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MALDIVES KOODDOO



# VOYAGE OF THE DHONI

A Maldivian Island Celebration

Festive Season

2026-2027



Dear Valued Guests,

Welcome to **Mercure Maldives Kooddoo Resort**, where the festive season unfolds with the warmth, colour, and easy-going spirit of island life.

This year, our celebration, "**Voyage of the Dhoni – A Maldivian Island Celebration,**" invites you to discover the heart of the Maldives through its flavors, traditions, natural beauty, and joyful way of life.

Inspired by the iconic **Dhoni**, a symbol of exploration and connection across our islands, our festive journey brings together the simple pleasures that make the Maldives so special.

From delicious island-inspired dining and relaxed gatherings to cultural experiences and moments beneath the tropical sky, we invite you to slow down, connect with those around you, and create memories to treasure.

At Mercure, we believe that memorable experiences are found in the simple things – good food, warm hospitality, shared laughter, and discovering something new along the way.

May this festive season bring you joyful moments, meaningful connections, and wonderful memories to take home with you.

**Raki Jayawardena**
Cluster Resort Manager


MERCURE KOODDOO











# FESTIVE CELEBRATION

Join us throughout the season for a wonderful selection of daily activities, joyful gatherings, and festive experiences for everyone to enjoy. From relaxing moments by the ocean to lively celebrations under the Maldivian sky, there is always something to discover, enjoy, and share. Come along, embrace the island spirit, and celebrate the season with us from 21st December 2026 to 07th January 2027.

## 21
MONDAY

### SUNDOWNER WITH DJ
*Unwind by the pool with refreshing drinks, laid-back beats, and tropical rhythms as the sun sets over the island.*

Pool Bar | 5PM - 6PM

### CHRISTMAS BY THE LAGOON
*Gather as we light up our Christmas tree and welcome the festive season with island warmth, Christmas cheer, and joyful moments beneath the Maldivian skies.*

Pool Bar Deck | 6PM



### ISLAND RHYTHMS
*Celebrate the festive season with vibrant live music, island-inspired rhythms, and joyful melodies under the tropical night sky.*

Pool Bar Deck | 6PM - 9PM

### CHRISTMAS SEAFOOD BOUNTY
*Celebrate Christmas island-style with a bountiful feast of fresh seafood, festive favorites and delicious flavors, served in a relaxed tropical setting.*

Alita Restaurant | 7PM - 10PM

### ISLAND BEATS – DJ NIGHT
*Keep the festive spirit flowing with upbeat groove, tropical rhythms, and an evening of music and dancing by the pool.*

Pool Bar Deck | 9PM - 11PM

## 22
TUESDAY

### ISLAND SWEETNESS CLASS
*Discover how to make traditional Maldivian coconut cookies in a fun, hands-on class filled with local flavors and festive cheer.*

Pool Bar Deck | 3PM

### SUNDOWNER WITH DJ
*Unwind by the pool with refreshing drinks, laid-back beats, and tropical rhythms as the sun sets over the island.*

Pool Bar | 5PM - 6PM

### ISLAND RHYTHMS
*Celebrate the festive season with vibrant live music, island-inspired rhythms, and joyful melodies under the tropical night sky.*

Pool Bar Deck | 6PM - 9PM

# 22
TUESDAY

## ASIAN ISLAND FLAVOURS

*Savor a vibrant buffet inspired by the diverse flavors of Asia, featuring aromatic spices, fresh ingredients and favorite dishes from across the region.*

Alita Restaurant | 7PM - 10PM

## AN ITALIAN EVENING

*Savor the warmth and flavors of Italy with an elegant dinner experience featuring Italian favorites, crafted with fresh ingredients and served in a relaxed island setting.*

Vista Restaurant | 7PM - 10PM

Reservation required

## ISLAND BEATS – DJ NIGHT

*Keep the festive spirit flowing with upbeat groove, tropical rhythms, and an evening of music and dancing by the pool.*

