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MEET THE TEAM AT LA PERLE BY DRAGONE

A NOTE TO OUR READERS

Dear Readers,

In just a few weeks, Dubai's entertainment scene will be transformed as *La Perle* by Dragone makes its debut at Al Habtoor City's exceptional purpose-built theatre. With 65 incredible artists performing daredevil stunts on stage, in the water and above the audience, the 90-minute masterpiece by Creative Director, Franco Dragone will immerse spectators into the spirit of this incredible city. In addition to our exclusive feature, we bring you the latest up-dates on the Chairman's visit to meet the performers, technical crew and management at La Perle. Tickets for the show are now on sale at www.laperle.com.

In April, the KAH Foundation sponsored a mass wedding for 50 Couples in support the Year of Giving, attended by the Chairman and Vice-Chairman as well as high-profile Emiratis.

We bring you the highlights from the 13th UAE Healthy Kidney 10k Run in New York, which attracted a record of 30,000 participants, including 14,000 registered runners. At home in Dubai, the Group sponsored the 1st International Emirates Cup of Rhythmic Gymnastics 2017 five-day competition held at the Al Habtoor Tennis Academy indoor tennis pavilion. The Al Habtoor Polo Resort & Club also hosted several family day and neighbourhood events, showcasing the best it has to offer, including the second five-star St. Regis hotel.

We congratulate the graduates of Class of 2017 and bring you the highlights from the ceremony held at Al Habtoor City's Al Joud Ballroom as well as the EIS-Jumeirah IB delegation visit.

Lastly, auto fans are in for a treat as Al Habtoor Motors opens the largest Bugatti showroom in the world on Sheikh Zayed Road.

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Destinations around the world are looking to house the most iconic shows to create unique visitor experiences and set themselves apart. Al Habtoor City is no exception. La Perle by Dragone will mark a new era of entertainment in Dubai and having a resident show of this magnitude in the heart of the city will secure Dubai's position not just a holiday destination with beautiful beaches and great shopping experiences, but also as a destination for world-class live entertainment.

La Perle by Dragone fuses the world's best human talents, artistic disciplines and technical innovations to bring local stories alive and immerse spectators in the ultimate spectator experience. And the show itself is the centerpiece of a larger puzzle; the experience begins well before the curtain opens and extends to well after the audience leaves its seats.

Thanks to His Highness Sheikh Mohammed bin Rashid al Maktoum, we are able to support his vision for Dubai in 2020 to reach 20 million visitors and position Dubai as the 'first choice' for the international leisure and business traveler. This is where La Perle will perfectly complement Dubai's superlative tourism offerings.

La Perle will be unique for the region, the only permanent show between Macau and Paris. As a new cultural tourist destination in itself, the show will encourage new visitors to Dubai, increase the number of repeat visits to the city and increase the market share by broadening the city's entertainment offerings.

As well as tourists and residents, La Perle will also cater for business travelers by providing special MICE benefits and packages. And by partnering with the region's key businesses, the show will provide a way to give back to a demographic renowned for providing a large stake in the UAE's economy.

I am thrilled to confirm we already have bookings for the whole theatre, also known as 'buyouts', as far in the future as 2019.

Our new website www.laperle.com launched in May, from where it is possible to buy tickets starting at 400 AED.

Be prepared to be amazed by La Perle.
We look forward to seeing you!

Craig Hartenstine

Executive Producer
La Perle by Dragone



Session MC Youssef Al Maamari (L)



Khalaf Al Habtoor with students from the University of Dubai

Khalaf Al Habtoor welcomes students from across the UAE at 'Open Talk' series

Students from two of the UAE's top universities - Al Ain University of Science and Technology and the University of Dubai take part in the Chairman's third Open Talk session held on 20 April 2017.



The Chairman with the winner of the first Open Talk competition Sahar Barqawi

and the **WINNER** *is...*



Congratulations to Pavanan!

*Pavanan K.B, Manager – IT Audit
gets to enjoy a private tennis lesson at the state-of-the-art
Al Habtoor Tennis Academy at Al Habtoor City.*

Flip to page 13 to for your chance to win a gift voucher to the Iridium Spa at Al Habtoor City.



