



Kalahari Resorts and Conventions - Sandusky - Fact Sheet

Kalahari Resorts Sandusky is Ohio's Largest Indoor Waterpark, a unique all-under-one-roof experience that combines wet and wild fun with world-class dining, a luxurious spa, live entertainment, diverse shopping experiences, a huge game room, Safari Outdoor Adventure Park and a state-of-the-art convention center.

Resort Details:

- **Opened:** June 2005
- **Total Resort Square Footage:** 1.3M sq. ft.
- **Associates:** Approximately 1,000
- **Waterparks:** 173,000 sq ft indoor waterpark; 300,000 sq ft outdoor waterpark and adventure park
 - 30 waterslides; 20 pools and whirlpools; outdoor pools span 3 acres
 - Attractions include FlowRider, Wave Pool Experience, Lazy River, diVR underwater virtual reality experience, an adult swim-up bar, special kids' areas, indoor and outdoor spas and private cabanas
- **Safari Outdoor Adventure Park:** Seasonal dry play attractions
 - Offers outdoor ropes courses, climbing walls, Safari Adventure Animal Park, The Great Escape 18-Hole Mini Golf and more.
- **Calming Room:** A safe and convenient space specially designed and certified for guests with sensory processing difficulties like autism and ADHD. Sensory, safety and comfort kits are also available.
- **Guest Rooms:** 890 Guest rooms & suites; Waterpark admission is included for every registered guest
 - Six 5-Bedroom entertainment villas, 1 to 3 bedroom suites, many with kitchens, fireplaces & balconies
- **Convention Center:** 215,000 sq. ft. of flexible space
 - 3 Ballrooms: 38,232 Kilimanjaro, 17,200 sq ft Kalahari and the exquisitely appointed 11,823 sq ft River Rooms
 - 39 Meeting rooms
 - 2 Luxury Boardrooms
 - Exhibit space for 400+ booths
 - Dedicated loading docks including multiple 24' x 20' rollup doors

- Full service business center
- Exceptional pre-function space totaling over 30,000 sq ft
- **Spa Kalahari and Salon:** Body treatments, massage, skin care, nail care and hair services
 - Special offerings include Halotherapy salt therapy and float pod
- **Food and Beverage:** 11 dining outlets, including quick-bite options
 - 2 signature, full service restaurants:
 - **Sortino's Italian Kitchen-** Authentic family-style Italian with wood fired pizzas, pastas and more
 - **B-Lux Grill & Bar-** Deliciously unique burgers and shakes handcrafted from scratch with fresh ingredients that are locally sourced
 - **Cafe Mirage-** Offers burgers, sandwiches, wraps, pizza, wings, salads, snacks and more. Visit for breakfast, lunch, dinner or just a snack.
 - **Great Karoo Marketplace Buffet-** Located just off the resort lobby with multiple food stations and buffets.
 - **Pizza Pub-** freshly baked pizzas delivered right to your room
 - **Candy Hut-** Hand-dipped chocolate, fabulous caramel apples, homemade fudge, salt water taffy, phenomenal ice cream and more
 - **Java Manjaro-** Gourmet coffees, pastries, desserts, hot sandwiches, smoothies
 - **Waterpark Food and Drink-** Safari Snacks, Mud Hut, ZanziBar, Monsoon Saloon, Zulu Grille
- **Location:** 7000 Kalahari Dr, Sandusky, OH 44870 Located Immediately off Rt. 250, 2 minutes from I90/Rt. 2 at exit 118; Kalahari Resort Convention Center is ideally located near Lake Erie shores and islands; 45 minutes from Cleveland, 2 hours from Detroit, 1.5 hours from Akron, 2.25 hours from Columbus, 4 hours from Cincinnati, 3 hours from Pittsburgh, PA.

About Kalahari Resorts and Conventions

Kalahari Resorts and Conventions in Wisconsin Dells, Wisconsin, Sandusky, Ohio, the Pocono Mountains, Pennsylvania, and opening soon in Round Rock, Texas, deliver a beyond-expectations waterpark resort and conference experience all under one roof. The authentically African-themed Kalahari Resorts, privately owned by the Nelson family, are home to America's largest indoor waterparks. All Kalahari Resorts feature well-appointed guest rooms, full-service Spa Kalahari, a fun-filled family entertainment center, on-site signature restaurants, unique retail shops and a state-of-the-art convention center. Kalahari Resorts and Conventions frequently receives awards and accolades for its guest and convention services. Recognition includes: Condé Nast Traveler's #1 World's Coolest Indoor Waterparks, Sensory Friendly Certified in 2020 (Ohio), Best Family-Friendly Meeting Hotel and Resort in Smart Meeting's 2020 Smart Stars Awards, Parents' Magazine 2019 Kids' Travel Award Winner and TripAdvisor's 2018 and 2017 Travelers' Choice Awards. For reservation and guest information, call

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