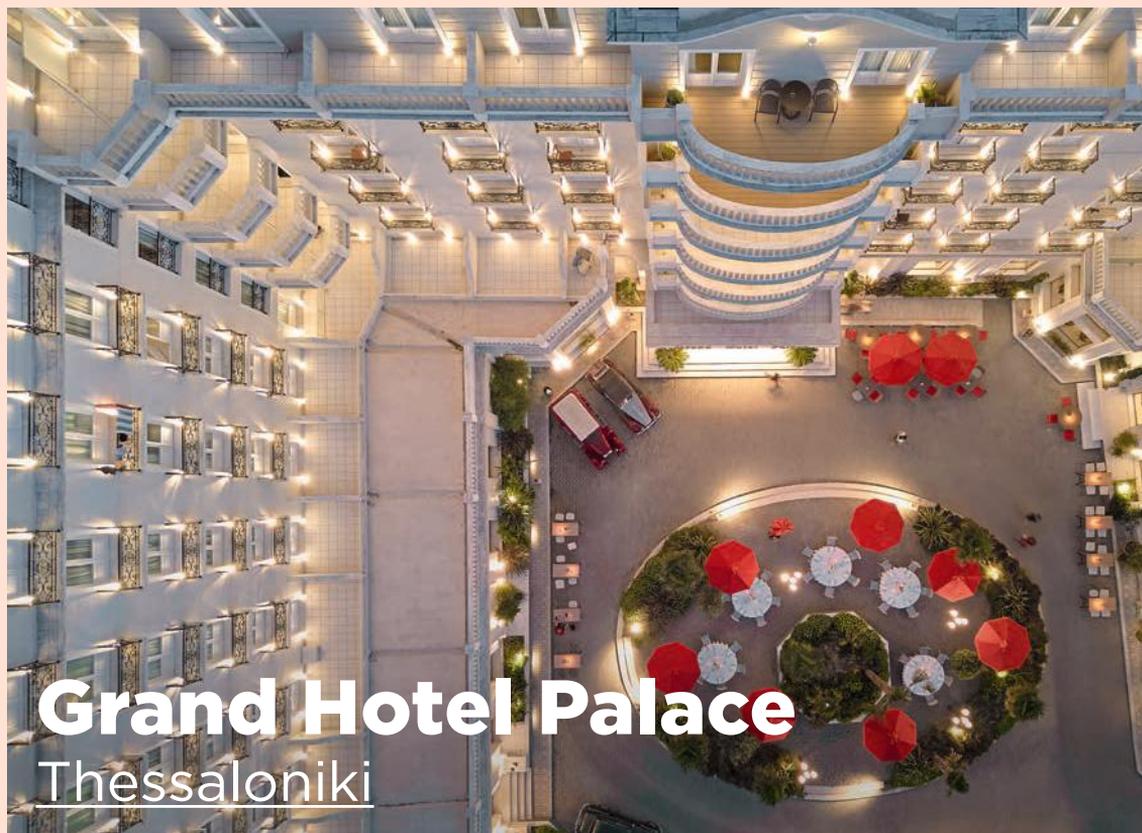
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The Memoir Club

London

In 1920, 12 members of the Bloomsbury Set – a collective of early-20th-century London writers – regrouped following WWI to form the Memoir Club. With Virginia Woolf, E.M. Forster and Vanessa Bell among them, the club wrote autobiographical essays that lead to some of their most celebrated works. Fast forward just over a century, and a boutique, luxury hotel has rebranded itself in tribute to the writing club – in an impeccable, £7 million design overhaul.

Throughout the 100 well-appointed rooms, the pastel, Art Deco-inspired interiors

nod to the Bloomsbury Set's intellectual legacy and the historically rich surrounding area. Retro phones meet Nespresso machines; eco-friendly bathroom products pamper beneath experimental artworks inspired by the literary legends that once socialised nearby. The glamorous Mediterranean restaurant Adeline is named after Virginia Woolf's birth name, and out the front door you're mere minutes from Euston station and the leafy streets of Bloomsbury. It's enough to inspire you to write a memoir of your own.





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conversations from The Spot bar, a sophisticated silver and sapphire space ideal for an after-dinner nightcap. Each of the property's 309 bedrooms walk a pleasing minimalist-meets-luxury line, with the corner suites boasting vast views of Warsaw's striking skyline.

With a pool, Jacuzzi, sauna and steam room in the basement, and three restaurants – including Polish-cuisine specialist Nokto – to choose from above, guests can check in, then check out, relaxing in the knowledge everything they need is right at their fingertips.



Le Primore Hotel & Spa Budapest

A couple of hours' drive from the Hungarian capital is Heviz, a spa town famed for its thermal lake brimming with natural healing properties. Where better to immerse yourself than at this five-star resort, where the extensive Water World spa area is fed by natural hot spring water from its very own source? Saunas, a salt chamber, steam room, snow cabin and more complete the wellbeing offerings – plus tailored, medically supervised healing treatments and Balinese massages.



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At this central Eixample five-star hotel, all the action is on the top floor. From the futuristically modern lobby, step into the dedicated lift and zip up to Eleven BCN, the rooftop bar which has hard-to-beat skyline views (Hola, La Sagrada Família) and kick-ass cocktails to go with them. Sip a rose petal-garnished drink, swap banter with the friendly bar staff and nibble on cubes of Manchego cheese in rosemary olive oil before retreating to your clean, quiet room.

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The English Grill London

The royal treatment is on tap at this regal establishment, opposite the Royal Mews at Buckingham Palace. Everything about an evening meal here oozes decadence and theatre – from the overstated crystal chandeliers to the sumptuous velvet seating and visible kitchen behind a glass wall. Plush carpets, glossy wood panelling, starched tablecloths and gleaming silverware set an elegant scene fit for a king. That vibe is aptly reflected in the oil-painted portraits of former monarchs on the walls of the surrounding The Rubens at the Palace hotel, where the restaurant is situated.

When it comes to à la carte menu, the theatrics are on full

display. Melt-in-the-mouth smoked salmon, cured in east London by the legendary H. Forman & Son, is sliced tableside while you sip bubbles from the Champagne trolley (caviar optional). The signature Beef Wellington main – served for two, although solo diners have been known to devour it all – is ultra indulgent thanks to the rich lobster sauce that's drizzled over it. It's no surprise that Crêpes Suzette are dramatically flambéed at the table, adding a final flourish of liquor to what's likely already been a boozy experience thanks to the irresistible wine list. If you want to be royalty for a day, this is the closest you'll get. rubenshotel.com



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Oslo

In an industrial building near Oslo's Central Station, this concept restaurant recently earned a second Michelin star for its dedication to marine conservation, soil health and animal welfare – plus chef Mikael Svensson's intelligent treatment of local ingredients, around 98% of which are wild, organic and seasonal. Creel-caught seafood is supplied by sustainably minded fishers and meat is used nose-to-tail. restaurant-kontrast.no



Ylja

Reykjavik

This new fine-dining spot at Laugarás Lagoon, just over an hour's drive from Reykjavik, is pushing the hyper-local food trend to the extreme. Chef Gísli Matt sources the entire menu's produce from the nearest village of Laugarás – down to seaweed, skyr, wild herbs and even strawberries from geothermal greenhouses. The result? An ultra-seasonal, ever-changing dining experience that evolves in time with the landscape. laugaralagoon.is



The hot list

Unforgettable food, culture, nightlife and more – here's how to kick off spring in style



A breakfast worth getting up for

At Neața Omelette Bistro, breakfast unfolds around plates made to be shared and savoured. From flavourful chicken wraps and the signature Neața steak, to fluffy pancakes and freshly prepared Turkish eggs, every dish is fresh and balanced. Paired with specialty coffee, the experience invites guests to slow down and enjoy the moment. In the heart of Timișoara, Neața offers a welcoming stop for travellers seeking comfort, quality and a relaxed start to the day. Follow us on Instagram: [@neațaomelettebistro](https://www.instagram.com/neațaomelettebistro)



