



Suite Talk



Clockwise from top left: Chewton Glen, Fairmont Vancouver "bee butler" Michael King, and honey from the Dominican Republic.

Fresh from the Hive

Three hotels reaping the benefits of on-site apiaries: thriving gardens and a sweet bounty of honey for guests.



TORTUGA BAY HOTEL,
PUNTA CANA,
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC

The Buzz:

This collection of 13 villas is part of the Puntacana Resort & Club, whose apiary houses more than **200 bee colonies**. The resort's Ecological Foundation sells the Puntacana Forest Honey around the island.

Try It:

In dishes and cocktails at the resort's 15 restaurants and bars, or during the **Natural Thai Facial** at the Six Senses Spa. *Villas from \$620, including breakfast daily, a 30-minute massage, and Dominican sweets.*



CHEWTON GLEN
HAMPSHIRE, ENGLAND

The Buzz:

The 70-room manor house on England's southern coast shares its 130 acres with orchards, 12 treehouse suites, and **60 hives** looked after by a local beekeeper.

Try It:

In Chewton's signature **honey parfait dessert**, the spa's seasonal lavender and lemon drink, and for sale beside house-made jams and chutneys in the boutique. *Doubles from \$499, including breakfast daily and a \$100 hotel credit.*



THE FAIRMONT
WATERFRONT,
VANCOUVER, CANADA

The Buzz:

On the 489-room hotel's third-floor terrace, hives shelter **200,000-plus honeybees** in a garden with views of the city's mountain-backed harbor. A guide leads daily apiary tours between May and September.

Try It:

In the locally brewed Fairmont "Stinger" **honey lager** or hand-churned burnt-honey ice cream at ARC Restaurant. *Doubles from \$279, including a chef's welcome gift, breakfast daily, and a \$55 hotel credit.*