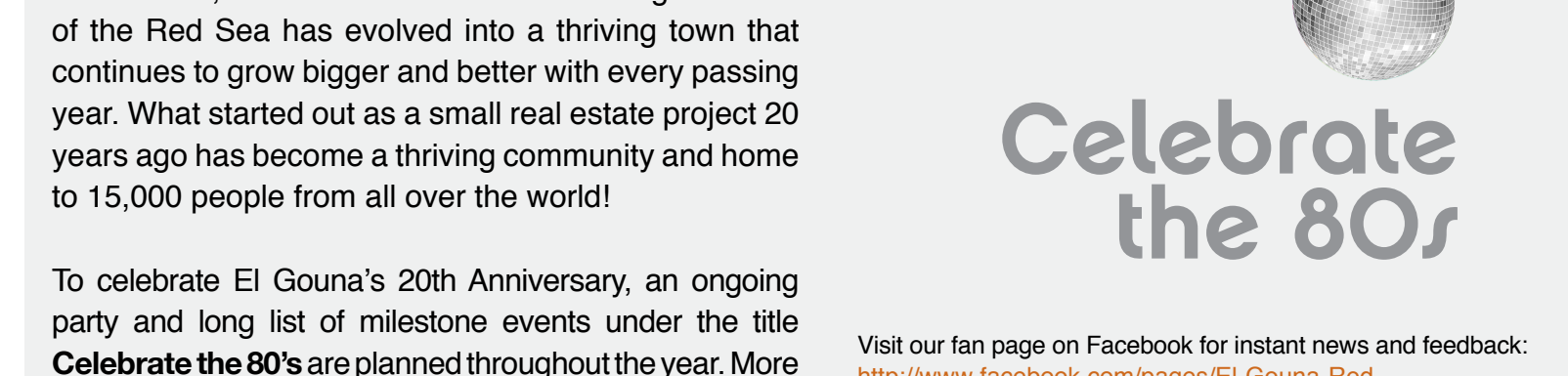


20 YEARS El Gouna 1989-2009

August 2009
Newsletter



ANNIVERSARY

20 YEARS: STRONG AND GROOVING!

In El Gouna, one man's dream to reside along the coast of the Red Sea has evolved into a thriving town that continues to grow bigger and better with every passing year. What started out as a small real estate project 20 years ago has become a thriving community and home to 15,000 people from all over the world!

To celebrate El Gouna's 20th Anniversary, an ongoing party and long list of milestone events under the title **Celebrate the 80's** are planned throughout the year. More details will follow in upcoming issues of this newsletter.



Visit our fan page on Facebook for instant news and feedback:
<http://www.facebook.com/pages/El-Gouna-Red-Sea/4882904314?ref=ts>

AROUND TOWN

OUTDOOR FURNITURE BY KARIBE

The newly opened Karibe shop offers outdoor furniture made of washable rattan, ideal for patio and outdoor use.

Special welcome price: Sun-lounger complete with cushion, 200 x 76 cm, for only 2,100 LE instead of 2,325 LE. Valid until August 30, 2009.

New Marina Plaza, MB 14-6, ext 75506,
+2 010 198 8435, info@love-island.eu

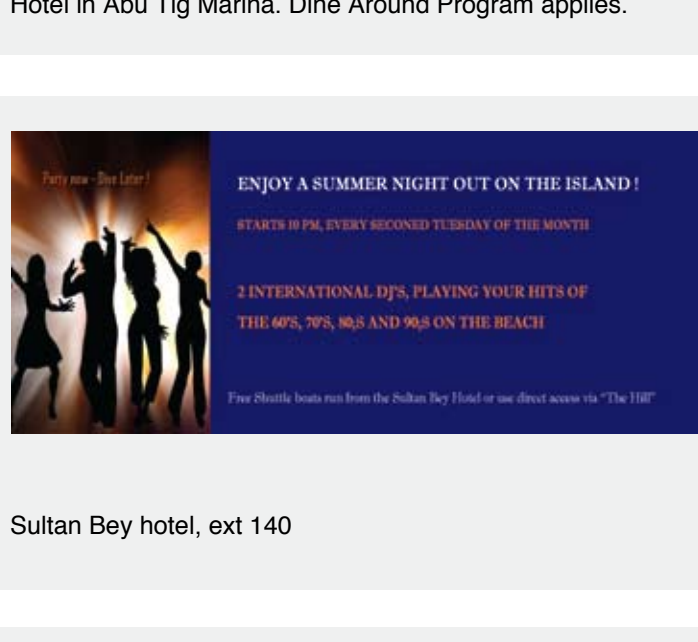


NEW OPENING HOURS FOR SHINING STONES

The Shining Stones marble polishing and stone cleaning company has new opening hours: from 10 am to 2:30 pm and from 3:30 to 9 pm.