Ceremony held at the Al Joud Ballroom, The Westin Dubai, Al Habtoor City

KAHF olds a mass wedding for 50 couples to support the Year of Giving

'The Wedding of Giving' initiative marks the second time that the KAHF has supported a mass ceremony in collaboration with Emarat Al Youm newspaper.

The wedding ceremony, which took place at the Al Joud Ballroom, The Westin Dubai, Al Habtoor City, saw 50 low to middle-income grooms get married on Tuesday 18 April 2017. The event was attended by high-profile Emiratis including His Highness Sheikh Mansoor Bin Mohammed Bin Rashid Al Maktoum, ministers, directors of departments and state institutions in Dubai, senior figures at state-owned charity organizations as well as the families of the young couples getting married. Khalaf Al Habtoor, said, "We are

pleased to organize the collective wedding ceremony for our sons and daughters, especially in the Year of Giving launched by His Highness Sheikh Khalifa Bin Zayed Al Nahyan. Our contribution to the initiative is motivated by our sense of moral obligation and duty. The Khalaf Ahmad Al Habtoor Foundation supports many local initiatives. It is important that we uphold and promote the values of marriage, as well as our cultural values. This is important for the continuity of our country."

عرس الخير

دعوة

يسرنا دعوتكم لحضور حفل الزفاف الجماعي الذي يقام لزفاف 50 عريساً ضمن مبادرة "عرس الخير" بالتعاون مع صحيفة الإمارات اليوم وبرعاية وتنظيم مؤسسة خلف أحمد الجيتور للأعمال الخيرية وذلك في تمام الساعة الخامسة والنصف من مساء يوم الثلاثاء الموافق 18 أبريل 2017 في قاعة الجود - فندق ويستن دبي، الجيتور سيتي

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الإمارات اليوم مؤسسة خلف أحمد الجيتور
KHALAF AHMAD AL HABTOOR FOUNDATION



Guests were treated to performances by traditional bands.

GROUP NEWS



Khalaf Ahmad Al Habtoor awarding the 2017 winner on stage with several high-profile Emiratis, including Lt General Mohammed Helal Al Kaabi



Over 30,000 participants took part in the UAE Healthy Kidney 10K Run in New York's Central Park on Sunday 9 April 2017

Chairman cheers on runners at the 13th UAE Healthy Kidney 10k Run in New York

Khalaf Al Habtoor took part in the UAE Healthy Kidney 10K Run in Central Park in New York and its celebrations on Sunday 9 April 2017. Sponsored by the Al Habtoor Group for the second year running, the event attracted 30,000 participants, including 14,000 registered runners. The first male and female winners to cross the finish line were awarded \$10,000 each.

Now in its 13th year, the race is held in honour of the late Sheikh Zayed Bin Sultan Al Nahyan, Founder and President of the United Arab Emirates, benefits the Healthy Kidney Foundation.

The Chairman said, "I am proud to sponsor the Healthy Kidney 10K Run in New York. It is for a great cause in memory of a great leader, Sheikh Zayed. The race brings together

