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TO EXPLORE

The Real Food Movement

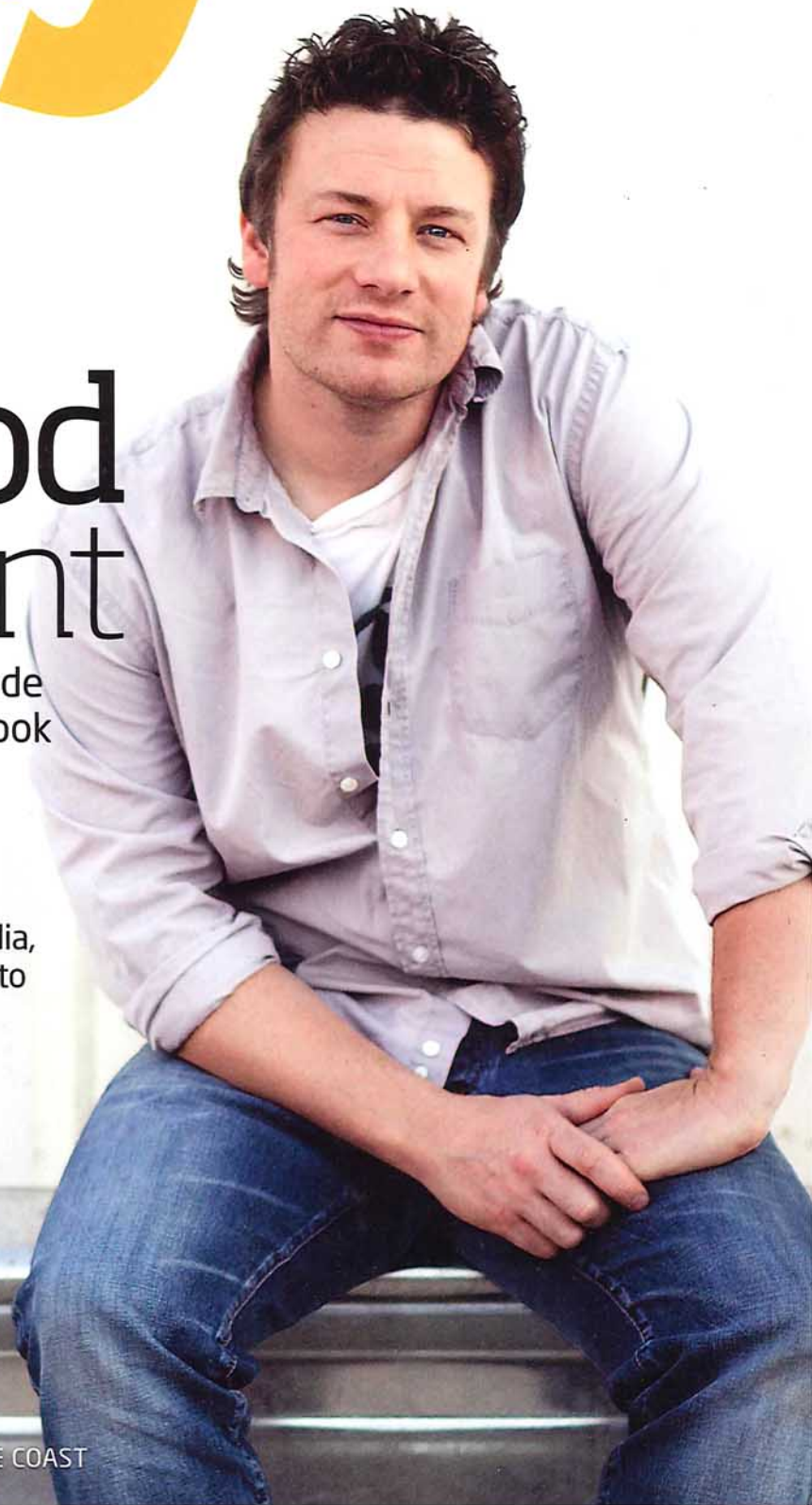
Jamie Oliver is leading the crusade to rethink the way we eat—and cook

WILD THINGS

Pink dolphins in the Amazon, tigers in India, polar bears in Canada ... the best places to see the world's awe-inspiring animals

CHEFS
WHO GIVE BACK

AUGUST 2011 // SKY CELEBRATES THE SPACE COAST





Beach Retreats

Savor the last days of summer at these coastal sanctuaries. By Jason Oliver Nixon

