



SANDERLING RESORT

LOCATION:

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TRADITION UPGRADED:

Originally opened in 1985, Sanderling Resort, an AAA Four Diamond property debuted a new look in May of 2013 after a multi-million dollar renovation touching almost every area of the resort, including a complete rebranding. Two new pools, revitalized restaurants, updated event spaces and refreshed guestrooms welcome the next generation of Sanderling guests. In 2014, Sanderling Resort joined the *Southern Living* Hotel Collection, a carefully selected collection of independent resorts, hotels and inns, diligently vetted by *Southern Living*, and devoted exclusively to and offering the best in authentic Southern travel, hospitality and experience. Continuing its redesign, Sanderling unveiled 24 new water view guest rooms in 2015—each offering a view of the Currituck Sound or the Atlantic Ocean and in 2016, the treasured destination turned the page to a new chapter with the completion of a multi-phase, transformative renovation project that included full guestroom and bathroom renovations, revealing a fully enhanced resort experience. In 2017, Sanderling Resort transformed one of its signature dining venues, The Lifesaving Station, and revitalized the Spa at Sanderling to match the coastal yet contemporary feel of the resort.

FROM SEA TO SOUND:

The Outer Banks of North Carolina are a 200-mile long strip of barrier islands stretching across half of the northern North Carolina coastline. The resort is located on the northern tip between the Atlantic Ocean and the Currituck Sound in the town of Duck, not far from the historic Kitty Hawk and Nags Head. Surrounded almost 360 degrees by water, Sanderling Resort is a 13-acre unspoiled beachfront paradise beckoning visitors with an array of memory making experiences, 120 guestrooms and suites and five rental homes.

ACCOMMODATIONS:

Sanderling's unpretentious presence showcases a nostalgic Outer Banks architecture with cedar shake sidings aged by the sea and sand and wide, inviting porches. A welcoming new lobby and lounge space offers guests the chance to relax with deep couches, cozy fireplaces and thoughtful amenities.

Evocative of a favorite family beach house with a modern twist, room interiors are graced with crisp linens, a chenille lounge chair or sleep sofa, furnished balconies and oversized marble bathrooms. With an eye to providing the comforts of home, each room is equipped with plush robes, an iron, a bedside flashlight, branded bath amenities, and a flat screen TV.

The **Beach House**, **North Wing** and **South Wing** rooms boast gorgeous ocean views. Ten new rooms were unveiled in 2015 in the Beach House including

spacious suites with balconies and gorgeous views of both the ocean and sound. Suites are also available in the South Wing and six of the South Wing rooms feature a walkout patio to the adults-only Tranquility pool. A king bed makes these rooms perfect for couples to enjoy a romantic weekend. **North Wing** accommodations provide families with either a king or two queen beds, connecting rooms and views of landscape or coastal dunes from the first floor. Also unveiled in 2015, the new third-floor rooms, 18 in total, were designed to provide guests with optimal views of the ocean and sound. Nine rooms provide immediate access to the resort family pool.

Rates start at \$129 per night in the low season and \$399 per night in the high season. Three, four and six bedroom homes are available from \$650 per night with a two-night minimum.

CULINARY EXPERIENCE:

Emphasizing locally sourced food, especially from the sea, the resort's cuisine is dedicated to the philosophy of simply delicious cuisine rooted in **Sustainable, Organic, Artisanal** and **Local** ingredients – a concept is referred to as **S.O.A.L.**

Kimball's Kitchen - The AAA Four Diamond Kimball's Kitchen serves exquisite steak and seafood cuisine. The restaurant, helmed by Chef de Cuisine Tyler Powell, features an extensive oyster selection, Certified Angus Beef® and freshly caught seafood entrees accompanied by traditional southern side dishes, artfully composed appetizers, signature dishes and nightly specials.

New for the 2017 season, a bourbon flight program offers guests the exclusive opportunity to taste an extensive selection of both classic and rare bourbons from the "tip of the tongue" Four Roses Single Barrel to the rich and spicy Woodford Double Oak.

The vibrant dining room of Kimball's Kitchen showcases an exhibition kitchen and lively ambiance. In the evening, breathtaking views of the sun dipping behind the Currituck Sound can be viewed through the grand floor to ceiling windows.

Hours of Operation

Open Tuesday-Saturday May 4 - October 21; Closed Sunday and Monday
5:30 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.

Hours change seasonally

Lifesaving Station - The Lifesaving Station received a complete refresh in early 2017, while still paying homage to the rich maritime history of the Outer Banks. New windows added to the second floor of the restaurant expand guest views of the Currituck Sound and drench the setting with warm sun rays. A restored 1899 United States Lifesaving Station, it features nautical artifacts and historic memorabilia which are easily integrated into sleek, updated décor with rich colors.

The Lifesaving Station seamlessly blends sophisticated style and local focus. The bar and restaurant's three-meal menu is a selection of contemporary Carolina Coastal cuisine emphasizing the best in fresh local seafood with daily specials and comfort foods with elegance like goat cheese hushpuppies. This casual dining spot welcomes families to dine on the newly added outdoor deck and then retreat indoors to enjoy the roaring fireplaces after their meal. Vegetarian and gluten free entrees are also available.

No. 5 Bar was also revitalized and relocated to the first floor of The Lifesaving Station. The updated space features a sophisticated shiplap bar with brass top and is the perfect spot for a casual meal or night cap.

