
A gourmet gift with authentic taste

The gastronomy of the Peloponnese from award-winning Navarino Icons

20 October 2016, London - [Costa Navarino](#), the prime sustainable destination in the pristine southwest Peloponnese area of Greece celebrates the region's rich gastronomy through its authentic, high quality food and product range, [Navarino Icons](#).

This festive season, Navarino Icons welcomes olive oil aficionados to experience the distinguished taste of **Navarino Icons Organic Extra Virgin Olive Oil** and **Navarino Icons Estate Grown Extra Virgin Olive Oil**.

The products have claimed a host of accolades at top ranked international food competitions including **2016's Great Taste Awards** (the UK's most trusted accreditation scheme for artisan and specialty food and drink producers, organised by the Guild of Fine Food).

Continuing a 5,000 year tradition of olive oil making, the olive oil is made from the acclaimed Koroneiki variety olives from the Peloponnese and from the estates of Costa Navarino, sustainably grown in centuries-old olive groves and carefully gathered by hand, without mechanical means.



Other award-winning Navarino Icons products include the **Pure Greek Honey**, the **Roasted Red Pepper and Tomato Dip**, the **Organic Fig Marmalade** and the **Organic Grapemust**, which all also received recognition in the Great Taste Awards as well as the energy snack, **Pasteli with Sesame Seeds & Honey**, which was selected as a finalist at sofi™ Awards, one of the top distinctions within the food industry.

For a specialty gourmet gift with a rich history, Navarino Icons brings quality Greek gastronomy to the kitchen table, perfect for a festive culinary experience.

Navarino Icons are available to buy in Marks & Spencer in the UK.

For more information on Navarino Icons visit www.navarinoicons.com

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About Navarino Icons

Navarino Icons creates products from Messinia and the Peloponnese, which are inspired by the rich culinary history and traditions of the area, with the aim of getting people acquainted with the beauty and heritage of the local culture through products of the highest quality. All products are produced by small scale local producers and in limited quantities, certified with ISO 22000: 2005, TUV NORD, to ensure the highest quality production in every step of the production process.

A fine selection of Navarino Icons products are available at Marks & Spencer in the UK, at Julius Meinl am Graben in Vienna, at Dean & DeLuca in the USA & worldwide. Furthermore, visitors travelling to Greece can find them at the Hellenic Duty Free Shops, at Costa Navarino and at several other select locations.

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About Costa Navarino:

Costa Navarino is the prime, sustainable destination in the Mediterranean, located in the Greek region of Messinia in the southwest Peloponnese. One of the most unspoiled and breathtaking seaside Mediterranean landscapes, this area has been shaped by 4,500 years of history. Its philosophy is driven by a genuine desire to promote Messinia, while protecting and preserving its natural beauty and heritage. It will comprise a number of distinct sites featuring 5-star deluxe hotels, luxury residences, conference facilities, spa and thalassotherapy centres, signature golf courses, as well as a wide range of unique year-round activities for adults and children. Navarino Dunes, the first area, is home to two luxury 5-star hotels, The Romanos, a Luxury Collection Resort and The Westin Resort, Costa Navarino; The Dunes Course – the first signature golf course in Greece- Anazoe Spa, a 4,000sq.m. spa & thalassotherapy centre; the state-of-the-art conference centre House of Events; specially designed facilities for children; as well as a variety of gastronomy venues, sports, outdoor and cultural activities. Navarino Bay, the second area is home to the signature golf course, The Bay Course.

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