



**ATLANTIS, THE PALM JOINS FORCES WITH HOSPITALITY POWERHOUSE SOLUTIONS LEISURE TO LAUNCH THE ULTIMATE ENTERTAINMENT DESTINATION, WAVEHOUSE**

*Opening in Q1 2019, this all-encompassing venue will merge adventure with live entertainment, fantastic food, creative beverages and one-of-a-kind experiences for adults and families alike*

**Dubai, UAE – 9<sup>th</sup> September 2018:** Atlantis, The Palm and leading F&B operator, Solutions Leisure, have joined forces to create a revolutionary dining and entertainment venue, called *Wavehouse*. Located at the iconic entertainment resort, the hotspot is due to launch in Q1 2019 and will well and truly shake up Dubai's definition of dining, entertainment and nightlife. With a ground-breaking approach including a family-friendly restaurant, sprawling terrace, four-lane bowling alley, a climbing frame, a kids' play area, gaming zone and adult-only bar, *Wavehouse* brings an exciting first to the GCC with the inclusion of a dedicated Wave Rider, a state-of-the-art wave machine allowing guests to feel the rush of surfing.

Set within the iconic Atlantis, The Palm, overlooking Aquaventure Waterpark, the rustic-beach-bar-meets-industrial-gastropub will be in a league of its own, seamlessly blending adult down-time with family activities and interactive adventures. Combining an upbeat atmosphere with a relaxed, contemporary design, *Wavehouse* will be the ideal location for Dubai residents and tourists alike to spend a chilled-out afternoon in the sun before kicking back for an evening of eats, beats and entertainment with live bands, DJs and various special events throughout the week across indoor and outdoor stages.

A key feature of *Wavehouse*, the ultramodern Wave Rider machine will be available to both waterpark and *Wavehouse* guests, with prime viewing from the sun-drenched terrace. As the only licensed venue immediately accessible from the waterpark, guests can jump out of the water and into the beach-themed changing sheds to dry off before quenching their thirst at the outdoor bar. Boasting a mouth-watering menu of lunch, dinner and snack options, *Wavehouse* will cater for both the health conscious and the comfort food-seekers, with everything from gourmet burgers, mega shakes and pizzas to fresh salads and light bites.

For an instant dose of fun, guests can check out *Levels*; a modern take on the classic arcade and game zone, destined to be a hit with all ages with a multi-level climbing frame and a chance to test their skills on the retro and new-age gaming consoles. The bowling alley features industry-leading technology and will include the option for private hire, perfect for those family and adult birthday bashes.



Wavehouse will further cement Atlantis, The Palm as *the* leading entertainment and culinary destination resort in Dubai, offering the next phase of family-friendly entertainment and dining within the UAE and joining Solution Leisure's multi-awarding winning portfolio of venues.

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#### **About Atlantis, The Palm, Dubai**

Atlantis, The Palm is the first entertainment resort destination in the region and located at the centre of the crescent of The Palm in Dubai. Opened in September 2008, the unique ocean-themed resort features a variety of marine and entertainment attractions, as well as 17 hectares of waterscape amusement at Aquaventure Waterpark, all within a 46-hectare site. It is home to one of the largest open-air marine habitats in the world, with over 65,000 marine animals in lagoons and displays including The Lost Chambers Aquarium, a maze of underwater corridors and passageways providing a journey through ancient Atlantis. Aquaventure features 18 million litres of fresh water used to power thrilling waterslides, a 2.3-kilometer river ride with tidal waves and pools, water rapids and white-water chargers. Dolphin Bay, the unparalleled dolphin conservation and education habitat, and Sea Lion Point were created to provide guests a once in a lifetime opportunity to learn more about one of nature's most friendly mammals. Atlantis, The Palm is also known as *the* culinary destination in the region with a collection of world-renowned restaurants including Bread Street Kitchen & Bar, Nobu and Ronda Locatelli. The resort boasts an impressive collection of luxury boutiques and shops as well as extensive meeting and convention facilities.

#### **About Solutions Leisure**



The UAE's most-awarded F&B group and pioneers of the approachable dining, nightlife and entertainment scene, Solutions Leisure, proudly owns and operates seven multi-award-winning brands and nine venues in the Middle East, dominating one of the fiercest and most fast-paced industries in the world. Its current portfolio includes the internationally acclaimed STK JBR and STK Downtown venues, Inner City Zoo, Q43 Dubai, Karma Kafe, Asia Asia, Lock Stock & Barrel Barsha and Lock, Stock & Barrel, and all-new concept, Wavehouse.

Currently employing over 700 passionate F&B rockstars across its nine venues in the UAE, each team member encompasses everything that we stand for, striving to create the moments people live for every single day. A culturally diverse group with a game-changing mindset, our team brings the knowledge, creativity and experience from across over 80 countries to form the UAE's leader in F&B.

In addition to the venues being recognized for their impact on the Dubai nightlife scene in 2018, the Solutions Leisure group received the extremely heartfelt and gracious time out Dubai 2018 outstanding contribution award; an honour for not only the directors, Paul Evans, Freek Teusink, Spencer Hartwell and Sacha Daniel, but the group's 700-odd strong team. After just five years in Dubai, they have continued to drive their dreams forward, offering an approachable yet luxury dining and nightlife experience to the emirate, not seen before.

In its most recent announcement, Solutions Leisure revealed its global expansion, moving into Eastern Europe in Q1 of 2019. In partnership with European engineering tycoon, Polimeks, Founders Paul Evans and Freek Teusink have signed three international licensing agreements across Russian cities Moscow and Kazan for both homegrown concepts, Asia Asia and Lock, Stock & Barrel.