Kaercher products are also for sale (from the catalogue only).

Downtown El Balad near the museum, Building H1, Shop 1
ext 34049, +2 016 648 7781, www.shining-stones.org



FOOD & DRINK

AN INSPIRED NEW BELGIAN MENU AT CHEZ PASCAL

The specialty restaurant Chez Pascal has introduced a new menu with some sweeping changes to its food offerings. Drawing inspiration from world famous Belgian restaurants, the aim is to be a very energetic restaurant full of new ideas passionately researched, very seasonal, with local, organic ingredients expertly prepared. The fresh food you crave is prepared everyday using the highest quality ingredients; soups, salad dressings, and sauces are always made from scratch. Chez Pascal doesn't cut corners and doesn't settle when it comes to authentic tastes like their toasted hand-cut croutons or their homemade chocolate sauce. With every bite their big, bold flavors will delight your taste buds at prices that will inspire you to come back for more.

The new menu has maintained some of the old Belgian favorites such as the succulent chateaubriands and filet steaks with a variety of sauces including pepper and béarnaise, while exciting new Belgian dishes



were added. For instance, take the shrimps diablo or house-prepared shrimp croquettes with remoulade sauce as a starter and continue with a chicken chowder from Ghent with seasonal vegetables or a beef fillet with shallots confits. Finish this delight with apple beignets with vanilla ice cream or a rich and creamy chocolate mousse, Belgian style.

Chez Pascal Restaurants are located at The Three Corners Fihama Resort Downtown and The Three Corners Ocean View Hotel in Abu Tig Marina. Dine Around Program applies.

ZEYTOUNA ISLAND BEACH DINNER

Dinner will be served right at the beach on Zeytouna Island on Tuesday, **August 4**, starting at 7 pm. Put your flip-flops and swimwear on, stick your feet into the sand, and enjoy a relaxing evening!

Boats will run all evening from the Sultan Bey hotel; please note that the hotel's main restaurant will be closed on that evening.



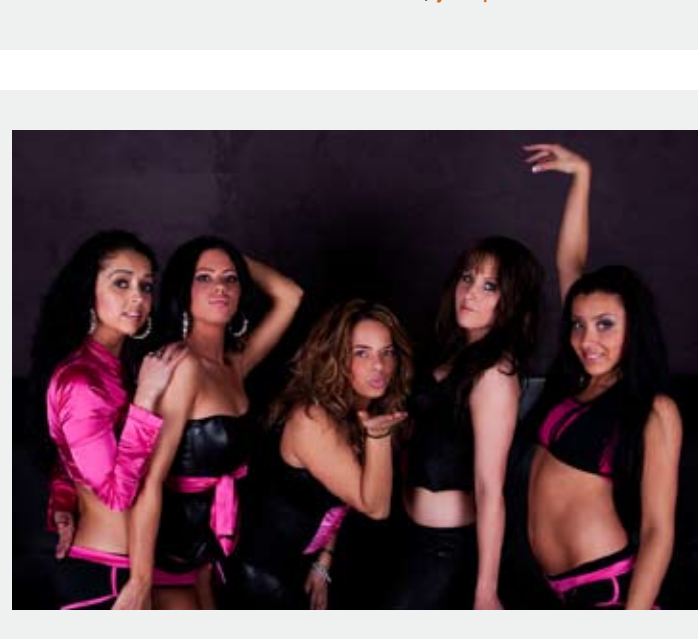
Sultan Bey hotel, ext 140

MOEVENPICK BEACH BBQ

Every Thursday evening, enjoy a rich Barbecue Buffet with delicious items from the grill and seasonal salads in a relaxed and casual atmosphere on the beach.

August special offer: pay 4 get 5 when bringing a printout of this newsletter!

