

FESTIVE

WITH NIYAMA PRIVATE ISLANDS MALDIVES



FESTIVE SEASON 2023/24



NATURE'S PLAYGROUND DAZZLING INTO CARNIVAL

Welcome to Niyama Private Islands Maldives Festive Journey!

Celebrate this Festive Season with wondrous Maldivian sunsets and cocktails on the beach, feast on fine cuisine prepared by our expert chefs - dine beneath the waves, out to sea or in the jungle canopy. Experience traditional Christmas fare and a New Year's Eve Gala Dinner, this festive season our beautiful resort is going to emerge into the magic of Carnival and under the magic of magnificent stars, stunning fireworks as the countdown commences and dancing on the beach until the sun rises ...

Experience thrilling activities on, under or above the ocean's waves, or relax and rejuvenate in the magical hands of our renowned visiting wellness & fitness practitioners at Drift Spa and Active.

Let the little ones fully immerse themselves at the Kids Club throughout the Festive Season with activities designed just for them, lots of adventurous games and of course, a visit from Santa!

Niyama, Nature's Playground, offers all of this and more on Chill & Play, our two exclusive islands ready to sparkle with festive celebrations.



CHRISTMAS CELEBRATIONS TIS THE TIME TO BE MERRY



Christmas Tree Lighting & Family Cocktails

20th December 2023

5:45 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Venue: Dune Bar Beach

Join us at Dune Beach and be entertained by our resident Duo Band Asesu and Christmas Carolers, as we turn on the festive lights together to announce the arrival of Christmas.

Christmas Market

21st December 2023

6:00 p.m. - 7:30 p.m.

Venue: Tribal Restaurant

An early evening stroll, with mulled wine, carol singers. Enjoy to the delightful sounds of Christmas Carolers and a live band. Have fun with games, make your own festive bag, and experience the Christmas spirit with gifts and treats for the whole family.

Wine Pairing Dinner Overwater

22nd December 2023

6.30 p.m. - 10.00 p.m.

Venue: Edge Restaurant

Half a kilometre from shore, a boat takes guests to Edge. Start the evening with a cocktail sundowner and indulge in a four-course menu with wine pairing at the resort's fine dining restaurant.



CHRISTMAS EVE DINNER

24th December 2023

6:30 p.m. - 10:00 p.m

Venue: Dune Beach

Join us on this magical evening for a feast of traditional Christmas fare, while our Christmas Carolers, Live Band Asesu and DJ Kataleena provide an evening of lively entertainment.



CHRISTMAS DAY

“IT’S THE MOST
WONDERFUL TIME
OF THE YEAR!”

Christmas Breakfast

25th December 2023

7.00 a.m. – 11.00 a.m.

Venue: Epicure & Blu Restaurant

Step into the fun of Christmas, with our Christmas breakfast in an elegant atmosphere live station and feast on an enticing selection of sensational seasonal dishes prepared and served by our team of masterful chefs.



THE DAYS AFTER...

Boxing Day

Selected a La Carte Menu Family Style Lunch

26th December 2023

12.00 p.m. – 3.00 p.m.

Venue: Blu Restaurant

While Christmas is one of the best days of the year, Boxing Day is definitely one of the most relaxing! Join and enjoy your family time through a sharing lunch serving up Mediterranean flair in Blu.

Braai Night Springbok Full Moon

26th December 2023

6.30 p.m. – 10.00 p.m.

Venue: Tribal Beach

Experience an exquisite Barbecue on the Beach, world class meat with a welcome cocktail. Enjoy an ambience of live music with the Asesu Duo Band under the Springbok Fullmoon light and the stars above.

Glow Party at Subsix

27th December 2023

9.00 p.m. onwards

Venue: Subsix - Underwater Restaurant

Let's Glow! Dance the night away six meters below the ocean! Slide into the fun at this after-hours celebration and get ready to 'Glow Wild' with DJ Kataleena

Entertainment - DJ Kataleena
NO ENTRY FEE



Champagne Pairing with Black Truffles Dinner

29th December 2023

6.30 p.m. – 10.00 p.m.

