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Elegant Resorts

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ELEGANT RESORTS LAUNCHES 'EXPERIENCES' LUXURY LIFESTYLE GUIDE

Leading luxury travel company Elegant Resorts has today launched 'Experiences' – the second in a series of Lifestyle Guides from the experts in luxury travel. Offering a tempting array of extraordinary and memorable travel adventures around the world, the brochure is divided into themes of '*Explore and Inspire*', '*Body and Mind*', '*Exhilarate*' and '*Sports*'.

Commenting on the launch of the guide, Nathan Philpot, Managing Director, Elegant Resorts, says: 'Our clients are increasingly seeking luxury holidays rich in experience. This may be in addition to their two week 'fly and flop' luxury beach escape or perhaps to be taken in combination with it. It could be as adventurous as a jungle trek through Langkawi's rainforest, or as indulgent as a five-hour private 'Retreat Suite' spa experience for 2 in the British Virgin Islands. The key is, it needs to be truly memorable and special. With the attention to detail and knowledge of the luxury world for which Elegant Resorts are renowned, our clients know they can rely on us for the holiday experience of a lifetime. Moreover, whether they are looking for exploration or inspiration, exhilaration or introspection, with Elegant Resorts they know that they won't have to compromise an iota of luxury along the way. '

Highlights of the Guide include:

Explore and Inspire:

- Sea Kayaking through the estuaries of New Zealand
- Catamaran Cruise to the outer reef of the Great Barrier Reef
- Elephant Safaris in Botswana or 'Elephant Whispering' with rehabilitated elephants in South Africa.
- Hiking to 'Taktshang Goemba or 'Tigers Nest' In Bhutan, set on a sheer cliff face 900 metres above the Paro Valley.

Body and Mind

- Holistic Spa experience at the Six Senses Destination Spa in Thailand
- Mayan Healing ceremony at the Zoetry Parais de La Bonita in Mexico
- Explore the Maldives in greater depth at Alila Villas Hadahaa – with photography, natural environment and cultural three day 'journeys'
- Venture into Medici tunnels whilst staying at Villa San Michele in Florence
- Stay on a working Sri Lankan Tea Estate in one of four Colonial bungalows

Exhilarate

- Space Travel. Put your name down now to experience the exhilaration of space travel with Virgin Galactic, with journeys currently planned to start in 2011. If you just can't wait that long, try the Zero-gravity and NASTAR space experiences.
- Fly with the Blades Aerobatic Squad in Scotland
- Explore the waterfalls and glaciers of Argentina via boat trips, tours and treks across the ice
- Heli-skiing in Blanket Bay, New Zealand
- Horse back safaris in Tanzania's Serengeti

Sports

- Enjoy some of the great sporting events of the coming year from tennis and golf to horseracing and rugby, in comfort and style.

Copies of the guide will also be available on www.elegantresorts.co.uk, where it is downloadable as a PDF. Forthcoming additional guides include Families and Spa.

For bookings, or further information, please contact Elegant Resorts Reservations on 01244 897517 or visit www.elegantresorts.co.uk.

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