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Cases de Son Barbassa Hotel & Restaurant

This month we travel overseas to showcase a venue set in a 16th-century defence tower located in the surroundings of the Llevant Natural Park, northeast of the island of Mallorca

Norbert Viñas was at the helm of the architectural project, and Nofre Munar (Mobles Riera) was in charge of the interior design. The aim at all times was to find solutions respectful with the traditional architecture and its surroundings, which at the same time, guarantee maximum comfort. A mixture of rural and modern.

The main building houses 16 rooms, 12 of them restored in 2003 and the rest, built in 2014 as an annexed space. 400 metres away from the main building you can find Son Barbassa de Dalt, a villa constructed in 2008 that offers even more exclusivity and privacy. Its more recent construction is reflected in a modern architectural style, although always in harmony with the rest of the buildings of Cases de Son Barbassa.

The original architectural



structure is respected, harmoniously combined with a modern, contemporary and comfortable interior design, in which natural and neutral colours prevail. The walls alternate stone, and some are plastered with marble dust, in a recreation of the classic whitewashing that respects the roughness of the walls. Cases de Son Barbassa has a chic, Mediterranean, traditional and rural style.

When the hotel was constructed, 80% of its original structure was preserved, and now it hosts interiors dressed in an almost minimalist sensibility. Simple spaces, which include only the





necessary, stand out. Elegance and sobriety thus become the protagonists.

Special mention should be made of the glass-enclosed restaurant, where the natural surroundings and the landscape become the main decoration. Above, you can find the swimming pool, with a solarium lined with local stone and several Balinese beds.

This year, a new pool bar space will be inaugurated in keeping with the relaxed, Mediterranean and rural aesthetic that characterises the rest of the complex. “La Pèrgola” is the name chosen for this new 90m² space, located between the pool and the spa. Neutral colours, reed ceilings and details, and macramé are the protagonists. “La Pèrgola” has a boho chic and Mediterranean aesthetic and includes comfortable sofas and several tables for two. Everything contributes to create a relaxed atmosphere in which peace and tranquillity prevail. The new space is located just behind the mountain of Son Barbassa, planted with garballons. Without a doubt, the spectacular views of the rural environment will be one of its biggest attractions.

The menu of “La Pèrgola” will have a careful selection of snacks including salads and sandwiches. As for drinks, classic cocktails, Mallorcan wines and a wide variety of liquors will be available. The pool bar is the perfect place to take a break from the pool or to enjoy a drink with friends at sunset. All this, while enjoying the Mallorcan climate and the sounds and scents of nature. 📍

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About Cases de Son Barbassa

Cases de Son Barbassa is a rural hotel located in the coastal village of Capdepera, in the Levante of the island of Mallorca. The natural environment surrounding the hotel complex is an essential part of the identity of Cases de Son Barbassa. Almond, carob and olive trees are the protagonists of the landscape, and the exclusive, intimate and peaceful atmosphere make it a captivating place.

The main building was erected on top of a 16th century defence tower, and the various old houses surrounding it have become 20 charming rooms. The facilities share the wonderful bucolic views and an austere decoration that combines modern and rural details.