

Celebrate this Festive Season at Amangiri

Whether you are spending the Festive Season with your family, great friends or just the two of you, Amangiri has prepared a special calendar of events to celebrate. In our beautiful corner of desert, any of these experiences can be combined with our year-round offerings.

From outdoor expeditions and cultural discoveries to wellness activities and culinary experiences, our festive programme aims to offer a series of curated experiences showcasing the very best of Amangiri.

Should you have any questions or wish to book any of these experiences, please do not hesitate to contact the Amangiri team at any point during or prior to your stay.

We are looking forward to sharing this joyful season with you!



Please note that the timing and details of the events may be subject to change due to scheduling considerations or weather conditions. Alcoholic beverages are charged separately and are subject to taxes and 18% service charge.

27 December

Afternoon Wellness - Functional Movement Class

15:00-16:00

Instructed by our in-house trainer in the gym, the class will combine static and dynamic stretches, as well as mobility work.

Peaceful Mountain Hike

15:00-16:00

This gentle hike will introduce guests to many of the plants and herbs used in traditional Native American medicine.

Sunset Drinks & Crafts

17:00-18:00

Welcome to the Southwest!

Please meet John Sutcliffe, owner of Sutcliffe Vineyards, Cortez, Colorado for a wine tasting in our Desert Lounge.

Canyons, Mesas & Time

Please join our local landscape expert, photographer and renowned author, Gary Ladd, as he shares the story of how the stunning rock formations surrounding Amangiri came to be.

Evening Celebrations

From 18:00

Southwest BBQ Dinner

Our festive culinary journey will start with a traditional Southwest BBQ Dinner in our Main Pavilion followed by live entertainment.

Family Movie Night

Enjoy a relaxing Family Movie Night with pop-corn & candy in the cosy setting of our Private Dining Room.



28 December

Cocoa Bar & Breakfast Delight

With gingerbread and other traditional holiday favourites

6:30-11:00

Sunrise Wellness – Mat Pilates

Mat Pilates is a body conditioning routine that may help build flexibility, muscle strength, and endurance. It puts emphasis on spinal and pelvic alignment, breathing, and developing a strong core, and improving coordination and balance.

8:00-9:00

Peaceful Mountain Hike - Mindfulness Nature Walk

Connect to the present moment in Amangiri's beautiful desert surroundings.

10:00-11:00

American Farm-to-Table Lunch

Noon-15:00

Afternoon Wellness – Restorative Yoga & Crystal Sound Bath

Practice gentle movement in combination with the harmonic frequencies of the crystal bowls to reset the nervous system and quieten the mind.

15:00-16:00

Peaceful Mountain Hike – Studhorse Trail

This trail climbs around slick rock banks and reaches a slot canyon so narrow you can touch both walls with each of your hands. The canyon has oxidized over millions of years and is rich with color and texture.

15:00-16:00

Sunset Drinks & Crafts

Introduction to Tequila & Mezcal

Tequila and Mezcal, while both made from the agave plant, are distinguished by the location and method of production.

17:00-18:00

Navajo Fry Bread Demonstration

Indulge in a sweet and refreshing, sugary afternoon treat, hosted by the Amangiri culinary experts. This long standing cultural staple of the Navajo people signifies tenacity and resiliency.

Evening Celebrations

From 18:00

Native American Dinner – Spirit of the Journey

Our Executive Chef, Anthony Marazita, has curated a special menu that celebrates Native American flavours and ingredients with global accents, sourcing traditional Native American ingredients from local farms and co-ops throughout southern Utah and Arizona.

Native American Flute – Trace Joseph

Trace Joseph, from the Chippewa Cree Tribe, plays traditional native flutes from native flute makers all over North America.

Navajo Astronomy

Eli Secody, of the local Navajo Tribe, will guide you through a viewing of the prominent constellations in the night sky and will present the history and creation of his culture.

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Sunrise Wellness - OMNIA Circuit Training

Our in-house trainer will instruct a specific class using the new OMNIA functional cross-training system which optimizes strength, endurance, flexibility, coordination and speed.

8:00-9:00

Peaceful Mountain Hike - Cave Trail

This easy hike will lead you to the Broken Arrow Cave, home to petroglyphs, and Native American artefacts that will help you connect to the people who called this land home thousands of years ago.

10:00-11:00

American Farm-to-Table Lunch

Noon-15:00

Afternoon Wellness - Kettle Bell Class

From strengthening the key muscles of the lower body to challenging the muscles of the core and upper body, kettle bells are a highly effective training tool for improving total-body strength.

15:00-16:00

Peaceful Mountain Hike - Archaeology Specific

Come and hear the fascinating story of the Anasazi (Ancient Pueblo People) who lived in Amangiri's area. This easy hike will identify and interpret the various archaeological features found on the Resort's property.

15:00-16:00

Sunset Drinks & Crafts

Throwback from the yesteryears

Discover Amangiri's twist on timeless classic cocktail recipes.

17:00-18:00

S'mores School

Indulge in this traditional night-time campfire treat popular in most of North America, which consists of a roasted marshmallow along with a layer of chocolate sandwiched between two pieces of graham cracker.

