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Three views of Royal Palm, Mauritius. Inset: independent travel expert Susie Freeman.



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For starters, the white-sand beaches and tropical gardens will ease your mind;

the soft neutral tones of its interiors are as restful as they are inviting (and if you really crave escape, the Royal Suite has three levels and its own plunge pool).

Prepare to be immaculately wined and dined during your stay—feast on gourmet cuisine at La Goelette or dine under the stars at Natureaty. The Spa by Clarins is a must, with its range of invigorating and rejuvenating local therapies, as well as its Clarins treatments. Meanwhile, younger family members will be kept occupied and entertained at the Bob Marlin mini-club.

Endless outdoor pleasures await. From water-skiing and wind surfing to kayaking and snorkelling, there are so many ways to make the most of the big blue—not least by embarking on a wonderful glass-bottom boat adventure.

Enjoy seven nights at Royal Palm from £3,775 per couple, half-board, travelling between May 1 and September 30, 2010, including economy flights, taxes and transfers. For bookings or a tailored quote, ring Susie Freeman on 01488 668821 or visit www.susiefreemantravel.com



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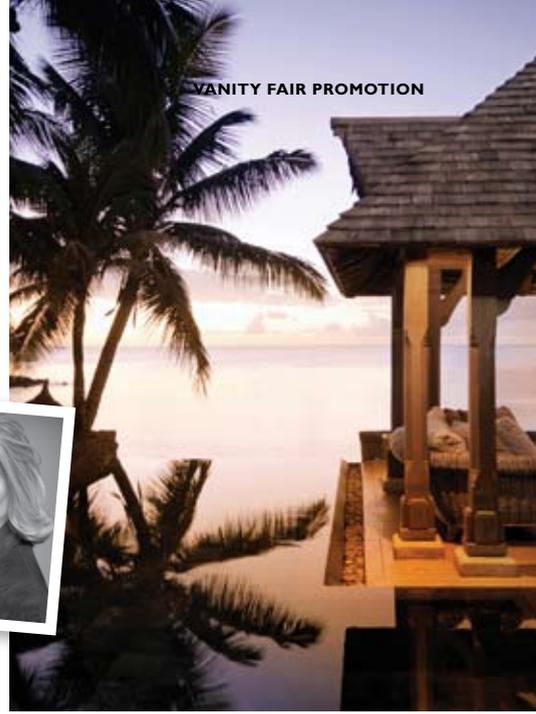
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