

"Jou' re entirely bonkers. But I II tell you a secret. All the best people are." Alice in Wonderland

We are sure that like us, many of you may feel like you are going down Alice's rabbit hole during this time. Alice of all people would understand what we are going through as her world, like ours, was thrown topsy turvy. The rabbit hole was the beginning of a journey that was surreal, challenging, complex and chaotic... it was however also a journey of new beginnings.

How do we respond to having to go through that small scary door into Wonderland? Do we grab the bottle of 'Drink me' deciding that we're going to be huge and tower above all, or the small cake that reads 'Eat me', to shrink down to contemplate the road ahead? There isn't one easy answer as each of our journeys is unique; the reality is that we will probably try a bit of both to see which is best at the time.

There are so many lessons we can take from Alice during this time: be a wildflower not a wallflower - instead of simply existing, Alice set out to be who she wanted to be and accomplished impossible things. Wandering doesn't mean we are lost - sometimes we need to fall down the rabbit hole to get to where we need to be. And life can be much more muchier - do you feel like you've lost your "muchness"? If so, it's time to find it again.

Both <u>Le Grand Jardin</u> and <u>Bungalow 52</u> allows one the opportunity to celebrate the warmth and togetherness of family, yet also some much needed me-time in a quiet corner with a book while kids explore their spacious surroundings in safety. To ensure that we comply with all necessary protocols, and for the wellbeing of our staff as well as guests, we have adjusted our product offering to provide an even more private wonderland experience that will involve limited interaction with our staff.

For the next 5 months we will be taking the opportunity to rediscover and reimagine our Wonderland (whilst giving staff a well-deserved break and sprucing up the villas), to once again welcome guests from 1 October. Fingers crossed that we will be allowed to travel again by then and that our borders will have reopened (there are various opinions on this point).

Prior to each stay both <u>Le Grand Jardin</u> and <u>Bungalow 52</u> will be thoroughly cleaned to ensure compliance with all safety and hygiene protocols; an extra set of linen will be made available along with cleaning products (housekeeping service is available at an additional cost should this be required).

In addition both villas will be stocked with the usual pantry items (tea, coffee, condiments for cooking etc) and from 1 October we will include continental breakfast supplies (guests will have the option of pre-ordering from a grocery list; a private chef can also be arranged). Guests will also receive a welcome gift on arrival consisting of a selection of local produce from the region, which will include wine from our sister estate <u>Le Grand Domaine</u>.

Please <u>contact us</u> for updated rates and make the most of our Stay 7, Pay 5 or Stay 10, Pay 7 offers available from 1 October for an extended Wonderland escape. We are taking reservations for future stays and have temporarily adjusted our booking terms and conditions to allow for more flexbility during this time; <u>download our Covid-19 policy</u>.

View our new websites for both <u>Le Grand Jardin</u> and <u>Bungalow 52</u>, and follow us on <u>Facebook</u> and <u>Instagram</u> for regular updates on what's going on in Wonderland.

Please read our further news below. And remember, it's time to find your muchness again!



Wander off to a hidden world



Updated 2020 Rates

Download our updated 2020 Rack rates for <u>Le Grand Jardin</u> and <u>contact us</u> for contracted rates.

New Website

We are excited to have launched our <u>new website</u>, featuring beautiful visuals, easy navigation and online availability calendar.

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We are also really excited to share that we have upgraded the Bungalow 52 site as well - view it <u>here.</u>

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