The Standard

We're Giving You Gifts At The Standard, Huruvalhi Maldives

The Standard, Huruvalhi Maldives is celebrating its first Christmas holiday with a season of giving. Daily gifts will be given in-room that can be used at themed activations and events during the following days. You are encouraged to mingle with and invite others to join in. All holiday programming throughout the property will evoke nostalgia, comfort and joy, with classic Christmas treats and celebrations, but also develop new Christmas traditions and characters, only found at The Standard, Huruvalhi Maldives.

THROUGHOUT THE FESTIVE SEASON December 23 to December 27

Todi's Treats Bar Location: Kula Time: 15:00 – 18:00

Don't wait until Christmas Day to indulge in holiday treats! Kula's beachside pop-up will serve up holiday treats all day to keep guests feeling festive and cool. Open only for days surrounding Christmas, the specialty menu will include Maldivian short eats plus some other surprises from our resort's Executive Chef Christoph Pentzlin.

CHRISTMAS SCHEDULE

December 23

Coconut Santa's Craft Workshop with Holiday Spirits Servings Location: Joos Café

Coconut Santa + Palm Leaf Wreath Workshop

Time: 11:00 – 13:00

Open a gift bag filled with a coconut shell, palm leaf, paint brush, other crafting items to create a wreath with friends and family. Once you have completed your crafts, you're invited to hang them on your villa door or around the island to feel the holiday cheer.

Coconut Santa's Vacay Village

Time: 14:00 - 17:00

Build Santa's Gingerbread Village – Maldivian style. You are invited to create gingerbread houses styled like buildings on Huruvalhi and other neighboring islands. All of the individual structures will be put together to make a delectable masterplan: Coconut Santa's Vacay Village.

December 24th

Tropical Craft Corner Location: Joos Café Time: 12:00

Adults and kids are invited to decorate bottles and create their own bottled masterpiece capturing the spirit of the season. Our team will take these bottles to neighboring islands to other children and families spreading the holiday cheer.

Not Your Standard Christmas Eve Dinner Location: Kula and Joos Cafe Christmas Toast: 18:00 - 19:00

Celebrate Christmas with a holiday buffet in the center of the property. You are all encouraged to attend to create a festive and familial atmosphere that feels like the holidays. The dinner will feature fresh, Maldivian seafood dishes, delicacies like foie gras, Wagyu beef barbeque and Kurobata pork, as well as traditional Christmas items including a pot roast carving station. Curated wine pairings and Champagne will be offered.

Christmas Carol-oke and Dance Party Location: Beru Bar

Karaoke: 20:30 – 22:00 // Dance Party: 22:00 - 02:00

Following Christmas Eve dinner, you are invited to Beru Bar for Christmas karaoke with an emcee to help with song selections. Karaoke will be handed over to a DJ to keep you dancing until the clock strikes midnight and its officially Christmas. Don't worry, the party still goes on.

December 25th

Christmas Breakfast Location: Kula Time: 07:00 – 11:00 Make boozy breakfast a standard Christmas morning tradition. A fresh holiday menu will be paired with festive cocktails and mocktails. Ride Free Location: Watersports Time: 12:00 – 18:00

You are invited to enjoy watersports activities, free with sign-up, while a live DJ plays holiday tunes. Complimentary water sports include wakeboarding, jet skis, windsurfing and waterskiing on top of our regularly free watersports activities.

Beach BBQ Party Location: Beach

Time: 13:00 - 17:00 No chestnuts roasting on this open fire — join us for a suckling pig roast to create a feeling of family and community on Christmas Day.

Christmas Dinner

Location: Kula Time: 19:00 Celebrate Christmas with a feast in Kula, featuring a dynamic range of cuisines at separate stations throughout the restaurant.

Christmas Movie Night

Location: Moonlight Cinema Time: 19:30 Unwind after Christmas dinner with holiday movies. You are invited to watch family favorites and then some.

December 26th

Standard Pool Party + Pass-A-Rounds Location: Pool Deck Time: 14:00 – 18:00 You are invited to soak up the sun and sip cocktails while a DJ spins poolside beats and delicious pass-a-rounds are served.

Primal Movement – Festive Edition

Location: Fitness Studio Time: 19:00 – 20:00 Tap into your inner animal movements before showing off your dance moves at the Boduberu night with our Primal Movement workout.

