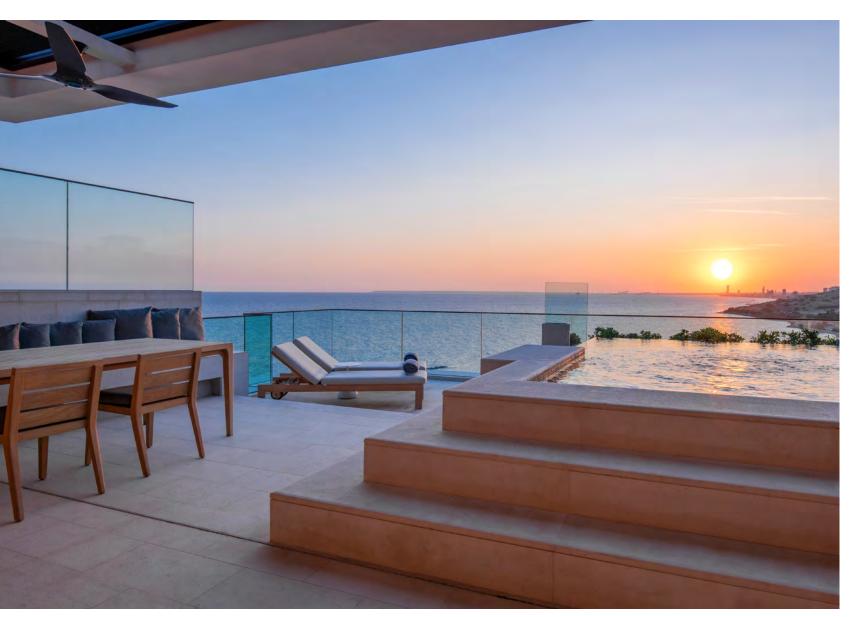


FESTIVITIES PROGRAMME





Dear Guests,

There is no moment quite like the festive season to spend valuable time with your loved ones and share moments together that will last forever. To celebrate our first Christmas and welcome 2020, we have created a festive program offering sumptuous dining experiences and glamorous events.

Select from among our signature restaurants Matsuhisa and Ristorante Locatelli and enjoy an array of lavish menus especially created for this joyful period.

Make time to relax while enjoying a fabulous afternoon tea in our Lobby Lounge or visit our Main Dining Restaurant to experience our spectacular Christmas Wonderland.

Recharge your body and mind and feel utterly pampered at our luxurious Wellness Spa, and let us spoil you with a wide range of holistic treatments.

AMARA is the perfect destination to enjoy this special time of the year. Stay with us in one of our breath-taking sea view rooms and experience that magic moment when you realise you own the horizon.

On behalf of the AMARA team, allow me to wish you and your loved ones a joyful Christmas and a Happy New Year.

We look forward to welcoming you to AMARA for an unforgettable experience that you will cherish forever.

Xavier Jolivet, General Manager

## AMARA: THIS YEAR'S VIBRANT FESTIVE PERIOD IS GOING TO BE DIFFERENT

Own the horizon; experience the magic scenery of the AMARA, the Mediterranean Sea waters and the Hotel's gardens.

For the first time, AMARA is all set up to travel you through the magic of Christmas. From the moment you step inside, a wealth of culinary delights awaits with festive flavours and signature cocktails especially created for the occasion.

The atmosphere is being cranked up with the creation of a Christmas Market around the Hotel's Main Dining Restaurant, which also has been transformed to the perfect Christmas Wonderland.

## AFTERNOON TEA AT AMARA

We carry on the tradition of the stylish afternoon tea served every day in our Lobby Lounge and Main Dining Restaurant where a selection of "Mariage Frères" teas and Christmas delights are sure to awaken your palate.

# ARMYRA BY PAPAIOANNOU

The freshest fish in town, oysters and a selection of shellfish, set in the beautiful scenery of the winter sea, making the Armyra the hottest spot in the AMARA.

Open daily from 12:00 – 17:00 hrs with live DJ sets from our Resident DJ Alex.