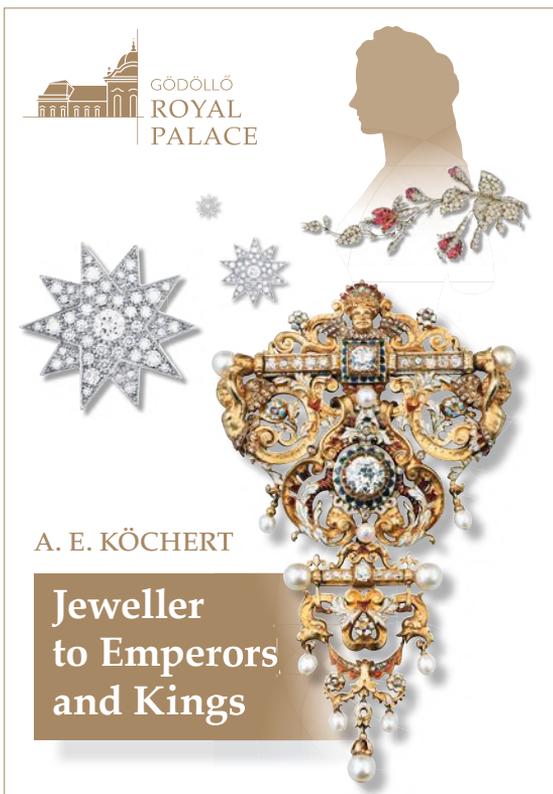
See all that glitters at a new exhibition in Hungary

Jeweller to Emperors and Kings is at the Royal Palace of Gödöllő from 5 December – 6 April 2026

Step into a world of imperial elegance and timeless brilliance at the Royal Palace of Gödöllő, where a dazzling exhibition celebrating A.E. Köchert, the legendary Viennese jeweller to emperors and kings, is on show for the first time in Hungary. Admire a breathtaking collection of jewels, many from private aristocratic and royal treasures, and rarely seen by the public.

The highlight is a magnificent, neo-Renaissance brooch once owned by Queen Elisabeth of Hungary ('Sisi'), long thought lost but recently rediscovered, shown alongside its original designs by the famed architect Theophil von Hansen.

From diamond-studded orders and bridal tiaras to exquisite sketches from the Köchert archives, each piece tells a story of artistry, prestige and passion spanning over 200 years. Don't miss this glittering journey through the history of European luxury. royalpalacegodollo.com





Next Stop: Akvárium Klub

Akvárium Klub is one of Budapest's most iconic and visited music and cultural hubs, in Erzsébet Square at the heart of the city. With multiple concert halls, world-class sound and light systems, an immersive atmosphere and a diverse offering of food and drink, it's known for its international concerts and parties. Upcoming artists include John Newman, Fat Freddy's Drop, Tinariwen, Alfa Mist, Kamrad, Klangkarussell, ALBOROSIE & SHENGEN CLAN, DOGSTAR and more. For more information visit akvariumklub.hu



Savour the finest breakfast

À la Maison is the perfect spot for breakfast in central Budapest. Kickstart your day with a range of global breakfast plates, from Japanese-style fluffy pancakes and Belgian waffles to classic shakshuka or creative versions of eggs Benedict. Breakfast and bistro-style lunches are served 8am-4pm daily in a cosy, elegant atmosphere. Fresh ingredients, beautifully plated dishes and specialty coffee make À la Maison ideal for relaxed mornings or a light midday meal in the heart of the city centre. alamaisongrand.com



Nonloso - where good taste meets great location

Wander the streets around St Stephen's Basilica in Budapest and you'll stumble upon Nonloso. Serving up creative Hungarian cuisine with rich Italian coffee, and a side of warm hospitality, it's the perfect pause on any journey.

Whether it's a lazy breakfast, a family lunch or a late-night romantic snack, you'll find flavour, comfort and inspiration here. Visit nonloso.hu - and let your curiosity lead the way.



Choose the original Kürtőskalács

Do you have a taste for authentic culinary experiences? Kürtőskalács (chimney cake) is one of Hungary's most beloved sweet treats, and the two Vitéz Kürtős shops bake traditional kürtőskalács over charcoal, every day of the year, which has earned them the prestigious Hungarikum label. Visit us at Budapest's first and oldest kürtőskalács bakery, in the Zoo, or at Hungary's only kürtőskalács confectionery, Édes Mackó, opposite the Széchenyi Thermal Bath. vitezkurτος.com

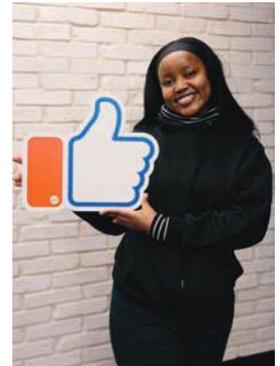
Choose Poland to fulfill your academic ambitions

Poland is becoming a hub for ambitious students and researchers from around the world. At the heart of Europe, it offers high-quality degree programmes, strong universities and internationally recognised research institutions within a fast-developing academic environment.

Polish universities and research centres are closely connected to global networks. They offer programmes taught in English, modern research infrastructure and international projects that bring together partners from different countries. What often comes as a surprise is just how open, international and pragmatic the academic community in Poland has become.

The Polish National Agency for Academic Exchange (NAWA) offers scholarships, mobility opportunities and structured support to students, PhD candidates and researchers, designed to help them develop their careers and build lasting international connections.

Find out more at study.gov.pl or researchinpoland.org.



Try the new Boromir DuoFino Croissants: heavy on the cream, with a refined taste

Discover the fine, creamy taste of Boromir's new DuoFino Croissants

Whether you're starting your day on an early flight or enjoying a moment of relaxation at 30,000 feet, Boromir DuoFino Croissants turn every bite into a celebration of travel. More than a pastry, they are a passport to flavour - a small luxury that makes your journey unforgettable.

Each DuoFino Croissant offers a delightful combination of two smooth, rich cream fillings, perfectly balanced to complement the soft core. Their exceptional softness and lasting freshness come from slow, natural sourdough fermentation and the finest ingredients. You can choose from three unique fillings in your DuoFino Croissants: milk and cocoa, pistachio and milk chocolate, or milk and strawberry. With every Boromir DuoFino Croissant, your next adventure begins even before takeoff. Get ready for a taste of joy. For more information, visit: boromir.ro





Follow your curiosity to Trenčín

This historic Slovak town brims with cultural offerings throughout 2026, as the European Capital of Culture

What does it mean to a city to become a European Capital of Culture? It's a chance to reveal its bold, creative heart, and invite guests to see it for themselves.

In western Slovakia, history meets modern creativity in Trenčín. Crowned by a medieval castle, the city has a cultural energy that is changing the way it lives, breathes and grows.

From new public spaces to strengthening community life, culture is helping Trenčín grow into a more open, creative and welcoming city. And as the year unfolds, the city's most exciting experiences are still ahead - especially in spring and summer, the time of year when Trenčín feels made for wandering.

Here are just a few of the highlights in 2026:

- *Light Art Festival* (April) – international festival of light and contemporary art.
 - *Korzo Soblahovská* (May) – a lively city market experience that turns a street into a place to meet, taste and explore.
 - *Splanekor* (June) – DIY, floating vessels take over the Váh River.
 - *Garage* (July) – a summer stage for the freshest young bands that are shaping the future of Slovak music.
 - *Fiesta Festival* (September) – a huge celebration on Trenčín's new symbol, Fiesta Bridge.
- Trenčín 2026 isn't just a one-year celebration. It's a long-term transformation. The



project's new communal spaces, social projects and artistic collaborations will keep growing long after the spotlight fades.

And the best part? You're invited to be a part of it. Whether you're into art, music, design or simply discovering places with an exciting atmosphere, there's something waiting for you.

