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Your Football Escapes Holiday
IKOS ARIA, GREECE

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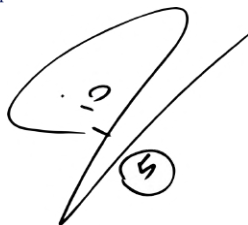
Football Escapes Director & Ambassador

“You’re one step closer to a Football Escapes holiday. And it will be a holiday you will never forget, because we’re here to create memories that will last a lifetime.

"Central to that vision, in making dreams come true, is giving children of all abilities the chance to play and learn from our team of Ambassadors and UEFA licensed coaches. Our camps are fun and engaging – while they also help to develop the technical side of the game.

“We see smiles on faces from start to finish. My own kids love Football Escapes holidays and your children will have the best of times too. They’ll even make a load of new friends along the way.

“On and off the pitch, there is so much for the whole family to see and do. Put simply, you’re in for a very special time.”

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WHAT WE DO

At Football Escapes, we provide more than just the football. It's the whole holiday experience. That's what makes our football holidays truly special.

Our team of in-house travel consultants are always on hand to guide and support all of your travel planning. They'll also create the best personalised itinerary for you and your family. It's what they do.

They'll also take care of your pre-holiday planning, reservation requests and any questions you may have - before and during your stay.

When booking a Football Escapes holiday, not only will you get access to our renowned concierge services; you'll also receive a once-in-a-lifetime personalised video message and signed shirt from one of our Ambassadors.





OUT ON THE PITCH

Let's talk about the football – because the children are in for a very special time.

You won't find another football experience like our one. We work with genuine Premier League legends and some of the best UEFA licensed academy coaches around.

We want to give boys and girls of all playing abilities, aged from five to 15, a platform to develop their game. And they will. Thanks to the fun, yet engaging environment that we create.

They'll work on many wide-ranging aspects of the game; from shooting and decision making to tactical awareness and technical skills. Not only will children evolve their game, they'll also make a load of new friends along the way.

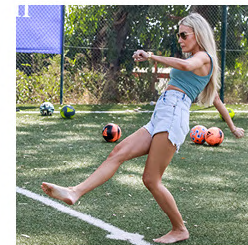
A typical seven-day holiday will consist of five two-hour sessions, Monday to Friday from 10am to 12pm. Each player will also get a full personalised Rascal x Football Escapes kit and medal on completion.

Let the fun begin!



PARENTS' MATCH

It's not just the kids that have all of the fun out on the pitch. We also run a match for the parents – which means mums and dads also get the chance to play with our Ambassador and coaches. So don't forget to pack your own boots or trainers! Quite often, the group will then head to the bar for a little expert analysis over a cocktail or two.



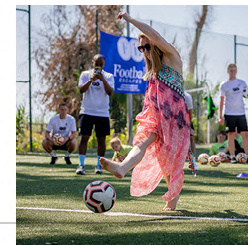
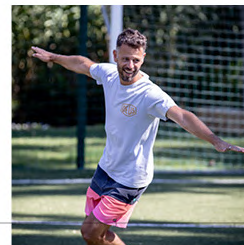
DAILY CHALLENGES

We also love getting mum and dad up and involved in some of our daily football challenges in front of the kids and other parents. Think top bin target shooting, crossbar challenges and dizzy penalties... This is your time to shine, so no pressure!



FIFA NIGHT

We also like to give parents a little break, so that they can enjoy some of what the resort has to offer of an evening. So look out for our popular FIFA night - where children can enter our tournament to see who will be crowned Football Escapes' FIFA Champion.





YOUR BENEFITS

There are so many reasons why a Football Escapes holiday is like no other. This is what is included:

- Personalised video message from one of our Ambassadors
- A signed shirt by one of our Ambassadors – one per family
- Guaranteed football place/s
- Access to our wide-ranging and dedicated concierge team
- Access to your own designated travel consultant
- Off-pitch interaction with our Ambassador
- A full personalised Rascal x Football Escapes kit
- Admission to exclusive Football Escapes events

YOUR RESORT

Situated in the beautiful coastal resort of Kefalos on the Greek island of Kos, the five-star **Ikos Aria** is luxury at its finest. Discover a world of comfort and style – where almost everything is included and the choice is always yours.