Pool Bar Deck | 9PM - 11PM



# 23
WEDNESDAY

## ISLAND SPICE COCKTAIL CLASS

*Learn to craft a refreshing cocktail infused with aromatic local spices, blending island flavors with a touch of festive flair.*

Pool Bar Deck | 4:30PM - 5:30PM

## SUNDOWNER WITH DJ

*Unwind by the pool with refreshing drinks, laid-back beats, and tropical rhythms as the sun sets over the island.*

Pool Bar | 5PM - 6PM

## ISLAND RHYTHMS

*Celebrate the festive season with vibrant live music, island-inspired rhythms, and joyful melodies under the tropical night sky.*

Pool Bar Deck | 6PM -9PM

## MEDITERRANEAN MEDLEY

*Savor a vibrant buffet inspired by the sun-kissed flavours of the Mediterranean, with fresh ingredients, colorful dishes and timeless favorites.*

Alita Restaurant | 7PM - 10PM

## AN ITALIAN EVENING

*Savor the warmth and flavors of Italy with an elegant dinner experience featuring Italian favorites, crafted with fresh ingredients and served in a relaxed island setting.*

Vista Restaurant | 7PM - 10PM

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## ISLAND BEATS – DJ NIGHT

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Pool Bar Deck | 9PM - 11PM



# 24
THURSDAY

## SUNDOWNER WITH DJ
*Unwind by the pool with refreshing drinks, laid-back beats, and tropical rhythms as the sun sets over the island.*

Pool Bar | 5PM - 6PM

## A FEAST BY THE LAGOON - CHRISTMAS EVE GALA DINNER
*Celebrate Christmas Eve with a bountiful festive buffet inspired by the flavors of the islands, bringing together fresh local tastes, Christmas favorites and the warmth of a Maldivian celebration.*

Alita Restaurant | 7PM -10PM

## ISLAND RHYTHMS
*Celebrate the festive season with vibrant live music, island-inspired rhythms, and joyful melodies under the tropical night sky.*

Pool Bar Deck | 7PM -10PM

## CHRISTMAS UNDER THE STARS
*Keep the Christmas spirit going with an upbeat DJ set, island vibes and festive beats beneath the Maldivian night sky. Dance, mingle and celebrate into the night.*

Pool Bar Deck | 10PM onwards

# 25
FRIDAY

## CHRISTMAS ISLAND BUBBLY BRUNCH
*Raise a glass and savour a leisurely Christmas brunch filled with festive favorites, fresh island flavors and bubbly cheer, all served in the relaxed spirit of the Maldives.*

Alita Restaurant | 8AM - 2:30PM

## SANTA COMES TO THE ISLAND
*The magic of Christmas arrives at Kooddoo!*
*Join us to welcome Santa, share festive cheer and capture joyful holiday moments together.*

Dive and Watersports Center
10AM

## SUNDOWNER WITH DJ
*Unwind by the pool with refreshing drinks, laid-back beats, and tropical rhythms as the sun sets over the island.*

Pool Bar | 5PM - 6PM

## ISLAND RHYTHMS
*Celebrate the festive season with vibrant live music, island-inspired rhythms, and joyful melodies under the tropical night sky.*

Pool Bar Deck | 6PM - 9PM

## A FESTIVE CHRISTMAS FEAST
*Celebrate Christmas with a sumptuous buffet of festive favorites, international flavors, and joyful island dining.*

Alita Restaurant | 7PM - 10PM

## AN ITALIAN EVENING
*Savor the warmth and flavors of Italy with an elegant dinner experience featuring Italian favorites, crafted with fresh ingredients and served in a relaxed island setting.*

Vista Restaurant | 7PM - 10PM
Reservation required

## ISLAND BEATS – DJ NIGHT
*Keep the festive spirit flowing with upbeat groove, tropical rhythms, and an evening of music and dancing by the pool.*

Pool Bar Deck | 9PM - 11PM



# 26
SATURDAY

## FLAVOURS OF THE WORLD

*Take your taste buds on a journey with an abundant international buffet, bringing together favorite flavors and dishes from around the world in a relaxed island setting.*