So next time you're planning a trip, go where your curiosity leads. For more information visit: trencin2026.eu

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Time stands still at Le Primore, Europe's new wellness escape

Hungary's latest wellness hotspot offers the ultimate luxury of unhurried time

In a world that feels like it's always accelerating, time has become the greatest luxury of all. Le Primore Hotel & Spa ***** Superior, Europe's newest wellness hotspot, offers precisely that: a seemingly timeless escape, where time does not rush by but slows gently to a halt.

Located in Hungary, close to the world-famous Lake Hévíz and surrounded by unspoilt nature, Le Primore is a refined destination for travellers seeking tranquillity, elegance and restoration. From stylish studios and generous suites to exclusive penthouses, every type of accommodation has been designed to provide privacy, space and effortless comfort, allowing guests to slow down and reconnect with their own rhythm.

At the heart of the experience lies the 11,500sqm Eden Spa, one of the largest and most refined spa environments in the region. It's a sanctuary dedicated to deep relaxation and renewal, where bespoke, private spa moments and carefully curated rituals using the prestigious Omorovicza and GAIA product lines elevate wellness to a highly personal art. Each treatment unfolds at its own pace, guided by stillness, warmth and a profound sense of calm.

Culinary excellence forms another essential pillar of the Le Primore experience. From refined gourmet meals to elegant fine-dining moments, the hotel celebrates flavour, craftsmanship and atmosphere in equal

measure. It is a testament to this quality that, shortly after opening, Le Primore was selected among the Michelin Guide's recommended destinations, a rare distinction for such a young hotel.

Designed to welcome guests of all generations, Le Primore offers a harmonious balance between shared moments and private retreat. Couples, families and solo travellers alike will discover spaces where time can either be spent together or enjoyed in peaceful solitude.

At Le Primore, time does not slip away. Here, time is preserved.

Become a member of the Le Primore Privileged Club and enjoy exclusive benefits when booking your next stay. For more information, visit [leprimore.hu](https://www.leprimore.hu)



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180+ destinations

900+ routes

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Check out our
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We never stop searching for new destinations. We fly to more than 180 places in 45 countries and counting – to add to your bucket list and make planning your next holiday a breeze.



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news

Want to know what we've been up to, how to get the most out of your journey and what's new in the dynamic world of WIZZ? Then read on...



Wizz Air announces AS Roma sponsorship

Wizz Air has announced its first-ever football club sponsorship, having officially been named a main partner and official airline of AS Roma. Our branding now appears on a prominent sleeve sponsorship, which debuted at a match against Como.

Beyond the kit, look out for Wizz Air clues across the football club's digital channels and on match days – as well as fan-engagement initiatives to come. Best of all, we're flying the team to their domestic matches throughout the season.

The partnership means more than just brand visibility. Football connects people, and so do we. Just as WIZZ makes air travel accessible across Europe and beyond, this collaboration brings us closer to millions of fans who share our passion for connection – of all kinds.



A milestone 250th aircraft

Following a global competition to design the fuselage for our milestone 250th aircraft, Wizz Air recently unveiled the new livery at Budapest Airport. A defining moment in WIZZ history, it reflects two decades of bold decisions, relentless innovation and the passion of our team – as well as the creative vision from winning Hungarian artist Balázs Hauser. We're over halfway toward our vision of a 500-aircraft fleet, and our momentum has never been stronger.

Wizz
by
numbers



257
aircraft



180+
destinations
in 45 countries



36
bases in
19 countries



800+
routes



10,000+
staff



72.4m
passengers
carried*

*FIGURE FOR 2025. PHOTO: ADOBE STOCK



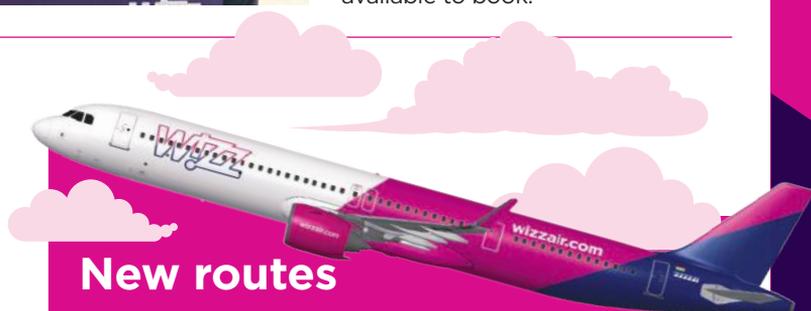
Celebrating growth in Budapest

Wizz Air reached a major milestone recently by welcoming our 60 millionth passenger in Hungary. The lucky traveller flew on our first-ever flight from Budapest to Tallinn. Since launching from Budapest in 2004, Wizz Air has grown into an impressive 256-strong fleet serving over 180 destinations, from Iceland to the Canary Islands to Saudi Arabia. In more exciting news for our Budapest base, 18 Airbus A321neo aircraft will be stationed there by May, with new routes to Ankara, Billund, Skopje, Bergen, Lamezia Terme and Rimini already available to book.



New routes announced

We're excited to announce that Wizz Air has added a 15th aircraft to our Warsaw base, serving the destinations of Braşov, Faro, Lamezia Terme, Menorca and Tallinn. It follows the news that we are also launching six new routes from London Luton Airport, with the Greek islands of Mykonos, Rhodes, Zakynthos and Chania bookable from 13 May, and Bordeaux and Dortmund launching on 29 March. The expansion comes as we add our 14th aircraft to the London Luton base.



New routes

Belgrade – Chania (Crete), Mykonos, Pisa

Bratislava – Kutaisi, Yerevan

Bucharest Otopeni – Kefalonia

Budapest – Ankara, Bergen, Lamezia Terme, Rimini

Cluj-Napoca – Abu Dhabi, Antalya, Berlin

Debrecen – Eindhoven, Istanbul, Tel Aviv

Gdańsk – Dubrovnik, Palma de Mallorca, Rijeka

Katowice – Rijeka, Rimini

London Gatwick – Valencia

London Luton – Alicante, Bordeaux, Chania, Corfu, Dortmund, Erevan, Faro, Mykonos, Rhodes, Turin, Zakynthos

Lublin – Rijeka

Oradea – Dortmund, Milan Bergamo, Rome

Rome – Constanta, Crete (Chania), Kefalonia, Košice, Malta, Menorca, Pristina, Rhodes, Tallinn, Varna

Sofia – Rimini

Targu Mures – Basel, Brussels Charleroi, Dortmund, Larnaca, London Luton, Memmingen, Milan Bergamo, Paris Beauvais, Rome

Tirana – Alghero, Kalamata, Palma de Mallorca, Santander, Tallinn, Warsaw-Radom

Venice – Kraków

Vilnius – Reykjavik

Warsaw – Braşov, Faro, Lamezia Terme, Menorca, Tallinn



“LET’S GET LOST IS ALL ABOUT PROVIDING A UNIQUE, ONCE-IN-A-LIFETIME EXPERIENCE”

Meet the team behind Let’s Get Lost, one of Wizz Air’s most popular initiatives that adds mystery and excitement to your travels

Watching your holiday destination slowly getting bigger in the plane window as you come in for a landing is one of the great joys of travel. Now imagine you have no idea where the flight is touching down or what you’ll do when you’re on the ground. It’s an exciting, mysterious way of travelling that makes Wizz Air’s Let’s Get Lost competition so special.

First launched in 2018, the initiative invites passengers to share a photo or video that shows off their adventurous side on Instagram using the hashtag #Let’sGetLost! The winners then gather at

their local airport without knowing exactly where they will be flying off to on a Wizz Air flight. The destination is only revealed once the plane touches down, before passengers are treated to three days of amazing sights and experiences.

“We really want to surprise people, encourage them to be more spontaneous and have some fun,” says Wizz Air Marketing Manager Kata Iván. “Let’s Get Lost is all about providing a unique, once-in-a-lifetime experience.”

