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GREEN INSIDER TIPS FOR FALL:
FIVE NEW HOTELS AT GREEN PEARLS®

Darmstadt, 13th October 2015. Green Pearls, a portfolio of sustainable, handpicked and unique places worldwide, offers the conscious travelers insider tips for the perfect timeout in fall and introduces five new member hotels in Germany, Italy and on the Maldives.

Silence with Style in Lower Bavaria

In Lower Bavarian Bad Birnbach the guests of the Hofgut Hafnerleiten dine together at the family table in the main house. Every Thursday, the host pampers with his rural, Mediterranean kitchen and pasta with flambéed parmesan. In fall season, these can be refined with sweet walnuts, if desired. Architecture and nature lovers can choose between seven themed houses and three exclusive vacation rentals as a retreat. Cell service, radio and television are not available here - instead, the
Lower Bavarian surrounding invites to hikes, a thermal bath visit or to a city visit to the three-river-city Passau. Gourmet fans book a barista or cooking course.

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**Selfness-Vacation in the Black Forest**

For those looking for a timeout for the senses during fall vacation, will find themselves in good hands in the selfness and health hotel [Schwarzwald Panorama](#) - here guests can stay climate-neutral. With yoga courses, alkaline fasting and traditional Chinese treatments, the immune system is made fit for the cold season. In the Black Forest kitchen of the in-house restaurant "La Vie", head chef Hagen Müller and sous chef Enrico Ziegler perform magic with the dish "Pumpkin Times 3", a pumpkin soup with pumpkin chutney and pumpkin gel from the Hokkaido, or serve saddle of venison under a chestnut crust with brussels sprout leaves and hazelnut spaetzle. The after-dinner walk brings fresh air fanatics to the colorful fall landscapes of the Northern Black Forest or to the 40 meter high tree top trail in Bad Wildbach.

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**Yoga and Children Wellness in the Bavarian Forest**
At Refugium Lindenwirt in Drachselried in the Bavarian Forest, regeneration and a child-friendly atmosphere do not eliminate each other. Maria and Christian Geiger are parents themselves - it was close to their hearts to create a 4-star wellbeing hotel, in which yoga and nutrition consultations, as well as children wellness and a children's program have room. Of course, the small ones can get a mini version of daddy's venison ragout with girolles and lingonberries or try an alkaline dish, currently for example a pumpkin schnitzel with sweet potato salad. For the golden season, the Geigers have created a package consisting of four overnight stays including indulging board, entrance to the tree top trail in Neuschönau, a leg massage and the participation of the movement program for 406 Euro per person.

Olives and More in Liguria

In October, the harvest time of the high-quality Taggiasce olives begins in Ligurian
Badalucco. Lovers of Italian antipasti are in gourmet heaven in the middle of olive groves at Agriturismo L’Adagio while young culinarians can experience the cultivation of healthy foods on the school farm in the morning and play at the ocean nearby in the afternoon. Hosts Rosella and Franco Boeri welcome their guests in nine suits and rooms of a re-designed oil mill and produce the exclusive olive oil "ROI" on their farm. The remains of the fruit find use in the production of animal food, the olive pits are used as heating material for the pellet heater in the Rustico. The offer is extended with an elegant spa area with sauna, steam bath and whirlpool as well as in-house cosmetic products - of course also made from the self-produced olive oil.

Green Romance on the Maldives

Sun worshippers, marriage seekers and newlyweds can escape fall completely with a vacation at Reethi Beach Resort on the Maldives. The 120 villas lay on the private island Fonimagoodhoo in the middle of a UNESCO biosphere reserve. The hotel administration is aware of the ecological responsibility for the sensitive surroundings and lays a focus on comprehensive energy saving and water treatment measures. Also, they have taken over the waste disposal of three islands in the Goidhoo atoll. The palm surrounded Reethi and deluxe villas of the resort are only a few steps away from the beach, guests of the 30 water villas jump directly into the lagoon via an own footbridge. It is no surprise that many couples choose this picturesque scene for a dream wedding in the open or for a vow renewal.

The German Green Pearls GmbH with place of business in Darmstadt, Germany unifies international tourism companies that support environmental protection and demonstrate social commitment. Thereby, Green Pearls is the first holding company worldwide that consolidates sustainable hotels, a destination and restaurants in a global data source.
Among the criteria of admission to Green Pearls, are a sustainability plan on management level, sustainable architecture, comprehensive water, energy saving and waste recovery measures, the use of seasonal and regional ingredients in the kitchen, as well as a large commitment for the social balance in each of the vacation regions.

Interested parties can find proper photo material to this report [here](#), further information to Green Pearls at [www.greenpearls.com](http://www.greenpearls.com), on Facebook, Twitter, Instagram and Pinterest, as well as on the [Green Pearls Blog](#).

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