

# Bokémi

RESORT



**CLOSE TO NATURE**

ALL THE INFORMATION FOR A PLEASANT STAY



# A warm welcome to your villa

We're happy to have you spend your holiday with us! We hope that you will fully enjoy this special villa in this unique environment.

We would like to briefly tell you something about the area.

Your Bohémi holiday villa is in fact located on a former plantation on the extraordinary estate of the manor Klein Sint Michiel. Adjacent is the salt lake inhabited by a colony of flamingos. If you follow the concrete path from the central swimming pool, the path will lead to the salt lake directly. A beautiful spot overlooking the flamingo reservoir. From the living room you can see all nature that is part of a protected natural park.

You will find much more information in the map about the island, the resort, the household rules and swimming pool regulations. Please review this information carefully, while you start to relax and enjoy your welcome drink.

As a welcome present, you will find a cool bottle of white wine in the fridge.

Cheers to a very pleasant stay at Bohémi!

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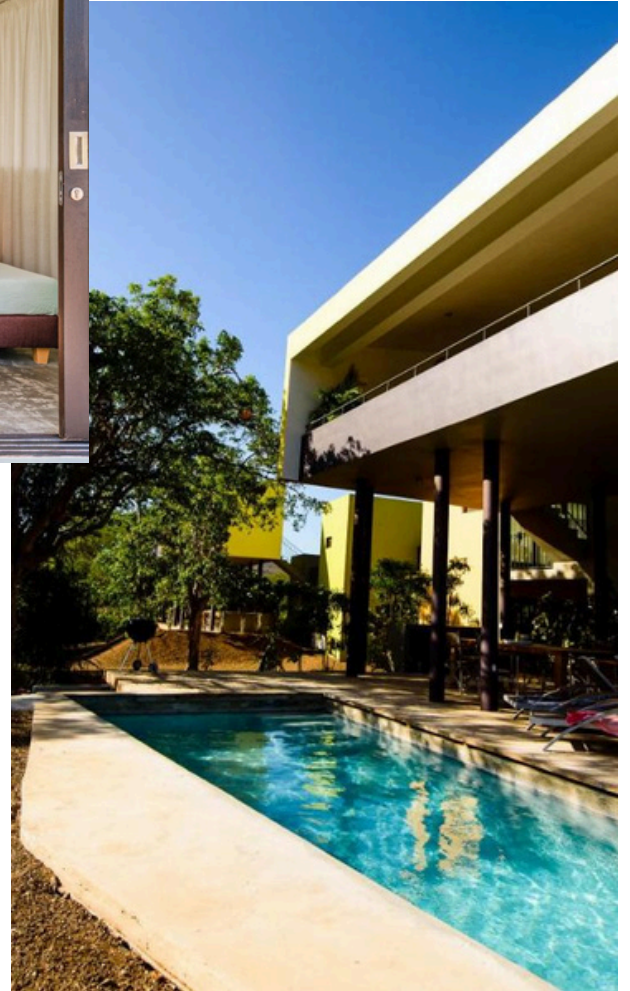
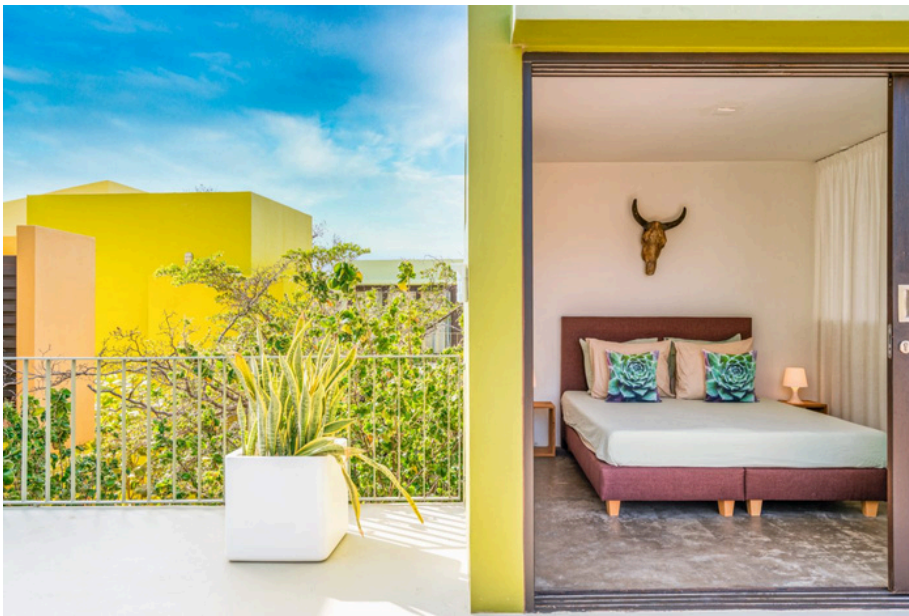
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## Good to know about Bohémi Resort