Festive Boduberu

Location: Beach Time: 20:30

Style and wear your traditional sarong to our festive Boduberu Night by the beach bonfire. Dance, sip and munch on some treats then drink some more.

December 27th

Festive Coconut Fishing Location: Lobby Time: 10:30 Price: US\$ 20 per person

Watch as our tree-climbers scales our version of the Christmas tree to fish for coconuts, stop by Todi's afterwards to shake up your very own coco-cocktails. (US \$20 per person)

Cooking Class by Executive Chef, Chris Location: GuduGuda Time: 12:00-15:00

Price: US \$50 per person, maximum 15 pax Our Maldivian dishes have been carefully crafted to give you a cooking class experience like no other. Not only will you learn how to make the tasty dishes but we'll also teach you how to eat them like a true local.



New Year's At the standard, huruvalhi maldives

Following the familial, cozy Christmas celebrations, The Standard, Huruvalhi Maldives will turn it up for the New Year with a variety of daytime activities and late-night programming.

December 28th

Surf & Turf Night Location: BBQ Shak Time: 17:30 - 22:30

Enjoy fresh surf and turf, differest menu choices available directly from the grill while enjoying the panoramic views of the ocean. Price includes our all-inclusive drinks offerings.

Movie Night

Location: Moonlight Cinema Time: 19:30 Enjoy some family classic films to get you in the mood for the New Year.

December 29th

Hamman Spa Mixer Location: The Spa Time: 10:00 – 11:00

Grab some friends, play in mud, make a mess and wash off the worries of 2019. Our hamman spa mixer is communal and great for friends and strangers alike.

Maldivian Party at Kids Club Location: Kids Club

Time: 18:00-19:00

All kids on property are invited to a party to learn about Maldivian culture and customs. Party will include sweet Maldivian treats and family-friendly offerings.

December 30th

The Standard Challenge

Location: Overwater Villa Jetty, Beach Villa Roads, Aqua Park

Bounce back from the Christmas indulgences and enjoy the island with some outdoor physical activity with a triathlon designed custom for The Standard, Huruvalhi Maldives: a run around the jetty and island, swim to the Aqua Park, race through our floating obstacle course, then back to land where bubbles, beer and beats await to celebrate your victory with a beachside party

Shuck & Snack Oysters & Champagne in the Ocean Location: BBQ Shak Time: 17:00 - 18:30 *Price: US\$175 per person, maximum 15 pax* Shuck your own oysters in the sea along with our chefs while enjoying unlimited champagne.

Games Night Location: Todi's Bar Time: 20.30

Inaugural island games night. Always a time that's anything but standard. We are giving out some seriously sweet prizes.

December 31st

Tropical Craft Corner Location: Joos Café Time: 11:00 NYE Themed bottle painting . Adults and children are invited to decorate bottles and create their own bottled masterpiece capturing the spirit of the New Year.

Sunset Burning Bowl Ceremony Location: BBQ Shak Cove Time: 18:00

Join us for our end of year ritual where we gather around the bonfire to express our gratitude and usher in a new beginning. Feel free to jot down everything you're willing to let go, let it burn in flames and start afresh.

New Year's Eve Beach Gala Dinner

Location: Kula Time: 19:30 Ring in 2020 with a decadent and dynamic menu of offerings with optional wine and champagne pairings.

NYE Beach Party

Location: Beach Time: 21:00 Dance on the beach with our live DJ during a fireworks show. Countdown the last seconds of 2019 with loved ones and new friends.

January 1st

Recovery Brunch Location: Kula Time: 8:00 – 11:30 & 12:00 - 15:00 Sleep in after a festive New Year's Eve and roll out of bed and into brunch at Kula.

Detox Party and Yoga Workshop Location: Tonic Time: 15:00 Detox to the beats of our live DJ on the spa deck at Tonic while sipping on elixirs and partaking in a reflexology sampler or drop into our detox yoga session!

January 2nd

Anchor Party Location: The Ocean Time: 15:00 - 19:00 Price: US \$60 per person Stay cool and enjoy our very own floating splash party. Grab your protective gear and inflatable tubes. Leave the kids on dry land while the adults enjoy some day drinking in the sun.

Family Steak Night Location: BBQ Shak Time: 19:00 – 22:00

Nothing brightens up a New Year's craving as we offer a range of delicious steaks for the whole family to enjoy with free flow house wines. Different selections available for the whole family.