Advance reservations is necessary, contact the hotel's Guest Relations desk call +2 065 354 4501 and ask for ext 7014



MOEVENPICK SUSHI LOUNGE BAR

Enjoy delicious sushi prepared by Little Buddha for an evening with a difference at Café Vienna. Guests are welcome every evening from 7-10:30 pm for a unique dining experience; reservations are not necessary.

August special: 10% discount on a table of 4 persons when bringing a printout of this newsletter!

Moevenpick spa area, Hill parking entrance, ext 120



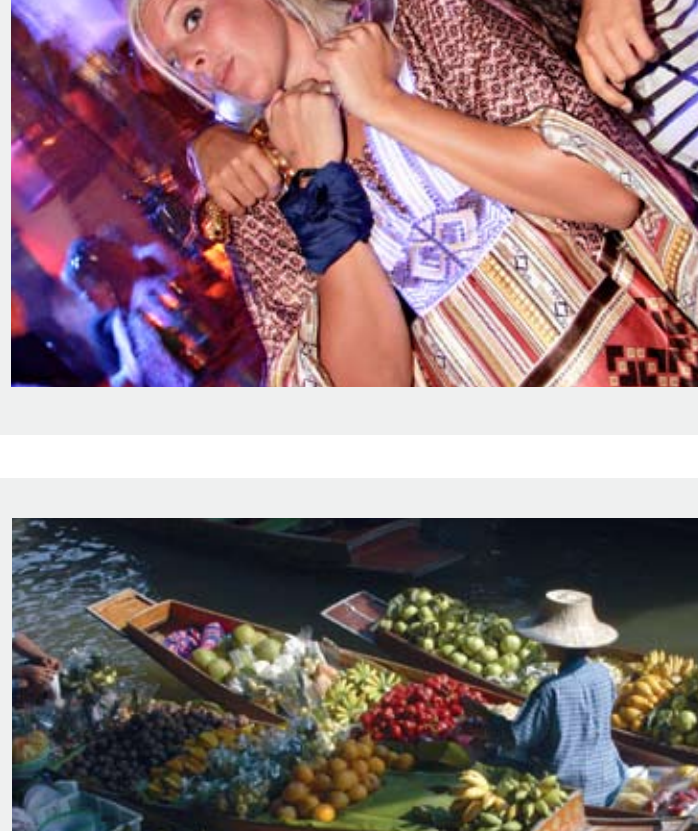
SUMMER PARTIES

JAZZ, SOUL AND BLUES BY NINA AND CRAIG

Piano player and vocalist Nina Zagorski is coming to town this August to perform with resident saxophonist and percussionist Craig Hume. Nina has a superb voice in keeping with such contemporary vocalists as Diana Krall and Juliet Roberts. Her debut album "Funny Days" was released in 2003 and she is much in demand for live performances and recording sessions. Nina turned professional four years ago and since then has made over a thousand live performances throughout the UK.

Craig has worked with The Justin Hayward band (Moody Blues), Mike D'Abo, The Johnny Mars band from the USA, and has played alongside numerous other professional artists including top US band Orson, UK dance stars The Egg, and UK soul/funk band Nu York State.

Nina and Craig have held residencies at jazz venues across the UK, including the renowned Pizza Express and the Harrogate Brasserie. Their ever expanding duo repertoire includes hits from artists such as Aretha Franklin, Marvin Gaye, Otis Redding, Eva Cassidy, Van Morrison, and Nina Simone. From wonderful soul ballads to pop classics including Natural Woman or Fields of Gold, Nina and Craig always deliver an



inspiring performance delighting and entertaining audiences wherever they perform.

They will bring their special jazz, soul, and blues sound to El Gouna for several concerts between August 8 and 14, 2009.