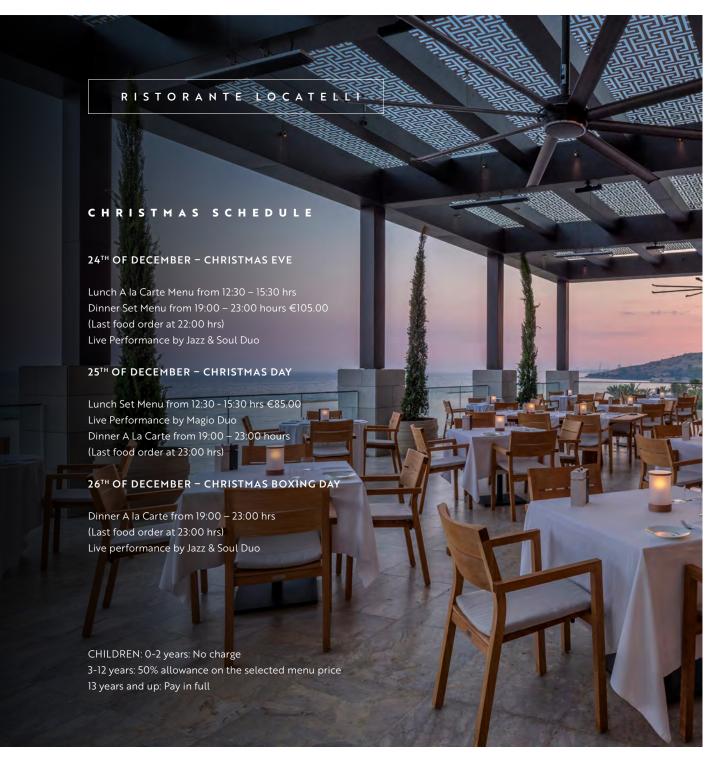
# THE CHRISTMAS MARKET

From the 20<sup>th</sup> until the 30<sup>th</sup> of December, around the Hotel's Main Dining Restaurant, enjoy home-made Panettone from Ristorante Locatelli, Glühwein, roasted chestnuts, Candy Fluff, Waffles, Loukoumades, a selection of Cheeses, Italian delicatessen and many more festive delights.

Every day from 11:00 - 18:00 hrs.







## 27TH OF DECEMBER - 29TH OF DECEMBER

Dinner A la Carte from 18:30 – 23:00 hrs

# 30<sup>™</sup> OF DECEMBER

Dinner A la Carte from 18:30 – 23:00 hrs Live performance by Magio Duo

# 31ST OF DECEMBER - NEW YEAR'S EVE

Dinner Set Menu from 20:30 hrs €170.00

# **NEW YEAR'S DAY**

Lunch A la Carte from 12:30 - 15:30hrs Live performance by Magio Duo Dinner A la Carte from 18:30 - 23:00 hrs





# 24TH OF DECEMBER - CHRISTMAS EVE

Dinner Set Menu €105.00 19:00 hrs – 23:00 hrs Live performance by Jazz & Soul Duo

## **FESTIVE MENU**

CULATELLO DI ZIBELLO E GNOCCO FRITTO

Flash fried bread and culatello

INSALATA DI FAGIOLINI E TARTUFO NERO PREGIATO

Green bean salad with black truffle

CAPPELLACCI CREMA DI LIMONE E RAGU DI MAIALE

Parcel pasta filled with lemon pastry cream, spiced pork ragu

CODA DI ROSPO, SALSA DI CAPPERI, SALICORNIA E RUCOLA

Monkfish sweet & sour capers sauce, samphire, rocket

**GUANCIA DI VITELLO** 

Braised veal cheek, crush potatoes, spring onion and baby lettuce

SELEZIONE DI FORMAGGI ITALIANI

Selection of Italian cheeses

PANETTONE

Bread and butter pudding

**COFFEE AND PETIT FOURS** 

## 25TH OF DECEMBER - CHRISTMAS DAY

Lunch Set Menu: €85.00

From 12:30 – 15:30 hrs, live performance by Magio Duo

# **FESTIVE MENU**

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Flash fried bread and culatello

