



BANYAN TREE  
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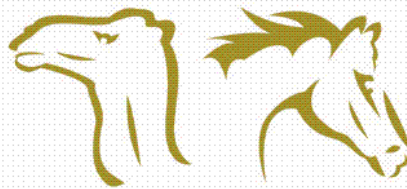
# Activity Descriptions

For a host of fantastic experiences!



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THE MEWS



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THE STABLES

**Kids' Club**



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## Falconry Show

Conducted at the falconry deck, enjoy an informative talk and breathtaking display of various falcons & Birds-of-Prey. Participants may get a chance to hold one of these majestic birds.

Meeting point: Activity Center, Mews.

06:30-8:30 & 17:00-18:30

**Adult: AED 230**

**Child (6-12 yrs): AED 130**

Children under the age of 6 are subject to parental consent.

## Private Falconry

Enjoy an exclusive interactive falconry demonstration with our professional falconer.

Meeting point: Activity Center, Mews.

06:30-8:00

**Per Couple: AED 1500**

## Interactive Falconry Experience

An in-depth 2 hour falconry experience. Introduction to the falcons, owls and eagles. Followed by a detailed explanation of training techniques and a practical demonstration of falcon training. Selected birds fly to guests personally.

Meeting point: Activity Center, Mews.

06:30-08:30

**Adult: AED 900**

**Child (6-12 yrs): AED 750**

**6 years and above, maximum of 4 guests**





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## Falconry Course

Intensive 2-day (16 hrs) introductory falconry course. Aimed at guests who consider taking up falconry as a sport. Theoretical aspects covered include housing, husbandry, diseases and equipment. Practical aspects include basic handling skills and introduction to training of falcons. Students are examined and certified upon successful completion.

Meeting point: Activity Center, Mews.

08h00 – 18h00 (2 consecutive days)

**AED 3400 in-house/AED 4000 walk-in**

## Hawk Walk

A relaxing walk through the nature reserve with a Harris' Hawk, where guests are provided with a glove to actively participate in flying the bird.

Meeting point: Activity Center, Mews.

06h30 – 07h30

**Adult: AED 180**

**Child (-12 yrs): AED 130**

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## The Stables

Enjoy a fun filled adventure stay exploring our 100 hectare Banyan Tree Al Wadi Nature Reserve on horse back and have the unique opportunity of observing our local desert wildlife such as Arabian Oryx, Rheem & Arabian Gazelle. Our Banyan Tree horsemanship team is ready to assist you and dedicated towards making your adventure with us a safe & memorable experience.

If you would like to just **visit our horses**, please make an appointment.

8:00-10:00 & 16:00-17:00

For Riding & Lessons: 6:00-9:00 & 17:00-19:00

Meeting point: Activity Center

**Compulsory** items include: Riding Helmets, Boots or Closed Shoes & Pants.

We Provide: Chaps, Gloves, Riding Helmets, Body Protector Wear.

### 1. Introduction to Horse riding - 6yrs & older

A brief introduction on how to ride a horse, balance exercise & it includes a 20 min. lead ride into the nature reserve.

**Adult: AED 130**

**Child : AED 100**

### 2. Basic Horse riding Lessons—45 minutes slot 7yrs & older

Conducted in our training arena to give you the basics of horsemanship.

**Adult: AED 125**<sub>(45 minutes)</sub>

**Child : AED 100**<sub>(30minutes)</sub>



All prices are in UAE Dirham and subject to 10% Service Charge



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**3. Lead Desert Rides—45 minutes slot 7 yrs & older**

Exploring the desert being lead by a guide.

**Adult: AED 150**

**Child : AED 120**

**5. Horse Ride — 45 minutes 12 yrs & older**

Enjoy a guided horse ride into the desert.

**AED 230/guest**





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### **6. Private Horse Ride - 45 minutes**

This private horse ride takes you into a remote area of the nature reserve allowing you and your guide to explore it's rolling dunes and valleys, at a canter if you wish.

06:00-08:00 & 17:00-19:00

**AED 625 per guest**  
**AED 725 per couple**



### **7. Moonlight Rides — 1hr 30min. 12 yrs & older**

Enjoy a unique walking ride out into the desert, with the light of the full moon to guide you. The ride ends with a bon fire under the stars.

(offered over 5 days of the full moon period)

**AED 360 per guest**





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**Camel Rides: 7h00—09h00 & 16h00—19h00 (2guests per camel)**

**8. Camel Rides — 45 min.**

Enjoy a guided camel ride into the desert.

**Adult: AED 110**

**Child : AED 75**

**9. Private Camel Ride — 1 hr.**

Enjoy a private guided camel ride into the desert.

**AED 255 per guest & AED 305 per couple**

**10. Camel Ride & Sunset Drink — 45 min.**

Ride out on a camel into the nature reserve and end your day with a complementary bottle of Sparkling Wine/Date Juice on the dune. Additional requests for cocktails are an optional extra.