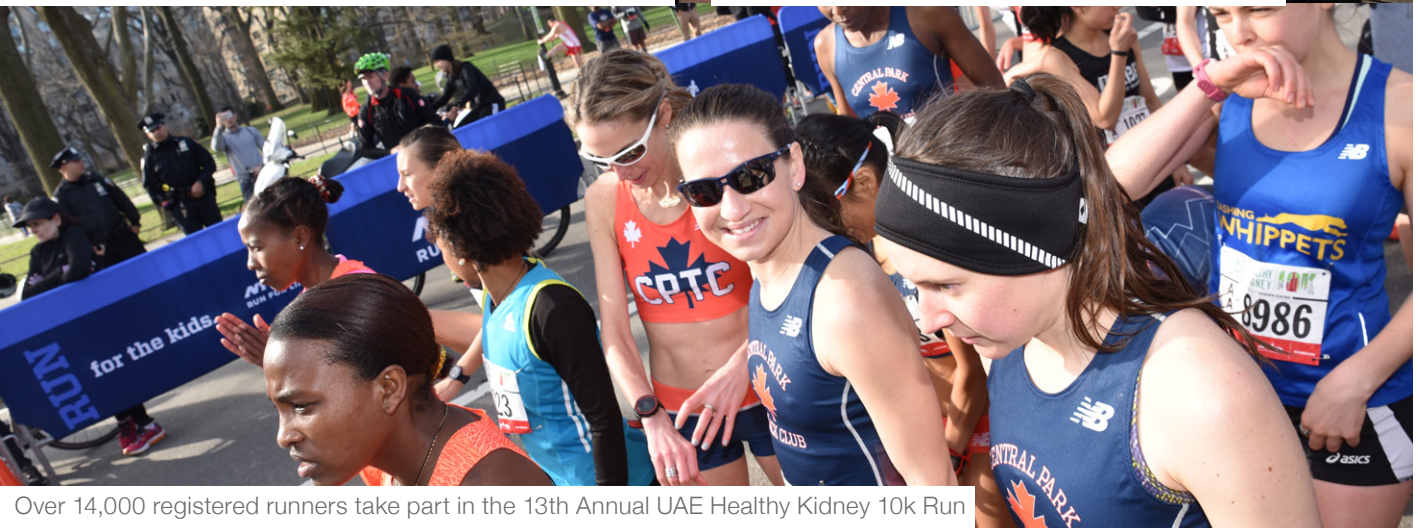
many different nationalities for a very worthy cause. The atmosphere in Central Park was amazing. People got the opportunity to witness Emirati hospitality."

UAE HEALTHY KIDNEY
10K RUN
 IN HONOR OF SHEIKH ZAYED



(L-R) Tyrese Gibson, American Grammy-nominated singer, songwriter, actor and author with Khalaf Ahmad Al Habtoor.

The 10K race took place in New York's Central Park



Over 14,000 registered runners take part in the 13th Annual UAE Healthy Kidney 10k Run