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From 20:30 hrs

Entertainment by resident DJ Alex

## **FESTIVE MENU**

INSALATA D'ASTICE E MELA VERDE, MAYONNAISE AL LIMONE

Lobster and apple salad, lemon mayonnaise

COTECHINO, CAPESANTE E LENTICCHIE

Cotechino, lentils, scallops

TAGLIOLINI AL TARTUFO BIANCO

Egg tagliolini with white truffle

BRANZINO INCROSTA DI SALE

Sea bass in herb crust

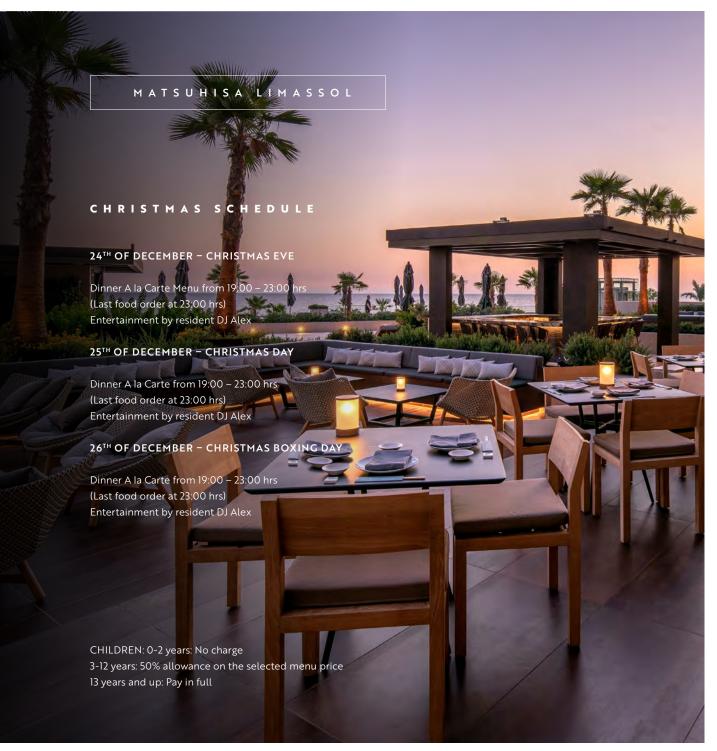
FILETTO DI MANZO BOULANGER DI PATATE, SPINACI E TARTUFO NERO

Beef fillet, potatoes boulangère, spinach, black truffle

PRE DESSERT TARTUFO E ORO

Truffle parfait and golden honey

COFFEE AND PETIT FOURS



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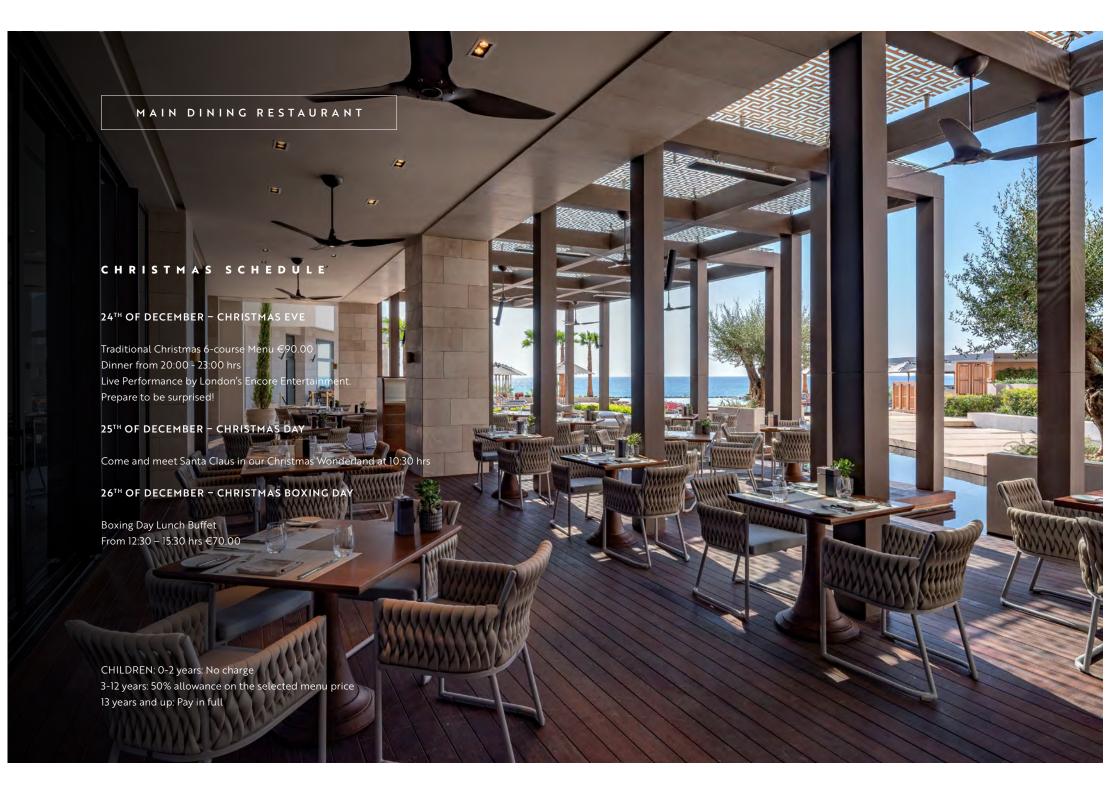
AMUSE BOUCHE
KING CRAB MARTINI
Chili shiso
SWEET RED SHRIMPS
Pear salsa, Truffle
LOBSTER, POMEGRANATE SALAD
SPICY SOUP
Gyoza, shitake Foie Gras
CHILEAN SEABASS
Green apple, lentils, salsa beluga
WAGUY AND SCALLOPS
Aged balsamic teriyaki
PRE DESSERT

DECONSTRUCTED BLACK FOREST









# 24TH OF DECEMBER - CHRISTMAS EVE

Festive 6-course Menu €90.00

Dinner from 19:00 – 23:00 hrs

Live performance by London's Encore-Entertainment.

