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Love at first sight.

*Allegra*



GRAND HOTEL KRONENHOF  
PONTRESINA

★★★★★



# The Engadine



inspires.

**The River Inn – nature’s own.**

With the breathtaking glaciers and mountains of the Upper Engadine surrounding it on all sides, Pontresina occupies a favoured place on a sun-drenched mountain terrace. We are determined to at least match what nature has wrought with a royal welcome.



Style.

# Elegance.

**The Grande Dame of hotels extends its welcome – as it has since 1848.**

Sunlight highlighting the baroque splendour of elaborate stucco, original ceiling paintings and the dark pine panels so traditional of Swiss interiors of the period evoke the warm hospitality of bygone days – which we have practised to this day. And when the sun sets, soft piano music, an open fire and animated conversation underscore the hotel's special, neo-baroque elegance. Time seems to stand still in this listed building. Then as now, it is the perfect setting for encounters that enrich our lives.





**Waking up in the morning – unforgettable.**

Your luxurious room delivers on every promise its sumptuous furnishings suggest – and more. You feel relaxed and at home as you contemplate the magnificent views of Roseg Glacier, Mount Corviglia and our own, striking courtyard and look forward to what the new day may bring.

# Welcome



home.



Suite.



# Dreams.

## **Speaking of a dream come true.**

Your suite is opulence and absolute comfort personified. You'll find it sufficiently spacious to easily accommodate every conceivable convenience. – Lounge and bedroom, including the little details that matter so, are utterly charming. And to give you that extra touch of luxury, we've faced your bathroom in marble or granite.





**A connoisseur's place to be.**

Whether you have drinks at the legendary Kronenhof Bar, lunch at the Pavilion, afternoon tea in our plush lounge, whether you enjoy a jazz concert in our wine cellar or a cosy fondue in the informal bowling alley – we have a location for every occasion. And if you are a lover of superb cuisine, our neo-baroque Grand Restaurant and the traditional Kronenstübli Restaurant never disappoint.

Celebrate.



Savour.



Exclusive



# events.

## **From seminar to gala event.**

A dream setting for a fairy-tale wedding in traditional surroundings? A venue for a glitzy party or memorable business event? Look no further: our Grand Restaurant meets every expectation. But there is more: our sophisticated Belle Etagé and its rooms that are ideal for your seminars, meetings, elegant receptions and other special occasions meet the needs and expectations of the most demanding hosts. We will do everything in our power to make your personal vision come true, with great attention to detail and a highly professional service.



Dive in.



**Get in shape or pamper yourself – or both.**

Our spa is in a class by itself. It is the place to get centred and achieve inner harmony and peace. Our eighty-by-twenty-metre pool, the children's pool, saunas, steam bath, relax floating grotto with underwater music, our saltwater grotto, not to mention our private spa suite, Kneipp footpaths, solarium and thirteen treatment rooms are all located in the Kronenhof spa, measuring more than 2,000 square metres. And if you wish, the personal trainer in our fitness and gym centre can design a special fitness programme just for you. You'll feel energised and ready to get back in the thick of life in no time at all.

Enjoy.



# Relax.

## **The fine art of spoiling yourself.**

Here, the focus is on wellbeing – without distractions of any kind. We tailor our treatments to your needs and preferences – and advise and pamper you as much as you would wish. A highly qualified staff administers all kinds of massages, assists you with waterjet massage baths, and pampers you with cosmetic treatments and body wraps.



Indulge yourself.



**The choice is yours.**

Take any of Pontresina's 57 mountain railways or ski lifts, schuss down 350 kilometres of prepared pistes, explore 180 kilometres of cross-country ski trails, 150 kilometres of winter hiking trails and test your skills on our own natural ice rink. Horses and coachman await should you opt for a less strenuous, romantic carriage ride. Could it be the sheer endless choice of activities, the crystal-clear air or acceding to parts deep inside you left neglected for too long? Whatever it is, one thing is certain, when you're ready to leave Pontresina you'll do so with an enduring sense of peace and calm.

# Sky blue.



Snow white.



**The possibilities are endless.**

In the Engadine the most inviting hiking, golfing, biking and Nordic walking facilities await you. Ascend to the Muottas Muragl alpine restaurant, hike up Roseg valley or play the nine-hole course at our sister-hotel Kulm St. Moritz – or eighteen holes at the Samedan and Zuoz golf courses. Just let us know when you want to tee-off. We'll take care of the rest.

# Mountain



# paradise.

## **Magnificent vistas.**

Ride the panoramic-view carriage of the Bernina Express to Tirano and taste some of the renowned Veltlin specialities. Or go on a nature walk in Switzerland's national park. Another experience you'll never forget is a helicopter ride across the majestic Bernina mountain range. Warning: when you go boating on Lake Sils, it's easy to lose track of time... And if cultural pursuits are your preference, there's a programme of classical music, jazz and art to choose from. Whatever you do, the memories you'll take back home with you will last a lifetime.



# Fun and games.

**Where children are treated like royalty.**

If you want your children happy and content, look no further: our extensive childcare programme for youngsters aged three and older is just the thing. There is fun and surprises aplenty, in our in-house kindergarten and other favoured venues.



**Welcome to our sister hotel, Kulm Hotel St. Moritz.**

As a guest of Grand Hotel Kronenhof you'll get special treatment at the historic Kulm Hotel St. Moritz. Guests have enjoyed its breathtaking view and exquisite gastronomy for more than 150 years. As our guest you may choose to dine at the Kulm Hotel, according to the half-board package you have with us.

# Pleasure.



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We look forward to your stay.

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