



Media Release

New to the Navigate Oceania Collection

LATEST ADDITIONS OF VILLA LUXURY FROM NAVIGATE OCEANIA.

Wanaka, NEW ZEALAND & Coral Coast, FIJI (October 2009)

Release Private Retreat in Wanaka, New Zealand & Maui Palms in Fiji are the latest additions to Navigate Oceania's collection of private villas, luxury lodges and resorts in New Zealand and the South Pacific.

Joining Navigates Private Villa Collection is **Release Private Retreat**, commanding panoramic views of **Lake Wanaka**, Treble Cone ski resort and the rugged peaks of Mt Aspiring National Park in **New Zealand**. It is an innovative masterpiece of eco-friendly architectural design. Ideal for friends and families with three ensuite guestrooms, spacious and art filled living areas and outdoor Jacuzzi. The 24/7 concierge service sports a range of absolute adrenalin filled activities exclusive to Release guests on snow, water or air. Rates start from NZ\$1250 per night (sleeps 6).

Your choice of an exclusive beachfront villa cluster for 16 ideal for weddings or celebrations, or as a boutique resort ideal of couples - Fijis newest boutique resort is **Maui Palms**. Offering five absolute beachfront villas/bures located on the **Coral Coast** of mainland **Fiji** just over an hour by road from Nadi international airport. Dining is a highlight at Maui Palms with awarded owner/host Andre Badia preparing the freshest farmers market sourced indigenous and tropical specialties (Ask about his local farmer's market tours for guests and cooking lessons). A full concierge service for activities, including some real surprises. More of an exclusive lodge than a resort, rates start from the Resort rate of AUD\$495 per couple per night or fully exclusive rate AUD\$2675 for up to 16 guests.

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Editors Notes:

- **Release Private Retreat and Maui Palms are new members of Navigate Oceania** a collection of 31 inspired destinations and unique experiences from New Zealand and Pacific's finest boutique hotels and luxury lodges, an exclusive private island, villas, spa destinations, a luxury expedition-style cruise, and a private motor yacht. Our members are: **New Zealand** Cavalli Island Retreat and Spa, Cavalli Islands; Paihia Beach Resort & Spa, Bay of Islands; Bay of Island Lodge, Bay of Islands; Cliff Edge Landing, Bay of Islands; Oceanic Discoverer; Missionhills, Bay of Islands; Waipoua Lodge, Waipoua Forest; Takatu Lodge & Vineyard, Matakana; The Boatshed, Waiheke Island; Stafford Villa, Auckland; Cotter House, Auckland; Seafields, Whitford; Hamurana Lodge, Rotorua; Kawaha Point Lodge, Rotorua; Treetops Lodge & Wilderness Experience, Rotorua; Chalet Eiger, Lake Taupo; Greenhill Lodge, Hawke's Bay; The Millar Road Family, Hawke's Bay; Wharekauhau Country Estate, Martinborough; Bolton Hotel, Wellington; Edenhouse, Nelson; Claremont Country Estate, Canterbury; Huntley House, Christchurch; Elm Tree House, Christchurch; Release Private Retreat, Wanaka; Remarkables Lodge, Queenstown; **Fiji** Navutu Stars Resort, Yasawa Islands; Royal Davui Island, Beqa Lagoon, Maui Palms, Coral Coast; **Cook Islands** Te Vakaroa Villas, Rarotonga For more information on our experiences, visit www.navigateoceania.com.