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ROMANCE THE FLAVORS OF ARABIA WITH A TRADITIONAL AL FRESCO DINING EXPERIENCE AT AMASEENA

Inspire friends and family to discover the true taste and culture of the Middle East at The Ritz-Carlton, Dubai JBR



Dubai, UAE, 20 November 2019 - As the city welcomes incredible weather during the winter months, Amaseena at The Ritz-Carlton, Dubai in the heart of JBR, offers a truly authentic outdoor culinary experience, making it ideal for a rendezvous with the food and traditions of the Middle East.

At this award-winning al fresco restaurant, diner's imaginations are enchanted as their palates are treated to a gastronomic journey through the Gulf amid Bedouin-inspired tents and palm trees swaying in the gentle sea breeze. Carrying with it an 18-year legacy, Amaseena puts forth extraordinary Arabic cuisines, from succulent meats enlivened with bold spices to freshly caught seafood, followed by delicate Arabian sweets. Guests can get acquainted with the aromas and ingredients native to this region by visiting the mini Spice Souk located within or indulge in exotic treats such as a Mandi-cooked lamb or a 1-Meter long Kofta.

Rightly named as Travelers' Choice Restaurant in 2019 by TripAdvisor, Chef Rami Al Maket and his team of Ladies' and Gentlemen welcome you with warmth and smiles for experiencing the legendary service and an extensive buffet filled with surprises and secrets from the chefs'

homelands. With live entertainment every night, discover the beauty and romance of old Arabia.

WEEKLY THEME NIGHTS

Enjoy special theme nights every Wednesday and Thursday, and let the specially prepared dishes, evocative sounds of live Arabic music, exotic belly dancing and the heady aroma of hubbly bubbly transport you to another time. An enhanced spread awaits you, as each month, Chef Rami chooses a special area of the region and highlights their most sought-after dishes giving you the chance to immerse into the food of the Arabic world, from Persian, Moroccan, Syrian to Levantine cuisines on display.

KIBBEH AND KEBABS IN NOVEMBER 2019

Throughout the month of November, relish eccentric flavors of Arabia with over thirty different varieties of kibbeh and twenty different varieties of kebabs. Guests are invited to sample 'meat-y' delicacies such as Swage kofta, a Syrian specialty kebab infused with spices, cheese and garlic, Iranian kebabs, an amalgamation of chicken, saffron and onion, Adana, the Turkish kebab cooked with lamb, chili and sweet paprika and Kibbeh Nayyeh prepared with raw lamb meat, mint and spices.

The highlight of this feast is the 1-Meter Kofta, a unique dish that mixes lamb and seafood with secret spices, slow-cooked in an underground oven, and later smoked on the chargrill. When served on a long platter finished with pickled vegetables and garlic sauce, the 1-Meter Kofta is sure to pose an all-in-good spirits, eating challenge for diners!

STREETS OF ARABIA IN DECEMBER 2019

Journey through the streets of Middle Eastern countries such as Morocco, Egypt, Turkey, Jordan, Lebanon and Syria as Amaseena brings to life, popular local eats on weekly nights all through December. Enjoy treats such as Turkish Pide, Jordanian Chicken Mousakhan, Syrian Fetteh and Falafel, Egyptian Foul Madames and Kushery to name a few. Completing this experience will be a selection of hand-crafted mocktails such as Tamarind and Karkade and the signature cocktail made using Arak and date syrup, Amaseena Caprinia.

UAE NATIONAL DAY CELEBRATIONS – 2 DECEMBER 2019

Guests can look forward to commemorating the proud occasion of UAE's 48th National Day with a lavish Emirati buffet spread at Amaseena. Be welcomed with a customary saffron custard drink, and savour locally inspired dishes including the much-loved Lamb Ouzi, Harees or choose from chicken, fish or lamb Salona and the much loved camel kofta or shawarma. Those with a sweet tooth can sample the sweet Logamat dumplings and Chibab pancakes.

UPCOMING THEMED MONTHLY PRESENTATIONS:

Moroccan nights in January 2020 Syrian nights in February 2020 Persian nights with Iranian New Year Celebrations in March 2020 Levant nights in April 2020

Where: Amaseena, The Ritz-Carlton, Dubai, JBR **When:** Open for dinner daily from 7 pm to 11 pm

Price:

AED 249 inclusive of meat buffet and Arabic coffee AED 299 inclusive of Seafood buffet and Arabic coffee

Theme Nights every Wednesday and Thursday

AED 299 inclusive of buffet, Arabic coffee and special live entertainment

UAE National Day Celebratory Feast

When: 2 December 2019

Price: AED 299 inclusive of buffet, Arabic coffee and special live entertainment

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