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## In a Maui mood

Kapalua Resort on Maui has a whole new look, with a refurbished Ritz-Carlton and outdoor adventure facilities. The Ritz, reopened after a six-month, \$160-million renovation, now has 356 rooms plus 117 one- and two-bedroom residences, many of which are expected to rent to guests, priced at \$895,000 and up. The restaurants, pool area and spa (opening in May) have been redone, and the hotel's décor is said to have a more Hawaiian sense of place. Rates start at \$599 a night. (808) 669-6200, [www.ritzcarlton.com](http://www.ritzcarlton.com). The new Kapalua Adventure Center offers an outfitters shop, cafe and information on outings. At the 480-acre Mountain Outpost, about 20 minutes away, visitors can ride 16 ziplines (above) and test their skills on climbing towers and a high-ropes course. The cost is \$60 to \$159, depending on the activities. Info: (877) 665-4386, [www.kapaluaadventures.com](http://www.kapaluaadventures.com).



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