

Hermitage Bay

ANTIGUA

FESTIVE SEASON 2026



Welcome to Hermitage Bay

We are delighted to share the festive season with you here in Antigua, where we hope you will create lasting memories with the people you love.

This year's celebrations bring together Caribbean tradition, elegant evenings and moments of quiet reflection, from carols beneath our Tree Bar to a golden night on the beach as we welcome 2027.

To join any of the experiences in these pages, please contact our Guest Services team, who will be happy to help with any special requests.

Wishing you a joyful holiday season,

YOUR HERMITAGE BAY FAMILY

23 – 24 DECEMBER

Festive Celebrations





WEDNESDAY 23 DECEMBER · TREE BAR

Christmas Under the Tree

Our Tree Bar becomes Hermitage Bay's very own Christmas tree. Gather beneath the glowing lights for sushi and festive cocktails, serenaded with carols by our island girl Jashan Hughes on live guitar.

Dress Theme: The Colors of Christmas
Guests are invited to embrace the festive spirit by wearing their favorite Christmas colors: red, green, gold or a touch of festive sparkle.

THURSDAY 24 DECEMBER · AFTERNOON

A Caribbean Christmas Eve Jamboree

Our traditional island celebration, alive with Caribbean music and entertainment. Judge our Bartenders' Mix-Off, then watch Santa make a spectacular arrival from the sea.

THURSDAY 24 DECEMBER · EVENING

'Twas the Night Before Christmas

Christmas Eve dinner, set to the sounds of a live band.

25 DECEMBER

Christmas Day





FRIDAY 25 DECEMBER · MORNING

Christmas Morning by the Sea

Ease into Christmas Day with a leisurely Champagne breakfast overlooking the bay, served late into the morning.

FRIDAY 25 DECEMBER · LUNCH

Christmas Lunch at La Petite Maison

A festive Christmas Day lunch with a live steel band.

FRIDAY 25 DECEMBER · EVENING

Christmas Dinner

An elegant Christmas dinner with a beautifully curated festive menu, refined entertainment and graceful décor for a warm, sophisticated celebration.

31 DECEMBER – 1 JANUARY

Welcoming the Arrival of 2027





THURSDAY 31 DECEMBER · MORNING

Release & Renew

A Journey of Gratitude

Beginning at 9:00 AM, join a guided one-hour hike to our historic sugar mill, overlooking the ocean. Pause to reflect and write down what you are ready to release from 2026. On the descent to the beach, each guest places their note into a bowl of water. Made from 100% biodegradable paper, it dissolves within seconds before the water is returned to the ocean. Refreshments await you on the beach.

THURSDAY 31 DECEMBER · EVENING

The Golden Hour

A Night in White & Gold

Dressed in white and gold, gather from 6:30 to 8:00 PM for a Champagne and cocktail reception with canapés and a live steel band, followed by an elegant gala dinner from 8:00 to 10:30 PM, with final seating at 10:00 PM. Entertainment builds towards midnight, when fireworks, a beach bonfire and dancing welcome the New Year.

Dress Theme: White & Gold Elegance
Guests are invited to dress in elegant white and gold as we welcome the New Year in style, with a touch of glamour and sparkle to bring in the New Year.

FRIDAY 1 JANUARY

A Sparkling New Beginning

A New Year's Day Champagne brunch with relaxed live music, for a leisurely start to 2027.

23 DECEMBER – 1 JANUARY

Festive Season at a Glance

DATE	EXPERIENCE	TIME	VENUE
Wed 23 Dec	Christmas Under the Tree	5:30 – 7:30 PM	Tree Bar
Thu 24 Dec	A Caribbean Christmas Eve Jamboree	2:30 – 5:00 PM	La Petite Maison
	'Twas the Night Before Christmas	7:00 – 9:30 PM	The Restaurant
Fri 25 Dec	Christmas Morning by the Sea	7:30 – 10:30 AM	The Restaurant
	Christmas Lunch	12:30 – 2:30 PM	La Petite Maison
	Christmas Dinner	7:00 – 9:30 PM	The Restaurant
Thu 31 Dec	Release & Renew	9:00 – 10:00 AM	Old Sugar Mill
	Golden Hour Cocktail Reception	6:30 – 8:00 PM	The Restaurant
	Golden Hour Gala Dinner	8:00 – 10:30 PM	The Restaurant
	Fireworks & Beach Bonfire	Midnight	The Beach
Fri 1 Jan	A Sparkling New Beginning	12:30 – 2:30 PM	The Restaurant

Final dinner seating is 9:00 PM, or 10:00 PM on New Year's Eve (dress code: white and gold).





Throughout the Week

DINING

Breakfast
Coffee from 7:00 AM

Served 7:30 – 10:30 AM.

Oceanfront Beach Club
Lunch · 12:30 – 2:30 PM

Oceanfront, with live music.

Lounge, Patio, Pool
Daily · 11:00 AM – 6:00 PM

Snacks & Artisanal Pizza.

Sunset Sushi
Daily · 4:30 – 5:30 PM

Served at the Tree Bar.

Dinner
7:00 PM · Final seating 9:00 PM

Live music every evening.

The Bars
Main Bar · 8:00 AM – 11:30 PM
Tree Bar · 10:00 AM – 6:30 PM

ACTIVITIES

Cooking with the Chef
Wednesdays · 3:30 – 4:30 PM

Holiday Edition on 30 December.

Organic Garden Tour
Tuesdays · 10:30 AM · Meet at Reception

Led by our head gardener.

Spa Teaser
Fridays · 10:00 – 11:00 AM · The Beach Spa

A complimentary 10-minute treatment.

Morning Mindfulness
Daily · 8:00 AM · Yoga Pavilion

Yoga and Pilates to start your day.

Water Sports
Daily · 8:00 AM – 5:00 PM · On the Beach

Sailing, kayaking and paddle boarding.

Snorkel Tour
Daily · 10:00 AM & 1:00 PM

A guided snorkel tour of the bay.

Some times may be adjusted for special festive activities. To reserve lunch or dinner, speak with your server or dial 199 for Guest Services, who will also be happy to share a full list of our dining options and activities.

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Wishing you a joyful holiday season and a bright, healthy 2027.

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