

āmanrūya

Celebrations and Events



Host the perfect event

Few destinations combine the breathtaking natural beauty, cultural connection and consummate privacy so abundant at Amanruya in Bodrum, Turkey. Living up to its name 'peaceful dream', this exclusive, hillside retreat set on 25 forested hectares (60 acres) also promises exceptional service, making it an unforgettable and effortless location for your next special event.

Whether it's a milestone birthday or a romantic celebration, Amanruya offers complete freedom to customise your event and an experienced team to ensure flawless execution, from elegant decor to exquisite, personalised cuisine. The host of indoor and outdoor venues available mean that a multi-day celebration will have many highlights: an intimate ceremony overlooking the Aegean Sea; a candlelit banquet in the Wine Cellar, private dining beside the ocean, poolside or on a rooftop beneath the stars; the options are limitless.

You and your guests can delve into the region's rich history with guided tours or embrace Turkish traditions through cultural workshops. Amanruya's warm hospitality and connection to the local culture will enrich your experience, creating cherished memories to last a lifetime.



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Welcome to Amanruya

The turquoise Aegean laps Amanruya's private pebble beach and the wooden decks of its laidback Beach Club, while ancient pine forests scent the air. Resting amid olive groves and cypress trees on the Bodrum Peninsula's serene north coast, the village-like resort designed by Emine and Mehmet Ögün drifts down the hillside claiming breathtaking views.

Free-standing guest cottages of stone and terracotta offer unusually large private pools in beautiful gardens, while meandering pathways lead to the property's heart where restaurants, an intimate spa and a three-storey library overlook a 50-metre marble infinity pool.

Beyond the property lie ancient Greek and Roman ruins in spectacular natural surroundings, including Unesco-protected Ephesus, Priene, Miletus and Didyma. These cultural relics vie for attention with sun-kissed beaches and villages forgotten by time.



Getting There

Milas-Bodrum International Airport is Amanruya's nearest airport, connecting daily with Istanbul and many other European hubs. The airport's close proximity to Amanruya allows guests to embark on their retreat swiftly, with a short car transfer of just 30 minutes.

There are direct flights connecting Milas-Bodrum International Airport to major cities around the world, ensuring easy access for visitors. These include Istanbul, London, Cologne and Munich. There are also direct flights to Bodrum from Baku, Almaty and Dubai.



Venues

Whether enjoyed on the poolside terrace, under the vaulted ceilings of the wine cellar, in a pavilion high on the hillside, within the lofty library tower or at the Beach Club, special events at Amanruya have an enchanted quality enhanced by intuitive, detail-oriented service and bespoke menus celebrating Turkey's natural bounty.

Simply choose the venue or venues that resonate most with you and we will do the rest.



Beach Club

Up to 120 guests total seated

Up to 180 guests total standing

Protected by a headland and shaded by mature trees, the Beach Club comprises a series of terraces ideal for alfresco dining by the sea. One of the most sought-after settings for various events, the Beach Club offers a captivating backdrop that effortlessly enhances any photographs captured here. This flexible venue can also incorporate the jetty and Amanruya's private pebble beach.

Accommodating up to 35 guests, the wooden jetty offers a stunning vantage point, allowing guests to enjoy panoramic views of the glistening sea, perhaps as you say your vows.

Amanruya's pebble beach offers a spacious area that can accommodate up to 50 guests, ensuring everyone can relax and savour the coastal atmosphere.



Main Pool

Up to 80 guests

Dive into a world of endless possibilities at our main pool area, an expansive events space designed to host extraordinary moments. To further enhance the versatility of the space, we offer the option to cover the pool with a safe and sturdy platform. This transformative feature allows you to customise the layout of your event.

Whether it is a series of intimate tables scattered throughout the pool area, or a grand feast served on a magnificent table stretching the length of the pool, our dedicated team will handle every detail, to ensure a truly memorable experience.



Olive Grove

Up to 250 guests

Symbolising peace, abundance and fertility, olive trees have long been revered in Mediterranean cultures. The Olive Grove at Amanruya not only provides the resort's kitchens with olive oil, but also serves as a magical venue for events and celebrations. This picturesque location provides an idyllic setting for events both intimate and larger-scale, be it a serene wedding ceremony or a festival style celebration involving music and dancing.

An extremely versatile space, the grove can be configured to accommodate your desired guest count and seating arrangements.

No matter the occasion, expect a rustic ambience and timeless serenity to pervade every moment as the olive trees stand as silent witnesses to life's most special moments.



