



# DHIGALI

MALDIVES

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Dhigali is a contemporary new offering in the Maldives that heralds an innovative departure from the traditional Maldivian resort experience. We take pride in our diverse team made up of members of 18 different nationalities and the unique blend of service culture they bring.



### Unique Points DHIGALI APP

We are very excited to announce the new Dhigali App (An application which can be downloaded to your mobile or Ipad from the app store, using a QR code). The App allows our guests to find information about our resort including our fact Sheet, resort map, daily activities, SPA, and dining options. The App also has a very unique option of the "Shuttle Tracker" which allows you to track the resort shuttles online, while they are moving around the island. Our guests will always be connected and know when that next shuttle is coming by to take you to your required destination.



# the Island Experience

## Focus on Sustainable and Environmental Initiatives in Dhigali Maldives Modern Environment Friendly Design

All of our buildings, including all guest rooms, with their straight lines, simple design and fresh new concepts are aesthetically different from the traditional guest rooms of Maldives resorts but are ergonomically and functionally more efficient. They are better insulated; thus requires less power to cool and provide lighting.

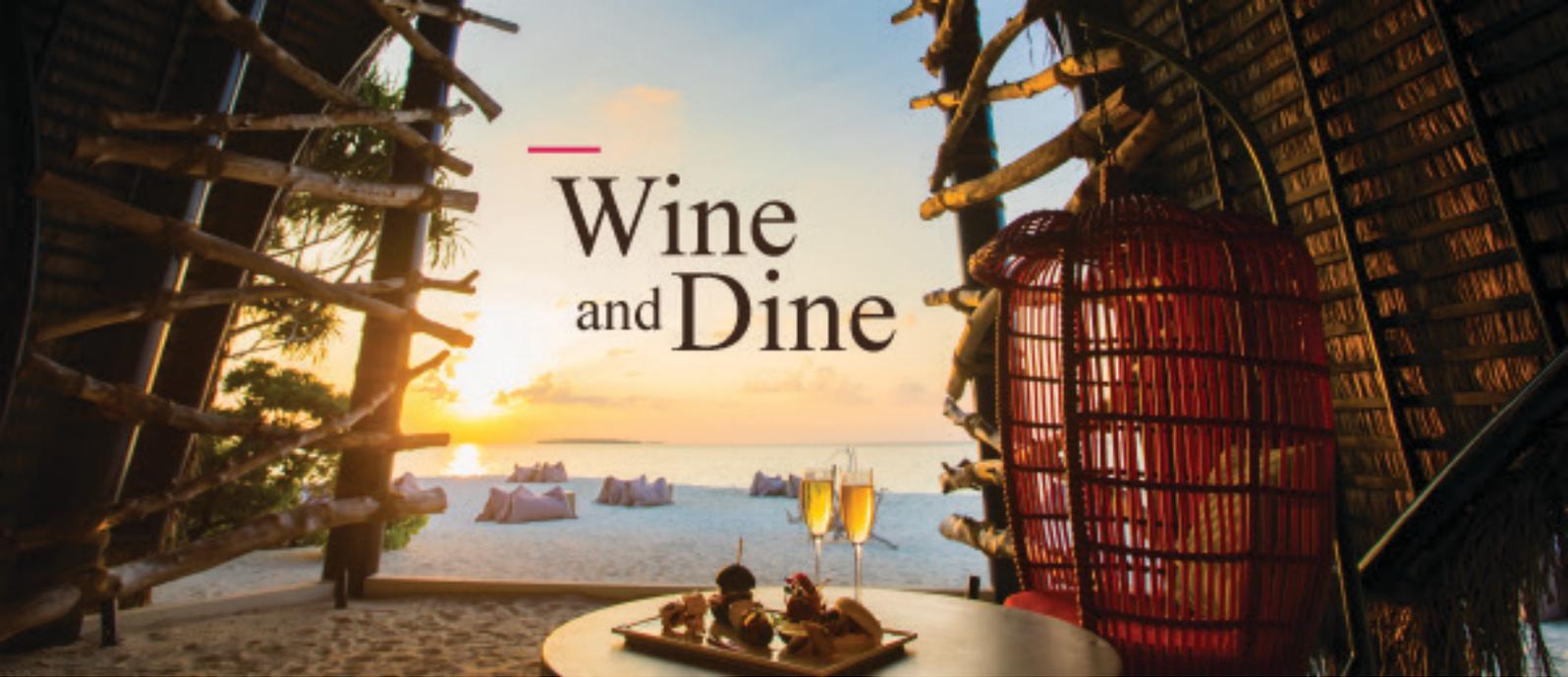
## Reducing the usage of plastic on the island - straw initiative and bottling plant

Every year, millions of discarded plastic water bottles are dumped into world's oceans and they are a threat to the survival of marine flora and fauna. As part of our efforts to reduce plastic, we have changed over from plastic straws to paper straws for all drinks served at our bars and restaurants. We are in the process of setting up a bottling plant which will help us reduce 90% of plastic bottles on the island.