The latest instalment to Chişinău from Rome turned out to be just that, with the lucky winners enjoying cultural experiences, including old-

fashioned carpet weaving, as well as kayaking and a number of traditional food and local wine tastings.

“The destinations that we partner with want people to experience a part of the city that might not necessarily be in the top five most visited places, but a little bit more special than that,” says Kata.

“And, more recently, that’s what we’ve been doing - making sure people are not just visiting the top attractions, but doing something a little bit more exciting or something you couldn’t think of based on the top five TikTok trends.”

Of course, a big part of what makes Let’s Get Lost so compelling is travelling into

The joys of getting lost

the unknown, with Wizz Air doing everything within its power to keep the destination a secret. Information about the trip is kept to a minimum throughout the experience.

“People need to know if they have to bring a bikini or their hiking boots, so we prepare a brief that have a few pointers, but try to remain mysterious,” adds Kata. “We also set up a group chat where people have a lot of fun trying to guess the destination. They become like detectives.”

Even the pilots and crew join in the fun – meeting the competition winners at the airport before the flight and giving fake updates in the air to throw passengers off the scent.

“On the Chişinău flight the pilot was talking about the pyramids one second, and then the Eiffel Tower the next,” laughs Kata. “People just loved it and, because there were only competition winners on the flight, there was a real group feel to everything.”

While passenger can try and roughly ascertain where they are going by how long they are in the air, the reveal (made by a senior cabin crew member) is always accompanied by a huge amount of excitement.

“There’s a lot of clapping and cheering when people find out where they are,” says Kata. “And after the trip we frequently get asked when the next Let’s Get Lost is taking place. It gives me great satisfaction to see those kind of reactions because so much goes into these trips. It’s a real team effort.”

The Wizz Air team on what they enjoy most about the competition



From left to right
Thomas Festa, Diego Galasso, Malvina Teodora Chira, Maria Stella Amàtizi, Eleonora Mero, Roberto Proietti and Manlio Giustiniani

Tekla Illes **Social Media Manager**

“From the buzz and excitement of the campaign to meeting the winners and seeing them live out their adventures, it’s impossible not to get caught up in the energy. Let’s Get Lost is exactly the kind of bold, feel-good idea you want to work on, and I already can’t wait for the next one.”

Gabriele Imperiale **Corporate Communications Manager**

“Let’s Get Lost perfectly captures the joy of discovery and the excitement of embracing the unknown - values that are deeply embedded in the Wizz Air mindset. For us, curiosity and openness are guiding principles in the way we serve our passengers every day.”

Angelo Merone **WIZZ ambassador, Milan Malpensa**

“The most beautiful part is watching the passengers, excited and happy, set off toward the unknown - seeing them with compasses and maps, trying to figure out the destination, while you already know exactly where they are headed!”

Alessia Clementi **WIZZ ambassador, Rome Fiumicino**

“Joining the Let’s Get Lost campaign has been one of the most powerful and defining moments of my journey so far. It was an experience that captured the true spirit of travel and allowed me to represent the brand in a way that felt genuine, emotional, and deeply personal.”

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sustainability
at Wizz Air.



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Aviation plays a vital role in connecting people, enabling economic growth and supporting regional development. While the environmental impact of flying must be addressed, the solution lies in innovation and industry collaboration. At Wizz Air, we are committed to making aviation

more accessible to everyone, ensuring it continues to serve communities while reducing its footprint. Through deliberate choices in aircraft design, seating configuration and operational efficiency, we maintain high load factors and minimise fuel use.

We've never pursued business-class seating or hub-and-spoke models, nor do we substitute short train journeys with flights. Instead, we focus on technological innovation. Our fleet is among the youngest and most fuel-efficient in Europe,

equipped with modern engines that help reduce our carbon intensity.* As a result, we achieve one of the lowest CO₂ emissions per passenger kilometre in the industry, outperforming both legacy and comparable low-cost carriers.**

We acknowledge aviation has a significant environmental impact. However, we are focused on minimising emissions through operational efficiency and fleet modernisation – based on current, measurable performance, not future projections.

Did you know?

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Sharklets

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Our fleet

Younger, efficient and growing

Wizz Air has a single-type fleet of 257 aircraft from the Airbus A320 family. It's among the youngest and most efficient in the world - and the safest. The average age of our aircraft is 4.54 years, well below the average fleet age of our major competitors, which is around 10

years. Our planes already have the most sophisticated safety equipment, and over the coming years we will expand our fleet to 500 aircraft. Our neo aircraft feature advanced systems and engines that help us reduce our carbon emissions intensity, as well as noise and cost, helping us keep

fares low and accessible and providing the most carbon-efficient choice of air travel available. Wizz Air is currently the largest operator of the most efficient single-aisle aircraft in Europe, the Airbus A321neo, with the lowest fuel consumption per seat kilometre in its category.

Airbus A320ceo

Max. cruise speed 903km/h
Economical cruise speed 840km/h

Wingspan 35.8m (117ft 5in)

Number of aircraft* 26

Seat capacity 180/186 **Flight crew** 2 **Cabin crew** 4



Airbus A321ceo

Max. cruise speed 903km/h
Economical cruise speed 840km/h

Wingspan 35.8m (117ft 5in)

Number of aircraft* 41

Seat capacity 230 **Flight crew** 2 **Cabin crew** 5



Airbus A320neo

Max. cruise speed 903km/h
Economical cruise speed 840km/h

Wingspan 35.8m (117ft 5in)

Number of aircraft* 6

Seat capacity 186 **Flight crew** 2 **Cabin crew** 4



Airbus A321neo

Max. cruise speed 903km/h
Economical cruise speed 840km/h

Wingspan 35.8m (117ft 5in)

Number of aircraft* 178

Seat capacity 239 **Flight crew** 2 **Cabin crew** 5



Airbus A321XLR

Max. cruise speed 978km/h
Economical cruise speed 930km/h

Wingspan 35.8m (117ft 5in)

Number of aircraft* 6

Seat capacity 239 **Flight crew** 2 **Cabin crew** 5



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Wizz MULTIPASS

Fly more, save more: unlock new adventures with our monthly flight subscription

- ✓ **Perfect for:** Frequent flyers travelling at least six times a year
- ✓ **Fixed prices:** Even during the high season and for last-minute bookings
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Wizz ALL YOU CAN FLY

Ultimate travel freedom with a one-time payment for a yearly pass!

- ✓ **Perfect for:** Spontaneous adventurers and digital nomads travelling more than six times a year
- ✓ **Fixed prices:** Even during the high season and for last-minute bookings
- ✓ **Fly daily:** Pay a fixed fee and fly as much as you like
- ✓ **Embrace spontaneity:** Book today, travel tomorrow!
- ✓ **Global coverage:** Access our full international network of destinations
- ✓ **Full flexibility:** Tailor your journey with optional added services

Why smoking is banned on flights

Airlines started banning smoking in the late 1980s and by 2000 it was made illegal across the world. Here are the reasons why



Secondhand smoke: It contains over 7,000 chemicals, including at least 70 known carcinogens. Breathing them in the confined space of an aircraft poses serious health risks.

It impacts air quality: Cigarette smoke jeopardises how the cabin pressure system functions, which can result in a lack of oxygen at high altitude.

It's a fire hazard: A lit cigarette can ignite flammable materials, potentially leading to a fire.

Electronic cigarettes/vapes/ IQOS are also not allowed:

While e-cigarettes produce vapour rather than smoke, they use lithium-ion batteries that can overheat or explode while being used.

Dry air conditions: The dry air in the aircraft cabin can make fuel more flammable.

Smoke detectors: The smoke detector in the toilets is linked to a warning system, which triggers an audible alarm.