Prepare to be surprised!

# **FESTIVE MENU**

AMUSE BOUCHE Oyster gratin, red wine vinegar sabayon FOIE GRAS SAUTÉED Blood orange juice braised endive pistachio brioche OXTAIL CONSOMMÉ Oxtail meat and cabbage parcel BRAISED SOLE FILET ON MUSHRO OM DUXELLE Champagne sauce, samphire APPLE AND CINNAMON GRANITE ROASTED DUCK BREAST Cranberry, port wine sauce, cauliflower & broccoli mash, sweet potato CHESTNUT AND CHOCOLATE YULE LOG Glühwein sauce COFFEE OR TEA CHRISTMAS PETIT FOURS





## 26TH OF DECEMBER - CHRISTMAS BOXING DAY

Boxing Day Lunch Buffet €70.00 From 12:30 – 15:00 hrs

# **APPETIZERS**

Fresh salmon and scallion mouse

Assorted Norwegian smoked platter with smoked salmon, gravlax and trout

Duck liver mousse with apple chutney

Smoked duck served with crunchy salad and raspberry

Fresh Scampi and prawn pyramid with a variety of sauces and dressings

Steamed fresh salmon cooked on bamboos with a coriander pesto

Seared tuna with togorashi pepper and herbs

Assorted imported cold cuts with selection of fruit chutney

Fresh wild asparagus with parmesan shavings, mustard vinaigrette

Salad bar with Chef's selection of dressing and condiments

Roasted vegetables Mediterranean style

Tomato and mozzarella salad with pesto

Avocado salad with tomato and cucumber salsa

### LIVE COOKING

Freshly oven baked roast carvery

Traditional roast turkey filled with sage, onions and chestnuts

Scottish roast prime rib of beef with Yorkshire pudding, beef jus, horseradish sauce Roasted glazed pork with pineapple and apple glazed