Amanruya Signature Restaurant

Up to 90 guests

Open for breakfast, lunch and dinner, Amanruya's signature restaurant is situated near the swimming pool and serves authentic Turkish Aegean cuisine with beautiful views of the bay. An elegant space with dark wooden ceilings and pale marble floors indoors, it flows out onto a picturesque terrace surrounded by low olive hedges and shaded by umbrellas. The home-style menu features Amanruya's home-baked bread and hand-pressed olive oil, while informal mezze platters make for convivial shared dining.

Anatolian Restaurant

Up to 40 guests

Situated slightly higher on the hillside, the Anatolian Dining Pavilion's breathtaking views complement its exquisite cuisine. Its warm and inviting atmosphere exudes traditional charm, and its balconies and open-air terrace enable alfresco dining overlooking the bay. Executive Chef Ömer Çam curates a daily chef's menu of tempting dishes with Ottoman, Mediterranean or Aegean origins. Beautifully presented, each is elegant yet rustic, offering a genuine taste of Turkey's culinary influences through the ages.



Ottoman Lounge

Up to 60 guests

This cosy lounge with divan-style seating and hand-knotted Turkish rugs features wraparound windows offering views in every direction. Dark wooden ceilings and floors contrast soothingly with the bright sunshine outside making this an inviting space in which to withdraw for quiet time out or more serene social gatherings. A selection of fine teas, coffees and Turkish delicacies are served. It enjoys a central location beside the main swimming pool.

Wine Lounge

Up to 50 guests

This spacious lounge is situated even closer to the bay, offering up closer and personal views of the Aegean Sea and the forests that fringe the coastline. Featuring divan-style seating beneath lofty ceilings, it also offers a lovely bay-view balcony and an intimate terrace. Serving a vast menu of the finest local and international wines, the Wine Lounge is the perfect spot for socialising before or after a meal or for a private celebration.



Sushi by Amanruya

Up to 60 guests

Sushi by Amanruya offers freshly prepared, Japanese-inspired cuisine. Guests can choose to sit indoors at the sushi bar or dine in the open air surrounded by the resort's lush greenery with dishes including hot crispy tempura, temaki (hand-rolled) sushi and sashimi. This beautiful, light-filled venue is ideal for long lunches or dinners beginning with sunset cocktails or sake.

Pool Bar Terrace and Lounge

Up to 60 guests

The Pool Bar's dreamy setting makes it an exceptional venue perfectly suited for hosting cocktail parties and bistro-style events. Its relaxed and inviting atmosphere is enhanced by its semi-open lounge pavilion and terrace offering stunning views of the bay and the pine forest that embraces Amanruya and its central swimming pool.



Wine Cellar

Up to 10 guests

Amanruya's Wine Cellar with its vaulted ceiling and stone walls is ideal for more formal dinners and cocktail parties. Boasting excellent acoustics, it makes a superb setting for enjoying musical performances and with its dignified, almost chapel-like atmosphere can also be set up for a more traditional wedding ceremony.

Meeting Room

Up to 10 guests

A bright, inviting space, the Meeting Room can be set up in a number of different configurations to enable conferences, presentations, board meetings and more. Amanruya provides all the necessary audiovisual equipment required.

Private Dining

Amanruya offers many beautiful locations for private gatherings, both indoors and out. Whether you desire an intimate dinner or a lively group gathering, Amanruya's private dining venues ensure the perfect setting for a uniquely memorable event.

A leisurely stroll along the beach can lead to a feast beneath the stars right on the water or celebrate in your own private Guest Pavilion where we serve curated menus tailored to you and yours.

The Private Dinner on the Balcony at our Wine Lounge and the Private Dinner by the Sea are recommended for couples looking for romantic open-air settings with breathtaking views.





Private Pavilion Barbecue Dining

Up to 8-10 guests

As day turns to night, savour a delicious barbecue dinner with a specially curated menu in the comfort of your own guest pavilion. A private chef and servers will take care of every detail so that you and yours can relax and socialise. As delicious aromas drift from the cooking fires into the fragrant evening air, you'll find yourself planning to extend your stay – preferably indefinitely.

Private Dinner by the Sea

Up to 2 guests

A private and intimate dining experience with a specially curated menu right on the shore.

Up to 10-12 guests

A long table is arranged on the pebble beach just steps from the sea.



Private Dinner on the Balcony

Up to 2 guests

Enjoy private dining with a specially curated menu on the private balcony of the Wine Lounge overlooking the forest and out towards the sea.

Private Anatolian Terrace Dinner

Up to 6 guests

Savour a delicious multicourse dinner on the upper terrace of Amanruya's Anatolian Restaurant with beautiful views over the treetops.



