

CASE STUDIES

Hotels & Restaurants

St Andrews Bay Hotel

St Andrews

“The quality of plants and standard of service we have received from Urban Planters have been impeccable and we look forward to working with them in the future. Guests have often commented on how wonderful the displays look.”

Jonathan Titterton – Director of Facilities



Urban Planters has had a contract to install and maintain plants for this prestigious hotel since 2001 and during that time has installed and maintained a range of live and replica plants around the complex.

THE BRIEF

- To design a striking planting scheme using large specimens to **enhance a vast atrium**.
- To select a wide-ranging but complementing planting scheme to **bring life to the golf club house**.
- To choose plants for the recently opened restaurant, Esperante, which would suit the **low light levels** whilst also complementing the sophisticated, Mediterranean décor.
- To provide solutions for the **frequent moving** of some plants and **varying levels of natural light** in some rooms.

THE SCHEME

- In the atrium, **five-metre-high plants**, such as Ficus nitida create a peaceful ambience around the lounge area and thrive in the light and airy space.
- Elsewhere, there are large wooden troughs containing norfolk island pine, ceramic pots with a mixture of Yucca, palms and varieties of Ficus and small table tops bring a **vibrant but natural element** to the golf club house.
- The restaurant's classic Mediterranean theme was matched with **aged terracotta pots** for the plants.

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