- See the fridge for a nice bottle of wine. Cheers!
- Spray on mosquito spray at night to make you a little more protected from the mosquitoes.
- The key with the green heart as a keychain, is the key to the gate. The gate leads to the flamingos. The path to the gate is between villa Calypso and villa Jade.
- As Bohémi Villas, we are very concerned with sustainability. For example, on the grounds near the villas there are now three places where there are two wastebaskets. The black one is for cans and the blue container is for plastic bottles without a cap. Please try to take this into account when disposing of waste. In the container at the villa, you can simply throw away anything, such as cardboard, glass and food waste
- To deter ants, do not leave food scraps and other debris while staying at the property.
- Watch your speed within the terrain!
- Visit? Please notify us. They are welcome until 10:00 pm.
- If you would like to use the washing machine, please let us know!
- The gate is open during the day, but it is closed at night. Use the weekly code for access.
- No loud music, noises or nuisance between 11 pm and 7 am.





# Good to know about Bohemi Resort

- The water from the tap is potable and safe to drink.
- At the door is a list of information about the cleaning of the Villa.
- Beware of wet floors in and around the villa and around the pool. It can be slippery.
- Don't let the faucet run too long, and turn it off properly when you're done.
- To be mindful of the environment, turn off the air conditioner when you leave the room.
- Download the 24/7 app for taxi's.
- Garbage bag full? Deposit it in the green clicker at the villa.
- Do not smoke in the rooms.
- The TV is only for use of Netflix, YouTube etc. No channels.
- The villa has a SONOS box available. This can be connected via Spotify.
- The entire villa has 220 Volt as power outlets.



## Good to know about the Island

- Everywhere on the island, you pay in ANG or dollar. If you pay by pin, you can often pay up to 100 ANG contactless. Amounts over 100 ANG often have to be paid with the pin code, and you will need your card.
- Lock a car properly, do not leave valuables in the car.
- Download the map of Curaçao in advance on Google Maps or download the app Maps.me. If you have to drive somewhere, you still have the route without Wi-Fi.
- To refuel the car, you first pay the amount, and then you refill.
- Be aware when driving on Curaçao's roads that the right does not always have priority. Also, everyone overtakes on the left or right.
- The roads in Curaçao are not always well laid. So there are sometimes holes in the road, try to avoid them to avoid getting a flat tire. Be aware that it's slippery on the road when it has rained.
- For more information, please visit [www.naarcuracao.com](http://www.naarcuracao.com). Or come to the front desk with your questions.

# Usefull phone numbers

- 911 police/fire brigade
- 912 ambulance
- 913 coastguard
- 9247 road service
- 199 road service, traffic accidents.
- +5999 888 7511 Dr. Allaart
- +5999 512 1830 Bohémi

## Important adresses:

- Bohémi Resort  
Kaminda Dr Amado Römer 59 (road to Bullebaai)
- Curacao Medical Centre/ First Aid  
J. H. J. Hamelbergweg, Willemstad
- General practitioner Dr. Allaart, Porto Medico  
Curaçao HATO Airport



## Recycle Your Plastic

Curaçao as an island is not yet advanced in recycling. However, sustainability is at the forefront at Bohémi Resort. Thus, Bohémi Resort wants to do its part in recycling. That is why we work together with local parties.

