**Hotel Details**

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| **1** | **Hotel Name & Location** |
| **Hotel Name** | Anantara Sir Bani Yas Island Al Sahel Villa Resort |
| **City** | Al Sahel, Sir Bani Yas Island, Abu Dhabi |
| **Country** | United Arab Emirates |

**Hotel – About Page**

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| **2** | **Top Line** |
| **What You’ll Like** | 1. All-villa luxury resort. |
|  | 2. Unusual, exotic resort activities. |
|  | 3. Private cigar lounge. |
|  | 4. Large range of dining options at neighbouring villas. |
|  | 5. Free WiFi in rooms and public areas. |
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| **What We Love** | 1. Bird’s Eye View. Take a seaplane and gaze upon sapphire waters, neighbouring islands and an ancient shipwreck on a sprawling terrain. |
|  | 2. Arabian Nights. Set in the Desert Islands, stargazers will be pleased to note that the lack of surrounding lights will grant you a bejeweled sky. |
|  | 3. Light Up. It takes a true cigar aficionado to appreciate a proper stick, but even if you aren’t one, checking out the cigar lounge is worth the trip. |
|  | 4. Paddle Out. Explore the Eastern mangroves and its unique ecosystems by kayaking out into the endless blue. |
| **The Short & Sweet** | **Who.** The adventure seeking couple on honeymoon who loves journeys into the wild and wants to retire in a private, exclusive resort.  **What.** Set within a 4,100-hectare Arabian Wildlife Park, this luxury eco-resort with 30 villas gives an incomparable glimpse of the desert’s beauty while staying amidst high levels of elegance and comfort. Seamlessly blending with nature, each villa features traditional thatched-roofs, desert hues and rustic interiors that imbibe the wild wonders of life in the savannah. Guests can indulge in bespoke furnishings, and carved wooden tubs and washbasins that complement the room’s state-of-the-art amenities. That’s not all: personal plunge pools ensure that you remain comfortable in your private sanctuary.  Who can say no to massages and treatments at the Anantara Spa accompanied by the gentle lull of the desert breeze? If you are ready to step out into a world of culinary delights, why not dine in style at the six restaurants available in the island? Or even better, enjoy a savannah picnic under the stars.  **Why.** Where else can you catch rare glimpses of grazing gazelles in the comfort of your own villa? |
| **FYI** | 1. Complimentary transfers to the resort activities. |
|  | 2. Regional jet services from Abu Dhabi and Dubai. |
|  | 3. Limousine services available. |

**Tips**

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| **4** | Tips |
| **Know Before You Go** | **- Getting around.** The resort is located just eight kilometres off the Abu Dhabi Emirates’ western coastline and 250 kilometres from Abu Dhabi International Airport.  A 10 to 15-minute boat ride via water taxi takes you between the Sir Bani Yas jetty and the villa resort. This boat ride is complimentary for guests of Anantara Sir Bani Yas Island Al Sahel Villa Resort.  By plane: Choose from the luxury of a regional jet service from Al Bateen Executive Airport (rotanajet@anantara.info) or the spectacle of landing on the water with seaplane flights from Dubai (seawings@anantara.info). Guests using Rotana Jet can park at Al Bateen Executive Airport for AED 99 per stay on presentation of their boarding pass. Please be aware these flight services are operated and managed by a third party.  By limo: The villa resort’s luxury limousine service transports guests from Abu Dhabi or Dubai to Jebel Dhana jetty, from which point guests board a water taxi and cross the Arabian Gulf to Sir Bani Yas Island’s jetty. |
|  | - **Weather.** Abu Dhabi is very hot during the summer months of June to September when the temperature often reaches above 40°C. At night time the temperature drops slightly giving some sort of relief. Winter (December to March) is very pleasant in Abu Dhabi and temperature remains around 24°C during the daytime and 10°C at night. Also in winter, fog appears regularly which reduces the visibility and this may result in cancellation of flights. |
|  | - **Dresscode.** Resort chic is the way to go in the island where it’s hot almost throughout the year. So it is likely to wear lightweight clothes, linen dresses and kaftans. Try not to wear too much revealing swimwear even in beaches or tourist areas as a respect for Muslim culture and customs. |
|  | - **Discover.**  ### Dine by Design  Opt for private dining and have your own chef prepare you a Rustic Wadi Barbeque (with aperitifs, a variety of sides and salads, and a choice of red or white wine as night cap) in a naturally preserved landscape setting of Sir Bani Yas. This area takes on a mystical hue in the evening and is ideal for that desert atmosphere informal dining. Package rates per person starts at AED 900.  ### Bike Adventure  Explore the rugged terrain and breathtaking landscapes of Sir Bani Yas Island with an exhilarating mountain bike excursion. Personal guided tours take you through some of the island’s most intriguing scenery, with a choice of routes catering for all levels of ability and interest.  Remember to bring your camera to capture vivid snapshots of wild nature and animal encounters.  ### Don’t Miss  Check out the remains of an early Christian monastery that dates back to the late 6th century AD. The only early Christian site in the UAE with great historical significance, it was founded by Christians involved in the gulf pearl trade. A visit to the monastery is only available as part of the Nature & Wildlife Walk upon request. |

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