Condiments: cranberry, apple sauce, mustard jus, selection of mustards

## MAIN COURSES

Pan-fried beef medallion with morels cream sauce

Roasted double lamb cutlet with fresh coriander and its own jus

Oven baked duck breast with soy, ginger, lemon grass and honey

Pork fillet with confit leeks and warm gazpacho

Poached sea bass and prawns on caponata of vegetables, crustaceous sauce

Marinated grilled salmon, spinach and braised fennel

Roasted potatoes with caramelised onions and thyme

Sweet potatoes and pumpkin

Homemade wild mushrooms ravioli

## **DESSERT BUFFET**

Traditional Christmas pudding with brandy cream Stollen fruit cake

Mini fruit tartlet tiramisu

Wine and cinnamon poached strawberries strawberry gateau

Apple and pear frangipane tart

Dark and white chocolate mousse

Chocolate fondue with skewered fruits

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Mixed berry pavlova

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Crème brûlée

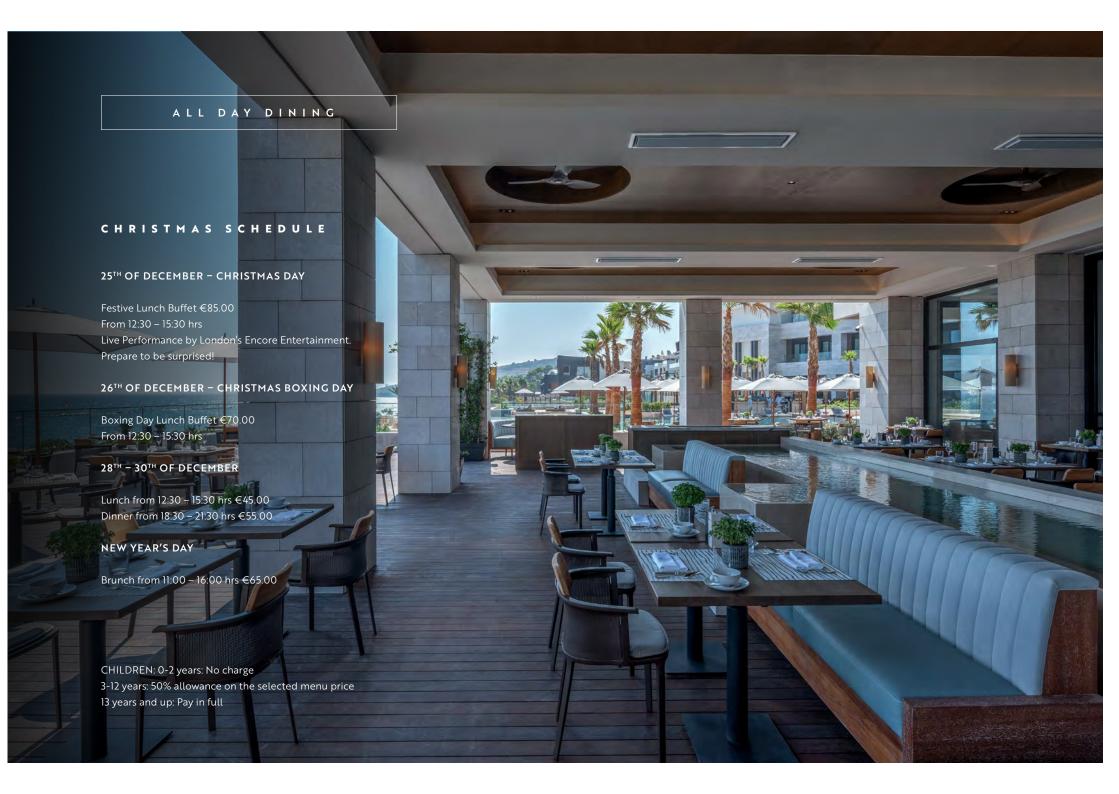
Christmas cake

Fresh fruit salad

Traditional 'Buche de Noel' Christmas cookies

### ASSORTED INTERNATIONAL AND LOCAL CHEESES





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### **FESTIVE BUFFET MENU**

## **TERRINES AND SALADS**

Smoked salmon terrine with crab meat

Timbale of salmon tartar with caviar, avocado and lemon oil

Figs and ricotta prosciutto with caramelized balsamic

Asparagus salad with smoked cheese and roasted almonds avocado, shrimps and chickpea salad

## **CONDIMENTS AND DIPS**

Assorted black and green olives

Mixed pickled vegetables, capers, gherkins, sun dried tomato and marinated peppers

