



Restaurant Operating Hours DURING THE HOLY MONTH OF RAMADAN 2017

MEZZERIE | 6:30am – 10:30pm

Breakfast: 6:30am - 11:00am
Lunch: 12:30pm - 3:00pm
*Dinner: Sunset - 10:30pm

*Iftar from Sunset – 8:30pm

*Buffet with wide Arabic food selection and International corner as per Theme Nights rotation.

*Alcohol service from 8:00pm –onwards.

PALMAVENUE | 10:00am -11:00pm

*Breakfast: 10:00am - 11:00am
Lunch: 11:00am - 7:00pm
Dinner: 7:00pm - 11:00pm

*Continental A la carte

Shisha and alcohol service from 12:00pm until 12:00am

LAO | 7:00pm – 10:30pm

Dinner Service: 7:00pm – 10:30pm

SERAFINA BAR | 5:00pm – 02:00am

No live entertainment during Ramadan

SOCIAL BY HEINZ BECK | CLOSED

To remain closed throughout Ramadan

PEACOCK ALLEY | CLOSED

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IN ROOM DINING

Available 24 hours and will be serving alcohol throughout the day

Alcohol service: 24 hours

WALDORF ASTORIA CLUB LOUNGE | 7:00am - 9:30pm

Breakfast: 7:00am – 10:00am
Afternoon Tea: 3:00pm - 5:00pm
Canapés Buffet: 6:00pm - 8:00pm
Cocktail Service: 5:00pm - 8:00pm

Restaurants will offer food & beverages including alcohol as usual unless advised otherwise by DTCM closer to Ramadan.

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Ramadan Guide



During the holy month of Ramadan, Muslims fast from dawn to sunset. Throughout this month eating, drinking, smoking, playing loud music and dancing in public places during daylight hours are strictly forbidden and punishable by law, including for non-Muslims.

This consumption ban will include general public indoor areas as well, although many of the larger hotels will have special screened off areas for non-Muslims to eat and drink during these hours freely with the exception of alcohol which will only be served after sundown. pregnant women and the infirm are excluded from the fast.

Every evening during Ramadan, Muslims celebrate the breaking of their fast with an evening meal called Iftar. You will find many hotels and restaurants throughout the UAE who provide Iftar buffets. The golden rule is always be mindful and respectful of locals traditions and beliefs.

Visiting Dubai during Ramadan gives tourists a unique and authentic holiday experience. Based on the lunar calendar, it is the Holy Month of Islam and this year it runs end of May and will continue for 30 days until end of June (approx.).

Ramadan commemorates the time when the Koran was first revealed to the Prophet Mohammed. While international Muslims abstain from all food, drinks, smoking and live music from dawn to dusk throughout the month, international hotels and resorts in Dubai continue to serve meals to international visitors in screened of areas as its not permissible even for international visitors to eat & drink in public areas; this is also a common courtesy and mark of respect for the country you are a guest of. Alcohol can be purchased at licensed bars and restaurants from sunset onwards and most activities such as golf clubs, shopping malls, attractions and spas are open as usual but with altered opening times. (Most venues that would normally have live music will not during Ramadan)

The city really comes alive at night when visitors can join the Muslim population to break their fast (Iftar) and flock with friends and family to large tents to feast on a mouth-watering array of local dishes, smoke traditional shisha pipes and listen to traditional music such as the famous oud players. One point to note is that visitors should wear respectful clothing during this time.

And don't forget Eid Al-Fitr, which is a three day festival for all that marks the end of Ramadan. Families exchange gifts, there are special public events arranged and yet more eating of delicious Arabic cuisine.

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