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&BEYOND MNEMBA ISLAND REFURBISHMENT ADDS REFINEMENT TO PRIVATE BEACH LIVING

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A recent refurbishment at &Beyond Mnemba Island has created even more exclusive and intimate new areas for guests to relax directly on the silky beaches of this private island paradise, set off the coast of Zanzibar.

Boasting a secluded location in a coastal forest, each of only ten guest bandas peeps out onto its own stretch of white sand. Set between the edge of the forest and lapping waves, each banda now proudly boasts an exclusive beach sala, where guests can drink in the ocean views while reclining on a comfortable baraza seat or day bed. A dining table and personal bar cater for private dining or snacks, while guests can also rinse off in the open outdoor shower after their swim. A ceiling fan takes the edge off balmy days, while additional conveniences include plug points for charging appliances and wifi connectivity.

Known for their style of rustic and unpretentious luxury, the bandas have also received a fresh look, with brand new ceiling fans and dramatic mosquito nets. Reached by a covered walkway, the ensuite bathrooms have been refreshed with new flooring, soft yet functional lighting, upgraded basins and showers and elegant new glass beaded curtains for the generously sized showers.

In keeping with the island's aura of relaxed exclusivity, the lodge has been reconfigured with intimate nooks where families or small groups can enjoy delicious, freshly cooked seafood or sample exotic cocktails in privacy. Renowned for its flexible approach to cuisine, the lodge now features even more refined menus and creative serving ideas, as well as elegant new cutlery, crockery and bar accessories.

The lodge's already spacious dive centre now boasts the addition of a sitting area where guests can unwind after the excitement of diving some of the Indian Ocean's most unspoilt coral reefs.

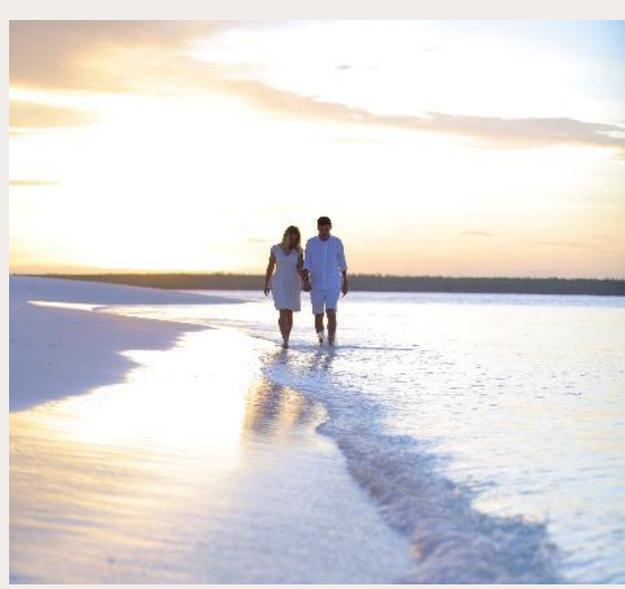
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