## **Nantucket Island Resorts Receives Accolades from U.S. News & World Report** All five properties cited in rankings of top hotels in Nantucket, Massachusetts and the U.S.



The much anticipated 2018 U.S. News & World Report Best Hotels rankings have been announced, adding prestigious accolades to all of the hotels in the Nantucket Island Resorts collection. The rankings recognize the Best Nantucket Hotels, the Best Hotels in Massachusetts and the 50 Best Hotels in the USA.

In an impressive showing, all five Nantucket Island Resorts have been cited in the Best Nantucket Hotels category with the White Elephant Village voted #1 by reviewers who credited the "first class service, the spacious accommodations and the unbeatable location" as winning ingredients. In the same category, The Wauwinet was designated #3, the White Elephant #4, The Cottages at Nantucket Boat Basin #5 and the Jared Coffin House #7.

Also noteworthy are the rankings of Nantucket Island Resorts among the Best Hotels in Massachusetts. The rankings were based on an unbiased analysis of awards, expert recommendations and user ratings. Again, the White Elephant Village topped the list in the #1 spot followed by The Wauwinet as #10, the White Elephant #12, The Cottages and Lofts at Nantucket Boat Basin # 30 and the Jared Coffin House #48.

In addition, the White Elephant Village was ranked #34 and awarded a Gold Badge in the 50 Best Hotels in the US category out of a total of 2,194 properties rated for 2018. Gold badges were awarded to only the top 10% of all ranked luxury hotels in the U.S.

"We are honored to receive recognition from US News & World Report for our five Nantucket Island Resorts properties," said Khaled Hashem, Managing Director of Nantucket Island Resorts. "Not only do these accolades resonate with our guests, they continue to motivate our team's dedication to providing a notable Nantucket experience. We are proud of their excellence."

For more information, visit nantucketislandresorts.com or call 800.475.2637.

## **About Nantucket Island Resorts**

Nantucket Island Resorts is a collection of premier hotels on Nantucket that specialize in bringing the unique Nantucket lifestyle to all guests. From boating to fine dining to a large number of island festivals and events, Nantucket Island Resorts caters to its visitors and offers vacation planning that lets you get the most out of a Nantucket vacation while staying in a fantastic array of accommodations. Properties include The Wauwinet, ideal for romance with access and views of both bay and ocean beaches and home to the award-winning TOPPER'S restaurant; White Elephant, the iconic hotel located right on Nantucket Harbor that offers a lovely arrangements of rooms, suites, cottages, and two stunning intown luxury lofts as well as the Brant Point Grill; the White Elephant Village offers one-, two-, and three-bedroom Residences and the new Inn offers rooms and suites; Jared Coffin House, a historic and

charming hotel located in Nantucket Town and its restaurant, Nantucket Prime; The Cottages at Nantucket Boat Basin, waterfront cottages with full kitchens located on three wharves jutting out into Nantucket Harbor and featuring 12 pet-friendly accommodations; and Nantucket Boat Basin, a 240 slip full-service award winning marina.