For information call +2 018 144 4279, julleptr@hotmail.co.uk

WELLNESS AND SPA

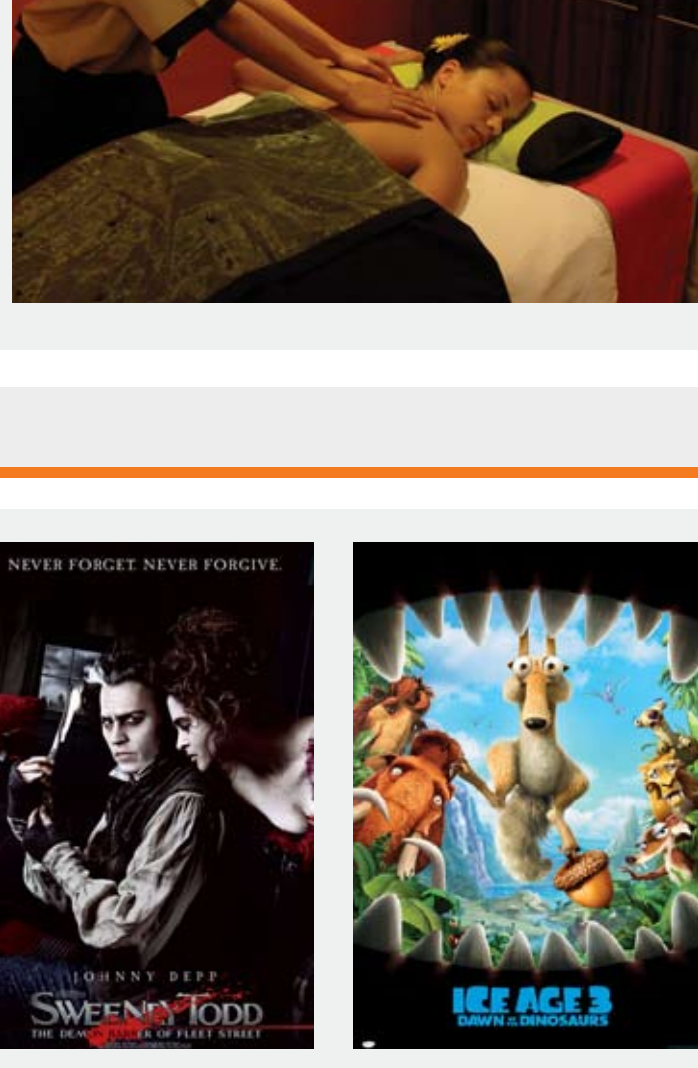
ANGSANA SPA AUGUST OFFER

40% discount
on Body Massages (90/120-minute session)
Equilibrium (30-minute back massage & 30-minute face massage)