We are focusing on the waste of plastic or other waste. That's why we have 2 colors of bins. See on the bin where you need to put your waste. Otherwise, put it in the green bin by the house.

We will tell you something about how to recycle your plastic bottles. The blue bin is for the plastic bottles.

1. Only throw away a PET or HDPE bottle. You can see the sign at the bottom.
2. Make sure there are NO contaminants, trash or liquids entering the bin.
3. Always remove the cap and drop the loose plastic cap in the same (blue) bin.
4. Always rinse your bottles. Throw all the liquids out.
5. Finally, throw away the bottle in the bin!

For the plastic PET bottles, only throw the clear, light blue and light green bottles away. As for the HDPE bottles, all colors are welcome.

## 4 REASONS WHY TO RECYCLE

- 1 For a healthier and cleaner environment
- 2 Recycling contributes to the stop of global warming and oil dependency
- 3 If you recycle your plastic bottles, there will be less oil necessary to produce new bottles and less transport
- 4 As you recycle part of your waste you will be helping to extend the life of the other landfill. Recycling is using a material in a sustainable way



## BEACHES

# near Bohémi Resort

Near Bohémi Resort are three beaches, which are definitely worth a visit.

1

**Blue Bay Beach**, here you will experience the ultimate beach day. A wide and beautiful sandy beach, azure waters, swaying palm trees and comfortable facilities such as restaurants, water sports, sunbeds and umbrellas.

2

**Kokomo Beach**, a kind of same beach as Blue Bay where all the facilities are available. However, the beach is slightly smaller, but still it is great to hang out at Kokomo Beach. Take a picture of the famous swing. And enjoy the lovely water of the natural Vaersenbaai. Kokomo beach also has a nice restaurant for lunch.

3

**Karakter**, at a slightly further distance as the above-mentioned beaches, you have Karakter beach. Karakter beach offers a unique relaxing atmosphere in super blue water weather. The beach offers comfortable beach beds, chairs and beanbags in and out of the shade to enjoy the sun and good service. Karakter also has a seaside restaurant where you can have a great meal in the evening.





## Beaches great for snorkeling

- 1 Playa Grandi**, the chances of you swimming with the turtles here are very high. At Playa Grandi the fishermen also catch fresh fish, which is cleaned for sale and the leftovers are thrown into the water as food for the turtles! Snorkeling is quite an experience here.
- 2 Playa Porto Marie**, all day long all kinds of colorful fish can be spotted here. The fish are mainly found at the reef in the middle of the beach and at the famous jetty.
- 3 Playa Lagun**, a snorkeling spot between two cliffs. It is not a very wide beach but along the cliffs you will find the most beautiful fish and other species. You may come across a beautifully colored moray eel or a camouflaged squid on a rock.
- 4 The Blue Room**, the water here is bright blue. The blue room is an opening in the rocks at Santa Cruz beach. The blue room is accessible in several ways. A little outside the blue room, the water is also beautifully blue, and you can spot beautifully colored fish here.
- 5 Tugboat Beach**. This is a very famous dive spot on the island as well. But here you can also snorkel. The Tugboat, a tugboat that sank years ago, lies at 5 meters depth and can easily be seen from the surface through the clear water. The boat provides a shelter for the underwater world.

Almost all beaches on Curaçao often have a diving school. So you can make a trial dive or get your diving padi. Stop by a beach and ask about the options, because a dive in the depth is definitely worth it.

### TOP 5

- 1 Playa Grandi
- 2 Playa Porto Marie
- 3 Playa Lagun
- 4 The Blue Room
- 5 Tugboat Beach



**Restaurant X**, a kitchen with dishes from around the world to be culinary pampered, for lunch and dinner. At Restaurant X, the experience of good taste and a cozy atmosphere is the highest priority. Look for the menu on the website: [www.x-restaurant.com](http://www.x-restaurant.com) or on Facebook. Restaurant X is located at Bohémi resort, but do not forget to make a reservation. From us you have a voucher for a bottle of wine.