Alita Restaurant | 7PM - 10PM

## AN ITALIAN EVENING

*Savor the warmth and flavors of Italy with an elegant dinner experience featuring Italian favorites, crafted with fresh ingredients and served in a relaxed island setting.*

Vista Restaurant | 7PM - 10PM

Reservation required

## MALDIVIAN BODUBERU

*Feel the rhythm of the islands with an energetic Boduberu performance, bringing traditional Maldivian music, dance and vibrant local spirit to the evening.*

Pool Bar Deck | 8PM - 9PM



# 27
SUNDAY

## FISHERMAN'S TREASURE TRAIL

*Follow the trail and uncover hidden treasures inspired by the life and traditions of the Maldivian fisherman. A fun island adventure filled with clues, discovery and festive surprises.*

Pool Bar Deck | 5PM - 6PM

## ISLAND RHYTHMS – LIVE BAND

*Enjoy an evening of vibrant live music and tropical rhythms as our band sets the perfect island mood.*

Pool Bar Deck | 5PM - 8PM

## ISLAND FLAVOURS OF SRI LANKA

*Savor the rich and aromatic flavors of Sri Lanka with a generous buffet of traditional favorites, fragrant spices and vibrant island-inspired dishes.*

Alita Restaurant | 7PM - 10PM

## AN ITALIAN EVENING

*Savor the warmth and flavors of Italy with an elegant dinner experience featuring Italian favorites, crafted with fresh ingredients and served in a relaxed island setting.*

Vista Restaurant | 7PM

Reservation required

## ISLAND CINEMA UNDER THE STARS

*Settle in beneath the Maldivian night sky and enjoy a memorable movie experience by the pool, surrounded by the gentle island breeze and a magical atmosphere.*

Pool Deck | 8:30 PM

# 28
MONDAY

## ISLAND CARVING ART

*Join us for a hands-on workshop and learn the art of transforming fresh fruits and vegetables into beautiful edible creations.*

Alita Restaurant | 3PM

Reservation required

# 28
MONDAY

## SUNDOWNER WITH DJ
*Unwind by the pool with refreshing drinks, laid-back beats, and tropical rhythms as the sun sets over the island.*

Pool Bar | 5PM - 6PM

## SEAFOOD BOUNTY
*Savor a generous buffet of fresh seafood and island-inspired flavors, bringing the treasures of the ocean to your table.*

Alita Restaurant | 7PM - 10PM

## ISLAND RHYTHMS
*Celebrate the festive season with vibrant live music, island-inspired rhythms, and joyful melodies under the tropical night sky.*

Pool Bar Deck | 7PM - 10PM

## ISLAND BEATS – DJ NIGHT
*Keep the festive spirit flowing with upbeat groove, tropical rhythms, and an evening of music and dancing by the pool.*

Pool Bar Deck | 9PM - 11PM

# 29
TUESDAY

## SUNDOWNER WITH DJ
*Unwind by the pool with refreshing drinks, laid-back beats, and tropical rhythms as the sun sets over the island.*

Pool Bar | 5PM - 6PM

## ISLAND TREASURES – MALDIVIAN CRAFT MARKET
*Browse beautiful local crafts and handmade treasures, celebrating the creativity and traditions of the Maldivian islands.*

Pool Bar Deck | 5 PM - 7PM

## ISLAND RHYTHMS
*Celebrate the festive season with vibrant live music, island-inspired rhythms, and joyful melodies under the tropical night sky.*

Pool Bar Deck | 7PM - 10PM

## ASIAN ISLAND FLAVOURS
*Savor a vibrant buffet inspired by the diverse flavors of Asia, featuring aromatic spices, fresh ingredients and favorite dishes from across the region.*

Alita Restaurant | 7PM - 10PM

## AN ITALIAN EVENING
*Savor the warmth and flavors of Italy with an elegant dinner experience featuring Italian favorites, crafted with fresh ingredients and served in a relaxed island setting.*

