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Banyan Tree Al Areen named Top Global Spa Resort in Resorts Magazine Awards

Banyan Tree Al Areen has once again distinguished itself as a leading International getaway and destination spa with a triple win at the Resorts Magazine Hospitality Awards 2009.

Chosen by the discerning judging panel as the Top Spa Resort in the World, Banyan Tree Al Areen was also selected as the 2nd Top Desert Resort and very proud to be given a 3rd place in the Top One Hundred Resorts in the World 2009.

Only two resorts in the Middle East region have been included in the list.

Top Ten Spa Resorts 2009

- 1) Banyan Tree Al Areen
- 2) The Ritz-Carlton Bali
- 3) Shanti Ananda
- 4) Four Seasons Resort Langkawi
- 5) Ananda in the Himalayas
- 6) The Oriental Bangkok
- 7) Mandarin Oriental Hyde Park
- 8) Four Seasons Resort Bali at Jimbaran Bay
- 9) Taj Exotica Resort and Spa
- 10) Anassa

Top Ten of Top 100 Resorts in the World 2009

- 1) Four Seasons Resort Maldives and Landaa Giraavaru
- 2) Four Seasons Resort Langkawi
- 3) Banyan Tree Al Areen
- 4) Burj Al Arab
- 5) Four Seasons Resort Bali at Jimbaran Bay
- 6) Taj Umaid Bhawan Palace
- 7) Amanjiwo
- 8) One & Only Reethi Rah
- 9) The Oberoi Rajvilas
- 10) Shanti Ananda Maurice



Each year, Resorts Magazine confers awards to the top ten Resorts around the world. During this selection process, one of the magazine's Board visits each Resort and awards points according to strict criteria including natural setting, design, international-standard cuisine, hospitality, tranquility, views and accommodation furnishings. The inspection team focuses specifically on the provision of health services that the resort affords its guests, the preparation of low calorie dishes on the food menu, specialized supervisors for sporting activities and the presence of a spa.

On this occasion, the CEO of Al Areen Holding Co. and the Resort owners' representative, Mr. Tariq Ali Al Jowder, commented "We are very pleased and honoured to receive this international accolade, which confirms the Resort's true position amongst the leading global tourist destinations of the world. We constantly strive to present the most prominent and civilized face of the Kingdom of Bahrain, and to support the process of economic development with the focus on enhancing the role of the tourism sector. We always strive to ensure the highest quality for our guests ensuring an unforgettable experience during their stay at the Resort."

Since opening in April 2007, Banyan Tree Al Areen has received many international awards and accolades including the Gala Spa Award for Best Luxury Hotel City/Resort 2008, World's 50 Best New Hotels 2008 as voted by US Forbes Traveler, Conde Nast Traveller's list of Hot Spas, Tatler UK magazine's 101 Best Spas and 101 Best Hotels 2008, Elite Traveler's 101 Top Suites in the World and MENA Travel Award's Gold Award for the Best New Resort Hotel 2007.

BANYAN TREE AL AREEN PROMOTIONS October-November 2009

Villa - An Oasis of Tranquility

Package Rates:

- One-bedroom Deluxe Pool Villa from BHD 345
- One-bedroom Desert Pool Villa from BHD 435
- Two-bedroom Royal Pool Villa from BHD 625

Package includes:

- Available for weekends only
- Accommodation in a private pool villa
- Complimentary access to the "Lost Paradise of Dilmun" water park- seasonal
- Daily breakfast
- Return airport transfer or pick up from home within Bahrain
- 20% discount on all spa services
- Desert Pool Villa inclusive of half board

Minimum length of stay is 2 nights. Above rates are quoted per villa, per night and subject to 15% service charge and 5% government levy. Maximum occupancy for Deluxe and Desert Pool Villa is 2 adults and 2 children, for Royal Pool Villa 4 adults and 4 children.

Events - Meeting Package

Make business pleasurable at Banyan Tree Al Areen. Our Meeting package is designed to cater to your needs; offering state-of-the-art conference facilities combined with the unparalleled experience of our award-winning Banyan Tree Spa.

