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THE WORLD'S TOP **100** RESORTS

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GRAND ENTRANCE
The 887 hp Porsche 918 Spyder at Southern California's Grand Del Mar resort

MAY 2014



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MOST ELECTRIFYING HYBRID

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EARTH'S MOST EXCLUSIVE RETREATS

The *Robb Report* 100, originally known as *Robb Report Luxury Resorts*, initially debuted as a stand-alone publication in the summer of 2006. Our inaugural list of the world's most exclusive retreats was the result of countless hours spent analyzing and debating the detailed reports we gleaned from editors, writers, readers, travel consultants, and other experts on their far-reaching adventures around the globe. Eight years later, our list—much like the state of travel itself—continues to evolve as we reevaluate our old favorites, investigate new contenders, and whittle the selections down to a perfectly rounded 100. This year's edition represents our most diverse collection of properties to date, from elite island retreats in Mozambique, Mauritius, and Montenegro to groundbreaking new resorts in Zambia, Nicaragua, and the Ecuadoran cloud forest. Whether close to home or in Earth's most remote corners, adventurous or utterly relaxing, the *Robb Report* 100 is sure to include the consummate escape for every *Robb Report* traveler. >



All pricing information is listed in U.S. dollars per room, per night, based on double occupancy, unless otherwise noted.



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UNITED STATES
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Always in Season

TWIN FARMS, BARNARD, VERMONT

"WINTER IS NOT A SEASON," Sinclair Lewis once said. "It's an occupation." New England winters can indeed seem an endless chore, but at Twin Farms—a country retreat set on the Nobel Prize-winning author's former Vermont estate—even the most extreme weather can be a welcome reprieve. Spanning 300 acres of ponds (sometimes frozen), forests (often leafless), and meadows (occasionally blanketed with snow), the resort offers activities ranging from fishing and canoeing in the summer to skiing and snowshoeing in the winter. Twenty rooms, suites, and cottages are adorned with a combination of American folk art and antique furnishings, while original works by Jasper Johns, Milton Avery, and other luminaries decorate the 18th-century Main House. Guests gather at the house nightly for cocktails followed by a multicourse dinner showcasing such farm-fresh cuisine as juniper-berry duck breast with roasted-pumpkin risotto. A pub, a Japanese *furo*, and a small spa prove equally comforting—regardless of the conditions outside. (\$1,450–\$3,750, all inclusive) www.twinfarms.com —JACKIE CARADONNO