Attendees sing the UAE National Anthem



Members of the UAE Jiu Jitsu Team



(L-R) Noura Badawi, Nicole Dicocco, Joanna Andrews

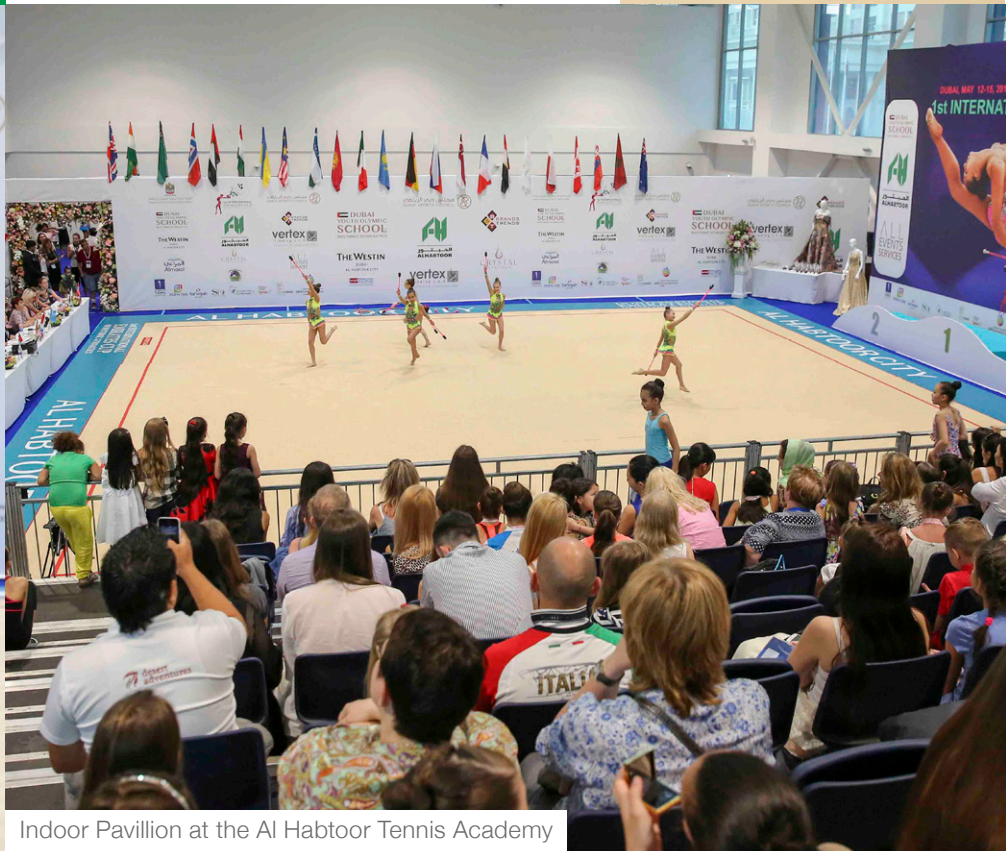


Winner of the UAE Healthy Kidney 10K Run 2017 crosses the finish line at a time of 28:18

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The event attracted junior gymnasts from 24 countries



Indoor Pavillion at the Al Habtoor Tennis Academy





The legendary Margarita Mamun, Rio Olympic Champion



Abdul Salam Al Marzooqi speaks at the press conference on May 11, 2017

Al Habtoor Group supports young talent at the 1st International Emirates Cup of Rhythmic Gymnastics 2017

Rhythmic gymnastics is recognized internationally as one of the most graceful and elegant sports.

The Al Habtoor Group proudly sponsored the 1st International Emirates Cup of Rhythmic Gymnastics 2017 competition in collaboration with the General Authority and Youth and Sports Welfare and Dubai Sports Council held from 11-15 May 2017. Held at the newly opened Al Habtoor Tennis Academy at Al Habtoor City, the first-ever rhythmic gymnastics event attracted thousands of spectators from across the emirate, with live coverage by Dubai Sports Channel TV.

The five-day event saw 370 junior gymnasts attend from 24 countries with special guests Margarita Mamun, world champion and Olympic Gold Medalist from the 2016 Rio Olympics and Amina Zaripova, one of the most recognized rhythmic gymnastics coaches in the world. The competition attracted entries from the UAE, Canada, Australia, Russia, Uzbekistan, Turkmenistan, Ukraine, Kazakhstan, Singapore, Slovakia, Egypt, Kuwait and Qatar in all categories. Spectators included HH Sheikha Hind



Lamia Tariq Al Farsi claimed gold at the First Emirates Cup for Rhythmic Gymnastics

bint Faisal Al Qassimi and Nasser Aman Al Rahmah, Assistant SG of DSC and Hessa Al Kous, Sports Events Director of Dubai Sports Council.

GROUP NEWS



Farewell celebration with members of the Finance and Human Resources Departments and family

Bidding farewell to **Syed Jalaluddin**

THANK YOU FOR 37 YEARS OF DEDICATED SERVICE AND WISHING YOU GOOD LUCK, HAPPINESS AND CONTINUED SUCCESS FOR YOUR RETIREMENT!

The Group celebrated the memorable retirement of fellow Habtoor and Project Accountant, Syed Jalaluddin. The farewell celebration took part at the Ramadan tent, Habtoor Grand Resort, Autograph Collection on 7 June 2017.

Syed Jalaluddin joined Al Habtoor Engineering as an Accountant in June 1980. After rejoining the company in June 1990, he was promoted to Finance Manager, a role which he

held until his retirement in 2010. In 2012 when the Group embarked on the Al Habtoor City megaproject, he once again came on board to handle the role of Project Accountant and acted as a coordinator amongst various stakeholders including the Projects, Audit and Finance departments. During his tenure, Syed has handled the most important projects and provided guidance and valuable expertise to the team.

A message from colleagues:

We would like to personally congratulate you and wish you a very happy retirement. We all enjoyed working with you during your time here, and we consider you not only as a valuable asset to our company but also a cheerful smiling presence in the office.

While you will be missed by all of us, we shall always remember your dedication, poise and diligence. We have always looked up to you as a father figure and we shall strive to follow your footsteps as youngsters.

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youth and beauty**
- c) Iris, goddess of the rainbow**
- d) Aphrodite, goddess of beauty and
love**

Send your answers to sawalef@habtoor.com. Entries close 15 September 2017.