SMOKING ON A PLANE COULD LEAD TO:

- Fines of up to €3,000
- A ban from flying with that airline for life
- As per the applicable law, smokers on board may face prosecution

Remember, lighting up during a flight is not only illegal but also jeopardises the wellbeing and safety of everyone on board. The ashtrays in the passenger cabin and restrooms are not an optional design element and not an invitation to smoke. Cabin crew members are trained to extinguish smoke and fire and eliminate any potential danger.

Why you can't drink your own alcohol on an airplane

And why it's a bad idea anyway

Flying can be stressful, and a drink or two might seem like the perfect way to relax. But before you crack open that mini bottle of whisky you picked up at duty-free, remember that consuming your own alcohol on a commercial flight is **prohibited by law**. This rule applies regardless of where the alcohol was purchased. Cabin crew are trained to monitor alcohol consumption and are responsible for ensuring that no passenger becomes intoxicated or disruptive during the flight.

ALCOHOL AFFECTS YOU DIFFERENTLY IN THE AIR

The cabin pressure in commercial aircraft is equivalent to being at about 6,000 to 8,000 feet above sea level. This means:

- You may feel drunk faster
- Your judgment and coordination may be impaired more than usual
- You may experience dehydration and fatigue more quickly

Combined with the stress of travel, jet lag and limited mobility, alcohol can increase the risk of medical emergencies, conflict with other passengers or non-compliance with the crew.

PREVENTING DISRUPTIVE BEHAVIOUR

Airlines have seen a rise in air rage incidents,



many of which are linked to alcohol. By restricting alcohol service to flight attendants, airlines can:

- Limit overconsumption
- Refuse service to visibly intoxicated passengers
- De-escalate situations before they become dangerous

THE BOTTOM LINE

While it might be tempting, drinking your own alcohol on board is illegal, unsafe and inconsiderate. If you'd like a drink, let the cabin crew serve you – they're trained to do so responsibly. And if you're feeling anxious or stressed, consider deep breathing, listening to music or watching a movie to relax.

Your onboard safety

Please show consideration for your fellow passengers and pay attention to the following information. Remember that by purchasing your Wizz Air ticket, you have accepted the Wizz Air General Conditions of Carriage (available in full at wizzair.com)



Lithium batteries

Portable electronic devices (PED) such as phones, laptops and tablets can contain lithium batteries. When damaged, faulty or overheated, these batteries can catch fire and explode.

If you recognise any issues with your device, inform the cabin crew immediately. Charging electronic devices on board using a portable battery charger is forbidden. Please refrain from storing your electronics and power banks in the overhead compartments.



Safe handling of hand luggage

Ensure that your larger hand luggage remains safely stowed in the locker and the smaller ones are under the seat in front of you for take-off, landing and whenever instructed by the crew. Passengers seated in the emergency rows and first row must store their cabin bags in the overhead lockers. Take care when opening lockers, as falling items may injure fellow passengers.

In case of evacuation, all baggage must be left on board, and the instructions of the cabin crew must be strictly followed.



Safety equipment

It is an offence to tamper with or remove safety equipment, including adult and infant life vests, infant safety belts or extension belts. You are not allowed to remove or damage any onboard informative placards.



Sharp items

To dispose of sharp items (e.g. hypodermic needles), contact a cabin crew member. Do not leave it behind.



Turbulence management

Turbulence can occur unexpectedly. Whenever seatbelt signs are switched on, remain seated, keep seatbelts fastened and stow away large electronic devices. For your safety, we recommend that you keep your seatbelts visibly fastened at all times when seated.



Safety of infants on board

Wizz Air has a clear procedure for infant (a child under two) restraint systems. You can only use the single hook infant seatbelt – vests/slings cannot be used with the infant seatbelt. Wizz Air only accepts aft-facing car seats when an extra seat is purchased. **However, during take-off, landing and**



Electronic devices

Some electronic devices can be used during the flight with WLAN/Wi-Fi/Bluetooth turned off.

Larger electronic devices that cannot be held in one hand, exceed ca. 1kg in weight and do not qualify as handheld devices (e.g. laptops, notebooks etc.) must be stowed in the overhead stowage compartments for takeoff, landing and whenever required by the cabin crew. **If in doubt, please ask your cabin crew.**

Inflight health tips

Read these tips on how to stay fit when travelling.



Before your air travel

Consult your doctor before travelling if you have any medical concerns. Pregnant women and those with heart or respiratory problems, blood diseases or ear, nose and sinus infections should seek medical advice before flying. **Crew members are entitled to call for medical assistance pre-flight if they deem it necessary and are in doubt about your fitness for the flight.**



Medical supplies on board

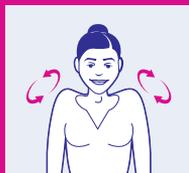
Keep any medication you may need in your hand luggage and in its original packaging. **Inform cabin crew of allergies or illnesses.** If you are seriously ill or travelling post-surgery, you will need a medical certificate confirming that you are fit to fly. If you have limited mobility, are hearing- or sight-impaired, pregnant, or unable to understand/react to safety instructions, you will be unable to sit in the emergency exit rows or the front row. **If you start to feel unwell during the flight, do not hesitate to talk to the cabin crew.**



Nut allergy

During our WIZZ Café service we offer peanuts and some snacks containing peanuts/nuts traces. **If you have any allergies we strongly encourage you to take all necessary medical precautions before flying, and to inform the cabin crew during boarding about your allergy.**

Exercise Be as active as possible. Try the following routine every 30 minutes:



Your security

...is one of our top priorities. In order to ensure a smooth and pleasant flight, please read the following rules of conduct



We encourage you to...

- Follow crew instructions, which will keep you safe
- Be respectful towards everyone on board
- Use suitable language, and stay calm and cooperative

...so you can:

- Travel in a pleasant and peaceful atmosphere
- Relax on board
- Get to your destination as soon as possible

Not tolerated on board...



- Smoking on board (including classic cigarettes or e-cigarettes, pipes, vapes), might result in a fine of up to €3,000 or prosecution. Additionally all existing Wizz Air flight bookings will be cancelled



- Consuming alcohol that was not purchased on board. Alcohol is served at the crew's discretion to passengers of legal drinking age. The crew reserves the right to stop serving alcohol to any passenger who is, or appears to be, intoxicated



- Being under the influence of drugs or substances that may affect your behaviour or self-control
- Damaging the aircraft or onboard equipment
- Wasting, polluting or contaminating the cabin
- Endangering the safety of the flight by any means



- Breaching, or refusing to follow, crew instructions
- Harassing fellow passengers and/or crew members in any way (including sexual harassment)
- Threatening or being aggressive towards fellow passengers and/or crew members



- Being violent or behave in a hostile, erratic manner
- Filming or photographing the cabin crew without their permission

...or face the consequences:

You are fully responsible for your behaviour. Disruptive behaviour on board and before boarding will not be tolerated and will be reported to the authorities. You will be held legally and financially responsible in all cases.

The following consequences* will occur for such misconduct:

- Denied boarding
- Diversion of the flight and prosecution.
- Reimbursement of cost of diversion: €10,000-€80,000
- Criminal procedure and court litigation*
- Cancellation of all of your existing Wizz Air flight bookings
- A ban from flying with Wizz Air in the future
- Penalty/fine or arrest by local police:
 - Smoking on board, including in the lavatory: up to €3,000*
 - Unruly behaviour due to intoxication: up to €5,000 and two years in prison*
 - Endangering the safety of an aircraft: up to five years in prison*



*Subject to applicable jurisdiction

For more information, please refer to the General Conditions of Carriage on wizzair.com



Who We Are?

Experience rapid cryptocurrency transactions, with a wide range of cryptocurrencies, flexible payment options and on/off ramp solutions.

Buy and sell over 20 types of cryptocurrencies with exceptional service speed.

Our platform is designed to ensure secure, reliable, and fully regulated cryptocurrency exchanges.

