

# ATLANTIS AQUAVENTURE EXPANSION TRIDENT TOWER, SPLASHER'S LAGOON AND SPLASHER'S COVE FACT SHEET

# **KEY MESSAGES**

- 1. Atlantis Aquaventure is on a journey throughout 2021, setting the stage to become **the world's** leading aquatic theme park With every visit, guests are invited to experience or see something new and thrilling at every turn.
- 2. The new Trident Tower, Splashers Lagoon and Splashers Cove is due to open 1st March, 2021.
- 3. Atlantis Aquaventure is set to become **one of the biggest waterparks in the world** with the addition of Trident Tower, Splashers Lagoon and Splashers Cove which will offer over **28 rides and attractions** bringing the total number to over 105 slides and attractions.
- 4. <u>Trident Tower</u> is **48-metres tall** and home to **12 record-breaking slides and attractions** (biggest tower in Aquaventure)
- 5. <u>Splashers Lagoon and Splashers Cove</u> form the biggest kid's only waterpark experience in the Middle East (along with Splashers Island and Splashers Mountain) and are home to 16 new record-breaking slides and attractions
- 6. Several of the slides and experiences at Trident Tower, Splashers Lagoon and Splashers Cove are record-breaking and firsts in the region. (see below for breakdown)
- 7. Atlantis Aquaventure is a **bucket list experience** for any holiday to Dubai
- 8. You don't have to be an Atlantis hotel guest to experience Trident Tower or enjoy the leading waterpark in Dubai and the Middle East. You can come for the day to play.
- 9. To get the best out of Aquaventure, we recommend UAE residents to purchase **our Aquaventure Annual or Season Pass. For those visiting Dubai, a two-day pass** would be perfect, with unlimited access to the waterpark, beach and The Lost Chambers Aquarium for two full days.
- 10. For the best rate, you can buy your ticket online at www.atlantis.com/dubai/atlantis-aquaventure

#### **FACTS**

- > Atlantis Aquaventure is now 22.5 hectares
- > The expansion has increased its size by roughly 1/3 (the waterpark used to be 17 hectares)
- ➤ Globally, this is the biggest waterpark expansion in history (in one go)
- > Atlantis Aquaventure is now home to **79 rides and attractions** (used to be 50, so increased by 1/3)
- Atlantis Aquaventure is now home to **26 marine experiences and watersports** (used to be 12, so more than doubled)
- Atlantis Aquaventure is now home to 105 total slides, attractions and experiences
- > Atlantis Aquaventure is now home to 26 F&B outlets (used to be 17, so increased by 1/3)
- The expansion has **doubled the size of Atlantis Aquaventure beach** to just under **1km** (the beach used to be 500m)
- > There are over **1000 sun loungers available** on the beach (it used to be 600)
- > Atlantis Aquaventure is home to 500 Ellis and Associates trained lifeguards (it used to be 310)



> Atlantis Aquaventure offers 44 private cabanas and premium seating areas (it used to be 33)

#### **RECORDS**

- Globally, this is the biggest waterpark expansion in history (in one expansion)
- Aquaventure Waterpark is known as one of the biggest and best waterparks in the world
- Splasher's Lagoon, Cove, Island and Mountain form the biggest kid's only waterpark experience in the Middle East.
- It is home to more child-friendly slides and areas than any other waterpark in the world
- It is home to several world record-breaking / world first slides for adults and teens
- Voted the number one waterpark in Dubai and the Middle East and the second best in the world by **TripAdvisor** in 2020.

# NEW HERO SLIDES (including records broken as determined by ProSlide)

#### **Odyssey of Terror**

Riders accelerate and gain speed and momentum as they sweep up and across the apex of the wave where they momentarily experience near weightlessness before freefalling down the other side of the curved wall.

- Thrill Level: HIGH THRILL
- Family rafting ride
- First slide in the region with a Double TornadoWAVE®
- World's tallest waterslide with a Double TornadoWAVE®

#### **Shockwave**

This unique water ride is a combination of speed, power, and rafting adventure all in one. Families of up to six blast forward 449 metres for over one-minute through a series of tunnels, at the speed of a giant slalom ski course. Riders drop and dive as they race along the outer wall of the curve anticipating the next change in direction as they look down the fall-line.