Its Infinite Lifestyle programme invites you to savour such pleasures as Michelin-starred menus, the finest cocktails, 24-hour room service, fully stocked mini-bar, wine tasting and an action-packed kids' club.

Put simply, the award-winning **Ikos Resorts** have re-invented the luxury all-inclusive beach holiday.

Set within 47 acres of white sands and clear azure waters, there are also a number of leisure facilities to discover at **Ikos Aria** – including a luxury spa, selection of pools, a wide-range of restaurants and bars and night club. You'll find everything you need to make this an unforgettable family holiday.



DELUXE COLLECTION

With the Deluxe Collection, **Ikos Resorts** has elevated the meaning of luxury all-inclusive, curating the ultimate enhanced experience for guests. It begins with your exquisite suite and continues with a wide range of exclusive services and premium benefits designed especially for you and your family.

- Enjoy in-suite check-in where your belongings are also unpacked
- Chilled bottle of Taittinger champagne on arrival
- Welcoming pillow menu and luxurious Anne Semonin Paris bathroom amenities
- Complimentary children's welcome kit that includes shampoo and body lotion
- Dedicated Deluxe Collection concierge service
- Exclusive dining experience on the waterfront – with carefully curated dishes from Michelin-starred chefs
- Exclusive use of the Deluxe pool and beach area
- Two complimentary 25-minute neck and back massages (per room, per stay for adults over 18-years-old)
- Enjoy an elevated experience of complimentary premium electric car hire - Tesla Model Y (subject to availability) and lunchbox service
- Sundowners at the Deluxe Collection bar
- Upgraded mini bar and enhanced in-room dining menu
- Ikos Resorts beach bag
- Farewell token of aromatic Mediterranean olive oil



PROMO DOUBLE BEDROOM INLAND VIEW

Spacious, elegant, and timelessly chic, this Double Room comes with panoramic windows and a furnished private balcony overlooking the beach and the Aegean Sea beyond or the lush landscaped gardens of Ikos Aria.



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SUPERIOR TRIPLE ROOM WITH SIDE SEA VIEW

Elegant interiors in dove grey and crisp white open out onto a furnished balcony via panoramic floor-to-ceiling windows in this superior room for smaller families. Enjoy views over the lush gardens to the glittering Aegean beyond.



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MAXIMUM OCCUPANCY: 3

JUNIOR SUITE WITH BALCONY SEA VIEW

This beautifully spacious suite creates a haven of contemporary Mediterranean style. A family-style living space leads out to the furnished balcony and dazzling views of the Aegean waters beyond.



MAXIMUM OCCUPANCY: 4

JUNIOR SUITE WITH PRIVATE GARDEN WITH GARDEN VIEW

With a fully furnished private garden and vistas across the lush Ikos gardens, this elegant suite combines Mediterranean, open-plan living with elegant decor and neutral hues. The ideal sophisticated family retreat.

MAXIMUM OCCUPANCY: 4



PANORAMA JUNIOR SUITE WITH SEA VIEW

Soak up endless Aegean views from the furnished balcony in this delightful panoramic suite. An elegant Mediterranean design of soft greys, natural woods and bright whites creates a light and airy open-plan space.



MAXIMUM OCCUPANCY: 4

ONE BEDROOM SUITE WITH PRIVATE GARDEN WITH SEA VIEW

Designed to showcase the spectacular views over the beautiful Aegean, this suite comes with privacy and understated touches. Relax in sophisticated surrounds or step through the panoramic windows to the lush garden beyond, an oasis of tranquillity.



