

Six Senses Resorts & Spas Has Created 'SLOW LIFE Hour'

Six Senses has earned its position as a leader in the global hospitality sector by combining luxury lifestyle and environmental responsibility. As a demonstration of this commitment, all Six Senses-branded properties and spas located worldwide will participate in monthly SLOW LIFE Hour.

This idea was from Earth Hour, a global environmental awareness event organised by the World Wildlife Fund (WWF) and we successfully implemented on Saturday March 28, 2009 at 8.30pm local time.

In addition to turning off the lights, each Six Senses resort and spa has created programmes offering guests innovative experiences to enjoy during SLOW LIFE Hour. At properties including Soneva Gili by Six Senses in the Maldives, Six Senses Sanctuary Phuket in Thailand and Evason Ma'In Hot Spring in Jordan, romantic candlelit dinners and educational group discussions led by each of the resort's resident environmentalist are some of the activities guests can enjoy on the night. Soneva Fushi by Six Senses in the Maldives, which will become carbon free by 2010, is offering guests an array of dining experiences with accompanying musicians and the opportunity to star-gaze and learn about the universe with the resort's resident astronomy students at the Observatory. Six Senses Spas, with locations ranging from Canary Wharf in London, Barcelona in Spain, Doha in Qatar and Phuket in Thailand, will offer group meditation classes, educational discussions and spa treatments in the soft glow of locally produced candles.

The Earth Hour initiative is in line with Six Senses' 20/20 vision, which is to make the entire Six Senses portfolio not just *zero carbon* in our on-site operations by 20/20, but for Six Senses to implement programmes that will result in a *net absorption of CO2*. Six Senses will, thus, go beyond zero carbon to reach the next step of our goal, which is to be *decarbonising*. This means that rather than leaving a small footprint and touching the land that we develop, we will in fact be erasing the footprints and damage caused by others.

Please visit www.sixsenses.com for more information about Six Senses' social and environmental programmes.



Candlelit dining at Soneva Gili - Maldives



Dining in the candle light at
Evason Hua Hin - Thailand



Six Senses Zighy Bay lighted up by
candles and torches - Oman