



# *The Oyster Box*

South Africa's Most Cherished Hotel



## ABOUT THE OYSTER BOX

From the moment guests enter the lobby, the grandeur of The Oyster Box is striking. The lavish interior spaces are adorned with attractive original artwork and unique furnishings. The history and heritage of The Oyster Box is woven into every part of the property, most noticeably through the welcoming and passionate team.

The Oyster Box rests among beautiful tropical gardens, making it an oasis of tranquillity and natural beauty with stunning views of the Indian Ocean. You will find us a mere three hours south of the magnificent Drakensberg Mountains and west of KZN's finest game reserves - renowned for their incredible game viewing, culturally rich traditions, and conservation history.

## HOTEL FACILITIES AND SERVICES



The Spa



Fitness Centre



2 Swimming Pools



Cinema (24 Seats)



Kids Holiday Club



Complimentary  
Valet Parking



24-Hour Room  
Service And Laundry



Complimentary Wifi  
Throughout Hotel



Direct Access  
To The Beach



Concierge Service  
Transfers And Sightseeing  
Tours Available On Request



Complimentary Shuttle  
Service To And From The  
Gateway Theatre Of Shopping



*Beauty  
in every  
detail*





## RESTAURANTS AND BARS

The Oyster Box is famed for exquisite cuisine and attentive service. The dining venues each have a reputation for extraordinary culinary experiences, from the famous curry buffet to the signature dishes of Beatrice Tollman.

With world-class dining in The Grill Room and The Ocean Terrace, The Oyster Box is a gourmand's delight.

## UNWIND IN STYLE

The Oyster Box is filled with spaces for relaxation. Three welcoming bars are destinations in themselves, providing unique atmospheres in which to unwind, from breathtaking views and the Umhlanga Schling at The Lighthouse Bar, to delicious sushi at The Oyster Bar, to the timeless elegance of The Chukka Bar.

### THE GRILL ROOM - FINE DINING

Serves fresh seafood and classic contemporary cuisine. Children 12 and under are not permitted. Formal attire: collared shirt, long pants, closed shoes - no sportswear.

### THE OCEAN TERRACE - AL FRESCO DINING

Featuring Tandoori and pizza ovens and our impressive curry buffet with a selection of at least 11 curries daily.

### THE PALM COURT

For casual dining and our famous High Teas.

### THE LIGHTHOUSE BAR

With breathtaking views of the ocean and live music. Children 12 and under are not permitted.



### THE CHUKKA BAR

Serves cocktails, fine wines and whiskies. This is a smoking bar.

### THE OYSTER BAR

Enjoy freshly harvested oysters from our own oyster beds and chilled Champagne, as well as fresh sushi.

### THE WINE CELLAR

Offers the finest local and international wines and private dining for up to 10 guests.

### THE CHEF'S TABLE

Enjoy a glimpse of the inner-workings of a professional kitchen, with a front-row seat at The Chef's Table where our talented brigade of chefs create an extraordinary dining experience for small groups of passionate food-lovers.

Available for groups of between six and 10 guests (min 6 people) from Monday to Sunday for dinner only.



## ACCOMMODATION

We have a total of 86 rooms and suites, either sea or garden-facing, individually styled in splendid luxury with caring detail, elegant amenities and thoughtful touches.



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### 8 CLASSIC GARDEN-FACING ROOMS

All overlook the hotel's lush tropical gardens filled with the chatter of monkeys and birds.

Average size: 32 sq metres / 344 sq feet



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## 19 CLASSIC SEA-FACING ROOMS

All have their own private balcony with views of Umhlanga's iconic lighthouse and breathtaking coastline.

Average size: 27 sq metres / 291 sq feet



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## 25 LUXURY SEA-FACING ROOMS

Spacious and light with double vanities, a separate shower, private balconies and exceptional ocean views.

Average size: 31 sq metres / 334 sq feet





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### 3 JUNIOR CABANAS

These beautiful Junior Cabanas are located on the lower ground level with stunning sea views and lead out onto the grassed area in front. All rooms consist of a four-poster king bed with an en-suite bathroom offering a shower and single vanity.

Average size: 36 sq metres / 388 sq feet



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### 4 SEA-FACING CABANAS

Located on the ground floor, a step away from the water's edge, with colonial king-size four-poster beds and individual terraces overlooking the Indian Ocean.

Average size: 36 sq metres / 388 sq feet



## 1 PARAPLEGIC CABANA

This spacious cabana features a comfortable lower king-size bed and is located on the ground floor in close proximity to the outlets. It has an enclosed terrace with ramp access to our Ocean Terrace restaurant and main pool overlooking the ocean. The ensuite bathroom is equipped with a bath and open shower.

Size: 36 sq metres / 388 sq feet

Maximum occupancy: Two persons



## 5 SEA-FACING FAMILY ROOMS

Alongside the master bedroom, the five dedicated Family Rooms include an additional second bedroom for children. Four rooms are fitted with bunk beds, while the fifth features a loft with twin beds.

Average size: 36 sq metres / 388 sq feet

Maximum occupancy: Two adults and two children (12 years and younger).



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## 5 LUXURY SEA-FACING SUITES

The Luxury Sea-Facing Suites have a spacious master bedroom, exquisite separate lounge and endless sea views.

