

Wonders

Enchanting Christmas and New Beginnings 2025 - 2026

Unveiling Enchanted Wonders in Oman

Step into a season where time slows, joy glows brighter and the spirit of celebration lingers in every detail.

This year, the shores of Shangri-La Barr Al Jissah transform into a world of enchantment — a seaside sanctuary where generations come together to celebrate, connect, and create new memories beneath the Arabian sky.

Across 124 acres of pristine coastline, discover moments made for families

— glittering feasts by the sea, moonlit gatherings, playful adventures for little

dreamers, and wellness escapes that rejuvenate the soul.

Every experience carries the warmth of our hospitality, inviting you to share laughter, love, and togetherness.

As the season unfolds, let artistry, flavour, and festive joy guide you through experiences both timeless and new — from heartwarming Christmas celebrations to a spectacular New Year's Eve Gala filled with music, wonder, and family magic.

Here in Oman, every celebration is a story and every toast is a promise. Together, let us welcome the dawn of 2026 with joy, grace and wonder.

PHILIPPE KRONBERG

Resort General Manager



Festive Timeline

DEC 2025



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11 DEC
MAJESTIC TREE
LIGHTING

1-30 DEC
SPLASH ADVENTURES

1-30 DEC WELLNESS ESCAPES

11-30 DEC
GINGERBREAD MAGIC

18 & 24 DEC
LITTLE CHEFS' WONDERLAND

14-30 DEC DINE BY DESIGN

19 DEC
JOLLY BRUNCH

24 & 25 DEC CHRISTMAS FESTIVITIES

CHRISTMAS EVE & DAY DINNER

- * BAIT AL BAHR
- * CAPRI COURT
- * CHOW MEE
- * AL TANOOR
- * SAMBA
- * SiO₂ BEACH LOUNGE

CHRISTMAS DAY LUNCH BUFFET

- CIRCLES
- * SAMBA

31 DEC
NEW YEAR'S EVE

CELEBRATIONS

GALA DINNER

- * SHANGRI-LA BARR AL JISSAH
- * BAIT AL BAHR

COUNTDOWN

* SHANGRI-LA BARR AL JISSAH



THURSDAY DECEMBER **11** 2025

Majestic Tree Lighting

Lighting Hearts, Sharing Joy

Experience the magic as our Christmas tree sparkles to life with twinkling lights, joyful carols and charming holiday stalls.

Gather with loved ones to share laughter, music and moments of togetherness that capture the true spirit of Christmas.

AL BANDAR

SABLAH AREA | 5:30 PM

SEASON'S HAMPER

GIFT OF JOY & WONDER

Celebrate the spirit of giving with handpicked hampers brimming with gourmet delights and festive treasures.

Thoughtfully curated for family, friends, or colleagues, each hamper is crafted to share joy, warmth and timeless festive cheer.

FROM OMR 45





DAILYDECEMBER

11-31 2025

Gingerbread Magic

A Sweet Adventure for All

Discover a life-size gingerbread house at Al Waha, decorated with icing and candy and filled with cookies, chocolates and festive delights.

A magical attraction that creates unforgettable moments of fun for children and families.

AL WAHA LOBBY





THROUGHOUT THE SEASON

Splash Adventures

Join Habibi the Turtle for a holiday splash adventure with slides, water play and exciting activities. Every splash creates magical memories of festive fun, joy and laughter, making this a season to remember for children and families alike.

Please view the newsletter placed in your room for the daily activities.





Little Chefs' Wonderland

Sprinkle, Sparkle, Create, Celebrate

Our younger guests are invited to a world of festive fun, with pizza and pasta making, cookie decorating and whimsical gingerbread creations.

This joyful holiday activity is designed to spark creativity and laughter, creating treasured moments for kids and families to share together.

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DECEMBER 2025 DECEMBER 2025

CAPRI COURT TURATH CAFÉ

DAILYDECEMBER

1-30 2025

Festive Wellness Escapes Chi, The Spa

Nestled in the heart of Al Bandar hotel



Couple Escape

Unwind together with a deeply relaxing massage enhanced with hot stones – designed to renew connection and serenity.