Vista Restaurant | 7PM - 10PM

Reservation required

## ISLAND BEATS – DJ NIGHT
*Keep the festive spirit flowing with upbeat groove, tropical rhythms, and an evening of music and dancing by the pool.*

Pool Bar Deck | 9PM - 11PM

# 30
WEDNESDAY

## ISLAND SPICE COCKTAIL CLASS
*Shake, stir and sip your way through the flavours of the islands with a cocktail infused with aromatic local spices.*

Pool Bar | 4:30PM

# 30
WEDNESDAY

## SUNDOWNER WITH DJ
*Unwind by the pool with refreshing drinks, laid-back beats, and tropical rhythms as the sun sets over the island.*

Pool Bar | 5PM - 6PM

## ISLAND RHYTHMS
*Celebrate the festive season with vibrant live music, island-inspired rhythms, and joyful melodies under the tropical night sky.*

Pool Bar Deck | 6PM - 9PM

## MEDITERRANEAN MEDLEY
*Savor a vibrant buffet inspired by the sun-kissed flavors of the Mediterranean, with fresh ingredients, colorful dishes and timeless favourites.*

Alita Restaurant | 7PM - 10PM

## AN ITALIAN EVENING
*Savor the warmth and flavors of Italy with an elegant dinner experience featuring Italian favorites, crafted with fresh ingredients and served in a relaxed island setting.*

Vista Restaurant | 7PM - 10PM

Reservation required

# 31
THURSDAY

## SUNSET ISLAND BEATS
*Ease into the evening with a refreshing sundowner, chilled vibes and DJ beats as the Maldivian sunset paints the sky.*

Pool Bar | 5PM

## NEW YEAR'S EVE ISLAND TOAST
*Raise a glass to the year ahead with refreshing cocktails, island vibes and a sparkling start to the evening beneath the Maldivian skies.*

Pool Bar Deck | 6:30 PM

## THE DHONI'S NEW YEAR'S FEAST
*Gather for a spectacular New Year's Eve buffet inspired by the flavors of the Maldivian islands, with fresh seafood, festive favorites and a celebration worthy of the final voyage of the year.*

Alita Restaurant | 7PM - 10PM

## THE FINAL VOYAGE - NEW YEAR'S EVE
*Let the island rhythms carry you into the final night of the year with live band performances, followed by an energetic DJ party and the much-awaited New Year's countdown beneath the stars.*

Pool Deck | 7PM

Countdown Party with DJ | 11PM



# 01
FRIDAY

## THE DHONI'S NEW YEAR'S BRUNCH

*Ease into the New Year with a leisurely bubbly brunch, bringing together festive favorites, fresh island flavors and sparkling cheer at the start of a new voyage.*

Alita Restaurant | 8AM - 2:30PM

## SUNDOWNER WITH DJ

*Unwind by the pool with refreshing drinks, laid-back beats, and tropical rhythms as the sun sets over the island.*

Pool Bar | 5PM - 6PM

## ISLAND RHYTHMS

*Celebrate the festive season with vibrant live music, island-inspired rhythms, and joyful melodies under the tropical night sky.*

Pool Bar Deck | 6PM - 9PM

## VOYAGE INTO THE NEW YEAR

*Continue the celebration with a generous buffet of island-inspired flavours, fresh seafood and festive favourites as we sail into the New Year.*

Alita Restaurant | 7PM - 10PM

# 02
SATURDAY

## ISLAND FLAVOURS COOKING CLASS

*Join our Chef for a hands-on culinary experience and learn to prepare delicious dishes inspired by the flavours of island life.*

Alita Restaurant | 3PM

Reservation required

## ISLAND BEATS – DJ NIGHT

*Keep the festive spirit flowing with upbeat groove, tropical rhythms, and an evening of music and dancing by the pool.*

Pool Bar Deck | 5PM - 11PM

## FLAVORS OF THE WORLD

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## MALDIVIAN BODUBERU

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Pool Bar Deck | 8PM

# 03
SUNDAY

## ISLAND RHYTHMS – LIVE BAND

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## ISLAND FLAVOURS OF SRI LANKA