**AED 330 per couple or single**

**AED 180 per additional guest & AED 125 per child**



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## Nature & Birds Watching Walk

Hike through the nature reserve, guided by one of our Activity Officers. Observe the wildlife up close & learn about our wonderful desert, locating and identifying local and migratory birds.

Meeting point: Activity Center.  
06h00—08h00 & 17h00—19h00 (90 minutes)

**Adult: AED 150**

**Child: AED 75**

## Guided Bike Ride and Stable Tour:

Explore the Nature Reserve by bicycle and come up close and personal with the gazelles and an amazing variety of birds. Binoculars are available for viewing from atop Saffron Tower, overlooking the entire property. Make a quick stop at the Bird Hide where a summer refreshment pack awaits. With cold towels, face mist spray, an energy drink and a healthy snack, you'll be re-energized for the next phase of the tour – the Stables. Explore the Stable's facilities and pay a visit to the lovely animals.

Meeting point: Activity Center  
07:00-08:30 & 16:00-17:30 (90 minutes)

**Adult: AED 125**

**Child: AED 75**

## Archery

Conducted at our custom designed archery range. Activity Officers will be on hand to brief and guide you in the correct and safe handling of archery equipment.

Meeting point: Activity Center.  
07:00—18:00

**Adult: 150**

**Child (6-12 yrs): 110**







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## Tailor-made Safaris & Transfers

Do not hesitate to contact us if you would like our Activity Coordinator to Design a tailor-made safari to suit your desires or even make arrangements for a transfer to a special destination you have in mind.

### Dune Drive

An exciting 4x4 Safari, conducted in the rolling dunes surrounding Banyan Tree Al Wadi. Be sure to buckle-up for this fun & scenic and very informative drive.

Meeting point: Activity Center or Beach Club Recreation Center.  
08:30-11:00 & 13:30-15:30 (1hr slots)

**Adult: 200**

**Child (1-12 yrs): 125**  
(+ 25AED for baby seat)

Private vehicle : AED 800 (maximum 4 persons, and AED 100 additional per extra person)

### Nature Drive

An one hour long informative drive, conducted in the desert surrounding Banyan Tree Resort . You will go looking for camels, birds and other desert creatures. You also have an opportunity to get out of the vehicle and take some photos.

Meeting point: Activity Center or Beach Club Recreation Center.  
08:30-11:00 & 13:30-15:30 (1hr slots)

**Adult: 150**

**Child (1-12 yrs): 100**  
(+ 25AED for baby seat)

Private vehicle : AED 600 (maximum 4 persons, and AED 100 additional per extra person)





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## Sunset Drive

Come and experience the desert at its best!  
This relaxing informative drive will bring you to a beautiful lookout point where you will enjoy a drink of your choice and watch the sunset.  
(Drinks are excluded from the price)  
Meeting point: Activity Center or Beach Club Recreation Center.  
18:00 - 19:30 (incl. short night drive)

**Adult : 200**

**Child (1-12 yrs): 100**

## Night Drive

At night the desert comes alive! Join us for this unique opportunity. Searching for snakes, scorpions, owls, hedgehogs and many other nocturnal Creatures opens your eyes to Desert Animal Life.  
Make sure to wear closed shoes for this fun and exciting activity.  
Meeting point: Activity Center or Beach Club Recreation Center.

20:00 - 21:30

**Adult : 200**

**Child (1-12 yrs): 100**

Private vehicle : AED 800 ( maximum 4 persons, and AED 100 additional per extra person)

## Sand Boarding

Dare to head out into perfect dunes for sand boarding!  
Have some fun skiing down the dunes on a specially designed sand board & safety gear.  
Meeting point: Activity Center or Beach Club Recreation Center.  
08:30-11:00 & 13:30-15:30

**Adult: 200**

**Child: 100**

(+ 25AED for baby seat)

Private vehicle : AED 800 (maximum 4 persons, and AED 100 additional per extra person)





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## Dubai City Tours & Friday Market trips

Tailor make your tour of Dubai and be guided by a qualified “City Tour Guide”.  
Visit the Friday Market (open daily), and haggle with the Afghan Carpet Merchants for a bargain.

Meeting point: Activity Center or Beach Club Recreation Center.

**1. Full Day 9:00-19:00/12:00-22:00**

**1200/4 people**

**2. Half Day 9:00-15:00/14:00-20:00**

**800/4 people**

**3. Friday Market 12:00-15:00**

**Adult: 300**

**Child: 150**



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## Musandam Dhow Cruises

Musandam is known as the Norway of Arabia, with fjord like scenery, spectacular mountains and crystal clear waters.

A Dhow Cruise in Musandam will be the highlight of your Arabian experience. Join us for a cruise in a traditional Dhow that includes traditional Arabic lunch, Dolphin watching and two snorkeling opportunities.

Meeting point: Activity Center or Beach Club Recreation Center.

