PIANOTTOLI, CORSICA

A RENA

The magic of A Rena stems from its wonderful position right on a lovely, never-busy sandy beach on Corsica's bewitching south coast. An amble along a track to the side of the gardens and you're there, toes in the crystalline waters of the sea, a beautiful bay spreading out before you.

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Service

Features

Calming sea views
Beachfront position
Practical easy living

Nearby

Sandy beaches
Bonifacio
Porto Vecchio

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ABOUT THE VILLA

6 GUESTS 3 BEDROOMS 2 BATHROOMS

Inside: accommodation at A Rena is spread over two floors. The main entrance takes one in to a luminous open-plan space divided between a comfortable living area and a well-equipped kitchen with dining table. Two sets of French windows provide access to the gardens and let in the sea views.

A door near the living area takes one in to the main bedroom, a double with walk-in wardrobe, en-suite bathroom with tub, sea views and garden access.

To the back of the living area is a guest WC and a staircase leading to the first floor, home to two more bedrooms, a double and a double-twin sharing a shower room and a sizeable sea-view terrace.

Outside: A Rena sits in a large garden that has largely been left "au naturel", with a shady arbour, indigenous flora and aromatic maquis providing a calming oasis.

The ground floor rooms open out onto a shady sea-view terrace, which is furnished for lounging and dining, while the first floor bedrooms share a panoramic terrace overlooking the gardens and the sea.

The real magic element of A Rena, however, is the track running alongside the garden, which leads for around 100m down to the shoreline, where a sandy beach delimits the tempting azure waters of an idyllic bay.

CONSIDERATIONS

During the high season, especially at weekends, you may occasionally hear planes arriving at the nearby Figari airport.

Please note that while this villa does not have a pool, a beach is just a 2-minute walk away, offering a wonderful alternative for swimming and relaxing by the water.

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Amenities

Accommodates (max)	6
Bedrooms	3
Double beds	2
Flexible (double or twin)	1
Bathrooms	2

Because of natural changes to the coastline from season to season, the sandy beach in front of this property may not look as it does in the photos.

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Garden gate beach/sea access	✓
Sea views	✓
Water sports equipment [2]	✓
Barbecue	✓
Private parking	✓
Air conditioning	✓
Optional cook [1]	–
Starlink High-Speed Wi-Fi	✓
Smart TV	✓
Bluetooth speakers	✓
Hairdryer	✓
Iron	✓
Washing machine	✓
Dishwasher	✓
Microwave	✓
Safe	✓

[1] the cook can provide lunches and dinners on request and depending on availability

[2] the villa has one SUP and one kayak

✓ = yes/present

– = optional/on request

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EXPLORING THE LOCAL AREA

A Rena looks out onto the lovely sandy beaches and sheltered bays of Corsica's south coast, near Pianottoli. About 20km away to the southeast is **Bonifacio**, one of Corsica's most dramatically positioned and picturesque towns. Teetering perilously on a high cliff above the sea it offers sublime views over to Sardinia and a great selection of restaurants and bars.

Less than an hour's drive northwest is the panoramically positioned, medieval town of Sartène, whose pretty labyrinth of streets gives an idea of Corsican life away from the coastline.

Heading up the east coast one comes to a series of delightful **beaches**, including those of Santa Giulia, Tamaricciu and Palombaggia, and **Porto Vecchio**, another of Corsica's many charming towns offering a good selection of shops, bars and restaurants and a nice old town centre looking over the large natural harbour.

Further afield on the west coast is the island's capital, **Ajaccio**, which is well worth a visit, not least so you can say that you've been to the birthplace of the great Napoleon.

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Distances

Figari Sud-Corse Airport: 15km-10miles-20mins
Bastia Airport: 160km-99miles-2hr50
Ajaccio Airport: 115km-70miles-2hr10
Nearest beaches: at the bottom of the track beside the villa. Several others can be reached within a few minutes' drive.
Nearest shops and amenities: 10mins drive in Pianottoli
Bonifacio: 25km-15miles-35mins
Porto Vecchio: 32km-20miles-40mins
Sperone Golf Course: 28km-17miles-40mins
Sartène: 38km-24miles-50mins
Ajaccio: 115km-72miles-2hr20

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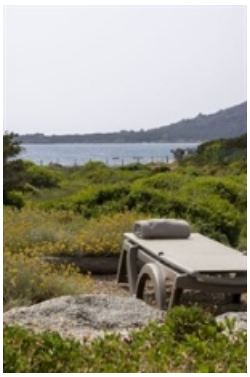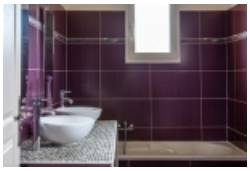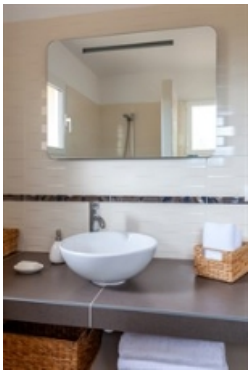
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