Wedding Ceremonies and Receptions

The striking architecture and natural beauty of Amanruya means that almost every turn reveals yet another spot suitable for the exchanging or renewing of vows and the celebration thereafter.

Ceremonies can be held on the deck at the Beach Club, within the regal Wine Cellar or alongside the main swimming pool, to name just a few of the possibilities. The Wine and Ottoman Lounges make ideal locations for pre-drinks and after parties.

Receptions can be held in the same venue as the ceremony or a host of others to maximise you and your guests' experience of this spectacular destination.



Marriage License and Legal Requirements

To officially say 'I do' at Amanruya, couples must process the required government documents in advance in their area of residence.

It's important to note that marriage requirements and procedures can vary depending on the specific circumstances and the nationality of the individuals involved. It's recommended to consult with the nearest Turkish embassy or consulate, as well as a professional legal advisor or wedding planner in Turkey, to ensure you have the most up-to-date and accurate information for your specific situation.

It is encouraged that couples are either legally married before or have their legal marriage after their wedding blessing at Amanruya.

A wedding blessing is a non-binding, sentimental and poetic ceremony officiated by a wedding officer and is a symbol and celebration of mutual commitment between couples.



Dining

Amanruya's kitchens specialise in the eclectic cuisines of the Mediterranean, with a particular focus on authentic Turkish dishes. Whether enjoyed on the Poolside Terrace, under the vaulted ceilings of the Wine Cellar, in a pavilion high on the hillside, or at the Beach Club, the resort's chefs take pride in sourcing locally grown, seasonal produce from nearby farms and seafood straight from the Aegean.

For special events, our chefs will work with you to create a personalised menu with options ranging from raw cuisine to kosher and halal. Vegetarians, vegans and those with other dietary restrictions can easily be accommodated.



Sample Wedding Menus

Menu 1

Cold Starter

Bodrum Pink Tomato and Burrata Salad, Basil and Aged Balsamic Essence

Hot Starter

Lemon Risotto, Sauteed Prawn with Bisque Sauce

Main Course

Grilled Beef Tenderloin, Celeriac Puree, Sauteed Baby Carrot and Bone Marrow Jus

Dessert

Tiramisu, Mascarpone Cream, Finger Biscuit, Coffee, Cocoa

Menu 2

Cold Starter

Tartar of Cured Salmon with Caviar, Quail Egg, Ginger and Lime Dressing

Hot Starter

Grilled Octopus, Avocado Puree, Carrot and Ginger, White Bean Salad

Main Course

Fillet of Sea Bass with Artichoke Barigoule, Olive, Tomato and Sage

Dessert

Triple Chocolate Mousse Slice with Red Berry Compote and Sesame Tuile



Menu 3

Cold Starter

Marinated Prawn, Avocado with Sour Apple, Salmon Egg and Citrus Sauce

Hot Starter

Spinach & Ricotta Ravioli, Tomato Sauce

Main Course

Slow Braised Ossobuco with Saffron Risotto, Lemon and Rosemary Confit

Dessert

Bodrum Mandarin Cheesecake

Menu 4

Cold Starter

Semi-Cured Seabass, Mustard and Yogurt Sauce, Radish, Ruccola, Walnut, Crispy Simit

