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SIGHTS AND SPLENDOR SEPTEMBER 2026



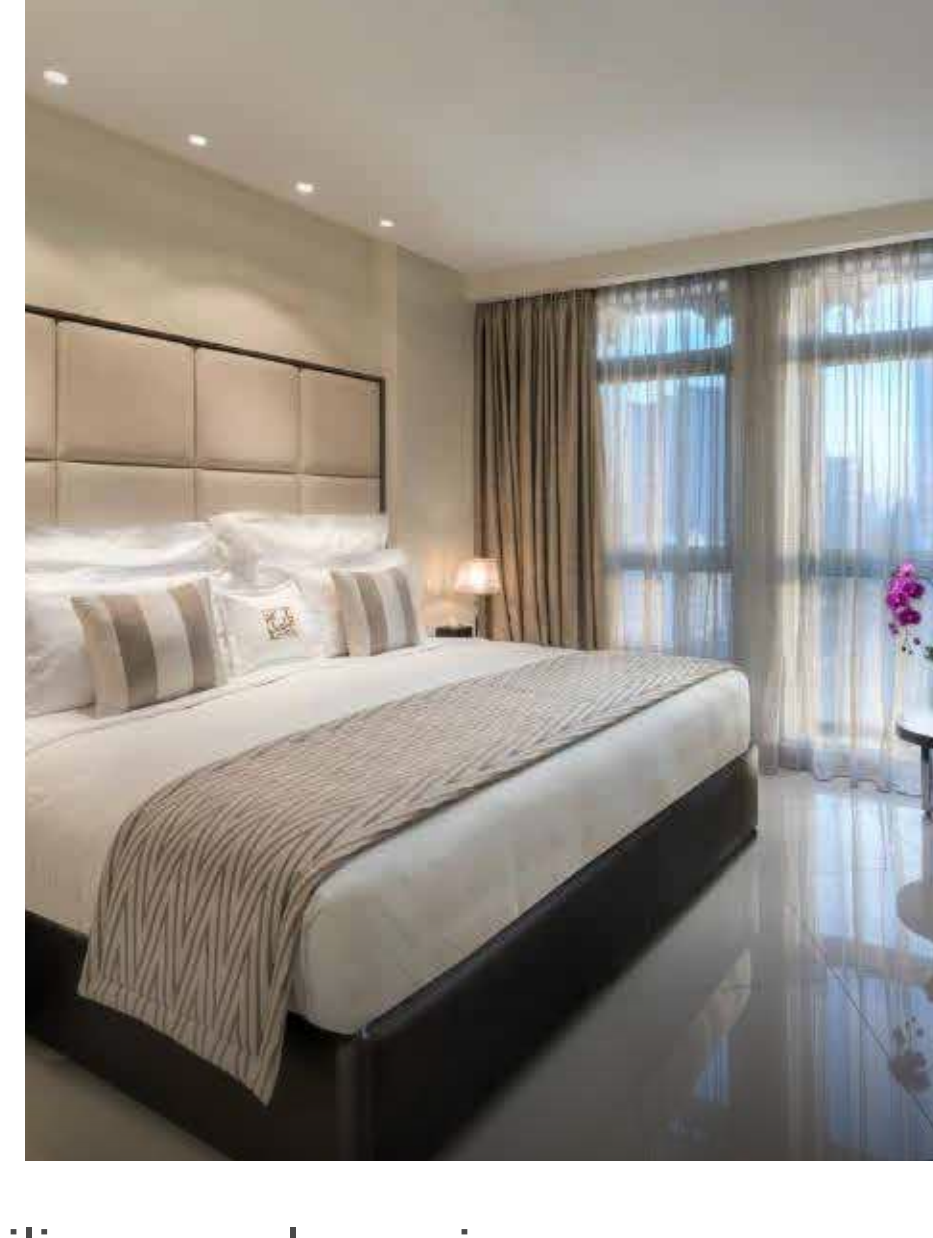
GEAR UP FOR ICONIC OUTDOOR ATTRACTIONS REOPENING SOON IN DUBAI

Dubai's outdoor season has officially begun, bringing back some of the city's most popular attractions and activities. The October calendar begins with **Dubai Parks and Resorts** reopening on 7 October 2026, bringing back its collection of theme parks and family attractions, including Motiongate Dubai, Legoland Dubai and Real Madrid World. On 8 October 2026, **Dubai Miracle Garden** blooms back into action for its 15th season, featuring its signature floral displays and themed installations. Wildlife enthusiasts can look forward to the reopening of **Dubai Safari Park** on 12 October 2026, offering visitors the opportunity to explore its diverse range of new wildlife experiences. **Global Village** follows on 14 October 2026, returning for its 31st season with an exciting blend of international cultures, cuisines, entertainment, shopping and family attractions. Meanwhile, Dubai Crocodile Park and Hatta Wadi Hub have already reopened, welcoming visitors back to explore the newest encounters and adventures. With the cooler months ahead and more seasonal attractions reopening across the emirate, Dubai offers plenty of opportunities to enjoy the great outdoors and make the most of the season.



DISCOVER A SANCTUARY OF SERENITY AT BAHJ AJMAN PALACE

Overlooking the Arabian Gulf, Bahj Ajman Palace Hotel combines traditional Arabian charm with contemporary comfort, offering a relaxing beachfront stay in the heart of Ajman. The five star property features 254 stylish rooms and suites with private balconies and beautiful sea views, complemented by modern amenities for a comfortable stay. Guests can savour diverse flavours across five dining outlets, unwind on the private beach, take a refreshing dip in the outdoor pool, stay active at the fitness centre or retreat to the spa for rejuvenating wellness experiences. Families can also enjoy dedicated leisure facilities, including a kids' club and swimming activities, adding to the hotel's appeal as a idyllic beachfront getaway. Conveniently located near Ajman Corniche and the emirate's cultural attractions, Bahj Ajman Palace combines the comfort and relaxation of a beachfront retreat with versatile event facilities, making it perfect for leisure and business travellers alike.