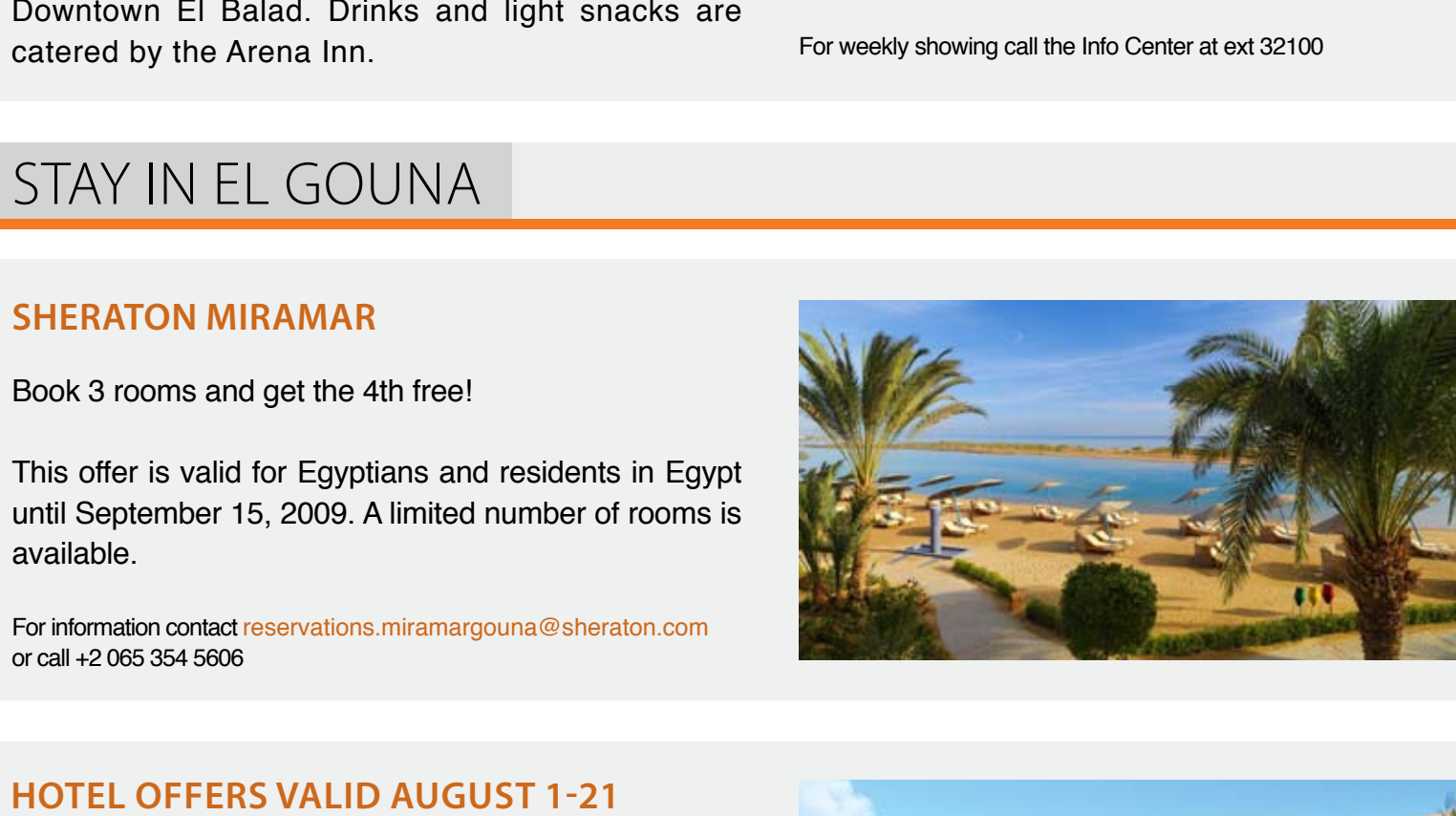
30% discount
on all Spa packages

Promotion applicable for all treatments, excluding manicure, pedicure, and facial treatments.
Valid August 1-31, 2009.

For reservations call ext 78100



CINEMA



MIRAGE MOVIE NIGHTS

Summer blockbusters are playing at **8:30 pm every Sunday and Tuesday** with a double showing **every Thursday at 8:30 pm and 10:30 pm**. Entrance is free and a new movie is featured every week at Mirage, El Gouna's open-air movie theatre in Downtown, El Balad. Drinks and light snacks are catered by the Arena Inn.

02 August The Invasion
09 August One Missed Call
16 August The Reaping
23 August Sweeney Todd
30 August Ice Age 3

For weekly showing call the Info Center at ext 32100

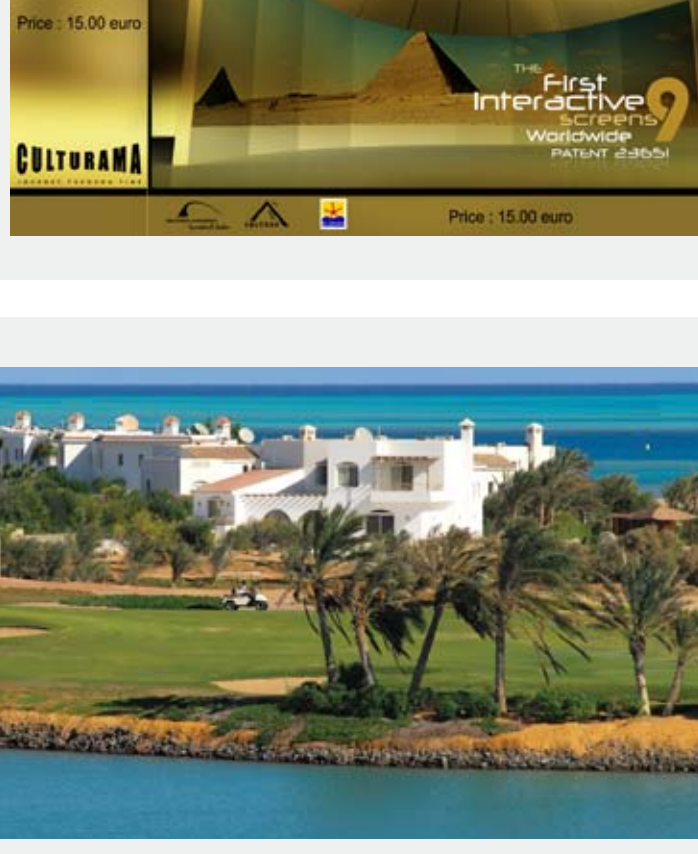
STAY IN EL GOUNA

SHERATON MIRAMAR

Book 3 rooms and get the 4th free!