75 MINUTES | OMR 110 NET PER COUPLE



Glow and Relax

A body scrub followed by a soothing massage t restore balance and reveal a radiant glow.

90 MINUTES | OMR 70 NET PER PERSON



DAILYDECEMBER

2025

Dine By Design

Elegant Dining

This festive season, make every moment unforgettable with exclusive private dining experiences.

Enjoy a romantic beachside setting at Shangri-La Barr Al Jissah, where the ocean breeze and candlelight create the perfect festive ambience.

Savour champagne, silver service, and curated menus inspired by flavours from around the world — a celebration to remember beneath the Arabian sky.

OMR 160 NET PER COUPLE - SHANGRI-LA BARR AL JISSAH



FRIDAY DECEMBER **19** 2025

Jolly Brunch

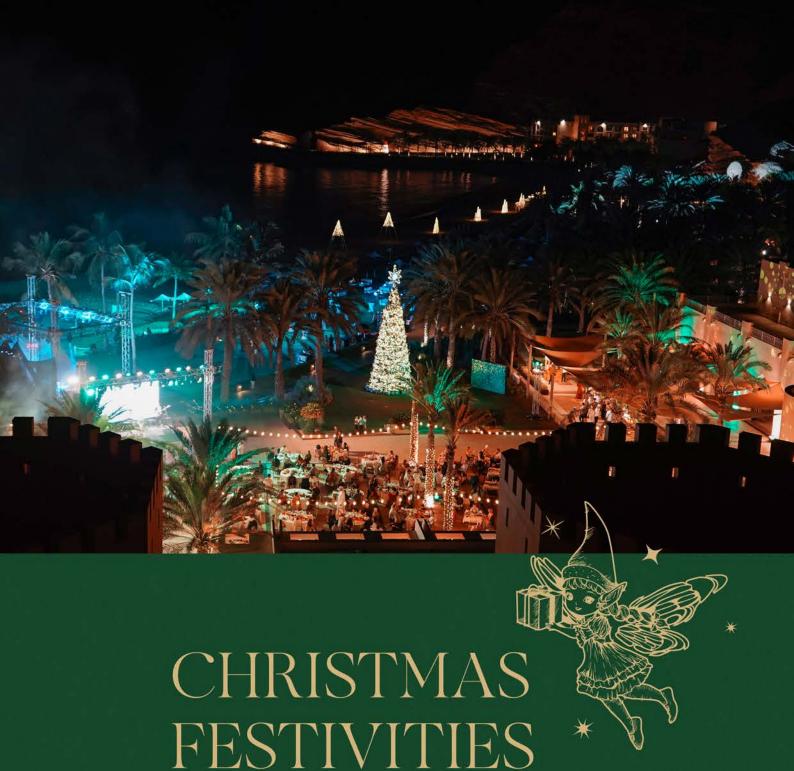
Tastes of Tradition, Moments of Magic

Celebrate the season with a festive brunch brimming with flavour, fun and cheer.

From succulent turkey and seasonal favourites to sweet holiday delights, our chefs present a joyful feast that brings loved ones together in the spirit of Christmas alongside live entertainment.

AL TANOOR | 1 PM - 4 PM

OMR 35 NET PER PERSON



Celebrate Christmas Eve and Christmas Day with unforgettable moments of joy, flavour and togetherness. Across the resort, guests can enjoy festive set menus, A la Carte options, extravagant buffets and lively gatherings filled with entertainment and cheer.

From indulgent evening to relaxed family lunches, each occasion is designed to create lasting memories.

With warm hospitality at every turn, the holiday spirit shines through, making this Christmas truly special.



Enchanted Evenings, Gourmet Gatherings

24 & 25 DECEMBER 2025

CHRISTMAS DINNER

BAIT AL BAHR
CAPRI COURT
CHOW MEE
AL TANOOR
SAMBA

5-COURSE SET MENU
4-COURSE SET MENU
A LA CARTE
BUFFET
BUFFET

OMR 35 PER PERSON
OMR 45 PER PERSON
OMR 38 PER PERSON

OMR 47 PER PERSON

25 DECEMBER 2025

CHRISTMAS LUNCH

SAMBA CIRCLES BUFFET
POOLSIDE BUFFET

OMR 24 PER PERSON
OMR 14 PER PERSON

All prices are net.



