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## Inside 5\* Kandima Maldives resort loved by stars including Rochelle Humes, Jesy Nelson and more



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Being castaway on an island has never been more enticing than holidaying in the Maldives. It has always attracted the great and the good of the showbiz world to its soft sandy shores and turquoise ocean. In recent months, [Jamie Redknapp and Frida enjoyed their luxurious honeymoon](#) in the Maldives. But the tiny slice of paradise doesn't only attract the newlywed stars who want to relax and spend time together in a romantic setting. Not long ago, [bikini-clad Elizabeth Hurley was seen topping up her tan](#) on the most idyllic holiday and we loved seeing all the gorgeous pictures of her break.

Following in the footsteps of some of **HELLO!**'s favourite stars, I flew 11 hours to [Kandima Maldives](#) with my fiancé to experience the Maldives in true celebrity style. A whole galaxy of stars have stayed at five star family-friendly resort Kandima Maldives over the years. **Celebrity couples have always been drawn to the romance of the place**, to name a few: [Jesy Nelson visited Kandima with her then-boyfriend Harry James](#), [Katie Price had her "second honeymoon" there with her then-husband Kieran Hayler and former Strictly Come Dancing star Ola Jordan enjoyed an Easter break](#) with her husband James Jordan. But proving Kandima Maldives isn't just for couples, [Rochelle Humes and her husband Marvin took their children to Kandima](#) for a holiday of a lifetime. Arriving in paradise, instantly I could see why Kandima won the hearts of our favourite celebrities...

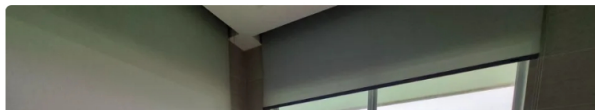
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The water villas at Kandima Maldives

### Where to stay in [Kandima Maldives](#)?





Maldives sea view from the bath in the water villa

From the Water Villa private terrace, I could lose hours in the Maldives looking out onto the endless ocean. This easily became one of my favourite places on the island. The azure waters made a spectacle - perfect for watching the seaplanes land and boats glide across the water. The freestanding bath had the most beautiful view of the ocean: a simple but memorable luxury from my trip.

### Floating breakfast in the Maldives




The Maldives floating breakfast served in jacuzzi

The Maldives is all about the views, so naturally the floating breakfast served at the water villa is high on many people's lists to try out. Looking out to the blue water while enjoying a fresh orange juice first thing in the morning is an incredible experience and definitely sets the scene for a romantic day on the island. Get ready in your swimwear early as breakfast arrives in a cute wicker basket and it is set to float in your jacuzzi, where you get a fabulous view of the ocean without leaving your water villa. You are treated to every kind of croissant you can think of, a colourful plate of fruit, cheese omelettes, sausages, bacon, toast, waffles and just about any breakfast food you could desire.

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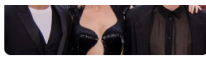


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### Denise Van Outen stuns in tiny denim shorts and killer cowboy boots

Former Strictly star Denise Van Outen dazzled in mini shorts and cowboy boots at the weekend alongside her beau, Jimmy Barba. See stunning photos...

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### Newly-single Sofia Vergara, 51, flaunts amazing physique in thong swimsuit after announcing split

Sofia Vergara was a sight for sore eyes, showcasing her incredible physique in a striking blue thong swimsuit after announcing split from Joe Manganiello.

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### North Yorkshire fish and chip shop named among best in the UK by The Times

The Magpie Café in Whitby, North Yorkshire has been named among the 18 best fish and chip shops in the UK by The Times.

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### Hugh Jackman, 54, Deborra-Lee, 67 turn heads as they step out at Wimbledon final

Hugh Jackman was seen enjoying the final day of the prestigious Wimbledon Championships in London, joined by his wife, Deborra-Lee Furness.

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Why Do So Many Stars Pose Like Fools on The Red Carpet? An Anonymous Photographer Tells All



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Hours after winning Wimbledon, the champs were dressed up to the nines.

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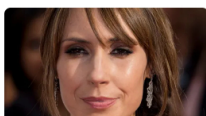


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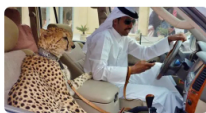


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### The One Show's Alex Jones shares rare family photos - and her mini-me daughter is so sweet

The One Show's Alex Jones melted hearts over the weekend with a slew of adorable family pictures featuring her lookalike daughter Annie. See their sweet moments here...

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Cringy Things that you won't believe exist in Dubai



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### Brad Pitt amuses fans by enjoying chips in Wimbledon stands: 'Could watch him all day'

'Best part of Wimbledon for me,' one fan joked

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### Charlotte and George steal the show with priceless reaction at Wimbledon final

Royal siblings had animated reaction to nail biting tennis match



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**Amal Clooney is a bridal-like goddess on date night with George in Italy**

George Clooney and his wife Amal Clooney stepped out in Italy for a romantic dinner date, of which Amal looked breathtaking in a lace bridal dress - see photos

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**Prince William is 'watching with pride' as Princess Charlotte takes over as the Royal Family's 'class prefect' claims body language expert**

"Charlotte seems to be keen to show how quickly she is growing up and how little parenting she needs now"

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**Queen Camilla's ex daughter-in-law reveals the royal's 'extreme nerves' at coronation as page boy made 'mistake' in front of millions**

Queen Camilla was 'extremely nervous' ahead of the coronation with King Charles, her former daughter-in-law Sara Parker-Bowles has revealed.

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**Prince William mistaken for MP in hilarious exchange with member of the public**

The Prince of Wales was asked if he was 'the government' in a hilarious exchange with a young onlooker - but the royal handled it like a pro

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**Martina Navratilova hits back at Megan Rapinoe in transgender row**

Martina Navratilova, the tennis great, has criticised Megan Rapinoe for claiming that she would "absolutely" welcome a transgender player on her team.

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**The most valuable thing my son will inherit is a beloved UK holiday destination**

I have been on the same holiday every year of my life. Some years, I've been twice. Not for a lack of adventurous spirit or a disinclination to try something new, but because it is a much-loved family tradition. And if my almost 40 trips to the same stretch of North Cornwall coast seem extreme, they pa...

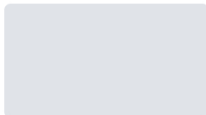
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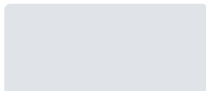


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**Willow Smith is the ultimate style icon in black bikini during dreamy vacation**

Will Smith's daughter Willow Smith turned heads in a tiny black bikini during a jaw-dropping vacation, in photos posted on Instagram

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**Machine Gun Kelly Thirsts Over Megan Fox's Sexy Forest Photoshoot — See His Comment!**

"If this is what a wild animal looks like, I'd let it maul me," MGK confessed on Instagram