- Thrill Level: MODERATE THRILL
- Family rafting water coaster
- The world's first MammothBLAST™ family rafting water coaster
- The longest family rafting water coaster in the world

# Medusa's Lair

An intricate web of twists and turns, just like Medusas' snaky hair. Riders are blasted through a series of dark caves, steep slopes and drops as they race one another to the end.

Thrill Level: HIGH THRILL



- Tube ride
- First dueling PIPElineBLAST® Water Coaster slide in the region
- Longest dueling PIPElineBLAST® Water Coaster in the world

#### **Blackout**

Billed as the scarier sister to Leap of Faith, daring riders plummet down an almost-vertical drop that delivers extreme thrills and high velocities from beginning to end.

- Thrill Level: HIGH THRILL
- Body slide
- Tallest vertical drop body slide in the Middle East

## **Hydra Racers**

Four racers at a time can challenge one another to be the first to the bottom to win the "trident"

- Thrill Level: MODERATE THRILL
- Mat Racer
- World's first RallyRACER® with crossover RallyPOINT™ design

#### Vortex

This twister accelerates riders in tubes through open flumes into back-to-back turns, curves, drops, 360 and high-banking loops, for a fun and thrilling ride. Riders experience accelerating vertical curves as well as tight, compound curves which creates a very dynamic ride from top to bottom.

- Thrill Level: MODERATE THRILL
- Drop slide

#### **Immortal Falls**

Experience Dubai's first thrill-seeking, gravity-defying cliff jumps - leaping down the Immortal Falls for those that dare to dive.

- Thrill Level: MODERATE THRILL
- Cliff Jumping
- First Cliff jumping in the region

## **Raging Rapids**

Guests can experience what it feels like to be raging through a number of roaring water elements, from powerful waves, high-pressure bubbles and currents to tempt the most daring youngsters and adults alike.

- Thrill Level: LOW THRILL
- Body rapids



# **Splashers Lagoon & Splashers Cove**

Record-breaking slides include

- Riptide: The Middle East's first six-lane KIDZ ProRACER®
- <u>Comet Racers</u>: The world's first KIDZ RallyRACER®
- <u>Swirl:</u> The first KIDZ TORNADO 24® slide in the Middle East (twice the size of Aquaventure's existing KIDZ TORNADO® 12 at Splasher's Island

## **ADDITIONAL RECORD-BREAKING SLIDES (Poseidon and Neptune Tower)**

**Aquaconda** – The world's largest waterslide tube **The Slitherine duo**- The first ever dual suspended body slides within a slide **Poseidon's Revenge** -Officially the most frightening waterslide in the Middle East

#### **DESIGN HIGHLIGHTS**

- Rather than walk around the 22.5-hectare site, Kerzner developed The Rapids, a network of
  waterways for guests to travel around the water park. This is to encourage visitors to discover
  Aquaventure without ever having to leave the cool water
- The water is temperature controlled and continually monitored to reflect the changes in weather
- Traditional cooling methods are employed throughout the park, from misting systems to overhead awnings on central paths. The park also has a path cooling system, designed around a timed sprinkler network

# **THE TOWERS**

Neptune Tower (2008)

38-metres tall

Neptune is said to have sent tidal waves powerful enough to suck people off the shoreline at his disposal. Unpredictable in nature, expect the unexpected when you ride the slides in his tower Slides: Leap of Faith/Shark Attack/ Stinger, The Falls and The Surge

Poseidon Tower (2015)

39-metres tall

Poseidon is the god of the sea. One of the most ill-tempered and short-tempered Olympian gods there is, ride his slides with caution!

Slides: Poseidon's Revenge/Aquaconda/Zoomerango/Slitherines

Trident Tower (2021) 48-metres tall



The newest and greatest tower, the mighty trident is the source of Aquaventure's incredible power. The Trident enabled the kings of Atlantis to rule over the ocean.

Slides: Odyssey of Terror /Shockwave/Medusa's Lair/Hydra Racers/Blackout

Additional areas:

**River Rides** 

The Torrent/The Rapids/Immortal Falls/Raging Rapids/Surf's Up

Children's Areas

Splasher's Mountain/Splasher's Island/Splasher's Cove/ Splasher's Lagoon

## **VIP EXPERIENCES**

- AquaXpress: Guests can upgrade their waterpark experience and skip the queues for AED 135 per person.
- Cabana: Guests can relax within the secluded and serene selection of private cabana. This reserved seating areas offer complimentary amenities and all-day cabana host service