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The Greg Norman-designed The Bluffs Grand Ho Tram in Vietnam.

### **Bridgerton dreams in Bath**

Step into a world of Regency era elegance and 21st-century comfort with a stay at Bloomfield House, a stunning Georgian mansion nestled in the heart of Bath. This property, dating back to the 1700s, offers a luxurious, *Bridgerton*-style retreat complete with modern amenities. Whether visiting the Royal Crescent, enjoying a tour at the Jane Austen Centre, relaxing in the Thermae Bath Spa or immersing yourself in the world of *Bridgerton* with a themed tour of the city, Bloomfield House provides the perfect, elegant sanctuary. The whole manor can be yours for £5,700 for a three-night weekend stay, or £4,995 for a four-night midweek stay.

Nine bedrooms and nine bathrooms, including seven en-suites, accommodate 16 adults. The children's bedroom with built-in bunk beds can host up to six children, making this the ideal setting for family gatherings or a weekend

getaway. A manicured garden with a heated garden room and hot tub, takes you back to a *Bridgerton* party.

### **Cultural tryst to Umbria**

If curated itineraries with a group of eight is your thing, then Design Hotels' D/A Trips (in partnership with Design Anthology UK) offers a slow-travel escape from June 28-July 1, to Umbria, Italy. It gives you a chance to experience Italy's heartland through the lens of design and culinary craft. At Rastrello, one can learn about olive harvesting and extra-virgin olive oil production, go truffle hunting, and discover the village of Panicale's architecture, including a central piazza dating back to the 10th century. The group

then visits Eremito, a stone hermitage that sits within a remote, protected forest, where guests are invited to switch off completely. Prices start at £2,990 for stay, experiences, and F&B.

### **Tee off in Vietnam**

The Bluffs Grand Ho Tram strip, a 90-minute drive from Ho Chi Minh City, Vietnam, offers links-style golf against the backdrop of the Ho Tram coastlines, with dramatic elevations, and a landscape formed over millennia. The 18-hole course, designed by golf legend Greg Norman, is spread over 35 hectares, with a dramatic first hole, going down through the forest, with the last 12 holes near the water. The club house features the Infinity restaurant, and a rare cask room, with some rare single malts. If you can tear yourself away from the casino, cinema, and restaurants at the Grand Ho Tram complex, you can experience a Vietnamese fishing village, a stroll away. **■**