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BAKER HOUSE 1650 / CHRIS FOSTER PHOTOGRAPHY

Baker House 1650 on Main Street in East Hampton offers winter rates that start at \$425. The luxury inn features sumptuous bedrooms and grand public spaces.

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Offseason on the East End has its own appeal. It may be too chilly for swimming, but the weather is just right for sampling Malbecs and merlots in cozy tasting rooms. Galleries and theaters offer culture without the crowds. Hot-ticket restaurants have tables to spare. And the price of a hotel room drops dramatically with the temperature. As extra enticement, the following inns offer additional discounts and deals during the fall and winter:

## As East End crowds thin, find winter deals

**EIGHT INNS** that offer can't-miss bargains in grand Long Island style

### BAKER HOUSE 1650, EAST HAMPTON

In a 17th-century Cotswold-style building on Main Street in East Hampton, this luxury inn features sumptuous bedrooms; grand public spaces including a living room with a huge fireplace; a basement spa with pool, sauna and steam shower; and a bar serving fine wines and spirits to guests during Happy Hour. East Hampton shops, restaurants, galleries and theaters are within walking distance, but the comforts of this place in colder weather may dissuade you from venturing outdoors.

**THE DEAL** Winter rates start at \$425 (this is the Hamptons, after all). Choose the Wine Tasting package and you'll get these amenities thrown in: a bottle of Wölffer wine and a fruit and cheese plate waiting for you in your room, a private wine tasting at the Wölffer Estate, \$75 credit toward dinner at a local restaurant and late checkout at 1 p.m.