This offer is valid for Egyptians and residents in Egypt until September 15, 2009. A limited number of rooms is available.

For information contact reservations.miramargouna@sheron.com or call +2 065 354 5606



HOTEL OFFERS VALID AUGUST 1-21

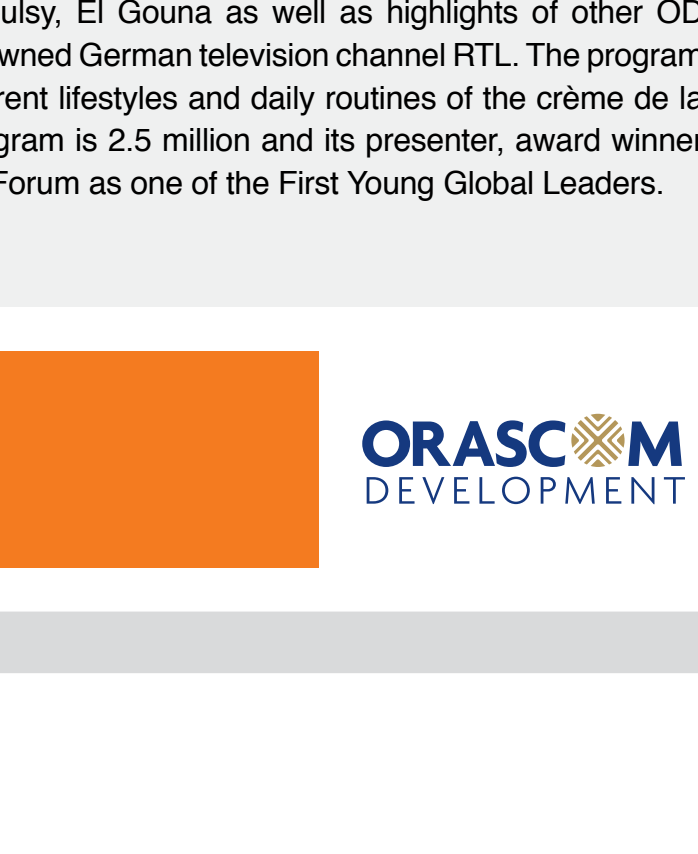
Steinberger Golf Resort: single 565 LE, double 375 LE, triple 360 LE, inclusive of breakfast and dinner buffet.

Dawar El Omda: single 340 LE, double 235 LE, Triple 225 LE, inclusive of breakfast and dinner buffet.

Arena Inn: single 350 LE, double 225 LE, inclusive of breakfast and dinner buffet. Family room supplement add 150 LE per room per night for 2 adults and 2 children.

Marina Hotels (Captain's Inn, Turtle's Inn, Ali Pasha): single 240 LE, double 150 LE, triple LE 135 (no triple in Turtle's Inn), inclusive of breakfast; dinner supplement 80 LE per person per night.

Above prices are per person per night and valid from August 1-21, 2009, for Egyptians and foreign residents only. Ask about our children's policy.



For group bookings of 10 rooms or more please contact the Cairo Sales office.
For reservations at any Orascom hotel, contact +2 02 3302 98768, cairo_sales@orascom.com book online on www.elgouna.com

COMMUNITY

CULTURAMA REDUCED PRICE

The Culturama ticket price has been reduced from 15 Euros to ONLY 10 Euros, making it all the easier to enjoy historical culture at the El Gouna Library!

Free entry for children under the age of 8.
Arabic show is available upon request.

For information call ext 32589, +2 065 358 0023



Thanks to the efforts of El Gouna resident Bisho Tarabouly, El Gouna as well as highlights of other OD international real estate projects will be featured on the renowned German television channel RTL. The program named "Rich People Around the Globe" presents the different lifestyles and daily routines of the crème de la crème of the world. The approximate audience of this program is 2.5 million and its presenter, award winner Carola Ferstl, was recognized at the last World Economic Forum as one of the First Young Global Leaders.

Watch it on RTL on **August 9 at 8:05 am** (in German language only).



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