Instant asset send with On/Off Ramp

- Fiat for Crypto / Crypto for Fiat
- Flexible API solution
- Fraud-free solution
- High payment acceptance rate

Payment completed

Add Payment Information

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150%
Labour Efficiency Ratio

W16 W17

CAFÉ & BOUTIQUE



FIND YOUR FAVOURITE PRODUCTS!

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Create your meal!

1. Select your sandwich!



2. Select your drink!*

OR change your soft drink to beer or wine for an **extra €3.**



*Meal Deal excludes Red Bull products and Bavaria non-alcoholic beer 0.0%.



3. Select your snack!



CREAMY EDAM EMMENTAL CROISSANT

Croissant with Edam and Emmental cheese, plain butter cream.

Single sandwich price: €6



**SUPER
DEAL PRICE**

€9.50

NEW



TURKEY SALAMI & EDAM DELIGHT

Lye baguette with turkey salami, Edam cheese, parsley and garlic butter cream.

Single sandwich price: €7



DEAL PRICE

€12.50

NEW



HAM & EMMENTAL CIABATTA

Cheesy ciabatta with ham and Emmental.

Single sandwich price: €7



DEAL PRICE

€12.50

NEW



PREMIUM PASTRAMI & EMMENTAL ROLL

Lye roll with pastrami and Emmentaler, basil and red pesto butter cream & dried tomato.

Single sandwich price: €8



DEAL PRICE

€13.50

NEW



Knorr warm delights

SOUPS

TOMATO NOODLES SOUP

Tomato soup with
noodles & crouton 

CREAMY POTATO SOUP

Potato cream soup with crispy croutons



€4

EACH



PASTA POTS

BROCCOLI CHEESE PASTA

Tasty fusilli in broccoli cheese sauce 

CREAMY MUSHROOM PASTA

Creamy pasta snack
with mushroom 



€5

EACH



ASIA NOODLES

CHICKEN NOODLES

Asia noodles with chicken flavour

BEEF NOODLES

Asia noodles with beef flavour

VEGETABLE NOODLES

Asia noodles with vegetable
flavour  



€5

EACH





€4

Coca-Cola Original, Coca-Cola Zero, Fanta Orange, Sprite (33cl)



€4

Kinley Tonic Water (25cl)



€4

Fuzetea Peach (50cl)



€3

NaturAqua mineral water still or sparkling (50cl)



€4.50

Bavaria non-alcoholic beer 0.0% (33cl)



€4.50

Red Bull* original (25cl)



€4

Cappy Strawberry Lemonade (40cl)



€4

Cappy Apple Juice (33cl)



€4

Cappy Orange Juice (33cl)

BUY ANY 2 JUICES OR SOFT DRINKS* for €6!

*The promotion excludes Red Bull and Bavaria non-alcoholic beer 0.0%.

ONLY

€6

save €2



BUY ANY 2 BOTTLES OF WATER for €5!

ONLY

€5

save €1



ALCOHOLIC DRINKS & DEALS



€11

Gin & Tonic



€11

Whisky & Coke



€11

Vodka & Orange



€7

Quality wines (red/white)
local selection (18.7cl)



€1.50

Limited edition

Bavaria x WIZZ
Collectable
Beer Cup

Because great beer deserves a great cup — get yours NOW!



€6.50

Bavaria Premium
beer 5.0%
(33cl)



€8.50

Bottega Gold
Prosecco DOC**
(20cl)



€4

Pronol
Spritz*
(20cl)



€8.50

NEW

Bottega Petalo
Moscato**
(20cl)



€7

Absolut Vodka (5cl),
Ballantine's Scotch Whisky (5cl),
Beefeater Gin (5cl)

VALENTINE'S SPECIAL DEAL
BUY 2 BOTTEGA PETALO ROSE
OR GOLD AND GET A BELGIAN
CHOCOLATE HEARTS FOR FREE!

ONLY

€17

save €5



OR



OR



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*Available on selected flights departing from Italy and Romania.
**Prosecco and Bottega Petalo Moscato are available on selected flights. Please ask crew for availability.
Alcohol brands may vary.
Always drink responsibly. Customers must be 18 years or above to be served alcohol on board.

WINE DEAL



save
€9
 €2

BEER DEAL



save
€9
 €1.50

CHOOSE ANY SNACK*

*Pringles Original, Pringles Sour Cream & Onion, Pringles Hot & Spicy, TUC Bake Rolls Garlic, TUC Bake Rolls Pizza or TUC Mini Salted Crackers.



7 generations of family expertise. Now elevated.



Bavaria
 Family Brewed

DOUBLE IT UP!



OR



save up to
€10
 €4



Please ask the crew for the available wine on board.

**HOT DRINKS &
BREAKFAST**



**Segafredo
Coffee
(28cl)**



**Segafredo
Cappuccino
(28cl)**



**Segafredo
Oat Latte (28cl)**



**Segafredo
Hot Chocolate
(28cl)**



Dilmah Tea
• Berries
• Jasmine green
• English Breakfast



**Dilmah
Premium Tea
Peppermint**

Segafredo[®]
— ZANETTI —

**FRESH GROUND
COFFEE**

100% ARABICA



All-day breakfast deal

Get a 7days MAX croissant with your choice of coffee or tea* - anytime, all day!

DEAL PRICE

€6



*The deal includes Segafredo Coffee, Segafredo Cappuccino, Segafredo Oat Latte, Segafredo Hot Chocolate, English Breakfast Tea, Jasmine Green Tea & Berries Tea

BUY 2 7 DAYS MAX CROISSANT

for only €6!



ONLY

€6

save €1

BUY 2 NUTRINO LAB GO MANGO MIX

for only €6!



ONLY

€6

save €3

Keep
your inner
balance
with
Naturaqua

Natur
aqua®



**SWEET
SNACKS**



€3

KitKat Ball (36g)



€3.50

7days MAX Croissant
with cocoa filling (80g)



€3.50

Haribo Gold Bears
(100g)



€2.50

Fitness Milk Chocolate Banana
(23.5g)



€2.50

Nesquik Wafer (26g)



€4

Elit Dubai Chocolate Bar (30g)



€2.50

Snickers (50g)



€4.50

Caprice wafer rolls (115g)



€2.50

KitKat original (41.5g)



€4.50

Milka Choco sticks (112g)



€4.50

Nutrino Lab Go Mango Mix

(200g)



€5

NEW

Belgian Chocolate Hearts (65g)

**BUY 2 KITKAT
OR SNICKERS
for only €4!**

ONLY

€4

save €1



OR





YOUR GOOD
ON-THE-GO →





€2.50

YOU+ peanuts



(50g)



€4

NEW

Pringles

Original , Sour Cream & Onion (40g)
or Hot & Spicy (40g)



€4

TUC Mini Salted
Crackers
(100g)



€4

Bake Rolls

Pizza or Garlic
(80g)

**BUY 2
PRINGLES
OR BAKE
ROLLS
for only €6!**

ONLY

€6

save €2



OR



DEALS OF THE MONTH

€87.90
€75

MYSLF YVES SAINT LAURENT

EdP 60ml

- Bergamot
- Orange blossom absolute



€72.90
€60

LIBRE YVES SAINT LAURENT

EdP 30ml

- Neroli • Orange Blossom Absolute
- Vanilla



€20.90
€17

ELIZABETH ARDEN CERAMIDE CAPSULES TRIO TIN 3X7

Perfect for travel. This spill-proof compact tin contains 7 Retinol + HPR Ceramide Capsules, 7 Advanced Ceramide Capsules and 7 Hyaluronic Acid + Peptides Ceramide Capsules.



€42.90
€35

NUXE TRAVEL ESSENTIAL SET

This kit contains: 1 Mini Huile Prodigieuse® Multi-purpose Dry Oil (30ml), 1 Rêve de Miel® Hand and Nail Cream (15ml), 1 Rêve de Miel® Ultra-Nourishing Lip Balm (15g), 1 Very Rose Micellar Makeup Remover Water (100ml) and 1 Crème Fraîche de Beauté® moisturizing plumping cream (30ml).