MAXIMUM OCCUPANCY: 5

DELUXE JUNIOR SUITE WITH PRIVATE GARDEN AND POOL VIEW

Enjoy uninterrupted privacy in the serene sanctuary of this Deluxe suite. With room for a small family, the soft shades and light woods of the interiors frame the beauty of the panoramic views, best enjoyed from the sun-splashed garden.



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DELUXE ONE BEDROOM BUNGALOW SUITE WITH SEA VIEW

Bask in the golden sunshine and enjoy endless views of the tranquil waters in this Deluxe bungalow suite. With room for everyone, it offers the very best of family living in minimalist, peaceful surroundings.



MAXIMUM OCCUPANCY: 5

DELUXE ONE BEDROOM BUNGALOW SUITE BEACH FRONT VIEW

Moments from the sun-kissed shores and settled within its own emerald garden, this Deluxe bungalow enjoys a bright, light, and refreshing feel. A relaxing sanctuary built for families, this private retreat offers moments of calm beauty.



MAXIMUM OCCUPANCY: 5

DELUXE ONE BEDROOM BUNGALOW SUITE WITH PRIVATE POOL AND SEA VIEW

Panoramic windows flood the balanced interiors of this Deluxe suite with glorious Dodecanese sunlight, creating a haven of beauty and relaxation for a family to share. Relax in the soothing waters of your pool, in this idyllic family sanctuary.

MAXIMUM OCCUPANCY: 5



DELUXE TWO BEDROOM BUNGALOW SUITE WITH PRIVATE POOL AND SEA VIEW

Plunge into a world of serenity and charm in this delightful Deluxe suite, complete with a crystalline turquoise pool and verdant private garden. Indulgence, extravagance and complete relaxation await in this stunning island sanctuary.

MAXIMUM OCCUPANCY: 6



DELUXE TWO BEDROOM BUNGALOW SUITE BEACH FRONT VIEW

Savour exquisite views of the rippling Aegean Sea from the sun-soaked terrace of this Deluxe suite, built to sleep a larger family in absolute comfort. Quiet minimalism and luxury without restraint await.



MAXIMUM OCCUPANCY: 6

Eight delightful and exquisitely designed restaurants offer distinct flavours from across the globe. Indulge in Michelin-starred menus designed by some of the world's most innovative chefs.



OUZO

Enjoy rich Greek cuisine with a delightfully modern twist in a fabulous open-air setting. Ouzo's menus have been created by Michelin-starred chef Lefteris Lazarou.



ANAYA

An à la carte dinner served in elegant surroundings. This refined menu has been created by Michelin-starred chef Thiou and draws in the aromatic tastes from China, Thailand and India.



FRESCO

Discover the distinctive flavours and fresh ingredients of Italy, all guided by the genius of Michelin-starred chef Ettore Botrini. À la carte dining not to be missed.



KOS

Savour the culture and culinary traditions of Kos. From Greek classics to unique local discoveries with a contemporary take on seasoned favourites.



SEASONS

An à la carte dining experience in a stunning sea view setting. Enjoy the finest Mediterranean dishes infused with fresh Asian flavours and far-flung influences.



FLAVORS

An exquisite Mediterranean buffet-style restaurant overlooking the Aegean, boasting a different menu every day. Indulge in a delectable array of evolving dishes.



OLIVA

Savouring the rich flavours of southern Spain, Michelin-starred chef David Ibarboure's à la carte restaurant serves up a wide array of exquisite dishes inspired by Andalusia's sun-kissed traditions.



PROVENCE

A night of French romance with a unique atmosphere awaits. This beautiful à la carte restaurant offers a blend of Provençal traditions and global influences.

GELATERIE

Enjoy complimentary ice cream from 10am – 7pm daily.

DINE OUT

Boasting a rich gastronomic tradition inspired by influences from across the Mediterranean, Kos bursts with locally sourced seasonal vegetables, exquisite fresh seafood and enticing local delicacies. From traditional tavernas to romantic hilltop eateries, step out of the resort and experience what Kos really has to offer with **Ikos Resorts' Dine Out** programme – all included at no extra cost.

