

Swaying palms at the Nisbet Beach Club

WE STAYED AT...

Nisbet Plantation Beach Club (00 1 869 469 9325, nisbetplantation.com), which has immaculate cottage-style rooms and palm-dotted lawns. Doubles in May cost from £351 including breakfast, dinner and afternoon tea.



The hotel is set on an old sugar plantation

TRAVEL

YOU WILL NEED...

... relaxed beachwear to make the most of island life

Polyamide-mix bikini top, around £147, and bottoms, around £129, both Eres



Bronze Goddess Sunscreen SPF 30, £20, Estée Lauder



Silk chiffon scarf, £45, Nocturne

It can be quite breezy on Nevis, but the sun is still strong, so wear sunscreen at all times



Cotton shorts, £135, Theory



Leather sandals, around £140, APC



ON LOCATION

NEVIS

MC's fashion team enjoys a classic Caribbean island. By Amelia Sullivan

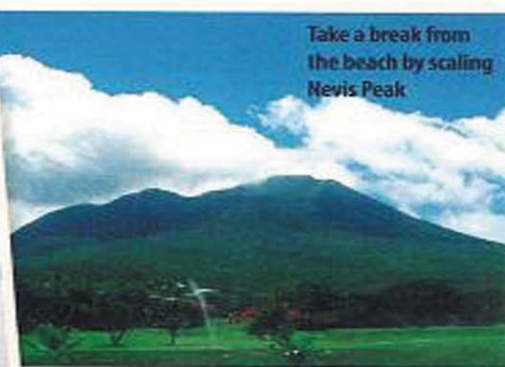
WE FLEW TO...

St Kitts, the sister island to Nevis – in May, return flights from London Gatwick with British Airways (ba.com) cost from £513 including taxes. From here it's an easy transfer by boat to Nevis. For packages, see juststkittsnevis.co.uk; for info, visit nevisisland.com.



Model Telma steps out in the surf

Take a break from the beach by scaling Nevis Peak



Life on Nevis is full of colour



OUR TOP FIVE THINGS TO DO...

- Climb the 3,232ft Nevis Peak with Sunrise Tours (nevisnaturetours.com).
- Hire a car and take the Nevis Heritage Trail – highlights include churches and sugar mills.
- Try some Caribbean dishes at Bananas (00 1 869 469 1891) in the leafy Hamilton Estate.
- Watch seaside horse races at Indian Castle.
- Take a day trip to St Kitts on the local ferry – book a private tour with lunch at Ottleys Plantation Inn (ottleys.com). For more information, visit skittstourism.kn.