Venue: Subsix, Underwater Restaurant

Experience an intimate dinner and embark on the impeccable taste sensation of a delectable Black Truffle & Champagne pairing.

Dinner is pre-booking only with a maximum of 12 pax with 6 courses set menu with Champagne pairing.

Street Food On The Beach the Took Took Dinner

27th December 2023

6:30 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.

Venue: The Deli Beach

Discover an array of classic street food dishes on the beach including Asian favorites at Took Took, our street food on the beach dining concept. Indulge in tasty 6 course set menu street food delights and popular snacks from across Asia in a sublime beachfront setting. Took Took brings the satisfaction of Asian street food to our guests' absolute beachfront. Dig in and enjoy!



**COUNTDOWN!
IT'S TIME TO GET FESTIVE!**

WELCOME TO NIYAMA CARNIVAL

New Year's Eve Cocktails

31st December 2023

6.00 p.m. – 7.00 p.m.

Venue: Tribal Beach

Kickstart the countdown to 2024 with delicious cocktails featuring some of our favourite wines and spirits carefully and creatively blended by our skilled mixologists and live band.

Entertainment Live Band Asesu





New Year's Eve Party & Gala Dinner

31st December 2023

7:00 p.m. – late

Venue: Epicure Beach

Ring in 2024 with our New Year's Eve Gala Dinner in the Beach Carnival of Epicure. Feast on an array of delectable food and drinks while enjoying entertainment from a line-up of international stars. As the clock strikes midnight, fireworks will burst over the ocean and across the sky followed by dancing on the beach until sunrise.

OUR STARS TONIGHT...

2023 - 2024

Beach Carnival theme - adaption of the culture from Caribbean, South America, Europe and America. It implies that we consolidate all these regions in one theme and centre it around the beach culture of these regions and the entertainment from these regions.

Asesu Duo Band



ENTERTAINERS

iPop

Where cool meets quality, this band deliver a show at an incomparable level to other party bands. The biggest hits played by some of the UK's finest musicians. Dazzling costumes, high energy performances, cool vibrant attitude and bag loads of star quality! iPop are guaranteed to create an unforgettable atmosphere at your event.

The Greatest show

Immerse yourself in the rhythm, energy, and splendor of "Carnival Rhythms: A Dance Extravaganza!" Lose yourself in the non-stop excitement of this immersive show as you witness the power of dance, music, and costume come together to create an unforgettable experience. Get ready to be transported to a world of celebration, passion, and pure joy, where inhibitions are left behind and the only rule is to let the rhythm guide you with the Greatest Show before the countdown.

With special participation of

DJ Kataleena

Get ready to groove as this DJ's journey is one wild ride!

With an impressive two decades under her belt, DJ Kataleena is a true master of the turntables. Whether it's vinyl or digital, she effortlessly conquers both realms with her insane skills. Prepare to be transported on a musical journey through time as she flawlessly mixes nostalgic hits from the golden era of the 80s and 90s. From disco to rock, this DJ extraordinaire can do it all, dishing out the perfect blend of genres that'll have you on your feet and busting moves like there's no tomorrow.

Get ready to dance like it's 1999!

Asesu Duo Band

With over a decade of experience in the music and entertainment industry, Asesu Duo Band will accompany every moment with melodies that create memories which will last a lifetime. The duo's versatility allows them to adapt to any occasion, effortlessly transitioning from smooth jazz and easy listening tunes to upbeat Latin-infused rhythms that ignite the dance floor, adding an extra dimension of joy to celebrations and special events.

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JANUARY 2024

New Year's Breakfast

1st January 2024

7.00 a.m. – 12.00 p.m. at Epicure

7.00 a.m - 10.30 a.m at Blu

Filled with hope, renewal, and delicious flavours with New Year's breakfast at Epicure. Start the New Year with a delicious bubbly Breakfast as you toast to new beginnings and chilled out tunes.



