

NOTES

DEEP IN DEVON The long-awaited beachside South Sands Hotel in south Devon is recommended for blowing away the

cobwebs in unspoilt England (southsands.com) **BLUMEN**

TASTY Mandarin Oriental Hyde Park will offer British dishes from the past 500 years in "Dinner by Heston Blumenthal" from December 1 (mandarinoriental.com)



TOP SHOP The National

Skills Academy and retail guru Mary Portas are offering masterclasses and scholarships for small, independent retailers (nsaforretail.com)

OZ WIZARDRY Australia's Lizard, Heron and Wilson Islands, El Questro Wilderness Park and Kings Canyon Resort are getting a \$20m refurb (experiencednc.com) **STAR SPA** Marbella Club

Hotel's Thalasso Spa new "Hollywood Icon" spa packages include The Audrey Hepburn Glow (marbellaclub.com)

IN TOWN Molori Clifton's suites, private chef and chauffeur-driven Bentley roll up in Cape Town in December (molori.com)

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