



FRESH AMBIANCE ON THE CROISSETTE

After a full, sixties-style refurbishment in 2006, the Croisette's oldest and most illustrious hotel has continued to revitalise itself with a totally new design for its private beach, renamed "**Plage 45**" for the event.

To ensure that the modern, luxurious ambiance of the Grand Hotel and its gardens, which are unique on the Croisette, extends to its beach, two interior designers were carefully selected for the job: Christophe Duprez of *Duprez Design* and Christophe Bence of *Studio Bleu Création*. They have created a new concept for the beach with a scheme and colour palette to mirror the hotel.

The top-quality materials chosen for the comfortable, stylish furniture create a refined atmosphere perfect for relaxation.

Made from iridescent red pate de verre, the shoreline bar is the new place to be on the beach. Low-slung, chocolate-brown resin chairs and coffee tables provide the ideal meeting point to slowly sip the cocktail of the day.

Gazebos (*Balinese beds*) in yellow, green, purple and orange majestically perch on the sand.

Their trellis camouflage provides a curtain-like haven for those seeking intimacy. These private spaces can be hired by the day or half-day.

On the pontoon, accessible via a hardwood deck laid on the sand and outlined by pebble pathways, large "VIP" lounge beds are available.

Lush bamboos, palm and banana trees, and a water wall of Balinese black pebbles provide the finishing touches of convivial elegance.

Shade sails protect the restaurant's aluminium and teakwood tables from the sun. The aluminium chairs, with their chocolate-brown woven nylon backs, provide for a comfortable and relaxing lunch.

At the restaurant, the Chef proposes a daily menu with new specialities. Starters range from €12 to €25, main courses from €20 to €25, and desserts from €10 to €12. (2010 Prices)

A few sample dishes:

- **Starters**
 - Mediterranean prawn salad
 - Crispy chicken
- **Mains**
 - Wokful of prawns
 - Seared swordfish
- **Desserts**
 - Assortment of soft fruit
 - Tiramisu

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Mattress including beach towel and parasol:

- Front line €33
- Second line & back €28
- Pontoon double VIP sunbed
€160 per day for two people
- Private gazebo €160 per day for two
people

The modern and exotic design of Plage 45 with its accent on comfort fits in perfectly with the style of the Grand Hotel.

Timeless and elegant, there is no other place like it on the Croisette.

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