EMIRATES INTERNATIONAL SCHOOLS



(L-R) Barbara Exley, Dr. Siva Kumari, David Hicks



EIS-Jumeirah was the first IB school authorized in Dubai

EIS-Jumeirah welcomes Director General of the International Baccalaureate (IB) Organisation

On Tuesday 24 May 2017 EIS - Jumeirah welcomed Dr. Siva Kumari, Director General of the International Baccalaureate (IB) organisation and other senior members from the IB organisation.

Dr. Kumari gave a presentation on the IB's upcoming strategy to an audience of more than one hundred Heads of Schools and IB educators from across the UAE. The afternoon programme included a networking session between IB staff,

IB educators and students to share their thoughts on the value of an IB education and its relevance to Dubai and the region.

David Hicks, School Principal said, "Emirates International School – Jumeirah is proud to be the first IB authorized school to open in Dubai providing a rigorous, high-quality education. We have been an IB world school since 1992 and today we are one of only a handful of schools worldwide to be authorized to offer

all four IB programmes – the IBPYP, IBMYP, IBDP and IBCCP."

EIS - Jumeirah is a member of the Middle East International Baccalaureate Association (MEIBA) and the British Schools in the Middle East (BSME) organisation. Between 1993 and 2016 EIS-Jumeirah has successfully graduated 1086 candidates in the IB Diploma Programme, consistently performing above the world average at IBDP.



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The ceremony was held at Al Joud Ballroom, The Westin Dubai, Al Habtoor City

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1. (L-R) David Hicks, Shamma bint Mohammed bin Khalaf Al Habtoor, Mohammed Al Habtoor 2. (L-R) David Hicks, Mohammed bin Ahmad Al Qamzi, Mohammed Al Habtoor 3. Khalaf Al Habtoor congratulates his granddaughter Hamda bint Awad bin Mijren 4. Khalaf Al Habtoor gives opening speech



The graduation ceremony for the EIS - Jumeirah 'Class of 2017' was held at the Al Joud Ballroom, The Westin Dubai, Al Habtoor City on Wednesday, 24 May 2017. This year marks the silver jubilee of the school as it celebrates its 25th year. The graduation class of 2017 included a total of ninety-two students, twenty-two of whom have been enrolled in the school since Kindergarten.

Khalaf Al Habtoor personally attended the ceremony to congratulate the graduating class, which included three of his grandchildren. Hamda bint Awad bin Mijren received the Arabic and Islamic Cultural Award and delivered the Arabic speech with the English translation by Shamma bint Mohammed bin Khalaf Al Habtoor.

The Arabic and Islamic Cultural Award is awarded to a student who is the best representative of Arabic and Islamic culture in an international context.

Head Boy, Panitan Chinnawong was the Valedictorian and the recipient of the prestigious Khalaf Al Habtoor Award. Head Girl, Sheikha Shaikha Al Maktoum, was awarded the International Student Award. A special award was given to EIS-Jumeirah's young scientist Fadhel Al Mazrooi, who came at second place in the UAE's 'Think Science' Fair.

The Class of 2017 is distinguished by many outstanding students, with many continuing their education at universities across the world including UC Berkeley, Emory University, Kings College London, University of Warwick, University of Melbourne, University of Toronto and McGill University to name a few. We are equally proud of our IB Career Related Programme students who have gained a dual qualification of BTEC equivalent to two A levels and an IB qualification in the subjects of their choice.

We wish the graduates every success in their future studies and endeavors!

AL HABTOOR CITY



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The Iridium Room.

Iridium Spa is the only spa in the Middle East to perform facials using products from sought-after luxury beauty brand Swiss Perfection Cellular Skincare. The anti-aging qualities of Swiss Perfection ingredients visibly rejuvenate by lifting and improving skin. Guests may also choose from a selection of facials by Australian skincare brand Sodashi.

Amanda Schmiede, Director of Spa & Recreation, across The St. Regis Dubai, W Dubai – Al Habtoor City

and The Westin Dubai, Al Habtoor City comments, "True devotion to the needs and wants of our guests is at the heart of our services at Iridium Spa. Our attention is dedicated to guests' personal time, and we tailor our treatments and services precisely to their requirement. We have focused on the details that guest will notice at every touch point."