 +  = 20% OFF*

 +  +  = 30% OFF*

*Valid for every fragrance on board, except Yves Saint Laurent Libre and Yves Saint Laurent Myslif.



€30

FLOWERBOMB
VIKTOR & ROLF

EdP 20ml

• Peony accord • Centifolia
Rose accord • Fressia accord



€30

SACRIFICE FOR HER
AJMAL

EdP 50ml

• Floral • Powdery
• Ambery



€30
€24

*Huge
saving!*

SWEET TOOTH
SABRINA CARPENTER

EdP 30ml

• Citrus • Spicy • Gourmand



€30

*Travel retail
exclusive ✈*

DARK BLUE
BOSS

EdT 75ml

• Mahogany cedar • Vetiver
• Patchouli and Vanilla

**FRAGRANCES
FOR LESS**



= 20% OFF*



= 30% OFF*

*Valid for every fragrance on board, except Yves Saint Laurent Libre and Yves Saint Laurent Myslif.



**SHEER BEAUTY
CALVIN KLEIN**

EdT 50ml

- Fruity • Floral
- Fresh



**POUR FEMME
CERRUTI 1881**

EdT 50ml

- Lily of the Valley
- Jasmine
- Sandalwood



NEW

**PACO ROSE
RABANNE**

EdT 100ml

- Bergamot • Rose
- Helvetolide

ONLY

€20

EACH



**CK FREE
CALVIN KLEIN**

EdT 50ml

- Woody • Aromatic
- Fresh spicy



**IT'S €20
AGAIN!**

*Travel retail
exclusive ✈*

**PACO
RABANNE**

EdT 100ml

- Citrus • Aromatic • Woody

 +  = 20% OFF*

 +  +  = 30% OFF*

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CARBON

AJMAL

EdP 100ml

• Citrus • Spicy • Musky



SIGNATURE BLACK

BUGATTI

EdT 100ml

• Aromatic • Woody • Oriental

ONLY

€20

EACH



BELLA DONNA

BUGATTI

EdP 60ml

• Fruity • Woody • Floral



WOMAN

BOSS

EdT 30ml

• White floral • Vanilla • Sweet



5TH AVENUE NYC UPTOWN

ELIZABETH ARDEN

EdP 75ml

• Magnolia • Cherry Blossom • Vanilla Skin

 +  = 20% OFF*

 +  +  = 30% OFF*

*Valid for every fragrance on board, except Yves Saint Laurent Libre and Yves Saint Laurent Myslf.



€49
(HSP*€105)

Huge saving!

CLASSIC SHE
EMPORIO ARMANI

EdP 100ml

• Powdery • Musky • Vanilla



€49
(HSP*€105)

Huge saving!

CLASSIC HE
EMPORIO ARMANI

EdT 100ml

• Woody • Amber



€40
(HSP*€109)

Huge saving!

SEXY AMBER
MICHAEL KORS

EdP 100ml

• Floral • Warm • Ambery



€60

Huge saving!

INVICTUS AQUA
RABANNE

EdT 100ml

• Grapefruit • Violet
• Amber Wood



~~€49.90~~
€45

Only on Wizz Air

FIERCE
ABERCROMBIE & FITCH

EdC 50ml

• Marine Breeze Sandalwood
• Sensual Musk

 +  = 20% OFF*

 +  +  = 30% OFF*

*Valid for every fragrance on board, except Yves Saint Laurent Libre and Yves Saint Laurent Myslf.



€73

**ACQUA DI GIÒ
PROFONDO**

ARMANI
EdT 50ml

- Lemon essence • Fresh spices
- Lavandin essence



€65
€55

Buy a
Messi perfume
and get the **Wizz**
socks trio pack
for **FREE!**

**FIRST
TIME IN
EUROPE***

MESSI
MORE THAN WE SEE

EdP 100ml

- Cedarwood Virginia
- Vanilla Bean • Patchouli



€75

BAD BOY
CAROLINA HERRERA

EdT 50ml

- Warm spicy • Amber • Woody

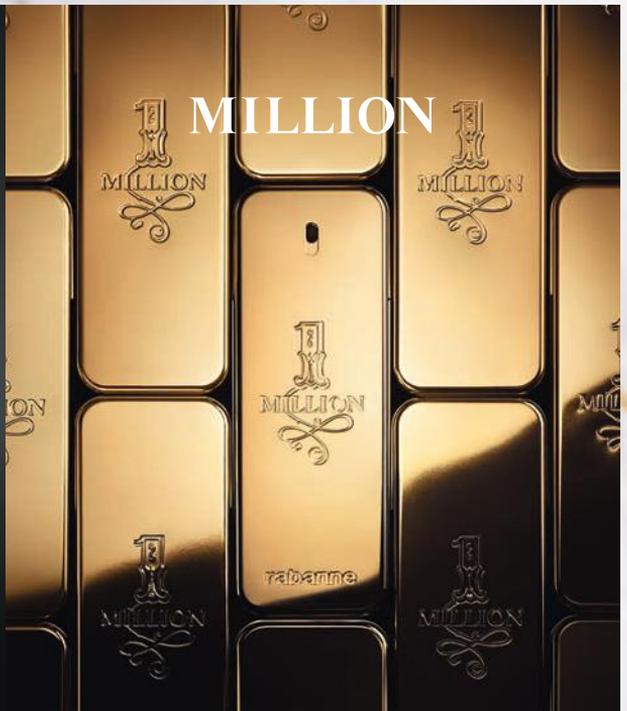


€79

BOTTLED BEYOND
BOSS

EdP 50ml

- Ginger • Leather



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 +  = 20% OFF*  +  +  = 30% OFF*

*Valid for every fragrance on board, except Yves Saint Laurent Libre and Yves Saint Laurent Myslif.



€75

**1 MILLION
RABANNE**

EdT 50ml

- Blood Mandarin • Cinnamon
- Animal hide leather



€75

**EROS ENERGY
VERSACE**

EdP 50ml

- Citrus • Woody



€83

**POUR FEMME
MICHAEL KORS**

EdP 50ml

- Floral • Woody
- Musky



€68

**GOOD GIRL
CAROLINA HERRERA**

EdP 30ml

- Sweet • White floral
- Warm spicy



= 20% OFF*



= 30% OFF*

*Valid for every fragrance on board, except Yves Saint Laurent Libre and Yves Saint Laurent Myslf.



€49

**VALENTINA
VALENTINO**

EdP 50ml

- Floral • Ambery
- Chypre

*Travel retail
exclusive ✈*



€60

**LOVE STORY
CHLOÉ**

EdP 75ml

- Stephanotis Jasmine
- Orange Blossom • Cedarwood

*Huge
saving!*

BEAUTY & SKINCARE

Full size products*

€30

Huge saving!



LANCÔME MY MAKE-UP FAVORITES SET

All your make-up favorites in one set, with Hypnôse Mascara, L'Absolu Rouge Cream, Crayon Khôl Noir and Bi-Facil.

€5

PLANTABLE EYELINER BY SPROUT

Apply beauty to the world with this world's only plantable make-up liner.

Flower to plant



€21

SOL DE JANEIRO CHEIROSA 62 PERFUME MIST PISTACHIO & SALTED CARAMEL 90ml

A warm and delicious perfume mist bursting with an alluring pistachio and salted caramel scent.



€18

SOL DE JANEIRO BRAZILIAN BUM BUM CREAM 75ml

A fast-absorbing body cream with an addictive scent and a visibly tightening, smoothing formula that adds a hint of shimmer to skin.



SOL DE JANEIRO

DISCOVER THE WORLD'S BODY CARE OBSESSION



CHEIROSA 62 PERFUME MIST

BRAZILIAN BUM BUM CREAM





€20

L'ORÉAL PARIS
DAY CREAM 50ml + NIGHT CREAM 50ml
+ EYE CREAM 15ml

Consists of the Hydrating Anti-Wrinkle Day Cream, the Anti-Wrinkle Night Cream and the Anti-Wrinkle Eye Cream. Developed to smoothe wrinkles.