## Preservation of original vegetation / Preservation of indigenous Flora and Fauna

We have preserved around 80% of the original vegetation of the island. Unlike other resort developments, the 'Jungle' that you see in the center of the island was untouched during construction phase. Almost all plants used in the landscaping around the buildings consist of indigenous varieties. We are home to more than 20 different species of birds. The tropical birds carry seeds from one island to the other and they have played an integral part in the growth of what you see today on the island. Our Spa and signature restaurant Battuta are both located in the center of the island which is set inside thick vegetation.

The "jungle walk" which is a one of the unique places to visit embraces the look and natural feel of time gone by.



# Wine and Dine

## Battuta Restaurant

Ibn Battuta is one of history's greatest explorers. In 1325 when he was just 21, he set out from his native Tangier (modern day Morocco). By the time he returned home for good, almost 30 years later, he had covered some 120,000 km and nearly every part of the Islamic world. Visiting the equivalent of 44 modern countries which were then mostly under the governments of Muslim leaders of the World of Islam, or "Dar al-Islam". Over the course of his travels Battuta spent a great deal of time in the Maldives, particularly Raa Atoll, so there is no better ambassador to highlight the cuisine of the Maldives.

Our menu takes not only from the local specialties but also chronicles this great man's journey through the showcasing of cuisines from his many travels.

To enrich the menu, our Chef introduced a new Chinese Menu in Battuta, with the special touch of Chinese flavors, famous Spring rolls, delicious Seafood Chow Mein and many other dishes from our Asian neighbours.

All items on the menu except the starred items are available to order for our Dine Around All Inclusive guests.

Our Full and Half Board guests enjoy a 20% discount off any of the dishes on the Menu.

## Sunset Lagoon Wine Tasting

Introduced for our Guests in September. Watch the wonderful sunset, chill and listen to the music, while relaxing in the lagoon and exploring the connections between food and wine with the help of our Guest Sommeliers. This is an opportunity to develop your expertise in the art of wine and perhaps discover new favorites.

## Café

Café is a unique place to savor different coffees of the world. We encourage you to pass by to enjoy your coffee with a selection of pastries and cakes that have been freshly made. The Café is offering amazing combinations of gourmet cuisine and snacks served along the day to ignite the mood and feed the spirit, Open 10:00 - 17:00.



# Spa and Wellbeing

Dhigali Spa with its luxury infrastructure has been designed to rejuvenate the body, mind and spirit. We have introduced the Complimentary Yoga Classes for our guests three times a week. Our guests can enjoy the Sunrise or Sunset Yoga each Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

## Honeymoon Benefits

We have recently introduced our special honeymoon amenities as part of the Honeymoon Package to help celebrate this special occasion. The Honeymoon Basket provides a taste of Dhigali Maldives, with a collection of specific items that help you celebrate your time together. It is applicable for clients traveling within 6 months from the date of your wedding.

**Lose yourself in this luxury hideaway with a difference**



# Dive and Discover

The marine life in Maldives is incredibly rich and beautiful. Scuba Diving is the main attraction in the Maldives and it's estimated that 60% of visitors do some sort of diving activity which suggests how beautiful the location is. There are several recognized and named dive sites and many accessible from our Dhigali Maldives to explore and discover. Immersion Dive Centre, shares with us their favorite diving sites. Kuroshigiri Canyon – is one of the most popular and exciting dive sites in Raa Atoll due to the abundance of aquatic life and healthy corals.

A fully-equipped PADI dive center, we offer beginner dives, dive courses and specialties. Summer has been a very productive period for Euro-Divers Dhigali, with 2 new dive sites discovered.

## Glass Bottom Kayak

Slowly paddle in the lagoon and enjoy the colors of the ocean- this is a more leisurely way to enjoy a day in paradise. Our guests can use the Glass Bottom Kayak as one of their every day activities.

## Special Offers

Enjoy accommodation packages and discounts available from Dhigali Maldives. Please check our Special Offers on website: [www.dhigali.com/offers](http://www.dhigali.com/offers)

### Romance at Dhigali

Celebrate your love for each other with the couple's massage, special dinner and more!

### Dhigali Getaway

Start your Maldives adventure by saving 35% on Best Available rate together with complimentary breakfast and diner for the dates between 1 May till 31 October 2018

### Book Early, Save More

Book before end of September and get 20% discount from the best available rates with complimentary breakfast for the dates between 1 November until 30 April 2019



# Dhigali Team

## Restaurant Manager, Mr. Amal Wijesundara.

We are pleased to introduce our new Restaurant Manager, Mr. Amal Wijesundara. Prior to joining Dhigali Maldives, Amal was working as Restaurant Manager at several properties in Maldives. He has several years of experience, working in reputable hotels in the Middle East like -Four Seasons and Accor. Amal is from Sri Lanka and apart from his native Sinhalese and English, he can speak and understand -Arabic, Dhivehi and Hindi. Amal brings his vast experience in Food & Beverage department now to Dhigali Maldives in his new role as Restaurant Manager for our Signature Restaurant- Battuta.