Parmesan slivers, pickled quail eggs

Taramosalata, tzatziki, humus and tyrokafteri dips

## FISH AND SHELLFISH STATION

Fresh oysters prepared in front of guests

Salmon Carpaccio with Campari dressing and arugula salad

Assorted smoked fish platter

Whole poached salmon

Pyramid of jumbo prawns and fresh mussels

#### HOT DISHES - MEAT AND POULTRY

Baked chicken breast on chestnut purée, light tomato juice

Beef mini steaks accompanied with selection of forest mushrooms

Rack of lamb with braised vegetables and commandaria reduction

Stuffed pork with marinated apricots and balsamic juice

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Cherry cheesecake

Crème brûlée

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ASSORTED INTERNATIONAL AND LOCAL CHEESES

## 1ST OF JANUARY - NEW YEAR'S DAY

New Year's Brunch €65.00 From 11:00 – 16:00 hrs

## **FESTIVE BRUNCH MENU**

# **HOME-MADE TERRINES AND SALADS**

Duck foie gras with green peppercorn

Smoked honey turkey breast

Parma ham, pepperoni salami

Smoked tuna Carpaccio

Chicken liver mousse with port wine

Sweet melon with smoked turkey salad and macadamia nuts

Apple salad with dried cherries and walnuts

Baby spinach and mushroom salad

Caesar's salad with smoked salmon

White and green asparagus with crispy pancetta and vinaigrette

Avocado, shrimps and citrus fruit salad

Buffalo Bononcini with cherry tomatoes and basil oil

Grilled vegetables salad

Chicken fajita salad

Turkey tonnato salad

New potato salad with quail eggs and dill cream sauce

Baby rocket with crispy prosciutto, pine kernels and pomegranate

Asian guacamole, cream cheese with smoked salmon, tomato with basil

#### FISH AND SHELLFISH STATION

Jumbo Tiger Prawns

Assorted smoked fishes

Gravlax/smoked salmon

Poached fresh Salmon

Assorted fresh oyster

Hot dishes

Slow cooked beef with forest mushrooms in port wine sauce

Pistachio crusted chicken breast with coconut ginger sauce

Pork fillet gratinated with oregano and feta cheese

Roasted lamb loin on roasted Mediterranean vegetables, rosemary jus

Sole rolled with mussels on lobster sauce flavored with chamomile

Oven-roasted salmon and prawns on bok choi leaves with saffron

Glazed potatoes with truffle oil and chives

Butter vegetables from the season

Roasted celeriac with chestnut and mushrooms

Oriental rice with roasted almonds

#### **PASTA STATION**

Selection of our home-made pastas

# **CARVERY STATION**

Honey spiced smoked pork belly

Roasted beef tenderloin accompanied with Yorkshire pudding

Roasted lamb leg

## AROUND THE WORLD FAVOURITES

Beef tacos

Chicken tortilla

Spring rolls

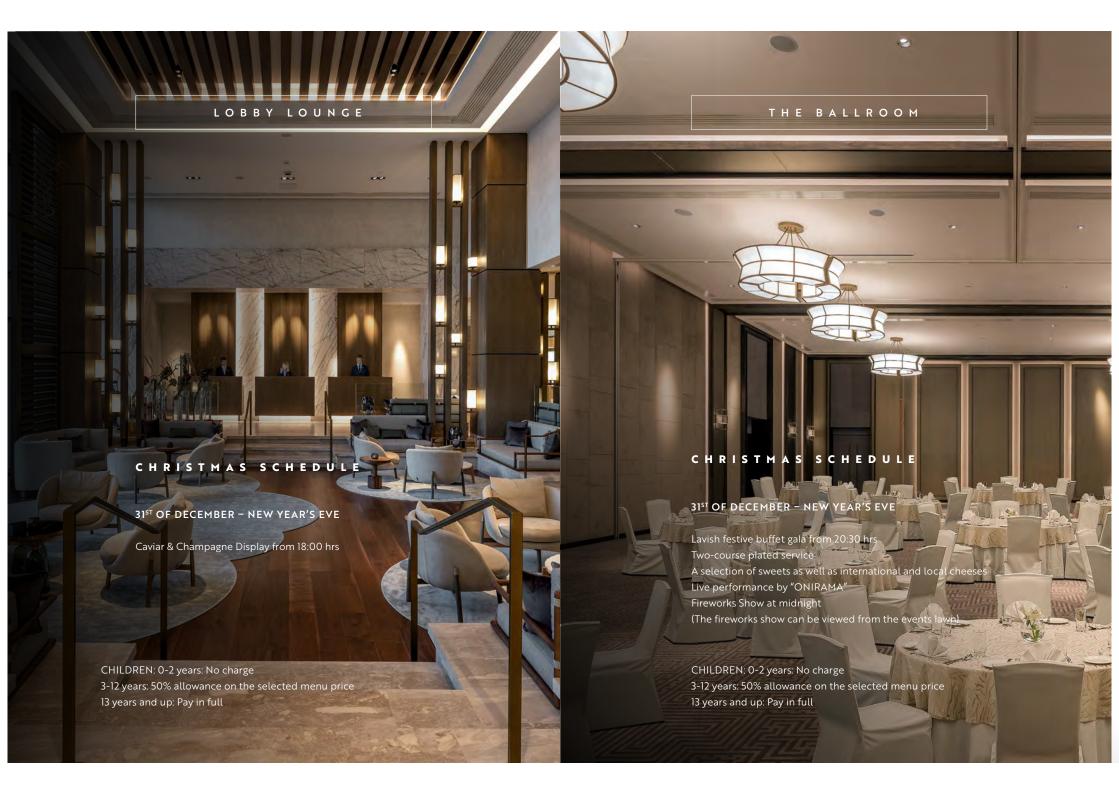
## CHEESE

Large variety of International cheeses

#### DESSERTS

Our pastry chef and his team will prepare a wide selection of sweets to complement this special Brunch.





# 31<sup>ST</sup> OF DECEMBER - NEW YEAR'S EVE GALA DINNER AT THE BALLROOM

Enjoy New Year's Eve in the luxurious and ethereal atmosphere of the AMARA, raise a glass of champagne in celebration of the year ahead and dance till the early hours. Jump into the New Year with your heart filled with smile, joy and love.

ONIRAMA from Greece with frontman Thodoris Marantinis will perform a unique show until the early morning hours of the New Year.

Gala Dinner Set Menu & Festive Buffet €225.00 From 20:30 hrs

# **FESTIVE MENU**

Festive display of appetising Hors d'oeuvres, fresh seafood, oysters, shellfish and more