THE PERFECT WINE PAIRING



Wine Pairing Asian Feast

2nd January 2024

6.30 p.m. – 10.00 p.m.

Venue: Nest Restaurant

Experience the delightful flavours of Southeast Asia's renowned cuisines, where the perfect balance of sweet, sour, and spicy elements harmoniously come together. Indulge in our exquisite dishes, expertly paired with Asian-inspired cocktails that beautifully showcase all these unique taste notes.

Meat Degustation Dinner Paired with wine

3rd January 2024

6.30 p.m. – 10.00 p.m.

Venue: Tribal Restaurant

Experience the ultimate culinary delight with our finest Dry-Aged Beef, game meats, and exquisite South American and African wines. Enjoy a luxurious four-course degustation accompanied by live entertainment for an unforgettable evening of gastronomy.

Entertainment Live Band Asesu

An Evening in Tuscany

4th January 2024

6.30 p.m. – 10.00 p.m.

Venue: Edge Restaurant

Make your night truly perfect with a delectable 6-course set menu, expertly paired with exquisite wines at Edge while enjoying live performances.

Eastern Orthodox Christmas Dinner

6th January 2024

6.30 p.m. – 10.00 p.m.

Venue: Blu Restaurant

A celebration for the whole family, with a traditional set menu with a twist in the beauty and warmth of the Maldivian tropics, and an array of festive food.

Rum Ribs & Reggae

7th January 2024

7:00 p.m. – 10:00 p.m.

Venue: Surf Shack

As the sun goes down, Surf Shack invites you to experience an amazing Rum, Ribs & Reggae Party featuring live reggae music, tasty ribs, and delectable rum-based drinks. Experience laid back vibes, cool tunes, and rum punch on an idyllic beach as you kick back in a beach chair and watch the waves with a cocktail.

The ultimate beach bum venue, Surf Shack is the best place to relax and enjoy the natural surroundings of the Maldives while listening to Live band and DJ.

Entertainment Live Band Asesu and DJ Katalena



DAYS OF FUN... Our Little Ones

Let's Decorate the Gingerbread House

19th December 2023

4.00 p.m. – 5.00 p.m.

Venue: Explorers Kids Club

Let the little ones enjoy festive fun at our Kids Club, and we'll make sure that they're immersed in interactive activities and exciting games.

Woodland Christmas Tree Decoration

20th December 2023

10.00 a.m. – 11.00 a.m.

Venue: Explorers Kids Club

Set Christmas Eve in motion at Woodland Christmas tree at Explorer Kids Club where kids will make their own handmade Christmas ornaments and decorate the Christmas Tree.

Elf Christmas Tea party

22th December 2023

3.00 p.m. – 5.00 p.m.

Venue: Explorers Kids Club

Kids' Christmas party with lots of fun games and dancing.



Wreath Making Competition

23th December 2023

3.00 p.m. – 4.00 p.m.

Venue: Explorers Kids Club

Let the glue guns heat up, ribbons fly, and may the best wreath win! Gather your friends for a wreath-making get-together and turn it into a competition where we vote for the best design.



SANTA'S VISIT

25th December 2023

3.00 p.m. – 4.00 p.m.

Venue: Dune Beach

Join us in celebrating the magnificent arrival of Santa Clause at Dune Beach! Prepare for a thrilling day filled with exciting beach games and invigorating pool games that will surely keep everyone entertained. Get ready to dive into the fun and create amazing memories!



New year's Resolution craft

28th December 2023

3.00 p.m. – 5.00 p.m.

Venue: Explorers Kids Club

Unleash your creativity and embark on a magnificent journey of crafting your very own resolution masterpiece, brimming with cherished holiday memories.



New Year Scavenger Hunt

2nd January 2024

10.00 a.m. – 11.00 a.m.

Venue: Explorers Kids Club

Come join us for a thrilling Scavenger Hunt where your little ones can put their skills to the test by searching for hidden objects and clues scattered throughout the islands.