Average size: 55 sq metres / 592 sq feet



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## 2 DELUXE SEA-FACING SUITES

Within easy reach of the beach these elegant ground level suites have their own private plunge pool, terrace, bedroom and separate lounge.

Average size: 78 sq metres / 840 sq feet



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## 8 SUPERIOR GARDEN VILLAS

Set back from the main buildings, nestled in the hotel's tropical gardens and close to the Spa, each villa has its own private plunge pool with a terrace, lounge and two separate bathrooms. Four of the eight villas can be converted into a 2-bedroom villa, with connecting Garden Villa Lofts.

Average size: 105 sq metres / 1 130 sq feet



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## 4 GARDEN VILLA LOFTS

Creatively designed, the Garden Villa Lofts can be converted into a 2-bedroom villa by connecting with one of the Superior Garden Villas.

Average size: 64 sq metres / 689 sq feet

## ROOM FACILITIES

Tea and coffee making facilities

Mini-bars

Complimentary internet and WiFi

Hairdryers

Umbrellas (rain)

Two individual telephone lines

Individual air-conditioning and overhead fans

Built-in international adaptors

Electronic safe

Bathrobes and slippers

Turndown gifting and mineral water nightly

Daily newspapers

Children's menus, gowns and slippers

High chairs and car seats (on request)

Nespresso Machine

Beach towels and umbrellas (on request from the pool bar)





## THE PRESIDENTIAL SUITE

Perfectly poised overlooking the magnificent Indian Ocean, The Oyster Box reveals its most precious 'pearl'.

Split over two levels, with private access and elevator, the stylish 450 square metre Presidential Suite is the epitome of luxury and comfort.

The open-plan ground floor, including a bar and kitchenette, seamlessly links the living and dining areas. Furnishings and finishes are plush with white floors, marble and white Caesar stone throughout, and a Venetian glass chandelier in the dining room, with seating for eight guests.

The master bedroom incorporates a comfortable lounge area, intimate study and walk-in closet. Indulgent luxury is yours in the 'his' and 'hers' marble bathrooms.

An ensuite double bedroom is located downstairs.

A private rim-flow swimming pool on the expansive, secluded patio with unending sea views provides both privacy and a perfect place to entertain; meals are prepared in personal consultation with our chef.

## PRESIDENTIAL CLASSIC ROOM

If required, this room can connect to the Presidential Suite with its own private entrance.

Average size: 43 sq metres / 463 sq feet



### INCLUDED IN THE PRESIDENTIAL SUITE:

Personal butler service throughout your stay

Airport transfers in a luxury vehicle, including a personal meet and greet from your butler

Express check-in in your suite with a tantalizing bottle of French Champagne accompanied by canapés and snacks

High Tea stands served in your suite each afternoon

Cocktail and canapés served in your suite each afternoon or evening

A South African meat or seafood braai experience

In-spa or in-suite 60 minute Hot Lava Shell Massage per adult once during your stay

Luxurious bath setup

Breakfast including fresh oysters and delectable MCC in your suite

Complimentary shuttle within a 5km radius of The Oyster Box



## PRESIDENTIAL SUITE FACILITIES:

2 Bedrooms - en suite

Private rim-flow pool with 180° ocean views

A selection of teas and coffees

Nespresso machine

Private study/office

Complimentary internet and WiFi

Flatscreen television in every room

Electronic safe

Built-in international adaptors

Three fireplaces

Grand piano





*A timeless  
icon*





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## THE SPA

6 Treatment rooms for dual and single treatments

Hamam and sensation shower offering a traditional Oriental heat experience

Perfect finish tourmaline salon for manicures and pedicures

Tranquillity lounge, plunge pool and health bar

Products include B | Africa, Elemis, Mama Mio and Tata Harper



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## ACTIVITIES

Deep sea fishing and diving excursions on request

Variety of golf courses to choose from

Jogging and walking along the promenade

Direct access to swimming and body-boarding beach

Excursions to Big 5 game reserves and historic battlefields on request

Wine tastings

Helicopter tours on request



## CONFERENCE AND BANQUETING

The Oyster Box has six state-of-the-art conference rooms for business meetings and events. All are fully air-conditioned and equipped with every modern facility that today's executive could wish for. A dedicated team of professional event organisers are on standby to efficiently take care of every detail to ensure total success.

Pearl Room  
Shell Room  
Union Castle Room  
Durban July Room  
Colony Room  
The Meeting Room

- up to 150 guests cinema style
- up to 50 guests cocktail style
- up to 20 guests banquet style
- up to 70 guests cinema style
- up to 20 guests cinema style
- up to 4 guests boardroom style



## SAY I DO... MAKE MEMORIES TO LAST A LIFETIME

Sitting grandly on the dramatic shoreline of the Indian Ocean overlooking the iconic lighthouse of Umhlanga, the statuesque Oyster Box has become the perfect place for that special day.

Carefully designed for hosting a perfect wedding day, The Oyster Box offers a range of beautiful locations for private ceremonies, celebration receptions and functions.

Our stunning Pearl Room, displaying hand-blown Venetian crystal chandeliers, emulates the opulence of the bygone era and can comfortably accommodate up to 120 guests.

A beautiful Victorian-style Gazebo, with a small amphitheatre nestled amidst a scented garden paradise will add a memorable ambience to your special day.

Our Wedding Co-Ordinator will assist with every detail, making it the most exceptional and breathtaking celebration, with memories that last a lifetime.