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W Dubai – Al Habtoor City reveals four new suites The Extreme WOW, Sensational, WOW and Mega Suites

The 365-key W Dubai- Al Habtoor City has launched 72 new suites in four different categories, to ensure an exceptional guest experience.

The Extreme WOW suite on the 27th and 28th floors offers views of the Dubai skyline across 690 sqm of space with a master room, bar, DJ area, runway stage, pool table and

steam room.

It doesn't end there...The 449 sqm Sensational suite includes a spacious bedroom, bar, majlis-style lounge, DJ booth, stage, kitchenette, Jacuzzi and steam room. There is also the WOW suite with a living room, bar, billiards table, kitchenette, powder room and cigar room. Last but not least, guests staying at the 170 sqm Mega suite will

enjoy a walk-in wardrobes, living room area and enclosed kitchen.

W Dubai - Al Habtoor City GM Peter Katusak-Huzsvar said, "We wanted to create spaces where guests can on one hand feel relaxed, but then get charged up to throw an unforgettable party all night long. You can't get much more W than these signature suites."

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Town Hall with Chairman Khalaf Al Habtoor. **Watch the video now**

Chairman meets **La Perle** cast

Khalaf Al Habtoor made a special appearance on 25 May 2017 at the La Perle theatre at Al Habtoor City.

The show is currently being created here in Dubai with rehearsals well underway at the permanent aqua theatre at Al Habtoor City. The team of

130, includes 65 cast members from 23 countries training in a state-of-the-art training facility for up to 10 hours a day, 70 technicians supporting the cast, to the wardrobe department, props and make up - the theatre at Al Habtoor City is currently a hive of activity.

The artists have been rehearsing rigorously offsite in Dubai for a while now. They are fully trained and will soon be rehearsing on site at their new home as the countdown begins to opening day.

Find out more at www.laperle.com



Meet the team behind the success of
La Perle, Dubai's most anticipated
permanent show...

What is the most rewarding and most challenging part of your job?



Andy Levey
Head of Marketing

Both rewarding and challenging, launching a brand new show in a brand new environment keeps me on my toes every day. I also enjoy educating our internal teams as well as external partners and customers on the what a show like this brings to Dubai. It's rewarding to see those team understand it and use the techniques and terminology that we've been teaching them.



Innocent Mathew Rutachunzibwa
Artist

The challenge of La Perle for me, and it's a really good challenge, is that it is my second creation and it's so different to my first experience - there's so much I'm still learning, but I love the fact I'm having to learn - no day is the same and that's fantastic.



Jeganeh Seyeddin
Sales Manager

The biggest challenge for me is stepping into a completely new field of work, in an unknown industry to me, but it has been so rewarding. My colleagues are all so supportive, patient and helpful. I think La Perle has a great environment and also a very healthy atmosphere to work in. I love that I am able to interact directly with all departments, whether it's the artists, technicians or hotel staff. It gives me the opportunity to meet fun and hardworking people and learn something new from them everyday.



Scott England
Head of Rigging

The most rewarding is a tie between the audience reaction to the show and helping my crew expand their knowledge and grow professionally. The most challenging is trying to keep a safe environment for the artists, audience, and crew while not spoiling the magic of the show.



Lilah Mukhtar
Senior HR Manager

Challenging in a sense that this is an entirely different industry from what I am used to working in and everyday I'm learning. The staff are all talented artists that hail from around the world with unique skills. To have hired the team responsible for opening the first live permanent show in Dubai successfully is a something I will never forget.

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What is the highlight of being part of the region's most spectacular production?



Marco Emilio Khalil Barghi
Show Support Administrator

You get to meet people from all walks of life – it's humbling to work alongside passionate and hard-working people. To be part of something that has never been done before, with an incredible group, is pretty much all anyone can ask for.



Tara Young
Resident Artistic Director

The most rewarding part is doing something that's never been done before in this part of the world. To be a key member of the team who is responsible for creating this monumental production is the highlight of every day.



Liset Caridad Cadeno Patterson
Artist

There are so many highlights for me, especially as this is my first show and it has truly opened my eyes to this incredible industry. I am in love with La Perle – from the water element of the show, to the stage and structure of the theatre and the way we all work together as a team. I can't believe I'm here, but I am going to make every minute count.