New Year Confetti Party

3rd January 2024

10.00 a.m. – 13.30 p.m.

Venue: Explorers Kids Club

Kids' New Year party with lots of fun games and dancing.



FAMILY FESTIVE FUN

Family Movie Night under the Stars

Delight in a magical evening of outdoor cinema under the twinkling stars, where you can immerse yourself in fantastic family entertainment with complimentary popcorn!

Flicks & Smore's

22nd December 2023 & 6th January 2024

8.00 p.m.

Venue: Dune Beach

Waffle Movie Magic

27th December 2023

7.30 p.m.

Venue: Explorers Kids Club

12th January 2024

8.00 p.m.

Venue: Dune Beach

Active Family Beach Games

18th December & 25th December 2023

2nd January & 8th January 2024

4.00 p.m. – 5.00 p.m.

Venue: Deli Beach

Come together with other like-minded families who enjoy fun and adventure at the Deli Beach for an exciting hour filled with music and engaging games that the whole family can enjoy!



ALENA VASILEVA
MEET THE TENNIS COACH

GET “ACTIVE”

Of course, we know the festive season is a time for indulgence, but it never hurts to break things up with some fun “Active” liveliness.



SHAUN STAFFORD
MEET THE WORLD
FITNESS CHAMPION

In-Residence: 18th December 2023 – 13th January 2024

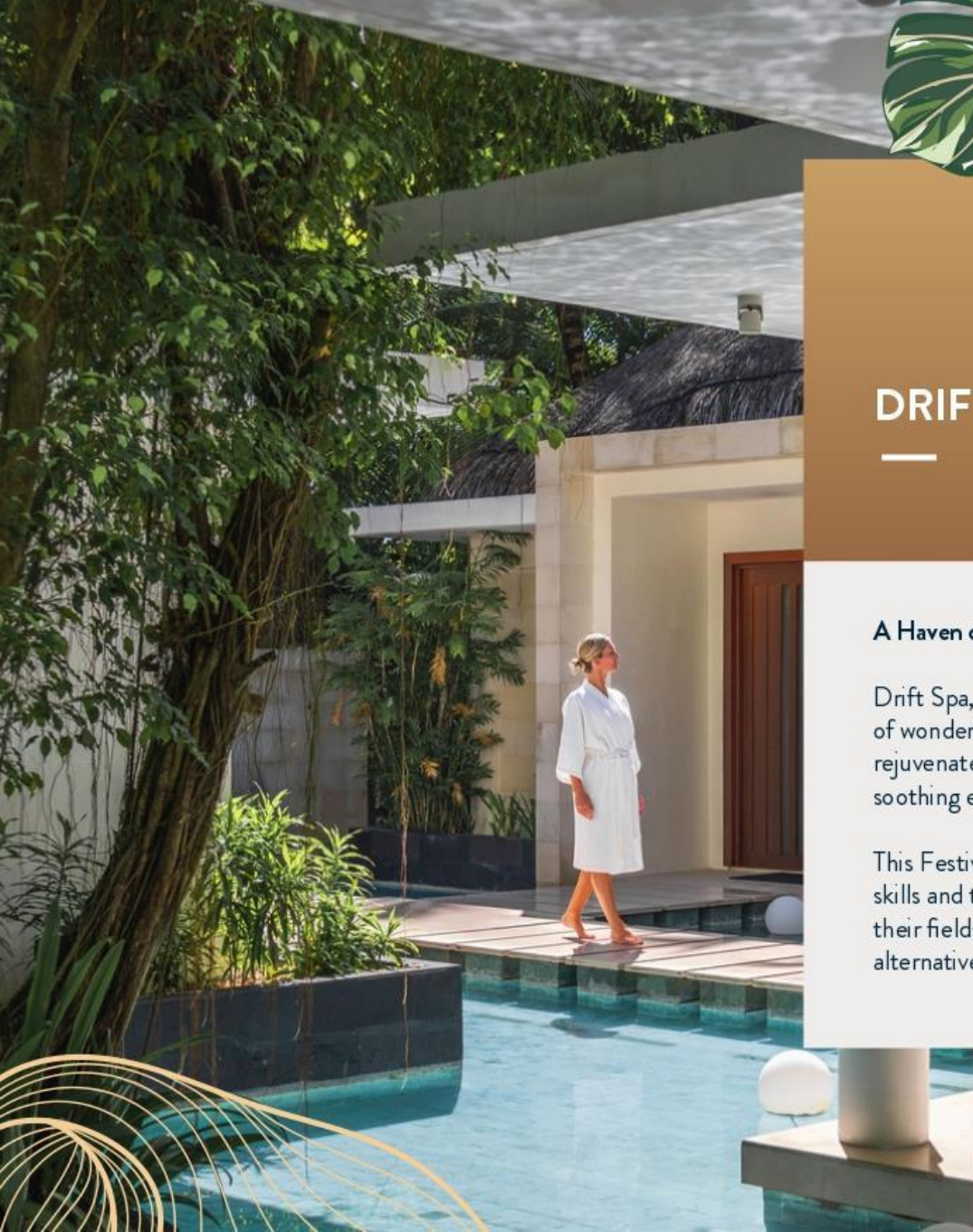
A 2-time WBFF World Fitness Champion, Shaun is a renowned fitness trainer with over 20 years of experience working with celebrities, private clients, and professional athletes. Expect effective and enjoyable sessions for people of all levels. Shaun is available for private and small group sessions.

