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## **Love and Luxury this Valentine's Day at Taj Cape Town**

It is said that love can blossom in the most extraordinary places, but why not help Cupid along by creating a cherished memory to share with your loved one this Valentine's Day amidst the opulent luxury of Cape Town's premier five star hotel, Taj Cape Town.

Ease into your Valentine's celebration with impeccable style at Jiva Grande Spa, Taj Cape Town's award winning Spa renowned for their holistic sensitivity inspired by ancient wisdom. During February's month of love, couples are invited to indulge in SOMĀ - Nectar of the Gods treatment; where therapists will perform a candle-lit, Indian aromatherapy massage before couples retire to a rose petal bath and bottle of Veuve Clicquot. At R1900 per couple, this two hour period of total relaxation and spirit rejuvenation is a reward for the soul.

Couples need look no further than Twankey Bar to set the perfect mood for Valentine's Day celebration. Taj Cape Town's renowned Artisan beer & tapas bar offers itself as a sophisticated venue to enjoy masterfully blended cocktails as either an aperitif to entice the appetite, or as a well-earned digestif to be savoured post dinner. Every Friday, all cocktails are on special at R40 each, while a live DJ is on hand to entertain for the evening.

Whereas the exact recipe for *love* may be impossible to transcribe, the Executive Chefs, at Bombay Brasserie and Mint, The Local Grill have engaged in their own labour of love in order to design special menus to be gently savoured this Valentine's Day.

Couples can choose a five course gourmet meal at Mint, The Local Grill, including amongst other delights, oysters, scallops and prawns with champagne jelly, and a rosemary scented Chateaubriand as a main to share. Guests will be softly serenaded by live music, while the cost of R550 per couple includes a welcome drink per person and a classic rose.

Bombay Brasserie is the quintessential venue for a glamorous, romantic evening in one of the world's most beautiful cities, especially on the international day of love. For a cost of R750 per person, couples will enjoy live music over their welcome drink and a classic rose. World renowned Executive Sous chef, Harpreet Longani, has created a leisurely six course meal, complete with a fusion of oriental specialities such as the famous Karoo lamb Kareli "Roganjosh" curry with quail egg gratin potatoes, and the unique red velvet & rose "Kulfi" Charlotte.

Aside from good company, for many, the second best accompaniment for a fine meal is a world class wine from a stellar vintage. In a first for the South African hospitality industry, Taj Cape Town is proud to offer their guests the World of First Growths Wine List – a series of iconic wines from vintages considered to be among the most coveted in the world. Valentine's Day is about treating your loved one, and this bespoke wine list unlocks access to 36 of the most renowned hallmark wines, from the top Premiere Grand Cru to the Flagship wines from the world's best wine producing countries - a rare treat indeed.

Cupid's arrow may prove superfluous among the decadent dining and spa options that Taj Cape Town has on offer for couples this Valentine's Day. Contact Taj Cape Town now to secure your booking and ensure that this Valentine's Day will be fondly reminisced for years to come.

For more details, or to make a booking at either Bombay Brasserie or Mint, The Local Grill, contact the banqueting team at [restaurants.capetown@tajhotels.com](mailto:restaurants.capetown@tajhotels.com) or 021 819 2000.

To reserve a treatment session in Jiva Grande Spa please contact: [jivaspa.capetown@tajhotels.com](mailto:jivaspa.capetown@tajhotels.com) or 021 819 2000

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