Package is inclusive of

- Day Meeting arrangement, inclusive of venue rental, welcome refreshments, morning and afternoon coffee breaks.
- Welcome scented cold towel
- Our standard LCD screen & projector, 1 microphone & 1 flipchart
- Wireless internet access throughout the meeting
- Our meeting stationary
- 1 hour head & shoulder massage after the meeting in our banquet hall
- Complimentary transportation for a group of 15 & above.

Book 3 meetings and we are delighted to offer your 4th meeting free for 10 delegates

Package Rate: BHD 31 per person

Above rate is subject to 15% service charge and 5% government levy.*Breakout venue available at additional rate.

Offer is valid from October to November with a minimum of 10 delegates.

Spa - Experience Tranquility

Book the Royal Banyan Package and your name will be entered into our weekly lucky draw to receive a BanyanTree Spa Gallery Gift Set / Hamper full of rejuvenating spa products

BHD 125.000

Above rate is subject to 15% service charge and 5% government levy. This promotion is valid from the 1st October to 30th November 2009. Package contents are not transferable, exchangeable or refundable. This promotion is not valid with any other discounts or promotions. All reservations are subject to availability. Other terms and conditions apply

Spa - Rejuvenation has an address

Hydrothermal Garden Experiences

Buy one get one free.

Packages starting from BHD 35.000

Above rate is subject to 15% service charge and 5% government levy. This promotion is valid from the 1st October to 30th November 2009. Package contents are not transferable, exchangeable or refundable. This promotion is not valid with any other discounts or promotions. All reservations are subject to availability. Other terms and conditions apply

Fitness - Deluxe Corporate Membership

Take advantage of our preferred annual membership fees at Banyan Tree Fitness & Wellness Centre!

12 Months

Single BHD 600

Couple BHD 800

Personal Training

Members BHD 8

Family Membership:

1) Family (2 Adults + 2 Children below 16 yrs) = BHD 900

2) Each additional child is at BHD 100 for one year

Child (below 16 yrs) = BHD 300

Minimum of 5 members. Additional privileges available.

Above rates are subject to 15% service charge and 5% government levy.

For additional information please call 17845081

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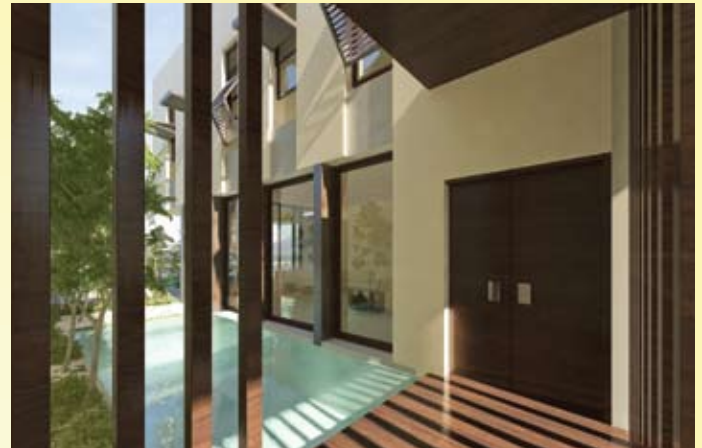
Daheyat Al Areen opens sales office in Al Areen Holding Company Headquarters

Daheyat Al Areen Company, the luxury lifestyle provider, has opened its sales office in Al Areen Holding Company Headquarters & CRC to meet the growing demand on the project and tap into the unrivalled potential of Bahrain's real estate sector. The new sales office will provide information on Daheyat Al Areen project.

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Daheyat Al Areen is considered to be a unique development in the Al Areen Development Project. The project is spread over an areas of 245,165 m2. The project has state-of-the-art, commercial, residential and mixed use development areas, while maintaining its individuality and distinguishing itself with themed designs and unique features.

Daheyat Al Areen comprises a main avenue of low rise buildings, a centre alley and town square all surrounded by three residential blocks. The property mix includes residential apartments and villas, retail commercial, serviced apartments and hotel buildings.