In-Residence: 15th December 2023 – 15th February 2024

Professional Tennis Coach, Alena, is here to help you improve your tennis game and take your skills from the next level. Originally from Moscow, Alena is a USPTA certified coach with years of experience. Winner and finalist of ITF tournaments ranked #3 nationally in singles and #1 in doubles while living in the United States (2017), and is a member of a 2-time national champion team in the NAIA division. Her passion is to motivate others in a challenging yet fun atmosphere.

Complimentary rackets and tennis balls are available.

If you would like to book an on-court session with Alena, please ask your Thakuru arrange or drop by Active.



DRIFT BY NIYAMA

A Haven of Peace and Tranquility

Drift Spa, our calm sanctuary at sea, offers a blissful array of wonderful experiences to relax, revitalize and rejuvenate, a place to immerse your body and submit to soothing essential oils in enchanting luxury.

This Festive Season, we are delighted to bring you the skills and talents of renowned practitioners, experts in their fields. We offer you their world, a chance to explore alternative healing and holistic beauty treatments...

EMILY MOAK



YOGI / NUTRITIONIST

1st December 2023 - 15th April 2024

Emily is a passionate Yoga instructor who seeks to empower others on their wellness journeys. With a master's in public health and nutrition education background she is dedicated to health and wellness. Emily's holistic approach considers the whole person, their environment, and the challenges they face living in a modern world.

Whether it's your first Yoga class or you are an avid Yogi, you are sure to enjoy an inspiring and heartfelt practice. Join Emily for an uplifting and dynamic session of breathwork, movement & flow, and mindfulness meditation in her all-levels 60-min group class or try a personally tailored private session to fit your needs.

STAND UP PADDLE BOARD (SUP) YOGA

Performed on stand-up paddle boards floating over the clear and calm lagoon, this class takes your Yoga practice to a whole new level. Emily will guide you through a practice that improves balance, focus, core strength, and more. Enjoy Yoga in this fun and creative style while you discover a deep and tranquil connection to nature and yourself. All levels are welcome. Group and private sessions available.



AZUSA SEGAWA

CHI NEI TSANG
PRACTITIONER



In-Residence:

21st December 2023 - 29th February 2024

Experience Chi Nei Tsang, an ancient Taoist abdominal massage technique that releases energy and emotional blockages, promotes chi (vital life force) flow. Azusa's gentle yet powerful touch detoxifies and strengthens organs, improves digestion, reduces stress and anxiety, and enhances overall vitality.



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YOU

