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**GRAND RESIDENCES RIVIERA CANCUN INTRODUCES NEW SUMMER OFFERINGS
FOR GUESTS OF ALL AGES**

Leading Riviera Maya resort kicks off the summer travel season with opportunities to swim with whale sharks, rescue sea turtles and book a family getaway package

CANCUN, Mexico – May 26, 2015 – An affiliate to the Leading Hotels of the World collection and the newly awarded recipient of a Trip Advisor 2015 Certificate of Excellence, [Grand Residences Riviera Cancun](#) announces special seasonal offerings for family fun in the sun, including swimming with whale sharks and helping rescue sea turtles. Best of all, the resort has also extended its popular Grand Family Getaway Package through the end of the summer.

The bucket list-worthy experience of swimming with whale sharks is made possible for guests through the resort's in-house travel agency, Thomas More Travel. Guests can partake in what is known as the largest whale shark gathering in the world, as hundreds of these gentle giants – the largest fish in the sea – migrate to the northern waters of the Mexican Caribbean to feed on plankton. From now through mid-September, trips are available to the whale shark feeding grounds off the nearby island of Holbox. In addition to swimming, snorkeling or diving experience with whale sharks, passengers may also spot dolphins, sea turtles and huge manta rays during their adventure.

The summer also marks the return of sea turtle season in the Cancun and Riviera Maya areas. A member of the Puerto Morelos turtle protection campaign, Grand Residences is proud to have protected 12 nests in the corral and to have released 915 baby turtles in 2014. This year, the sea turtle nannies, as they are known at the resort, will return to conduct nightly patrols to search for turtles who have ventured to the beaches to lay their eggs. Once the nests have been located and protected, the nannies stand guard until the eggs hatch and the babies are ready to be released. Guests staying at Grand Residences can participate and attend the turtle releases, and after receiving instructions on how to hold and release the turtles, each person is given a turtle to set free. During the sea turtle season, each guest also receives a complimentary wooden sea turtle as a memento of the experience.

Adding these activities to an itinerary is easy with the Grand Family Getaway Package, which has been extended through the summer by popular demand. The package includes: luxury accommodations for two to five people at a 25 percent discount off published rates; daily a la carte breakfast for two at El Faro Grill; complimentary Wi-Fi; complimentary European Tea Time experience; and deluxe full-sized Bvlgari amenities, enough for the whole family. In addition, children under 12 stay free when sharing their parents' suite (a maximum of one child in a Junior Suite and a maximum of two children in a Master Suite).

The Grand Family Getaway Package is valid for stays of four nights or more through December 19, 2015. Nightly rates start at US\$319 and include US\$50 daily resort credits. To book, visit www.grandresidencesrivieracancun.com or call 1-855-381-4340 and mention "Grand Family Package."

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About Grand Residences Riviera Cancun

An affiliate to the prestigious Leading Hotels of the World collection, the 103-all-suite Grand Residences Riviera Cancun debuted on December 7, 2013. Situated in a private enclave between scenic Riviera Maya and bustling Cancun, this exclusive hideaway is ideally located between the world's second largest barrier reef and a tranquil nature preserve. This five-star resort sets a new standard in luxury beachfront living: sprawling suites designed as private residences; gourmet dining; a world-class spa and salon; personalized beach and pool service; and much more. The ideal spot for outdoor adventurers, Grand Residences provides guests with experiences of a lifetime such as snorkeling along the world's longest underground rivers, exploring the historical treasures of ancient Mayan ruins or simply unwinding on miles of white-sand beaches. For shopping and nightlife, tropical beach hotspot Cancun is only eleven miles away. For more information or reservations, call 1-855-381-4340 or visit www.grandresidencesrivieracancun.com.