The Ocean's Bounty

Bait Al Bahr

Experience the art of oceanfront dining at Bait Al Bahr, where the finest treasures of the sea are transformed into a symphony of festive indulgence.

Savour an exquisite five-course menu that journeys from Omani lobster custard and Salalah scallop ceviche to amberjack en croûte before concluding your evening with a decadent *Bûche de Noël*.

5-COURSE SET MENU | 6 PM - 10:30 PM

OMR 47 NET PER PERSON



Tavola di Natale

Capri Court

Celebrate the spirit of Christmas at Capri Court, where Italian elegance meets festive indulgence.

Savour a four-course journey of seasonal flavours — from creamy burrata and truffle-infused raviolo to perfectly grilled ribeye and indulgent Christmas desserts.

A feast that captures the warmth, aromas, and joy of the season.

4-COURSE SET MENU | 6 PM - 10:30 PM

OMR 35 NET PER PERSON



Southeast Asian Cuisine

Chow Mee

Embark on a vibrant Southeast Asian journey with A La Carte selections, wok-tossed creations and authentic dishes infused with bold spices and festive aromas.

Let every bite transform this Christmas into a celebration of culture, tradition and joyful discovery.

A LA CARTE | 6 PM - 10:30 PM



Magical Christmas Flavours

Al Tanoor

Celebrate the season with an abundant buffet featuring seafood on ice, house-cured gravlax, Japanese delicacies, and duck specialities. Savour a carving station with roasted turkey, barbecue lamb, Black Angus ribs, and salt-crusted salmon, complemented by a selection of global favourites.

With live cooking stations, festive desserts, and traditional Yule logs, the evening unfolds into a joyful feast for all.

BUFFET | 6:30 PM - 10:30 PM

OMR 45 NET PER PERSON



Global Festive Flavours

Samba

An abundant buffet comes alive with ocean treasures, artisanal charcuterie and holiday roasts.

Explore flavours from sizzling grills and fragrant curries to handcrafted pastas, before ending the evening in a wonderland of festive desserts — from classic Panettone to our signature Christmas Winter Garden creation.

A feast designed for the whole family, with plenty of favourites for little ones too.

BUFFET | 8 PM - 11 PM

OMR 38 NET PER PERSON



Beats, Bites & Sips

SiO₂ Beach Lounge

Festive cheer sparkles by the shore of Al Bandar with DJ Beats and live music wrapped with the magical warmth of Christmas.

Discover our A la Carte selections of light bites and curated drinks.

AL BANDAR HOTEL | 5 PM - 1 AM



THURSDAY 25
DECEMBER 2025

Al Fresco Lunch

Circles

Celebrate Christmas Day under the sun with a lively poolside buffet at Circles. Enjoy fresh salads, vibrant mezze and global favourites including fish, chicken, noodles, rice and more.

Little ones will love their own station with burgers, hotdogs, nachos and mac & cheese — making it a festive day for the whole family.

CHRISTMAS LUNCH | 12 PM - 4 PM

OMR 14 NET PER PERSON



THURSDAY 25
DECEMBER 2025

Global Festive Flavours

Samba

Celebrate Christmas at Samba, where a vibrant spread of mezze, roasted turkey, lamb, prawns, and salmon brings festive sunshine to the table.

End on a sweet note with panettone pudding, Stollen bites, and handmade pralines, while little ones delight in a marshmallow and meringue tower and a colourful cookie station.

CHRISTMAS LUNCH | 12 PM - 4 PM

OMR 24 NET PER PERSON



Welcome 2026 with a night of glamour, flavour and celebration beneath the Arabian sky.

The gala dinner unfolds in festive elegance, with live music and cultural rhythms filling the air as every moment sparkles with laughter, dancing, and seaside cheer.

