

17 August 2011

Coffee morning guests

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Upcoming outings/events

If you'd like to attend, contact
Jacqueline by [email](#) or on 050 132 8062

24 Aug – 9 holes + lunch with [ADWG Ladies Golf](#) at Saadiyat. Cost 290dhs.

11 Sep – 9 holes + lunch with [ADWG Ladies Golf](#) at Yas Links. Cost 215dhs.

28 Sep – 9 holes + lunch with [ADWG Ladies Golf](#) at Saadiyat. Cost 290dhs.

7 Dec – Xmas lunch at Teatro, Park Rotana. Cost is 195dhs (same as last year) for full luncheon.

Out & about town

9-30 Aug – Ramadan & Eid Festival at ADNEC. More on [website](#)

14-17 Sep - Abu Dhabi International Hunting & Equestrian Exhibition at ADNEC. With a designated heritage area, camel auctions, saluki beauty contests, art competitions and traditional hunting and equestrian activities, this is a great way to learn more about local traditions! See [website](#) for more info

16 Sep – Liam Gallagher (of Oasis notoriety) will be performing live with his new band Beady Eye from 8pm at FLASH Forum, Yas Island. See [website](#) for info & how to book.

27 Sep-1 Oct – Chic Lady Show See [website](#) for more info

29 Sep – The Pink Ladies BRAS (Breast Research, Awareness & Screening) annual ball at Crowne Plaza, Yas Island. See attached for more details.

7 Oct - Bjorn Again live in concert at ADNEC, performing the greatest hits of ABBA and Mamma Mia, plus The Maplejacks & after party at Aloft Hotel. Tickets are from 75dhs (book [online](#)) or stay the night with special ROOM PACKAGE including Aloft Hotel Room + 2 silver tickets AED599 (incl taxes & use of pool next day). To book call 02 654 5103

13 Oct – the annual Eddie Ward Ball organized by The Abu Dhabi Lighthouse will be held at Yas Crowne Plaza. See attached for info.

13-22 Oct – Abu Dhabi Film Festival more info on [website](#)

19 Oct-28 Feb 2012 – Emirati Expressions exhibition at [Manarat Al Saadiyat](#) will feature works by Emirati photographers collaborating with one of the world's most **renowned** photographers, Stephen Shore. More info on [website](#)

30 Oct – Pink Lady Day 2011 at Abu Dhabi Golf Club to raise funds for breast cancer charity. The theme for this year's event will be 'Royal Wedding', with prizes to the best dressed team of four and for best golf. The event format will be Fourball Shambles with a shotgun start. Details of teams can be emailed to [Michelle Larter](#) or [Phil Waine](#). Please give full names, handicaps and email address.

11-13 Nov – Formula 1 Grand Prix, Yas Island. More info on [website](#)

16-19 Nov – Abu Dhabi Art The annual art fair will be held this year in and around the UAE Pavilion and Manarat Al Saadiyat in Saadiyat Cultural District. It's a platform for modern, contemporary art and design, bringing together a selection of leading art galleries from across the world to Abu Dhabi. More info on [website](#)

26 Nov – ADNIC Yas Run 2011 Run 10km around Yas Circuit, following the F1 route. Registration now open – see [website](#) for more details.

28 Nov-2 Dec – Gulf 4 Good's *Cycle the 7 Emirates Challenge*. Registration now open – see [website](#) for more details.

Member update

As you can see, I've been playing with the newsletter format - let me know what you think... and hopefully it fixes some of the formatting issues many of you have had.

We've had a fantastic turnout at the Monday coffee mornings at Yas Links this month, so we're considering holding 1 coffee morning there each month. Apart from giving us a bit of variety, this would also give us more flexibility with our guest speakers as we have our own room. Please let us know what you think!

Also make note that the Tue coffee morning on 30 Aug has been **CANCELLED**, as it falls during Eid. And with less than 2 weeks left of Aug, don't forget about the special offers for our group at both the Chi Spa & Health Club (Shangri-la Hotel) and Sharanis Wellness Spa - details attached.

:) Marcia

Tidbit of the week

Mushrif Mall is now open! Not all shops are open yet, but it's worth checking out... apart from the normal department stores, there's a Golf House (woohoo!!) which is located in Stadium Sports, and there's also a Daiso (both of which are open now). There will be Lakeland Plastics, Monsoon and much, much more.

Give this month to Box Appeal

Radisson Blu and Park Inn Hotels in the Middle East are coordinating this charity initiative from 15th Aug-15th Sept, where they collect everyday items to give to those in need. To take part, all you need to do is pick up a box from any Radisson Blu or Park Inn Hotel on Yas Island, fill with the list of items and return to the hotel. For more info on the appeal, check out the [facebook](#) page.

Cycle for (Gulf 4) Good!

Join Gulf 4 Good's 5 day cycle ride through the 7 Emirates to help educate disadvantaged children in the UAE. The challenge takes place from 28 Nov-2 Feb, starting in Al Ain and costs 2,200dhs. See [website](#) for more info & registration form.

Pink Ladies BRAS charity ball 29/09

The annual Pink Ladies BRAS (Breast Research, Awareness & Screening) ball will be held at Yas Crowne Plaza on Thurs, 29 Sept. To show our support and help raise funds for this charity which is important to all of us, we've decided to book an ADWG table (or 2 or 3!). Email [Jacqueline](#) if you (and your partner) would like to share our table... pricing & event details are attached.

WANTED: vendors for new RIPE Market

The organizers of the new RIPE Abu Dhabi Organic Market are now taking applications from local boutique food, craft or artist businesses/individuals interested in participating. Launching 18 November, the market will be held every Friday from 9.30am-1pm at the new Khalifa Park's Desert Garden Centre. Fee per vendor is AED100 per market day, and vendors will be licenced to sell through Desert Garden's retail licence. Participating vendors will also be marketed on RIPE web site. If you're interested, see attached for more details and application form.

ADWG Ladies Golf

[ADWG Ladies Golf](#) is a sub-group of ADWG, focused purely on golf (as the name indicates!). There is a separate mailing list and newsletter, and a number of regular events - weekly golf mornings with lessons for every level, weekly play & monthly golfing events at Yas Links, Saadiyat and other clubs. If you'd like to find out more, contact [Jacqueline](#) and ask to be added to the mailing list.