Danik Abishev
Artist

The highlight is working with Franco Dragone. I have been a showbiz baby all my life, born into the circus industry, travelling the world, but this is nothing like I've ever seen before – I guarantee this is going to be the best show in the world. Just the sheer amount of geniuses we have working on this show – what you see on stage is a small part of the colossal machine happening backstage, all the technical crew and riggers are super talented and they all work extra hard to make sure everything is spot on.



Sebastian Hammond
Head of Sound and Operations and Sound Designer

For me being part of the Creation phase is an incredible experience – especially getting to see the transformation of the theatre from construction to completion. The experience of watching both the show and the venue evolve has been a huge achievement and something I'm so proud to be involved in.



Jonelle De Blanc
Head of Wardrobe

The highlight of is the most spectacular – the highlight groundbreaking team – bringing truly the most spectacular performance to a whole new region that may not have seen something like this. Open their door to a brand new world of arts and entertainment.

AL HABTOOR CITY



Operating from four five-star hotels across Dubai, the Academy boasts the UAE's largest offering of world-class hospitality, leisure and entertainment facilities.

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Celebrating Easter with hand craft gifts for charity

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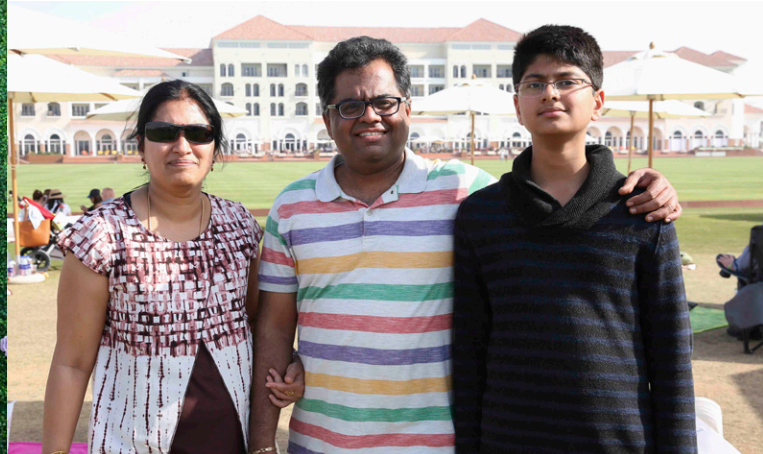
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AL HABTOOR POLO RESORT & CLUB



Habtoorians
celebrate
Family Day
at the Al
Habtoor Polo
Resort & Club

Employees from across the Group enjoyed an afternoon packed with fun for the whole family at the Al Habtoor Polo Resort & Club on Friday 31 March 2017. The afternoon programme included a picnic buffet, kid's activities, pony rides and the final of the Dubai Challenge Cup (part of the Dubai Polo Gold Cup Series).



AL HABTOOR POLO RESORT & CLUB



1. Andrew Henning, General Manager 2. The event was hosted at Andalucia, the Mediterranean dining venue

The St. Regis Dubai, Al Habtoor Polo Resort & Club hosts cocktail evening for special guests

The management showcased the five-star resort and its F&B outlets to 300 guests, including business partners, associates, corporate bookers, and consulates in May 2017.

The St. Regis Dubai Al Habtoor Polo Resort & Club offers an exquisite culinary experience inspired by global themes and influences.

The hotel features outdoor and indoor

dining options including an intimate lounge and sports bar each offering impeccable service, quality and taste to please the most discerning of palates. Private in-room dining is also available around the clock.



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The world's first St. Regis Polo equestrian and polo resort and Dubai's second St. Regis-branded property makes its debut in March 2017 at the Al Habtoor Polo Resort and Club.

Khalaf Al Habtoor hosted guests from across Dubai and the neighbourhood for a cocktails and canapés event at the newly opened The St. Regis Dubai, Al Habtoor Polo Resort & Club. Guests enjoyed a tour of the five-star property

and watched an afternoon polo match while sipping on signature cocktails and bites on Thursday 23 March 2017.

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The Al Habtoor Polo Resort & Club is crowned National Winner at this year's MEED Quality Awards for Projects 2017.

