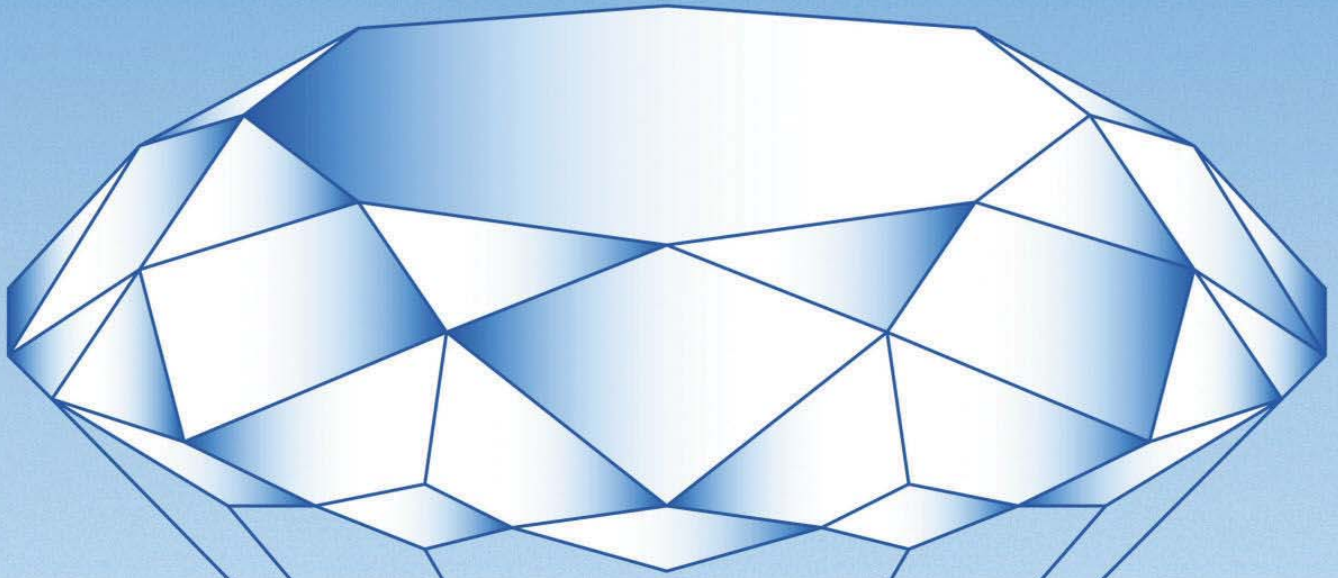


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2 HAPPY PLACE

EL CAREYES CLUB & RESIDENCES



- "Mexico's most exclusive coastline is welcoming a rare newcomer toward the end of this month with the debut of El Careyes Club & Residences. Stretching from Manzanillo to Puerto Vallarta, the Costalegre region is home to just a few elite retreats, among them the spectacular and surreal Costa Careyes. The 1970s-era community known for its architectural 'castles' will open El Careyes on the site of a beachfront hotel that shuttered in 2011. The new resort should tempt everyone from honeymooners to families with its five infinity pools and 36 one-to-four-bedroom suites." —BRUCE WALLIN

3 JEWELS IN LE JARDIN

DIOR À VERSAILLES, CÔTÉ JARDINS



- "Victoire de Castellane's latest designs for Dior are complètement formidable. For Dior à Versailles, Côté Jardins—the Parisian fashion house's new 66-piece high-jewelry collection—the creative director drew inspiration from the grounds of France's famed château. In this white-and-yellow-gold ring-called Black Opal Girandole Grove after one of the palace's original gardens—a central opal resembles a shimmering pond surrounded by emerald leaves and blossoms made from mandarin garnets and sapphires." —CAROLYN MEERS

1 CASK STRENGTHS

YAMAZAKI MIZUNARA CASK 2017 EDITION



- "While Japan got into the whisky business nearly a century ago, it's still rare to find whisky aged in Japanese oak casks, making the new Yamazaki Mizunara Cask 2017 Edition a special treat. The \$1,000 spirit combines whiskies that have been aged from 18 to 50 years in mizunara barrels, from which it draws notes of sandalwood and cinnamon that are as heady on the nose as they are honeyed on the tongue." —JANICE O'LEARY