# TWO PLATED MAIN COURSES

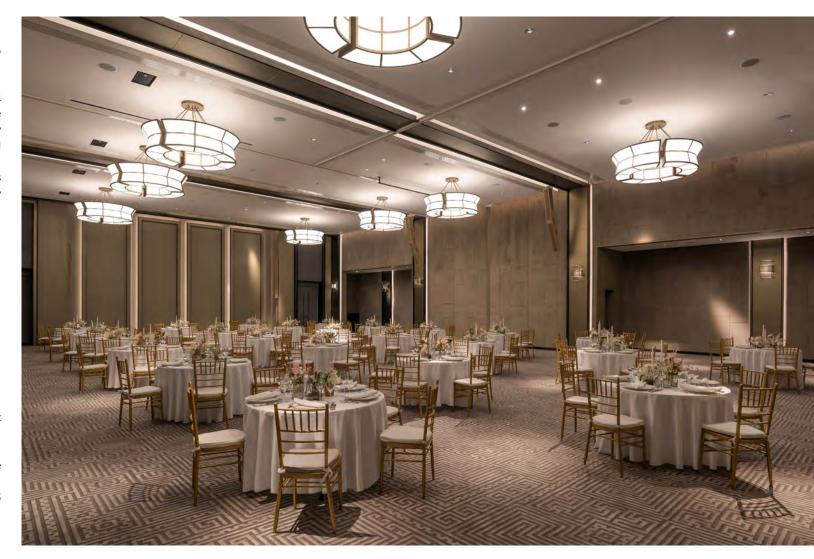
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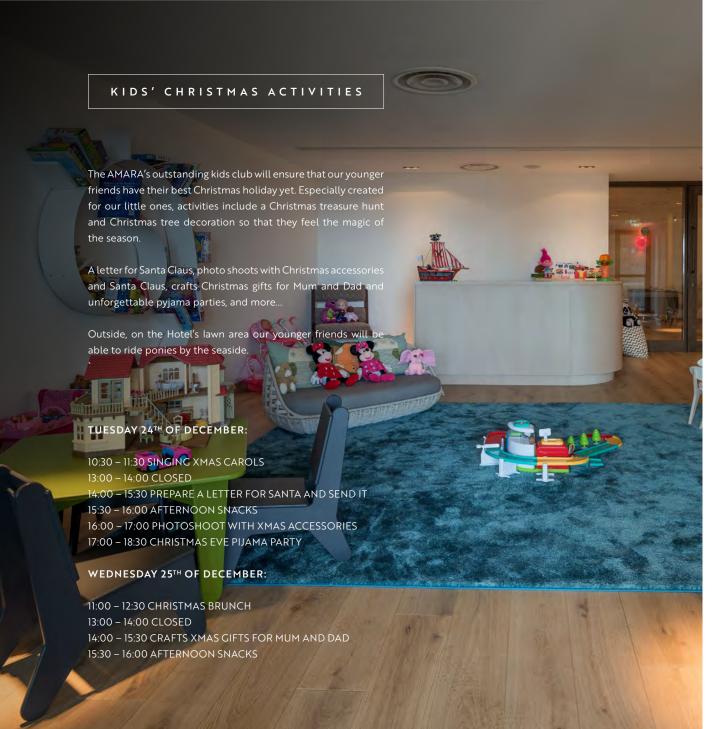
Topped with pan fried foie gras, port wine truffle sauce Sautéed Brussel sprout, carrot with bacon, potato fondant