Evening Celebrations

From 18:00

The Classics Dinner

Indulge in classic steakhouse cuisine (steaks & chops) and comfort food favourites (cheesecake) with an elevated twist.

Solo Performance by Nate Robinson

Nate Robinson was born and raised in Utah, and began playing music through piano lessons at the age of 4. He was offered a musical scholarship to the University of Utah, performing in the drum line, wind symphony, and percussion and jazz ensembles. He now concentrates on singing and playing the acoustic guitar.

A Guide to the Night Sky

Resident astronomy enthusiast, Jeremy Byrom, will lead guests on a tour of the night sky, utilizing an impressive Orion telescope.

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Sunrise Wellness - Nourishing Yoga & Meditation

Focus on some gentle and supportive poses to boost the immune system and lower stress hormones in the body. End your practice with a guided meditation to nurture inner strength and self-love.

8:00-9:00

Peaceful Mountain Hike - Coyote Trail

The majority of this easy hike is on 165-million-year-old sandstone and is full of geological shapes and patterns. You can climb to the top of the giant rock that jettisons into Amangiri's pool and get amazing views of the Resort and the Grand Staircase Escalante National Monument.

10:00-11:00

American Farm-to-Table Lunch

Noon-15:00

Afternoon Wellness - Weight & Resistance Training

Grab a medicine ball and some resistance bands for a fun and challenging full-body workout.

15:00-16:00

Peaceful Mountain Hike - Photography Specific

Discover the best outdoor photography tips with our on-property professional guide and passionate photographer.

15:00-16:00

Sunset Drinks & Crafts

17:00-18:00

From Around the World

Special tasting with Champagne & sparkling wines from around the world

Native American Cuisine Showcase

Our Executive Chef, Anthony Marazita will present some of the indigenous ingredients he uses in his unique creations.

Evening Celebrations

From 18:00

Gala Dinner - Global Accents Menu

Join us and enjoy an Amangiri Signature Menu curated by Executive Chef Anthony Marazita and featuring our most popular dishes such as dry-aged beef and fresh seafood.

Group Performance by Nate Robinson Trio

Nate Robinson comes back tonight with his band for a festive performance.

Star Photography

Learn how to capture the beauty and wonder of Amangiri's night sky with our local photographer Raymond Chee.

New Year's Eve

Cocoa Bar & Breakfast Delight

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6:30-11:00

Sunrise Wellness - Myofascial Release	8:00-9:00	
Our in-house trainer will use a variety of stretches and equipment to enhance the body range of motion and flexibility. The session will target any areas of tension or injuries to allow better circulation, ease of pain and better endurance.		
Peaceful Mountain Hike - Hoodoo/Cabin Trail	10:00-11:00	
The Hoodoo/Cabin trail is the longest hike on property. This hike has punchy, slick rock climbs and geologic anomalies known as hoodoos, which are large, mushroom-shaped rock pillars. This moderate hike will take you to the best views of the property in the morning light.		
American Farm-to-Table Lunch	Noon-15:00	
Afternoon Wellness - Hatha Yoga	15:00-16:00	
This traditional yoga class will blend a sequence of physical postures and breathing techniques in a mindful way, to balance and unify the opposite levels of energy in the body and mind such as strength and flexibility, effort and ease.		
Peaceful Mountain Hike	16:00-17:00	
General Manager's surprise to celebrate the last sunset of 2018.		
Sunset Drinks & Crafts	17:00-18:00	
<i>New World / New Year Wine Tasting</i> A celebration of wines from the New World		
<i>Dreamcatcher Workshop</i> Discover the art and learned skillset of Native American weaving as local Navajo woman, Pearl Seaton, gives detailed instruction of how to create authentic Dreamcatchers, made from genuine Navajo material. Pearl has been weaving for her entire life, with instruction from fellow tribal members as well as family mentorship.		
Evening Celebrations	From 18:00	
<i>New Year's Ever Dinner</i> Our exquisite buffet dinner will feature a seafood & raw bar, black oak roasted meats, wild game, winter heirloom vegetables and an assortment of decadent holiday petits fours.		
<i>Live Entertainment with DJ</i>		
<i>Navajo Story Telling, Song & Drum</i> Eli Secody is a Navajo Native American that was born and raised on the local Navajo Reservation. He brings to Amangiri the dazzling charm and contemporary storytelling of the Navajo people. In his presentation, Eli highlights the harmonious living of Navajo people with this region, its wildlife and the earth. He has performed all over the United States and has been nominated for various awards for song, drum, and storytelling/presentations. Prepare to be dazzled!		
Champagne Toast to Family and Friends	22:00	

New Year's Day

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6:30-9:00

Sunrise Wellness - New Year, New You Meditation

Start off the first day of 2019 with a guided meditation, setting your intentions for this new day and new year.

8:00-9:00

Peaceful Mountain Hike - Bridge Trail

Get a peek - from the ground - of Amangiri's suspended bridge with this easy and short hike.

10:00-11:00

Elevated Brunch

With Mimosa and Bloody Mary Bar

9:00-15:00