Hours of Operation

Breakfast: 7:00 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. daily

Lunch: 12:00 p.m. – 2:30 p.m. daily

Dinner: 5:00 p.m. – 9:30 p.m. Sunday - Thursday (reservations recommended)

Dinner: 5:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m. Friday - Saturday (reservations recommended)

No.5 : Nightly from 4 p.m. – 10 p.m. (last call)

Sandbar: This seasonal outdoor bar and grill serves classic casual seaside fare to guests on its adjacent deck at both dune side pools. The Sandbar features an additional 8 tables with seating for 33. The family-friendly restaurant features an all-day menu (lunch through late afternoon) and prepares to-go picnics for families to take with them on the beach. A selection of draft beers, frozen drinks and wine is also available. *Open May – October*

Beach House Lobby Bar: The intimate lobby bar engages guests with its inviting layout and serves a light fare in the mornings—including a selection of Sanderling’s signature baked goods and an array of gourmet coffee drinks— and a variety of wines, cognacs, ports and the resort’s new signature Bourbon flights in the evenings.

Room Service: Available nightly from 7am – 10pm. Guests may select from an array of perfectly portioned small plates to satisfy in-between meal cravings while enjoying the comforts of their rooms.

SPA AT SANDERLING:

The 6,000 square-foot award-winning spa features 10 treatment rooms, including a couple's suite, private Vichy shower and eucalyptus steam room. The spa offers luxury skincare products from renowned beauty and skincare lines, including BABOR. Treatments include massage therapy, skin care and body treatments with an indigenous twist such as the *Sea of Life Facial, Ocean Serenity Ritual and Outer Banks Detox*. Treatments specially designed for men and teens are available. Post-treatment spa lunches are offered in the solarium or on the deck overlooking the Currituck Sound. In 2017, the Spa at Sanderling will get a complete refresh and updates will include renovated men’s and women’s locker rooms and a transformed full service salon with two hairstyling stations, five luxury pedicure chairs and two manicure stations.

Spa at Sanderling is open to the public and can accommodate bridal parties.

Hours of Operation

8 – 6 p.m. Sunday-Thursday

8 – 7 p.m. Friday and Saturday

Mid-May thru Mid-October

8 a.m. – 8 p.m. Monday-Saturday

8 a.m. – 6 p.m. Sunday

MEMORABLE EVENTS:

For private functions, social events and weddings, Sanderling Resort offers a variety of options to set the scene.

Pavilion at Sanderling and Gazebo

As the destination's premier wedding and events facility, the Pavilion at Sanderling and adjacent gazebo offers unparalleled water views of the serene Currituck Sound in a climate-controlled permanent structure allowing for weddings throughout any season.

Event Lawn

A new 5,600-square-foot Event Lawn features an elevated observation deck adjacent to the South Wing. The Lawn serves as the perfect venue for an elegant outdoor occasion and can be tented to accommodate events year-round.

Event House and Deck

Located on the ocean side, the 1,500-square-foot Event House offers indoor seating for up to 100 people for meetings or dining events. The Event Deck serves as an outdoor location for wedding ceremonies, receptions and corporate dinners alongside the fire pit.

The Beach

A stunning setting for up to 200 people, the beach provides the perfect casual and natural backdrop for sunset functions and daytime gatherings.

The Boardroom

The beautifully appointed and preset Boardroom can accommodate up to 15 persons for an executive meeting. Natural lighting and ergonomically correct chairs make this the ideal location for an executive meeting.

Keepers Loft

Ideal for small family weddings of up to 50 guests, the Keeper's Loft is located atop the historic Lifesaving Station and boasts resplendent views of the Currituck Sound.

RESORT ACTIVITIES:

Tranquility Pool

An adults-only Tranquility pool reflects the serenity of the sea with cantilever umbrellas, group seating areas and chaise lounges.

Resort Family Pool

A lagoon-style pool is designed to match the region's topography and allows all ages to enjoy the temperate climate.

Hot tubs and fire pits alongside each pool provide a gathering place for guests.

EXPERIENCES:

Pine Island Audubon Sanctuary: The 2,600-acre sanctuary is a favorite resting spot of double-breasted cormorants, northern harrier and sharp-shinned hawks, Virginia rails and black-bellied plover. In the later fall months, dozens of species of geese and ducks descend on Currituck Sound, providing spectacular bird watching.

Indoor Pool & Fitness Center: Movable partitions and skylights allow the pool area to be opened to cooling breezes in warmer months for indoor and lap swimming. The indoor pool is open during the spa's operating hours. The fitness center, located in the North Wing offers cardiovascular and resistance weight machines, and is open from 7 a.m. – 9 p.m. daily.

Golf: Golf is available at the nearby Currituck Club, an 18-hole course designed by Rees Jones. Green fees apply.

Water Activities: Sanderling Resort is proud to partner with Kitty Hawk Kites, the largest water based outfitter on the Outer Banks. On-site activities include kayaking, surfing, kiteboarding, paddleboarding, boogie boarding and bicycle rentals. A dedicated representative from Kitty Hawk Kites is stationed at the resort in season and all activities are open to guests and the public.

Child Care: At Your Service offers in-room babysitting services.

AREA ACTIVITIES:

- Wright Brothers Memorial
- North Carolina Aquarium
- Elizabethan Gardens
- Private Boat Charters
- Beer Tasting
- Currituck Lighthouse
- Hiking
- Wildlife Refuge
- Jockey's Ridge Sand Dune
- Village of Manteo
- Scenic Beaches
- Scuba Diving
- Boutique Shopping
- Tennis
- Golfing
- Pea Island National Park
- Fishing
- Kayaking
- Wild Horse Tours

GETTING THERE:

The resort is approximately one hour and 45 minutes from the Norfolk, VA airport and a 269 mile drive from Northern Virginia and Washington, D.C. Raleigh-Durham is approximately a 192 mile drive.

CLIMATE:

The proximity of the Gulf Stream to the Outer Banks allows the barrier islands to enjoy the most temperate year-round climate north of Florida. The average year round temperature is 70°F and average ocean temperature is 63°F.

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