



Stay at Ian Fleming's hideaway

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JAMAICA The Jamaican home of author Ian Fleming welcomes Bond fans following an extensive renovation by Island Records mogul Chris Blackwell.

The iconic hideaway, named GoldenEye after the book and film, includes the villa in which Fleming wrote each of the James Bond novels - the desk he sat at still remains in the original building. The property now also includes cottages and suites dotted across 52 acres.

Barbara Hulanicki, founder of Biba, is responsible for the interiors, which feature custom-designed furniture and a turquoise colour scheme. Each of the Beach and Lagoon cottages has a large porch, on which guests can laze during the day and enjoy a cocktail in the evening. And the Lagoon Suites boast private kayaks and docks extending over the water.

A gazebo built in the style of a treehouse has also been added as a spot for guest to watch the sun go down, and dine on local fare. And down on Low Cay Beach, Bizot Bar offers another casual dining experience.

Black Tomato offers 7 nights for the price of 6 - saving £750. Prices start from £1,999 per person including flights, private transfers from Kingston airport to GoldenEye, cocktails on arrival and a bottle of Blackwell Rum for you to take home. To book visit www.blacktomato.co.uk