1 | Sveti Stefan, Montenegro // Tiny Montenegro has burst onto the international jet-set scene. Adding to the country's allure is the just-opened **Aman Sveti Stefan** resort, housed on a gemlike island in buildings dating back to the 1400s. Relax in your spacious suite before enjoying the beaches or lounging beside the dramatic swimming pool built into the cliffs. amanresorts.com

2 | Naples, Florida // Relax at **The Ritz-Carlton**, situated just outside of the eponymous beach town on Florida's west coast. Walk along white-sand strands or tackle the nearby Greg Norman-designed golf course. For dinner, try contemporary surf and turf (think veal cheeks and abalone). ritzcarlton.com/naples

3 | Atlantic City, New Jersey // If you seek a chic, Rat Pack-styled retreat in the heart of Atlantic City but without the teeming casino action, check into **The Chelsea**. The hotel exudes hipster style: After decompressing in your ocean-view room, have a Swedish massage before din-

ing on dry-aged New York strip steaks at **Chelsea Prime**. Later, dance under the stars at the rooftop **Cabana Lounge**. In the morning, head for groovy **Teplitzky's** and enjoy a comforting breakfast of diner fare. thechelsea-ac.com

4 | Oracabessa, Jamaica // Escape to a land where martinis are shaken not stirred at **Golden-Eye Hotel & Resort**, the former retreat of James Bond creator Ian Fleming. There is swimming, deep-sea fishing, scuba diving, birdwatching and more. Later, dine on fresh seafood and organic vegetables paired with owner Chris Blackwell's Blackwell Fine Jamaican rum. goldeneye.com

5 | Playa Maderas, Nicaragua // Spot animals—including monkeys—as you amble from your room at the **Aqua Wellness Resort** to the beach, yoga studio or surfing lesson. Outdoor Balinese showers and stunning ocean views round out the experience. Plus, dinner is served on the beach. aquanicaragua.com

On Our Radar //

Aloha Aulani

Disney's newest resort and spa opens this month just outside of Honolulu. Though designers of the 800-plus-room **Aulani** included authentic cultural details into the resort, it still incorporates Disney touches, including three pools, a lazy river, a snorkel lagoon and an 18,000-square-foot spa. resorts.disney.go.com/aulani-hawaii-resort

Pillow Talk

Tell people where you're from, where you've been or where you want to go with these colorful needlepoint pillows from Jonathan Adler. \$98-\$125. jonathanadler.com



Complimentary Bikes

After introducing BMW Cruise bikes for guests at American properties last year, **Fairmont Hotels** extended the amenity to properties across the world. The bikes come with safety equipment and mp3 players. fairmont.com/fpc



Insider Picks: Milan



Born and raised in a suburb of Chicago, sought-after shoe designer **Brian Atwood** moved to Milan

14 years ago after completing design school at the Fashion Institute of Technology. He began his career as a model and was an apprentice to Gianni Versace before launching his own shoe line in 2001. He travels to New York City often, but Milan remains the headquarters of his growing brand. —Marni Golden



Toni & Guy



Bernardini



Bastianello

Favorite Street

I love the tree-lined canopy street **Via Vincenzo Monti** and its classic Italian architecture. It also happens to be where the modeling agency I worked for when I first traveled to Milan was located, so it is a little nostalgic. I also like nearby **Spazio 900**, which is a great store for furniture shopping, and **Toni & Guy**—this is their flagship salon—where you can get a fantastic haircut. toniandguy.it

Shopping

If you are obsessed with unique accessory cases (such as the Plonge Nappa leather watchcase that always travels with me) or Horn silverware, try **G. Lorenzi**. They get it right, down to the silver packaging. And **Bernardini** has the best luxury vintage in Milan. Everything from vintage Hermès to restyled Goyard and Vuitton trunks. You won't believe the custom handmade boxes. bernardinimilano.it

Explore and Eat

Try **Bastianello** for the best cappuccino in Milan. I only drink coffee here. Then find the **Palazzo Reale**, located in a wing of Milan City Hall in the Piazza del Duomo. It's Milan's great modern art museum and has some of the best art in Italy, including Boccioni, Balla and Severini. For dinner, try **Giacomo Bistrot**, one of my favorite restaurants. I can be found dining in the library-inspired nooks at least once a week. giacomomilano.com