The Lost Paradise of Dilmun Water Park Hosts a Fun Filled Charity Day with the help of the HOGS and Raises over BD 500



The Lost Paradise of Dilmun teamed up with the Harley Davidson Owner's Group (HOG) hosting a day of fun for the children of the Childcare Home orphanage and RIA School over the Eid Holidays. The Water Park invited the children to enjoy a fun day out at the park with rides, slides and a BBQ lunch. The children also got the chance to meet some of the Harley Davidson riders and take rides on the bikes. For a small fee the public were also encouraged to pay for passenger rides on the Harley Davidson motorcycles with all proceeds going to charity.

In their continued efforts to support the local community, the Water Park managed to raise over BD 500. The proceeds were split evenly with each organization receiving a cheque from the park.

"We are constantly looking for new ways to support the local community in Bahrain. It is always beneficial to have active partners in this effort as HOG have been with this charity cause and we are delighted they were able to extend their support," commented Paul Blunt, General Manager of the Lost Paradise of Dilmun.

The Lost Paradise of Dilmun Water Park Celebrates its 2nd Birthday

Gaining a strong foothold in the leisure tourism segment with the completion of two successful years, the Lost Paradise of Dilmun Water Park celebrated its 2nd birthday with style.

Speaking on the occasion Paul Blunt, General Manager of the Lost Paradise of Dilmun, said that the park has made significant achievements over the two years and has successfully established itself as one of the leading new leisure destinations in the region.

"From the first year in operation, we built up a strong base of clientele and through our dedication to excellence, set the stage for an exhilarating second year which we have just rounded off with an impressive number of guests, which further exemplifies our tremendous success rate."

In the tradition of setting high standards at tempting rates, the water park has over the two years launched several exciting packages and deals to draw customers to Al Areen such as Ladies nights, Dive In Movies, corporate and family promotions which have seen immense popularity.

LPOD is open from 10am to 5pm daily with the exception of Tuesdays when the park is closed except for public and school holidays.

العرين Al Areen

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نرضعها إلي

مقام حضرة صاحب الجلالة الملك حمد بن عيسى آل خليفة
عاهل البلاد المفدى

وإلي جميع أفراد العائلة المالكة الكريمة
بمناسبة زواج نجل جلالته الملك

سمو الشيخ ناصر بن حمد آل خليفة
رئيس مجلس أمناء المؤسسة الخيرية الملكية
ورئيس اللجنة الأولمبية البحرينية
على كريمة

صاحب سمو الشيخ محمد بن راشد آل مكتوم
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ورئيس مجلس الوزراء حاكم دبي

تمنياتنا لسموه الفالي حياة أسرية سعيدة
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والمشاريع التطويرية ضمن مشروع العرين



AL AREEN





Al Areen Homes is a 20,000 sqm residential development located within the Areen development in the southern part of the Kingdom of Bahrain. The project comprises a wide variety of deluxe two-storied villas which are offered in different sizes and floor plans – all reflecting a luxurious lifestyle that complements the serenity of the desert and the natural beauty surrounding the project.

Achieving the highest international standards of construction, the project combines traditional and modern architectural designs and take the very best of the hand-crafted old with the convenience and comfort of the new. A typical deluxe villa covers 300-450 sqm spread over two levels, containing 3-4 bedrooms, spacious halls, and entertaining areas including a swimming pool, garden and parking area.

Al Areen Homes show villa completed and ready for viewing

On-time delivery of units

Abu Dhabi Investment House announced that Al Areen Homes completed a show model unit for investors and unit owners to view.

Mr Saud Hasan Al Nusuf , Chairman – Al Areen Homes said 'we are delighted to see that the project is going according to schedule where progress is significant. The model unit provides a visualization of owners can do with their own. International standards were used to meet the expectations of our clients.'

Mr Ahmed Habib, Head of Sales – Al Areen Homes also said, 'The 2-storey show model villa reflects the quality and standards the development will be working with. The architectural design of the villas provides a luxurious feel taking in the serenity of the area itself.'



To visit or reserve a unit,
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