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## **ANA InterContinental Ishigaki Resort**

# The "New Wing 1<sup>st</sup> Anniversary Plan" will be available from May 6 for a limited number of 20 rooms.

ANA InterContinental Ishigaki Resort will offer a Premium Anniversary Plan to commemorate the first anniversary of the opening of the three new wings.



The Club Lounge is a place where you can enjoy elegant moments with sophisticated services.

On July 7, 2020, ANA InterContinental Ishigaki Resort opened three new buildings, one "Club InterContinental" and two "Bay Wings", almost doubling the number of guest rooms from 255 to 458.

To commemorate the first anniversary of the new wings, a premium anniversary plan limited to 20 rooms, which includes a stay at the Club InterContinental, seven privileges, and seven exclusive room amenities, will be on sale for 770,000 yen (including consumption tax and service charge) for seven nights.

The Club InterContinental is especially popular among guests who have mastered the art of travel. The Club InterContinental is the highest category of InterContinental® Hotels & Resorts, promising a





personalized and seamless luxury experience for each guest. Although there have been hotels in Japan with Club InterContinental category rooms and floors, the newly opened Club InterContinental Lounge is the first in Japan to be located in its own dedicated building.

At the Club InterContinental Club Lounge, inspired by the natural beauty of Ishigaki Island and available only to Club InterContinental guests, you can enjoy a variety of food and beverages free of charge, including breakfast with local ingredients, the popular afternoon tea, and cocktail hours to stimulate your senses. Beyond the lounge is the elegant Club InterContinental Pool called Blue Infinity, where guests can relax and soak up the sun while enjoying food and beverages.



Signature cocktails created in honor of the Star Festival, the opening of the new wing, with canapés specially prepared by the chef.



An infinity pool, accessible only to Club InterContinental guests, with lush nature at your eyes.



The popular Ocean Afternoon Tea features sweets and snacks with motifs of coral, palm trees, and other tropical items in the style of a traditional English high tea.

The plan also includes a "7-day Island Hopping Pass" that allows you to freely board regular sightseeing flights connecting the islands of Yaeyama, a "Southern Island Starry Sky Tour" that allows you to observe the starry sky of Yaeyama, which was designated as Japan's first "Starry Sky Protection Zone," with a full-time guide, and a special limited course at Spa Agarosa, which was selected as one of the top spas in Japan last year. We have prepared a number of privileges that will allow you to experience the charm of Yaeyama Islands including the hotel to the fullest, such as a 20% discount for all restaurants and bars in the hotel, and access to cabanas where you can enjoy an exotic time by the pool.

In addition, seven exclusive room amenities will be offered, including original beach bags and panamastyle straw hats, as well as other various goods that can be enjoyed during and after your stay.



Please enjoy a truly luxurious vacation like never before with this special premium plan only available during a limited period to commemorate the first anniversary of ANA InterContinental Ishigaki Resort's new wing.

Outline of "New Wing 1st Anniversary Plan"

Plan: [Club Intercontinental 1st Anniversary] Limited to 20 rooms! Plan with 7 benefits

Campaign period: Wednesday, July 1, 2021 - Saturday, July 31, 2021

Available dates for reservations: Thursday, May 6, 2021 - Wednesday, June 30, 2021

**Booking site:** <a href="https://www.anaintercontinental-ishigaki.jp/ja/7benefits-plan/">https://www.anaintercontinental-ishigaki.jp/ja/7benefits-plan/</a>
<a href="Rate: 7">Rate: 7</a> nights 770,000 yen for 7 nights (including tax and service charge)

### 7 special offers promised during your stay

Special car transfer between airport and hotel

20% discount on all food and beverage facilities during your stay

Free ferry pass to the islands for 7 days

Exclusive Spa Agarosa course for you and your partner

Complimentary use of exotic poolside cabanas during your stay (subject to availability)

Special room amenity set as a gift

Enjoy a starry sky tour with a dedicated guide at the beach

#### Seven exclusive sustainable room amenities with the original charm of the island

Original beach bag

Straw hat

Tingalong hat

Welcome tropical fruits

"Churara" skin care trial set

Bath salts made from Yaeyama materials

Sun screen for skin and environment

About ANA InterContinental Ishigaki Resort: ANA InterContinental Ishigaki Resort boasts 458 guest rooms and has a prime location on Ishigaki Island, with convenient access to Painushima International Airport (20 min) and Yaeyama Ferry Terminal (5 min). In July 2020, ANA InterContinental Ishigaki Resort went in to expansion and transformed into a luxury resort with five buildings, nine restaurants and bars, four banquet and conference facilities, and four swimming pools (indoor and outdoor) on a vast site totaling 31 hectares (about six times the size of Tokyo Dome). The newly opened Club InterContinental Lounge is the first in Japan to be located in its own dedicated building, and offers the most sophisticated services and attention to detail to its distinguished guests. Ishigaki Island itself, often referred to as Japan's hidden gem, is located at the same latitude as Hawaii and is gifted by azure blue waters and a rich cultural history. With 84 out of a possible 88 star constellations visible in Ishigaki Island throughout the year, it is also a star gazer's dream destination, being recently designated as a "Starry Sky Conservation District" by the International Dark Sky Association.

http://www.anaintercontinental-ishigaki.jp/en/

About the hygiene standards of ANA InterContinental Ishigaki Resort: IHG Hotels launched the "IHG Clean Promise" in May 2020. The ANA InterContinental Ishigaki Resort will also comply with the new hygiene standards and will strive to provide services that prioritize the safety and security of our guests. For more information on the IHG Clean Promise, please click here. <a href="https://www.ihg.com/clean">https://www.ihg.com/clean</a>

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