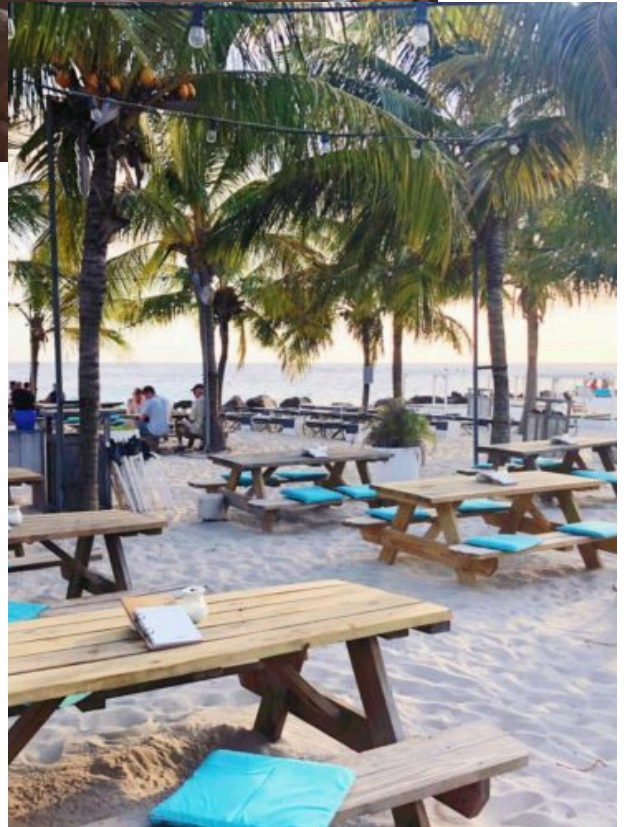
**The Niffo Huts**. A nice place to watch a beautiful sunset with your feet in the sand, while enjoying a nice snack and drink. Sint Michielsbaai Curaçao.

## Restaurants near Bohémi Resort

**De Visserij**, the local fishermen of Curaçao bring their 'catch of the day' directly to The Fisheries. At the restaurant, the fish is then prepared. So you can hardly get the fish fresher. The menu differs every day, it all depends on what the fishermen have caught that day. There is always enough to choose from. A useful tip: be on time because the fish is in limited supply, and de Visserij is a busy restaurant.

**Di Verse Sauzen**, lunch and dinner. Located at only a 5-minute drive from Bohémi Resort. Eat well with a beautiful sunset and enjoy a restaurant with love for the island and honest local food. Canoaweg 18, Village Sint Michiel Curaçao.





# Restaurants Downtown

**Fort Nassau**, described as a casual fine dining restaurant for lunch and dinner. The restaurant is a semi-open air restaurant and offers a 360 degree view of the entire island. The historic character of Fort Nassau combined with the interior, the beautiful view and the good food make the visit to Fort Nassau unforgettable.

**Rozendaels**, a cozy and romantic restaurant in the center of Willemstad. The menu shows a variation of original salads, pastas and fish. The cooking style is fusion and is unique in every way.

**Gouverneur**, a restaurant with a view of the Handelskade. During lunch or dinner look at the large ships passing the port of Willemstad. The menu consists of international dishes but also local dishes with a Caribbean twist.

**Zest**, settle in at a picnic table on the beach and enjoy the fresh tuna, grilled meats and poke bowls while the sunset here is at its most beautiful.



# Punda & Otrabanda

Besides all the beaches and restaurants, Curaçao also has nice neighborhoods. You have Punda, Pietermaai, Otrabanda, and Scharloo. These are the districts that form the center of Willemstad. Each district has its own peculiarities.

## **Punda**

Punda is the capital of Curaçao and has a nice trading quay with beautiful colored mansions. But Punda also has terraces and stores. In Punda two markets are held. You have the round market. This is a large building with all kinds of market stalls where you can buy nice souvenirs. There is also a floating market. This market used to be a market on boats from Venezuela but now it is a standing market where fresh fruits, vegetables and souvenirs are sold. Punda is nice to walk through during the day but at night it is also cozy.

Take a look at the pontoon bridge. This bridge is beautifully illuminated at night with all kinds of colors. The Emma Bridge is unique because it is the only floating wooden swing bridge in the world. When you walk across it you can feel the movement and the waves of the water. The ferry bridge connects two major neighborhoods Punda and Otrabanda.