# ROASTED MONKFISH

Cabbage galette, cèpes confits, braised chestnut, lobster sauce

LARGE DISPLAY OF INTERNATIONAL CHEESES AND DESSERTS





## THURSDAY 26<sup>TH</sup> OF DECEMBER

11:00 – 12:30 CHRISTMAS TREASURE HUNT

13:00 - 14:00 CLOSED

14:00 – 15:30 FINGER PAINTING

15:30 - 16:00 AFTERNOON SNACKS

16:00 – 17:30 T-SHIRT DECORATION

# TUESDAY 31ST OF DECEMBER

10:30 - 12:30 CLAY CREATIONS

13:00 - 14:00 CLOSED

14:00 – 15:30 PAINTING AND DECORATING

**OUR CLAY CREATIONS** 

15:30 – 16:00 AFTERNOON SNACKS

16:30 - 19:00 NEW YEAR'S EVE PARTY

- PIÑATA

- PIN THE NOSE ON RUDOLPH

# WEDNESDAY 1ST OF JANUARY

11:00 – 12:30 HAPPY NEW YEAR BRUNCH

13:00 - 14:00 CLOSED

14:00 – 15:30 NEW YEAR CHARADES AND

**PICTIONARY** 

15:30 - 16:00 AFTERNOON SNACKS

16:00 - 17:30 CRAFTS

17:30 - 19:00 DANCE PARTY - SHOW YOUR

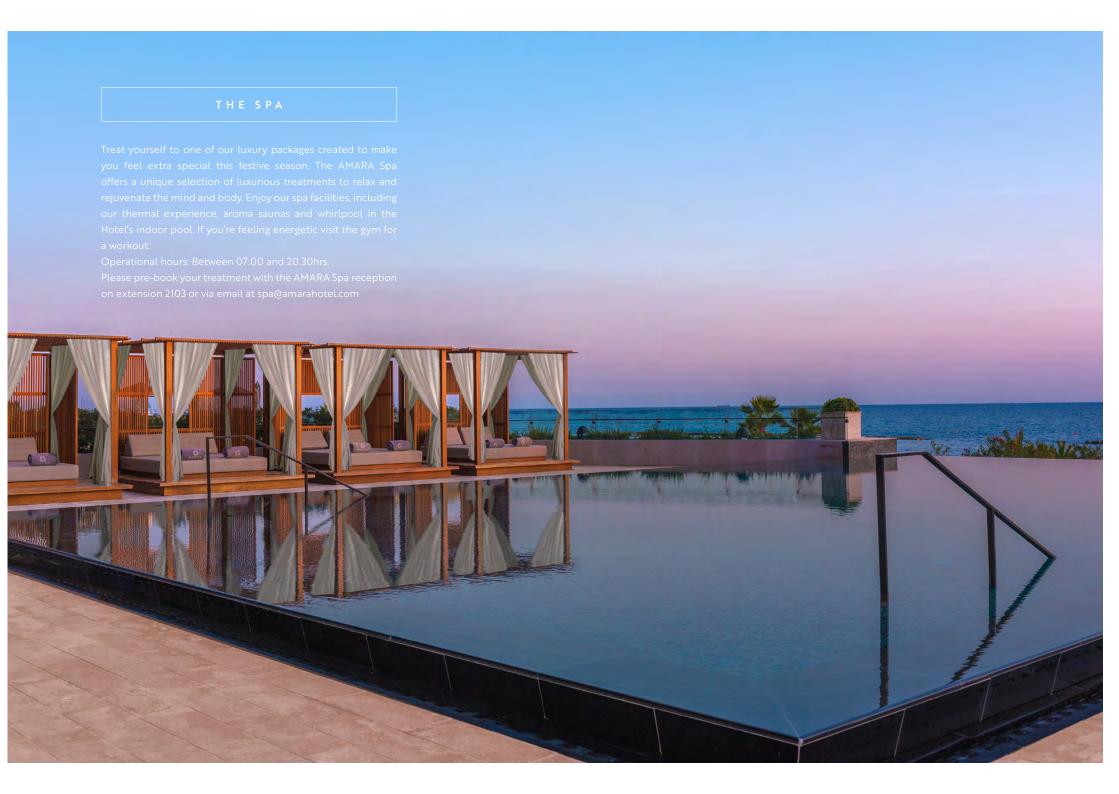
MOVES COMPETITION

# **FESTIVE BUFFET FOR CHILDREN**

Specially prepared to please the children's palates, the festive buffet will be served daily in a designated area in the Main Dining Restaurant.

15:30 – 16:00 AFTERNOON SNACKS





## **CHRISTMAS WARMER**

90 minutes - €170

Melt all the stresses of the year away with our Christmas warmer, enjoy our unique crushed sunflower seeds, thyme and clove full body exfoliation followed by the intensely relaxing heat of the basalt stones.

- · Sunflower seeds, thyme and clove body exfoliation (30')
- · Basalt hot stone massage (60')

## **FESTIVE AROMA ESCAPE**

100 minutes - €200

Escape the hustle and bustle of life's stresses and embrace the luxury of pure pampering. With our festive aroma escape begin with a refreshing full body exfoliation followed by a relaxing aromatic back massage and invigorating and brightening facial. Get ready to party the night away!

- Eucalyptus and lemon body exfoliation (30')
- · Rose and jasmine relaxing back massage (30')
- · Vitamin c and Papaya facial (40')

## COLOURS OF CHRISTMAS

90 minutes - €140

Our Colours of Christmas package starts in our state of the art steam capsule with colour therapy that induces deep relaxation. You will then be indulged with our citrus infused ultra-nourishing oil while enjoying your Swedish massage, so you're relaxed and ready for the Christmas festivities ahead!

- · Colour and steam capsule (30')
- · Swedish body massage (60')

# **PARTY GLOW**

70 minutes - €150

A quick treat before the party begins! Our Neomorphose facial will lift, brighten and refresh your complexion for that healthy glow before stepping out with the perfect polished hands and feet.

- · Rejuvenating Neomorphose Carita facial (30')
- · Polish and shape for your hands and feet (40')

## WALKS BY THE BEACH

Join our fitness instructor, for an invigorating morning walk along the beachside trail.





For reservations, please contact us on tel. 25 44 22 22 or via email restaurants-booking@amarahotel.com

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