PERSONALISED SERVICE

24-hour room service with a dazzling choice of morning, day and night dining options.



UNFORGETTABLE EVENINGS

Watch the sun set softly over the Aegean Sea at a vibrant al fresco bar, enjoy a musical or show with the kids or dance the night away on the velvet sands with one of **Ikos Aria's** popular beach parties.

VIBRANT BARS

From live music in the stylish Lobby Bar to a delectable cocktail in the lavish gardens, or a sophisticated sundowners at the Teatro Bar – **Ikos Aria** has something for everyone.

Alternatively, spend a romantic evening on your private balcony, and toast the day with a drink from your mini bar, which is replenished daily and included in the price of your holiday.



RESORT ACTIVITIES

Stay active at **Ikos Aria** with an extensive selection of sports, games and activities. There really is something for the whole family. Enjoy complimentary pedalo hire, canoeing, windsurfing, beach volleyball, circuit training, TRX workouts, aqua aerobics, yoga, Pilates and bike hire and much more besides.

Scuba diving, mermaid academy can also be enjoyed at an extra charge.

KIDS CLUB

Ikos Aria runs a full programme of indoor and outdoor events for all ages including arts and crafts, face painting, shell collecting, sports, cooking, water sports, swimming, pantomimes and games.

Heroes Creche Four months – four years

Heroes Kids Club Four years – 12 years

Just 4Teens 12+ years and above

Please note that some kids' club activities may incur an additional charge

WINE TASTING

Discover a sommelier service which showcases a huge selection of 300 wines. For those who like to learn more about local wines and sample new flavours, **Ikos Aria** host regular wine tasting events that are not to be missed.

SPA

As oasis of calm awaits. Enjoy personalised treatments from expert therapists for an unforgettable relaxation experience. Facilities include: spa pool, fitness studio, thermal suite with steam bath and sauna, hair and nail salon and beauty corner.

Opening hours 8am to 8pm – adults only.



LOCAL DISCOVERY

There is a world of historic local towns, ancient ruins, and vibrant dining culture surrounding **Ikos Aria**. The beauty of Kos island is yours to discover.

LOCAL DRIVE ADVENTURE

A treasure trove of Greek mythology is waiting. Explore Kos at your own pace in a Tesla Model 3 for a day with **Ikos Resorts'** complimentary Local Drive Adventure. Cruise winding island roads and stop off at temples, beaches and ancient archaeological sites for an eco-friendly day out.

CULTURE PASS

Immerse yourself in the local culture with complimentary tickets to the island's best museums. Visit Kos' Archaeological Museum to view an extensive collection of Mycenaean vessels. Or sample the finest vintages with stunning views as you explore the Akrani winery.





CREATING MEMORIES

On and off the pitch, our Ambassadors are fully immersed. Which makes your holiday even more special. Families get to know our legends on the pitch, at lunch or by the pool. We go above and beyond in everything we do.

Each of our five-star hotels and resorts offer a combination of luxury, pampering, family time and adventure. There's football for the kids, but plenty for mum and dad too – that's why we've been rated five out of five on [Tripadvisor](#).

"We couldn't recommend FE more, if you have a football-mad little person you can't go wrong. Excellent standard of coaching and facilities. Excellent concierge service. Luxury locations. Can't wait for the next one!"

Dani. - Tripadvisor

"The team looks after your holiday from start to finish in a professional and friendly manner. The actual football coaching was an incredible experience for my son (and me... surprisingly). My son thoroughly enjoyed being trained by the ex-professional players and the FE coaches who were lovely guys and great role models - on and off the pitch"

Karin B. - Tripadvisor

"This was our second trip away with Football Escapes - and we've just booked our 3rd. Football Escapes is an amazing proposition. World-class football coaching, with the best coaches and ex-pro's, all set in various wonderful resorts"

Tom L. - Tripadvisor





Creating memories that last a lifetime.

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