€18

Only on Wizz Air

GEEK & GORGEOUS
RETINAL RE/SET - TRAVEL EXCLUSIVE KIT

Set with the global bestsellers for all skin types, contains Jelly Joker Low pH Gentle Cleanser, 50ml and A-Game 0.05% Retinal Serum, 30ml

NEW



€23

BABOR
HYDRA & GLOW
AMPOULE SERUM CONCENTRATES

This Set creates plump and radiant skin in just 7 days due to hyaluronic acid, ProVitamin B5, and ExoPolySaccharides.

With **FREE** Plantable eyeliner by Sprout!

BOOST YOUR SKIN IN AN INSTANT
HYDRA & GLOW
AMPOULE SERUM CONCENTRATES
 7-day treatment for hydrated & glowing skin

BABOR

INFLIGHT EXCLUSIVE

DAY 1-3
HYDRA PLUS
 Instantly boosts the skin's moisture

DAY 4-7
PERFECT GLOW
 Illuminates the complexion





NEW

€59
(HSP*€80)

**MICHAEL KORS
BRACELET**

Add sparkle to your wrist with this Michael Kors 14k gold plated sterling silver slider bracket.



NEW

€99
(HSP*€140)

**COCCINELLE
BEAT SOFT BAG**

This iconic Beat Soft crossbody bag comes with a detachable gold tone chain shoulder strap and matching plectrum-shaped clasp. The bag has a fabric interior. Made of Italian grained leather, ideal for everyday use. Size: 19 x 14 x 4cm, 250g



NEW

€65
(HSP*€85)

**SWAROVSKI
CONSTELLA PENDANT
NECKLACE**

A modern take on the classic circle pendant, this rhodium-plated piece features a central pavé ring of clear Swarovski Zirconia, with two larger prong-set Swarovski Zirconia holding it in place.



NEW

€35
(HSP*€57)

**SWAROVSKI
MATRIX HOOP
EARRINGS**

Ignite your style with these shimmering mini hoops. The pierced earrings are rhodium-plated and adorned with clear prong-set Swarovski Zirconia on the outer section. An easy way to illuminate any outfit.



€30

CHARM BRACELET

This stunning airline exclusive charm bracelet makes the perfect holiday accessory or gift. Complete with 5 hand finished, uniquely crafted travel themed charms. The charms are interchangeable making it super easy to mix and match the charms how you like them, and personalise your look. Anti tarnish rhodium plated.



€45

CANNELLIS BLISS TENNIS BRACELET

Exclusive timeless bracelet, to wear on special occasions. The bright oval shape cut white Cubic zirconium are shining like genuine diamonds.



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CANNELLIS BLISS JEWELLERY SET - DOUBLE NECKLACE & EARRINGS

The "Bliss" set is recognised through the purity of the ageless design and class. The CZ stones are set in hypoallergenic 18k gold plated stainless steel



CANNELLIS KEYCHAIN

Stainless, 18k gold plated keychain.

Buy the Cannellis Tennis Bracelet and the Cannellis Necklace with earring set and get a Cannellis key chain for FREE!



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POWER BANK LITE 10000 MAH 22.5W****

Supports multiple fast-charging protocols.
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NEW

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**I-CLIP
THE SMARTER MINI WALLET**

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WIZZ TRAVEL SOCKS SET

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WIZZ 3D PUZZLE PLANE

Build, play, and imagine with this WIZZ branded 3D puzzle plane! Featuring 80 easy-to-assemble pieces, this colorful toy helps develop problem-solving and motor skills. Suitable for ages 3+



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Please see below a list of our café items and a guide to the allergens they contain. Please refer to the product label for more information.

COLOUR	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Lactose free	⬇																	
Gluten free	⬇																	
Vegan	⬇																	
Vegetarian	⬇																	
		Gluten/Wheat	Nuts	Milk	Soy	Mustard	Lupin	Eggs	Fish	Crustaceans	Sesame seeds	Sulphur dioxide	Celery	Peanuts	Molluscs			
SANDWICH SELECTION																		
Ham & Emmental Ciabatta		●																
Turkey Salami & Edam Delight		●																
Creamy Edam Emmental Croissant		●																
Premium Pastrami & Emmental Roll		●																
SNACKS AND DRINKS																		
Noodle Soup (Knorr, chicken)		●																
Noodle Soup (Knorr, beef)		●																
Noodle Soup (Knorr, vegetables)		●																
Tomato Soup (Knorr)		●																
Potato Chips Salt (Pringles)		●																
Potato Chips Sour Cream (Pringles)		●																
Bake Rolls Garlic		●																
Bake Rolls Pizza		●																
Potato Chips Hot & Spicy (Pringles)		●																
YOU+ peanuts		●																
Potato Soup (Knorr)		●																
Pasta Broccoli and Cheese (Knorr)		●																
Pasta Mushroom Cream (Knorr)		●																
TUC Mini Salted Crackers		●																
7days MAX Chocolate Croissant		●																
KitKat		●																
Kit Kat Balls		●																
Snickers		●																
Elit Dubai Chocolate Bar		●																
Nutrino Lab Go Mango Mix		●																
Caprice wafer rolls		●																
Milka Choco Sticks		●																
Belgian Chocolate Hearts		●																
Fitness Milk Chocolate Banana		●																
Nesquik Wafer		●																
Haribo Gold Bears		●																
Bavaria Premium beer 5.0%		●																
Bavaria non-alcoholic beer 0.0%		●																
Segafredo Cappuccino		●																
Segafredo Oat Latte		●																
Segafredo Hot chocolate		●																

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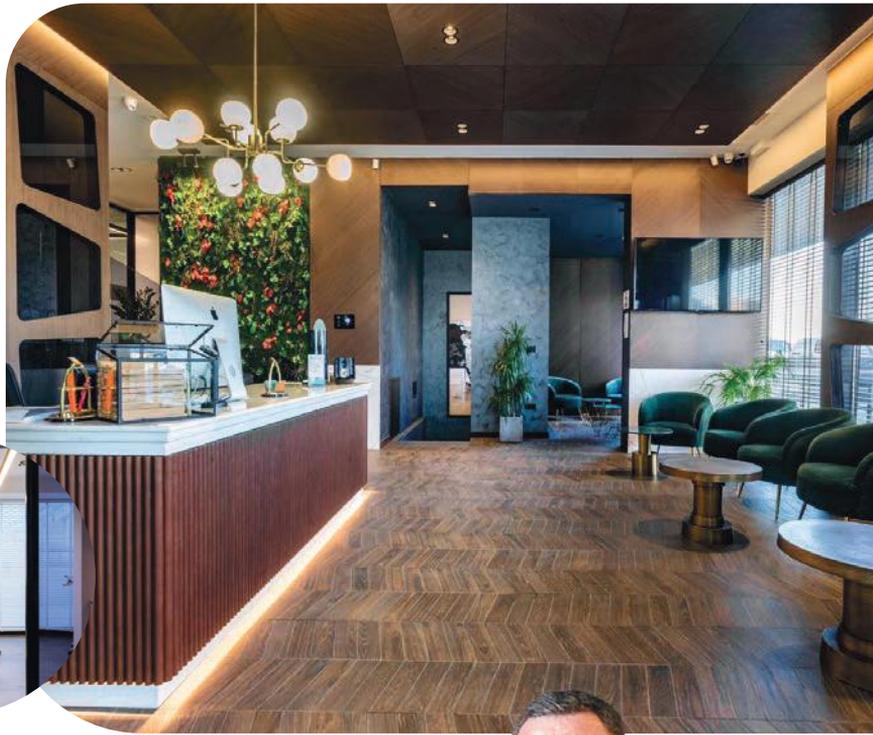
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