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Bogie and Capone's casa is your casa.



Ocean View Post up at the Casa Marina's open-air Penthouse Lounge and order from the martini and tapas menus.

QUAINT HISTORIC INN or panoramic oceanfront property? Guests of Casa Marina Hotel and Restaurant in Jacksonville Beach get the best of both worlds. Listed on the National Register of Historic Places, this 1925 Mediterranean Revival-style lodging is the only remaining hotel from the beach's glory days in the '20s. Today its 25 individually decorated guest rooms and parlor suites reflect the different eras of its history. On the contemporary side, guests can order "new beach cuisine," such as Grouper Hemingway, at the fine dining restaurant, and designer martinis, such as the Caribbean Cosmo, at the

Penthouse Lounge, with the Atlantic Ocean in the background.

In its more than 80 years, the Casa Marina has hosted the rich, the famous, and the infamous, including Humphrey Bogart, the Duke and Duchess of Windsor, Jean Harlow, and Al Capone. These days guests feel as if they're getting celebrity treatment with *al fresco* breakfasts on the veranda, cool cocktails in the oceanfront courtyard, live music under the stars, a private walkway to the beach, and some of the comfiest beds in town. *Rooms from \$139.* (casamarinahotel.com)

Hotel, Sweet Hotel

Check out these favorites in Northeast Florida.

One Ocean Resort and Spa

Docents welcome you at your car at this Atlantic Beach resort. Then they escort you to your room, and even unpack your bags. For dinner, there's seafood risotto at the hotel's restaurant Azur a, and for Fido, there's "Haute Pet Cuisine." *Rooms from \$159.* oneoceanresort.com

Hyatt Regency Jacksonville Riverfront

There's nothing like being in the middle of the action, and that's where you'll be at the downtown Hyatt, adjacent to the Jacksonville Landing and the Times Union Center for the Performing Arts, within minutes of beaches and shopping. *Rooms from \$84.* jacksonville.hyatt.com

The Ritz-Carlton, Amelia Island

Highlights of this premier 444-room resort that's just 30 minutes from Jacksonville International Airport include a world-class salon and spa, a championship golf course, and a renowned oceanfront restaurant Salt. *Rooms from \$199.* ritzcarlton.com

Ponte Vedra Inn and Club

The well-heeled have descended on Ponte Vedra Beach, just 20 miles southeast of Jacksonville, since the 1920s, and their resort of choice is the Ponte Vedra Inn and Club, with a recently renovated spa and 36 holes of golf. *Rooms from \$240.* pvresorts.com