**Please bring your passport along on the trip which is required to pass the Oman border.**

### 1. Private Air-conditioned Dhow (up to 6 people)

09:00-18:00 AED 5700

### 2. Private Dhow (up to 6 people)

09:00-18:00 AED 3700

### 3. Shared Dhow (up to 40 people)

10:30-18:00

**Adult: 750**

**Child (1-12 yrs): 600**

(+ 25AED for baby seat)





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## Speed Boat Trips to Musandam

Enjoy an exciting Speed Boat trip to the “Norway” of Arabia, with fjord like scenery, spectacular mountains and crystal clear waters. Another highlight to add to your Arabian experience. Discover the best snorkeling in the UAE, Rays, Sharks, Whale Sharks, Turtles & Dolphins are often observed. Includes traditional Arabic lunch.  
Meeting point: Activity Center or Beach Club Recreation Center.

### 1. Ras Musandam (up to 6 people) 9:00-18:00 AED 4500

Approximately 2 hours to location. This is the point of the Musandam and is the closest point on the East coast to the Straights of Hormouz and is a large island with a small bay. Good snorkeling many colorful reef fish with hard and soft corral. 30% chance of seeing Dolphins.

### 2. Sheesa Islands (up to 6 people) 9:00-18:00 AED 4500

Approximately 1 hour and 30min to location. This is a large bay with 4 islands. Amazing scenery. The best snorkeling in Musandam around Red Island, hard and soft corals many colorful reef fish. Small village with many fishing dhows. 95% chance of seeing dolphins.

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### **3. Habalyn (up to 6 people) 9:00-16:00 AED 3500**

Approximately 1hour 15 min to location. This is the deepest fjord on the east coast of the Musandam. Amazing scenery. Good snorkeling, colorful reef fish and hard coral not as good as Lima. Many small fishing villages in little bays. 70% chance of seeing dolphins.

### **4. Lima (up to 6 people) 9:00-14:00 AED 2600**

Approximately 45min to location. The first islands along the east coast of the Musandam. Great snorkeling many colorful reef fish, soft and hard corals. Large fishing village. 30% chance of seeing dolphins.

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## Rock Climbing and Abseiling (Rappelling)

Rock climbing has had surge of interest in the past few years. It embodies natural excitement with the human instinct to climb. Abseiling or Rappelling, is the technique used for descending steep cliffs and rock faces and can be enjoyed as an exciting adrenalin inducing fun experience.

Sessions are run on a small group basis to ensure lots of fun.

Meeting point: Activity Center or Beach Club Recreation Center.

**Four Hours Session: AED 300**

**Eight Hours Session: AED 450**

Minimum of 2 Guests

## Kayaking

Kayaking is an enjoyable activity which is very group and family orientated. Introduce you to sea kayaking using either sit on top kayaks or sea kayaks. The basic skills will be taught together with fun games and wildlife watching.

Meeting point: Activity Center or Beach Club Recreation Center.

**Four Hours Session : AED 300**

**Eight Hours : AED 450**

Minimum of 2 Guests

## Mountain Walking

Mountain walking in Ras Al Khaimah is an experience you will never forget. It will give you outdoor exercise and allow you to experience the magnificent Mountain environment unique to this region. You will learn how to walk in the mountains safely and with respect for the environment.

Meeting point: Activity Center or Beach Club Recreation Center.

**Four Hours Session : AED 300**

**Eight Hours : AED 450**

Minimum of 2 Guests



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## Mountain Biking

Mountain Biking is one of the most popular activities across the world today and is enjoyed by all. Learn how to ride in the mountains and low hills of Ras Al Khaimah. Develop new skills and learn safe techniques that will enhance your ability and performance or just come for a fun ride and enjoy exploring the natural environment in a fun and exciting way.

Meeting point: Activity Center or Beach Club Recreation Center.

**Four Hours Session: AED 300**

**Eight Hours Session: AED 450**

Minimum of 2 Guests

## Scuba Diving

This PADI Discover Scuba Diving program lets you experience the thrill of diving under the supervision of a PADI Professional in pool or sheltered water conditions. During your adventure you'll master some basic concepts and scuba skills and might even head off to experience an open water adventure.

Meeting point: Activity Center or Beach Club Recreation Center.

**Four Hours Session: AED 450**

**Eight Hours Session: AED 650**

Minimum of 2 Guests

## Booking Policy

**Advance reservations required.**

To make a reservation or for more information, please contact the Guest Service Centre.

Reservations for activities conducted from sunrise to 11am, have to be made by 8pm of the previous day.

Reservations for activities conducted from 2pm onwards can be made by 10am of the same day.

## Cancellation Policy

Cancellation made less than 48-24 hours before activity is due to commence, will be charged at 25% of the total price.

Cancellation made less than 24-12 hours before activity is due to commence, will be charged at 50% of the total price.

Cancellation made less than 12-0 hours before activity is due to commence, Or In case of a "No Show", will be charged at 100% of the total price.