As midnight approaches, our fellow guests are invited to gather by Shangri-La Barr Al Jissah's beach for toasts, live entertainment, and the magic of the countdown — an evening of warmth, wonder, and joy to begin the New Year in style.





31 DECEMBER 2025

GALA DINNER

FROM 7 PM

Celebrations

SHANGRI-LA BARR AL JISSAH

BAIT AL BAHR

SiO₂ BEACH LOUNGE

SHANGRI-LA BARR AL JISSAH COUNTDOWN PARTY

GALA DINNER

SET MENU

BITES, SIPS & MUSIC | A la Carte







WEDNESDAY 31
DECEMBER 2025

Retro Carnival Gala Evening

Shangri-La Barr Al Jissah

Dress in style and welcome 2026 with a dazzling Retro Carnival celebration at Shangri-La Barr Al Jissah.

The Sablah, lawns and beach transform into a vibrant open-air gala dinner with sweeping ocean views. Indulge in an abundant buffet featuring an ice bar of oysters, tiger prawns and mussels, alongside Japanese selections, Wagyu ribeye, Omani lobster from the live charcoal grill and festive favourites from around the world. Savour exquisite desserts like the whimsical Time Machine Clock Tower and Globe de Carnival creations, designed for the occasion.

With live entertainment, dancing and a sparkling countdown by the sea, the night promises glamour, flavour and festive cheer.

GALA DINNER & COUNTDOWN PARTY

From 7pm

Inclusive of house pouring beverages.

Enjoy two toasts of sparkling wine on us for the countdown.







WEDNESDAY 31
DECEMBER 2025

Echoes of the Sirens

Bait Al Bahr

Begin the evening with rooftop aperitifs before indulging in an elegant New Year's Eve set menu dinner. Crafted with premium Omani ingredients — from scallops in Champagne butter to lobster rolls, Cod with paplou emulsion and jasmine tea-smoked fish.

The experience is enhanced with live entertainment and performances.

DINNER & COUNTDOWN PARTY

Rooftop aperitifs at 7pm followed by dinner at 8pm
A supplement of OMR 18 is applicable
per guest residing at Shangri-La Barr Al Jissah

Inclusive of house pouring beverages.

Enjoy two toasts of sparkling wine on us for the countdown party
at the beachfront of Shangri-La Barr Al Jissah.

Boho Beats, Ocean Breeze

Bites, Sips & Music

Enjoy your pre-dinner drinks and light bites with live music.

SIO2 BEACH LOUNGE | FROM 5PM - 11PM



COUNTDOWN

HAPPY NEW YEAR

All celebrations lead to Shangri-La Barr Al Jissah, where the night comes alive beneath the stars.

A live band and DJ set the rhythm for dancing and revelry, before the grand countdown unites guests in joy and sparkle under the Arabian night sky.

SHANGRI-LA BARR AL JISSAH BEACHFRONT | 11 PM - 1 AM

Raise your glass to 2026 with two complimentary toasts of sparkling wine at countdown



Festive Guidelines

DRESS CODE IN OUR RESTAURANTS & BARS

- National dress with Kumma is welcome in all dining venues.
 - * Smart casual attire is required for dinner.
- Gentlemen: tailored shorts or trousers with closed shoes or smart leather sandals.
 - Not permitted (except at Circles, Assira, Mahhara and Al Muheet): beachwear, sportswear, slippers, flip-flops.
- Out of respect for our diverse cultures, we kindly ask guests to avoid see-through or very light clothing during meal times.

NOTES

- Festive programme, timings, prices and culinary offerings may change.
 - All culinary highlights are subject to availability.
- Price is per person, in Omani Rials and inclusive of all applicable taxes.
 - * The Gala dinner is mandatory for all resident guests at Shangri-La Barr Al Jissah.
- The New Year's Eve Gala Dinner will be seated on a first-come, first-served basis.
 To secure your preferred table, we recommend confirming your reservation early—either through our reservations team or upon check-in.
 - Images are for illustration purposes only.





FOR MORE INFORMATION & BOOKINGS

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