Hot Starter

Homemade Lamb and Beef Manti, Smoked Tomato Sauce and Garlic Yoğurt

Main Course

Rack of Lamb with Tomato Ginger, Herb Crust, Creamy Polenta and Rosemary Jus

Dessert

Baklava, Maraş Ice Cream and Pistacchio

Sample Canapé Selections

Cold Selections

Vegetarian

Gazpacho & Brioche

Cherry tomato, Bocconcini, Basil Pesto

Lentil Kofte with Baby Gem Lettuce and Pomegranate

Watermelon, Spiced Feta and Basil

Strawberry, Brie and Truffle Crostini

Smoked Tomato and Grana Padano Bruschetta

Seafood

Smoked Salmon, Rye Bread, Sour Cream, Caper

Tuna & Watermelon Tartare, Sriracha

Blini & Salmon Roe

Shrimps, Avocado Cocktail, Baby Gem Lettuce

Mix

Maki Sushi Set

Beef and Lamb

Peppered Beef, Fennel Jam, Pickled Ginger

Bresaola, Melon and Mascarpone

Smoked Beef Tongue and Quince Marmalade Bruschetta

Poultry

Smoked Duck Breast with Orange Confit, Nordlander Bread

Hot Selections

Vegetarian

Vegetable Spring Roll with Sweet Chilli Sauce

Vegetable Samosa, Mint Chutney

Mushroom, Garlic and Goat Cheese Tartlet

Truffle Arancini

Seafood

Salmon Yakitori Skewers

Lobster & Mushroom Quiche

Crab Cake with Remoulade

Tempura Prawns, Mirin Soy Sauce

Coriander & Lime Marinated Shrimps

Mix

Mixed Dumplings with Ginger Soy Sauce

Mixed Satays with Peanut Sauce

Beef and Lamb

Beef Sirloin with Sauté Mushroom Crostini and Teriyaki Sauce

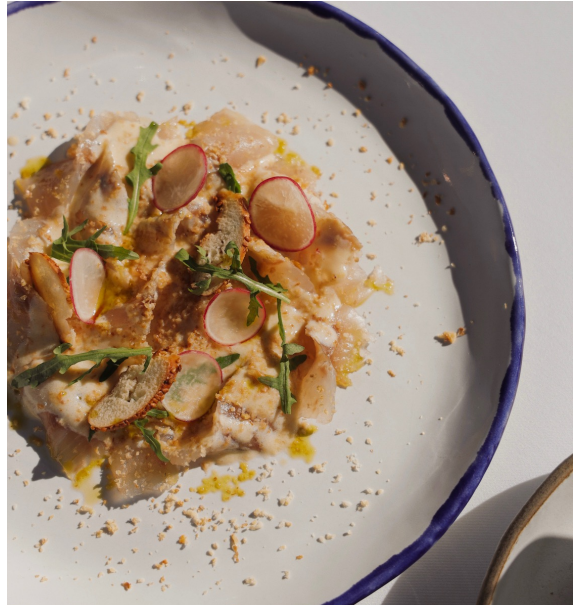
Poultry

Sesame Ginger Chicken Lolly Pops

Chicken Döner Wrap with Pickle

Chicken Shish Kebab with Yogurt

Crispy Chilli Chicken, Spring Onion, Sesame



Accomodation

Designed to offer a seamless flow between indoors and out, Amanruya's 35 stone pavilions – all with private pools – feature dramatic overhanging eaves, extensive outdoor areas and serene views of the sea or forest. All have entrance terraces, wooden sundecks and king-size beds, with floor-to-ceiling glass doors opening to sea breezes. Inside, cool white walls and marble floors are softened with Ottoman-inspired touches – hand-loomed kilim rugs, wooden beams and charcoal braziers.

Pavilions offer four distinct outlooks:

Pool Pavilion Deluxe Sea View

Each free-standing Pool Pavilion Deluxe Sea View offers expansive views across the Aegean Sea, a private garden and a 24-36m² private swimming pool.

Pool Pavilion Partial Sea View

Set on a sheltered hillside, each free-standing Pool Pavilion Partial Sea View offers a private garden and swimming pool.

Pool Pavilion Garden View

Set on a sheltered hillside, each free-standing Pool Pavilion Garden View offers a private garden and swimming pool.

Pool Suite

Each free-standing Pool Suite offers a peaceful private garden and swimming pool.





Spa & Wellness

Amanruya's Spa is an intimate sanctuary dedicated to holistic wellbeing, offering an extensive spa menu inspired by traditional Turkish wellness practices. This includes a range of healing and relaxing massages and facial cleansing treatments. Treatments are also available in the comfort of Guest Pavilions.

Amanruya's signature massage rebalances body and mind while promoting a deep sense of relaxation. Essential oils are chosen based on personal needs, ranging from harmonious cardamom to rejuvenating bergamot. The treatment combines elements of Swedish massage with reflexology and energy work. We also offer energising Thai massages and deep tissue massages to help both the body and mind unwind. Feet can be pampered with a stimulating foot reflexology massage, and skin left feeling fresh and radiant with a range of facial treatments.

Fitness

Amanruya's Fitness Studio is equipped with cardio and resistance training equipment, and personal trainers are available to guide workouts. Private yoga sessions can be arranged in the Yoga Studio or outdoors overlooking the sea. Tennis equipment is available and playing partners and lessons can be arranged.

Experience Enhancement

Certain aspects of a celebration require specialist services, and Aman works with trusted professionals in every destination who are known for their expertise. Our preferred photographers and videographers are some of the best in their fields, while our recommended florists will design floral decorations from bouquets and buttonholes, to table centrepieces and stands, in line with individual tastes.

Our well-known and experienced hair stylists and makeup artists will attend to you and your guests at the resort, offering initial consultations and trials before the event itself.

A crucial aspect of any event, the music and entertainment can be specially curated to contribute to the uniqueness of your celebration. Amanruya can arrange local musicians to perform traditional music or organise traditional dance performances or cultural demonstrations. Classical and contemporary options are also covered, with a selection of recommended string quartets, soloists, bands and DJs available.

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