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AN ALILA RESORT



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MEETINGS

SET THE STAGE FOR SUCCESS

The best meetings and events all begin with a little inspiration—something you'll find plenty of at Ventana Big Sur. Whether it's a corporate retreat, sales meeting, product launch or strategy session, our Big Sur setting offers a fresh and powerful approach to bringing people together.

Ventana features over 12,000 square feet of captivating venues, including stunning outdoor spaces overlooking the rugged Pacific coast and surrounded by towering redwoods. We also offer expert planning assistance to make sure your event is smooth and successful, along with custom catering to keep everyone nourished and engaged.

Meetings at Ventana are more than inspiring, memorable and productive: They're quite literally "outside the box."

For more details or to begin planning your meeting, call 800.628.6500 or visit www.ventanabigsur.com/meetings.



EXCEPTIONAL AMENITIES AND RUSTIC SPIRIT

Ventana makes it easy to harness this iconic region's adventurous spirit with a wide variety of indoor and outdoor spaces for executive summits, private dinners and other gatherings.

OCEAN MEADOW LAWN

Framed by both the ocean and forest, this 7,000-square-foot expanse is an awe-inspiring setting for events of up to 200 guests.



SKY TERRACE

A uniquely Ventana take on the “Chef’s Table,” this elevated and secluded space offers spectacular ocean, meadow and redwood views.



THE LOFT

A rustic yet elegant indoor space perfect for meetings both small and large. It offers an oversized wood-burning fireplace, along with expansive views of Big Sur.

THE SUR HOUSE TERRACE

A large outdoor terrace at our signature restaurant, offers the best in coastal cuisine and a prime vantage point to where the horizon meets the sea.

GLASS HOUSE GALLERY

Perched more than a thousand feet above the Pacific, this elegant space featuring paintings, photos, and sculptures is perfect for intimate cocktail receptions.



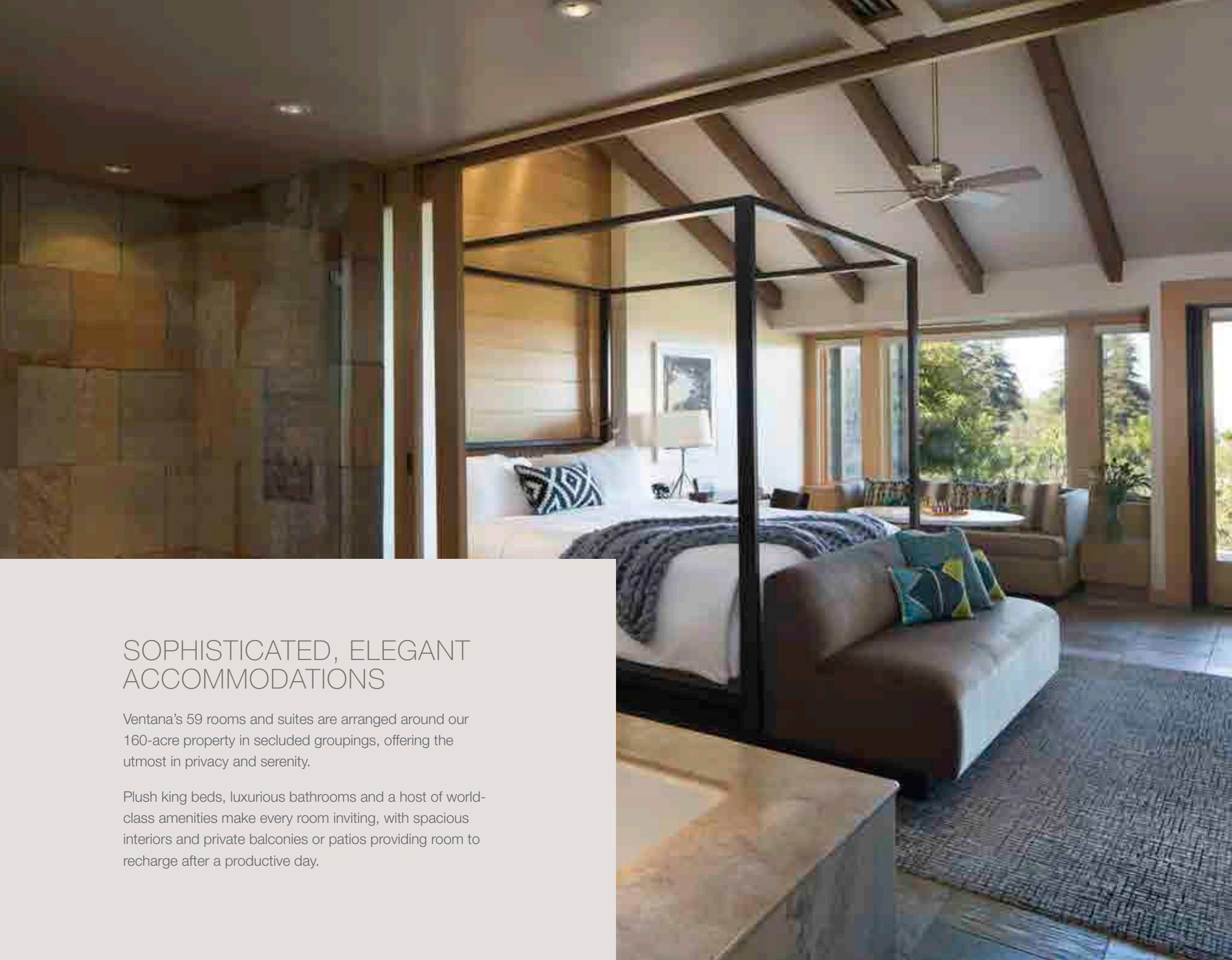
SOUTH TERRACE

Available as a separate space or as part of The Sur House Terrace, the South Terrace is an airy yet intimate spot offering outdoor private dining with panoramic views of Big Sur and the coastline.