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The Bugatti Chiron on display



The Arabian Peninsula is one of Bugatti's key sales markets





1. (L-R) Dr. Stefan Brungs, Sultan Al Habtoor, Ahmed Al Habtoor 2. Unveiling the showroom plaque

Al Habtoor Motors opens the world's largest Bugatti showroom

Bugatti fans from across the Middle East can now visit the 2,583-square-foot building in the heart of Dubai.

Bugatti's longstanding sales and service partner in the UAE is no other than Al Habtoor Motors.

The French super sports car manufacturer's facility in Dubai is the 15th location in the brand's global dealership network with the new award-winning brand design. The showroom features dedicated private area with Bugatti-branded furniture where clients can configure their own Chiron dream car.

For the inauguration of the new luxury address in the Arabian Gulf, the world's most powerful, fastest, most luxurious and most exclusive production super sports car – the Chiron, travelled to Dubai before beginning its tour of the region.

Al Habtoor Motors has been the official dealer partner of the French luxury brand for the United Arab Emirates since 2006 and a Bugatti Service Partner of Excellence since 2013. The UAE boasts the largest Veyron fleet, with about 55 vehicles.

Sultan Al Habtoor, President of Al Habtoor Motors, said, "The UAE is always striving to be the best. Our target was therefore to bring the largest, most beautiful Bugatti showroom to the heart of Dubai. Here, our exquisite clientele can experience the unique nature of this fantastic brand in all its facets."

Bugatti UAE has created a Bugatti world in Dubai for its demanding clients, with an area of 240 square

metres. It is not only the size of the dealership that is impressive. The entrance is also very imposing.

It features the legendary Bugatti horseshoe. This design element, which can be found on a Bugatti's radiator grille, is almost 4 metres high. Inside the building customers and guests are welcomed into a specially designed lounge area equipped with furniture from the Bugatti Home Collection.

Here, customers can configure their Chiron in a private atmosphere. The extraordinary technical achievements and design of the Chiron are presented using exhibits and animations on large screens. In the heritage section, visitors can learn about the Bugatti brand values – Art, Forme, Technique.

AL HABTOOR MOTORS



Philip Parham, British Ambassador to the UAE



Dignitaries from across the emirate join the celebrations

Bentley Emirates celebrates Her Majesty's 91st Birthday with gala evening



Bentley Emirates once again took part of this year's gala evening reception to observe the 91st birthday of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II. The celebration was held in Abu Dhabi, at the British Ambassador's Residence on the 18 April 2017.

Hosted by Philip Parham, British Ambassador to the UAE, the event was attended by over 400 guests, including senior government figures, diplomats, businessmen and some of the leaders of the British community in the UAE.







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AL FAROOQ MOSQUE & CENTRE

AFMC to host renowned reciters during the Holy Month of Ramadan

The Al Farooq Omar Bin Al Khattab Mosque & Centre (AFMC) received distinguished reciters from The Kingdom of Saudi Arabia (KSA), Bahrain and Lebanon to lead the daily Taraweeh prayers during the Holy month of Ramadan.

As part of its annual Ramadan programme, AFMC also served 1,200 meals daily for people to break their fast in a specialized air-conditioned tent located at AFMC. In 2016, the mosque welcomed over 100,000 worshippers during the Holy month.

Worshippers across the UAE and abroad could tune in to the live streaming for Friday, Taraweeh, Laylat Al Qadr and Eid prayers.

The AFMC welcomed non-Muslims over Ramadan who got the chance to experience the essence of the Holy Month by taking part in the 'Iftar' meal alongside Muslims and learn about the core values of Islam as well as the culture and traditions of the United Arab Emirates.

Abdul Salam Al Marzooqi, General



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Friday Prayer by
Sheikh Dr. Fares Al Mustafa
The Religious and Cultural
Affairs Advisor

Manager, AFMC, said "We are committed to run Ramadan campaigns every year. These initiatives reflect the spirit of giving in the holy month, especially with this year being the Year of Giving in the UAE."

Sheikh Dr Fares Al Mustafa delivered

daily religious lectures after Asr prayers, which broadcasted live on YouTube. The Ramadan campaign also included Instagram daily episodes of "Ramadan Harvest" series by Sheikh Dr Fares Al Mustafa.

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