## **Otrabanda**

The name says it all, "other side". For years this district was a neighborhood of decay, poverty and crime. But thanks to investments, the district is definitely worth a walk through. In Otrabanda, take a visit to the Renaissance Mall, which is in fact THE high street of Curacao. Also a visit to the Brionplein is nice.



# Pietermaai & Scharloo

## **Pietermaai**

A suburb of Punda. Pietermaai is known as a hip and trendy neighborhood. With numerous restaurants, hotels/boutiques and colorful buildings. It is definitely worthwhile to walk around Pietermaai. Of course, a picture must be taken of the colorful buildings.

## **Scharloo**

Besides the Pietermaai district lies the Scharloo district. This is a slightly lesser known district but still a nice district to stroll through. If you walk through Scharloo you pass numerous 19th-century mansions with various murals made by residents. The murals tell what is going on in the neighborhood. Every street corner has a story.

## **DUNDU TOURS**

### **Not a standard city tour**

Get to know the culture and meet proud residents of the district. Beside the history and true stories. (\$20)

**E-scooter tour** if you do not want to walk.

Have a ride from district to district past beautiful murals, monuments and colorful alleys. (\$50)

### **Local food walk**

Curaçao has a very multicultural society, and that is also reflected in the kitchen.

A fantastic tour where you are pampered by local residents, and you get something from the neighborhoods too. (\$66)

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### **CHRISTOFFELBERG**

The mountain is with its 372 meters high top, the highest point of the island. It is a tough climb, but it is a great experience, and you will be rewarded with a panoramic view of Curaçao. A useful tip: start the climb early in the morning to see the sunrise, and it's even better to do then with the heat!

### **GROTE AND KLEINE KNIP**

Drive past both beaches to snorkel and enjoy the view and see the clear blue water. Both beaches are one of the few beaches where access is free.

### **IGUANA RIDE**

A private e-scooter tour. The guide takes you through the UNESCO World Heritage Site monuments and colorful city sides of the four districts of Willemstad: Punda, Otrobanda, Scharloo and Pietermaai. The tour gives you a lot of freedom and makes you a real Iguana Rider with a smile.

### **HAPPY HOURS**

Happy hour schedule:

- Tuesday: Mundo Bizarro
- Wednesday: Cabana Beach, and Madero Ocean club
- Friday: Bonita Beach Club, Madero Ocean Club, Wet and Wild
- Saturday: Zanzibar
- Sunday: Wet and Wild and Madero Ocean Club

### **EXPLORE CURAÇAO**

Explore the island by Jeep tour or by a quad bike.

### **SEA AQUARIUM**

Swim here with dolphins

### **DOG RESCUE**

Visit the Dog Rescue. A place where dogs are taken in and helped to a new home.

### **PLAYA FORTI**

Jumping from a 12-meter cliff

### **EATING IGUANA**

Taste Iguana at Jaachi's at West Point. Something different than fish.

### **ALOE VERA PLANTATION**

Come here and experience the process up close. During a production day, as a guest, you can also get a taste. And don't forget to buy the body gel, because there is no better after sun.

# More to do @ Curaçao

## **PUNDA VIBES THURSDAY**

A street party where every Thursday night the history and heritage of Willemstad is celebrated with the help of Curaçao's culture builders and locals

## **PLAZA BIEU**

Discover the local cuisine of Curaçao at Plaza Bieu. There are six local eateries. But everyone eats at the same table. The quality is high here, but at the same time the prices are very low. So enjoy your local lunch.

## **BOAT TRIPS**

The island offers all kinds of boat trips. In fact, in addition to small Curaçao, there are sunset trips, west point trips and dolphin spotting trips.

## **COUNTRY HOUSES**

Curaçao boasts as many as 50 country houses. Each country house has its own story. Some land houses are even open to visit! Curious about the story? Visit one!

## **CURAÇAO LIQUEUR DISTILLERY**

A visit to the Curaçao Liqueur Distillery at Landhuis Chobolobo is a journey through local history. Learn about the production process of the world-famous Curaçao Liqueur. Enjoy the taste as it has been produced since 1896.