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## 03
SUNDAY

### AN ITALIAN EVENING
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Vista Restaurant | 7PM - 10PM

Reservation required

## 04
MONDAY

### ISLAND CARVING ART
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Pool Bar | 5PM - 6PM

## 04
MONDAY

### ISLAND RHYTHMS
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Pool Bar Deck | 6PM -9PM

### SEAFOOD BOUNTY
*Savour a generous buffet of fresh seafood and island-inspired flavours, bringing the treasures of the ocean to your table.*

Alita Restaurant | 7PM - 10PM

### ISLAND BEATS – DJ NIGHT
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Pool Bar Deck | 9PM - 11PM

## 05
TUESDAY

### SUNDOWNER WITH DJ
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Pool Bar | 5PM - 6PM

## 05
TUESDAY

### ISLAND RHYTHMS
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Pool Bar Deck | 6PM -9PM

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### ISLAND BEATS – DJ NIGHT
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Pool Bar Deck | 9PM - 11PM

# 06
WEDNESDAY

## SUNDOWNER WITH DJ
*Unwind by the pool with refreshing drinks, laid-back beats, and tropical rhythms as the sun sets over the island.*

Pool Bar | 5PM - 6PM

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Pool Bar Deck | 6PM -9PM

## MEDITERRANEAN MEDLEY
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Alita Restaurant | 7PM - 10PM

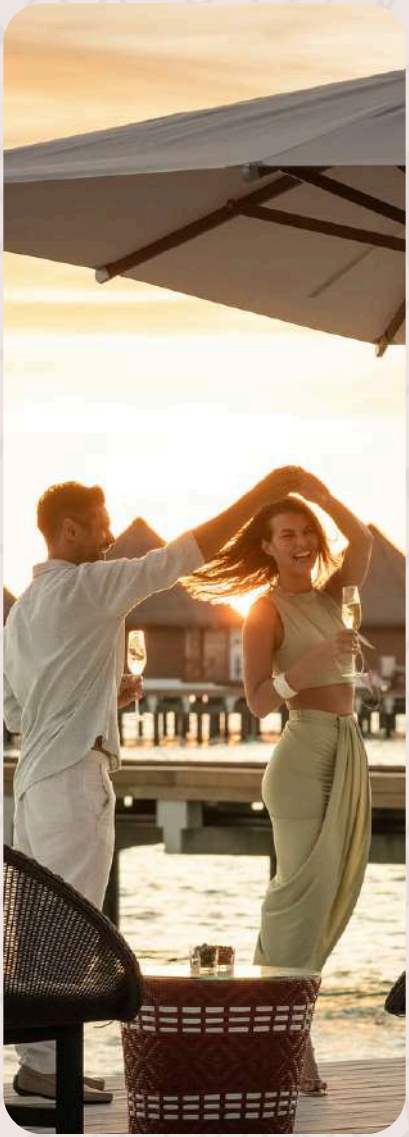
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Vista Restaurant | 7PM - 10PM

Reservation required

## ISLAND BEATS – DJ NIGHT
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Pool Bar Deck | 9PM - 11PM



# 07
THURSDAY

## SUNDOWNER WITH DJ
*Unwind by the pool with refreshing drinks, laid-back beats, and tropical rhythms as the sun sets over the island.*

Pool Bar | 5PM - 6PM

## A RUSSIAN CHRISTMAS FEAST
*Celebrate Russian Christmas with a generous buffet of traditional favourites, hearty flavors and festive delights, bringing a taste of Russian tradition to the islands*

Alita Restaurant | 7PM - 10PM

## ISLAND RHYTHMS
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Pool Bar Deck | 7PM - 10PM

## ISLAND BEATS – DJ NIGHT
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Pool Bar Deck | 9PM - 11PM

Advanced bookings are required for special events and fitness activities.
Please dial “0” from your villa phone, or visit the Reception for assistance.

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