FIRESIDE ROOM

An interactive meeting space and private dining venue with full audio/visual capabilities, highlighted by views of the incomparable Big Sur topography.



SOPHISTICATED, ELEGANT ACCOMMODATIONS

Ventana's 59 rooms and suites are arranged around our 160-acre property in secluded groupings, offering the utmost in privacy and serenity.

Plush king beds, luxurious bathrooms and a host of world-class amenities make every room inviting, with spacious interiors and private balconies or patios providing room to recharge after a productive day.



CUISINE THAT INSPIRES

Your meals at Ventana Big Sur will be just as inspiring—and inventive—as your meetings. Our custom catering features sustainable ingredients such as seafood from the region's fishermen, free-range meats from local farmers and even produce from our own organic garden.

The elegant, rustic setting of The Sur House, with ocean, mountain and forest views, is perfect for team dinners and other events as well. In addition to inventive coastal cuisine, we offer a 10,000-bottle cellar of Central Coast wines. And the Ventana specialty cocktail program puts a Big Sur twist on some of the classics, using California liquors and mixers along with produce grown in our own “cocktail garden.”



THE HEALING POWER OF EARTH AND SEA

Whether it's pre-meeting preparation or a post-meeting reward, a visit to Spa Alila can add a powerful, energizing experience to your team's stay at Ventana.

Big Sur has long been known as a sacred, curative site, a setting that gives one the time and space to focus on the things that really matter. Spa Alila encourages inner peace and connection with treatments rooted in both traditional and modern methods from around the world, as well as products that meld the healing properties of earth and sea.

From reflexology and unique body treatments to amazing traditional massages, a visit to Spa Alila will leave anyone with a profound sense of well-being—one that takes hold deep in the soul.



ACTIVITIES DESIGNED FOR DISCOVERY

Strong teams create strong, successful organizations—and unique, creative activities in the Alila Experience Program help build beneficial bonds. Each member of your team can push the limits of their imagination, develop new skills and uncover hidden passions.



Flora & Fauna: Join one of our naturalists for a hike of your choosing, an outdoor adventure that inspires your spirit. Climb up to the ridge, stroll along one of our beautiful beaches or meander through the majestic redwood forest—whatever you choose, local flora and fauna await at every turn. See brush rabbits. Bats. Even humpback whales and dolphins. And don't forget to look up for raptors and condors!

Gather in the Garden:

Our farmer helps bring the Big Sur landscape to life—literally. Join us for an interactive experience where you can tour our organic garden, see how it contributes to our fresh seasonal cuisine at The Sur House, and even help harvest some of the ingredients for your next meal. Don't be shy: Get your hands dirty!



Wellness for All:

From complimentary daily yoga classes for individuals to private group sessions and meditation experiences, it's easy for your team to recharge at Ventana. Gaze out over the Pacific as our instructor helps awaken your mind, body, and spirit—or venture into the forest for peaceful solitude and centering. You'll soon understand why Big Sur is renowned as a place of reflection and healing.





Falconry: Join Master Falconer Antonio Balestreri for an exciting introduction to hawks and falcons, where you'll learn about the role of raptors in the Big Sur environment, see a flight demonstration, have a meet-and-greet with the birds, enjoy photo opportunities and more. Private and group experiences include a "hawk walk," a short hike where you'll be accompanied by a special flying guest.

Sip Like a Sommelier: Learn about wine – and the special stories of this rich and fertile region – with Ventana Big Sur's resident wine expert. We'll focus on the Santa Lucia Highlands (SLH), a neighbor to us and one of the state's premier winemaking districts, featuring exceptional (and highly rated) pinot noirs and chardonnays paired with delicacies from California's central coast. This truly is a food and wine experience to remember.

Mix Like a Master: Let our resident mixologist show you the tricks of the trade using locally crafted liquors and mixers—along with fresh garnishes and ingredients such as citrus, mint, lavender, and rosemary, all grown in our specialty "cocktail garden." This interactive workshop will give you the skills to create your own toast-worthy cocktails!



A PLACE FOR EXPLORATION

Big Sur is a place for discovery—and opportunities for team-building and personal exploration aren't limited to Ventana, of course. Other activities you might consider:

Group hikes: Gaze upon the incredible vistas of the Pacific, or marvel at the majestic redwoods surrounding you on a guided hike with Big Sur Guides and Hiking.

Whale watching: Depending on the time of year, Big Sur visitors can see California gray whales, humpback whales and blue whales.

Hearst Castle tours: See the 115 lavish rooms of this famous, massive—and still unfinished—home built by media tycoon William Randolph Hearst and architect Julia Morgan.

Galleries: Big Sur has long attracted artists, and the area has a wealth of galleries and shops filled with unique paintings, sculptures, and crafts.

Golf: There are dozens of courses available on the Monterey Peninsula, and one of America's most iconic golf destinations, Pebble Beach, is just an hour away.



Doesn't your team deserve a meeting that's more than just another meeting? Contact Ventana Big Sur at 800.628.6500 or visit www.ventanabigsur.com/meetings.

MAXIMUM CAPACITY

	Reception & Dinner	Classroom	Theater	U-Shape	Boardroom (6' x 30")
The Loft	80	80	100	50	80
Fireside Room	25	25	60	-	25
South Terrace	60	-	-	-	60
Sur House Terrace	200	-	-	-	-
Ocean Meadow	200	-	-	-	-
Glass House Gallery	10	-	-	-	-
Redwood Cathedral	200	-	-	-	-

* Can add two Boardroom Tables to accommodate 36 people

** W: Open to the west | N: Open to the north