EXPLORE TIMELESS EMIRATI CULTURE AND ENTERTAINMENT AT SHEIKH ZAYED FESTIVAL IN ABU DHABI

One of Abu Dhabi's major annual cultural events, the Sheikh Zayed Festival returns to Al Wathba on 30 October 2026, running until 14 March 2027. The highly anticipated festival brings together Emirati heritage and international cultures through entertainment, arts, sports and a wide range of family activities. Visitors can explore international pavilions showcasing different cultures, enjoy traditional performances with live music, and witness heritage activities including handicrafts, falconry and camel racing. The celebrations are further complemented by mesmerizing drone shows, laser displays and fireworks throughout the season. With Emirati heritage at its heart and a strong global cultural presence, the festival offers visitors a chance to discover UAE traditions alongside experiences from around the world, making it a fascinating event to explore in the capital.



JEBEL JAIS GRAND LOOP SET TO ELEVATE MOUNTAIN ADVENTURES TO NEW HEIGHTS

Renowned for its thrilling outdoor activities, Ras Al Khaimah is set to captivate adventure seekers with the upcoming Jebel Jais Grand Loop, an 80 kilometre flagship mountain journey across the UAE's highest peak. The multi-day route will connect existing trails with new sections across Jebel Jais, creating more opportunities for hiking, climbing, camping, and cycling against the dramatic backdrop of the Hajar Mountains. The development will also include a new 20 kilometre Via Ferrata climbing route spanning four sections of varying difficulty, alongside new climbing routes, improved wayfinding, trail rehabilitation, and enhanced mountain safety infrastructure. More than just the highest point in the UAE, Jebel Jais is a destination of extremes, shaped by more than 70 million years of geological activity and steeped in ancient stories. With its expanding network of trails and rugged terrain, the mountain brings together scenic landscapes and thrilling outdoor pursuits, ideal for those seeking to venture off the beaten track.

