

ARINA SAND HOTEL & BUNGALOWS

Within 10 acres of beautiful gardens on the private 1.5 km sandy beach of Kokkini Hani, the Arina Sand Resort and the George Mamidakis Conference & Exhibition Center provides guests a unique atmosphere of cultural, sporting and relaxing activities, in a superb combination of business and pleasure.

Conveniently located 8 km from the airport and with easy access to the city of Heraklion, the archaeological site of Knossos and Hersonissos golf course.

The Arina Sand Beach Club has been designed with the emphasis on relaxation and fun and is set in magnificent gardens, dotted with palm trees and colourful flowers, overlooking the stunning Cretan sea.

Days can be spent, relaxing on a scenic stretch of sandy beach or by the pool, where swim-up guests, can enjoy a drink at the pool bar while cooling off. The Mediterranean cuisine will satisfy every demanding gourmet palate with healthy, locally produced fresh ingredients, traditional cooking and bold fantasy, whether you prefer the impressive buffets or just a nibble, fresh salad and hearty snacks by the pool.

The Beach Club offers a multilingual animation team on hand to organize entertainment and activities day and night, but no pressure; so if you prefer, you can simply soak up the Greek sun, take a dip in the pool or take a stroll down the Kokkini Hani village, which has among others, the Anopolis Water City fun park 12 km.

ACCOMMODATION

Main Building

Fully renovated 236 spacious sea view rooms 30 m² each, (95 Main Building, 22 Water front Bungalows max. 15 m from the beach & 119 rooms in wing bungalows), sleep 3-4 persons. Private facilities, heating, air conditioning, direct dial phone, mini fridge, Sat TV, safe deposit box (with a charge), hairdryer, balcony or terrace.

Water Front Bungalows

22 water front Bungalows max. 15 m from the beach, sleep 3-4 persons. Private facilities, split unit air conditioning, direct dial phone, mini fridge, Sat TV, safe deposit box (with a charge), hairdryer, balcony or terrace.

Facilities

- Large seawater swimming pool with plenty of canvas shade
- Sunbeds - umbrellas
- Children's swimming pool
- Children's whirling paddling pool
- Internet corner
- Mini Market- souvenir shop
- Laundry & dry cleaning services
- Infirmary & 24 hr medical services
- Babysitting
- Rent a car

Wining & Dining

The Arina Sand offers a good choice of Bars & restaurants with emphasis in Mediterranean Cuisine as well as to a great variety of local & International drinks.

Ariadne Restaurant

The Ariadne restaurant, situated on the lower ground floor has a panoramic view of the Cretan sea and offers a wide selection of local and international specialties, buffet style, including diabetic and vegetarian meals.

Theme nights - Gala dinner – Barbeque – Italian - Cretan

Minos Snack Bar

The Minos pool Snack Bar opens mid May - end of September offers house wine red or white, soft drinks, snacks, local & international drinks, beer, juices, filter coffee & tea and Greek traditional dishes, burgers, hot dogs, sandwiches for lunch.

Greek Taverna a la carte

Opens from mid May - end of September 3 times a week with prior reservation. It offers house wine red or white, soft drinks, local & international drinks, beer, juices, filter coffee & tea.

The menu features Greek and Cretan specialties.

Bars

The Deadalus Bar open daily from 17.00 - 01.00 serving local & international drinks beer, juices, filter coffee, tea, sandwiches and ice cream.

The Kyma open air snack bar, offers local drinks, soft drinks, juices, sandwiches, pizza & spaghetti, open from mid May - September.

Activities

A multilingual animation team keeps you busy and fit the whole day with games, competitions, tournaments, mean you will never have a dull moment. Enjoy their professional skills in musicals and international shows, cabaret and game nights in the disco. Also features beach parties, pool evening parties, Greek cooking lessons, dance lessons, mini Olympic Games and atelier.

Fitness

Gymnastic, splash dance, step, aqua gym, aerobics, gym

Sports (all inclusive)

- Two Tennis courts,
- Basketball
- Mini Golf
- Billiards
- Archery
- Open air giant chess
- Darts
- Beach volley
- Beach soccer
- Parasailing
- Windsurfing
- Canoes,
- Pedaloes

WATER SPORTS (on charge)

- Banana
- Ringo
- Water ski
- Ski lesson

- Parasailing with 1 person or 2 persons
- Jet ski

Swimming pool

Seawater swimming pool 30 x 20 m, Depth from 0.85 to 3.40 m Total area 680 m² with plenty of canvas shade, sun beds umbrellas.

WC, showers, changing rooms

Children's swimming pool, Children's whirling paddling pool

Mini Club

Children's village with playground, supervisor and entertainment from 4-6, 6-8, 8-12 years mini clubs, supervised Children's meals, Mini Risto (early suppers), Video shows, Games and competitions, Children parties & Mini Disco.

Conference Center

Congress in style at the Arina Sand Resort and George Mamidakis Conference & Exhibition Center offering 1,850 m² of state-of-the-art flexible conference facilities in 9 multi-function meeting rooms, accommodating groups of 100 – 1,000 delegates.

The natural lighting and unobstructed layout guarantee ideal viewing and perfect acoustics. Exceptionally well designed and offering the latest in audiovisual, communication and exhibition facilities.

Meeting Room capacities

MEETING ROOMS	AREA (m2)	THEATRE	CLASSROOM	BANQUET	RECEPTION
El Greco Conference Hall	770	1,200	700	900	1,600
El Greco I	90	130	90	95	150
El Greco II	85	120	85	90	130
El Greco III	185	260	185	190	350
El Greco IV	275	380	250	270	450
El Greco Foyer	135	-	-	-	250
Arina I	45	56	35	-	-
Arina II	45	56	35	-	-
Arina III	45	56	35	-	-
Arina IV	30	30	25	-	-
Atrium	210	-	-	-	250
El Greco Exhibition Area	315	-	-	-	450