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KALAHARI RESORT'S NEW SAFARI OUTDOOR ADVENTURE PARK MARKS FIFTH BIRTHDAY OF OHIO DESTINATION AND ADDS TO HIGH-OCTANE OFFERINGS FOR LEISURE AND GROUP TRAVELERS

- \$77 Million Invested in Expansions Since 2005 Resort Opening -

SANDUSKY, Ohio (May 26, 2010) – Kalahari Resort today takes its unique indoor vacation concept outside with the unveiling of the new African-themed Safari Outdoor Adventure Park featuring a thrilling zip line tour, ropes course, climbing walls and more. Known for its under-one-roof getaway which includes America's largest indoor waterpark, Kalahari Resort's Sandusky, Ohio property marks its fifth birthday with its fourth major expansion, just in time for summer.

Opening on **May 29**, the Safari Outdoor Adventure Park adds to the outdoor entertainment which currently includes: a 77,000-square-foot outdoor waterpark, playground, shuffleboards, sand volleyball courts and Safari Adventure Animal Park, which opened last summer and offers up close and personal encounters with African animals including giraffes and zebras.

“At a time when drive-to escapes are on the rise, we continue to add to our offerings, creating a memorable experience for families, couples and meeting attendees,” says Todd Nelson, president and owner of Kalahari Resorts. “Our five years in Ohio has flown by, and we're dedicated to taking the Kalahari Resort vacation concept to another level by continuing to innovate, offering our guests a getaway they won't find anywhere else in the U.S.”

NEW Safari Outdoor Adventure Park Features:

Zip Line Tour: Guests will sail 40 to 60 feet above the 77,000-square-foot outdoor waterpark on a zip line tour that includes four 200-400-foot lines.

Ropes Course: Themed to resemble an African tree house village with thatched huts, African masks and more, the three-story course spans over 750 feet of rope and includes 48 climbing elements.

Climbing Walls: Two 32-foot walls feature auto belaying and race timers for competitive adventurers.

Zanzibar Grille: Guests can take in the summer rays while dining on everything from stir fry to steak.

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In addition, the new Safari Outdoor Adventure Park serves as an attraction for groups planning meetings at the resort's 100,000-square-foot convention center. The convention sales and service staff will work closely with groups that would like to add a unique element to their meetings and customize team building activities in the new Safari Outdoor Adventure Park.

"We want our convention guests to be able to leave with a one-of-a-kind experience, whether it is a team building drum circle in the convention center, a group surfing lesson in the indoor waterpark or ropes course race in the Safari Outdoor Adventure Park," Nelson says.

Admission to the Safari Outdoor Adventure Park is **\$19.95 for overnight resort guests** and includes a zip line tour, a turn on the ropes course and climbing wall and admission to the to the Safari Adventure Animal Park.

Individual attraction pricing is also available:

Climbing Walls:	\$5
Ropes Course:	\$7
Zip Line Tour:	\$10
Safari Adventure Animal Park:	\$5 (non-resort guests is \$7)

Day guests are invited to purchase individual attraction passes, an all-day pass for \$24.95, or they can add a Safari Outdoor Adventure Park pass onto an all-day waterpark pass (all day waterpark pass is \$39 Monday through Friday and \$42 Friday through Sunday) for \$19.95. Complimentary indoor and outdoor waterpark passes are included for all overnight resort guests. For more information, go to www.kalahariresorts.com/oh.

Kalahari Resort-Ohio Expansion Highlights

Since opening in May 2005, Kalahari Resort has continued to innovate its vacation experience by embarking on a number of major expansions totaling \$77 million. In June 2006, the resort marked its one-year anniversary by unveiling an impressive, newly expanded 77,000-square-foot outdoor waterpark featuring a wide array of new amenities including, luxurious African-styled private bungalows.

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Just two months later, the resort tapped “Chicken Soup for the Soul” author Jack Canfield to open a 100,000-square-foot conference and events center that makes Kalahari Resort-Ohio the only stand-alone hotel and meetings facility of its kind in the region.

Kalahari Resort more than doubled the size of its indoor waterpark in January 2008 making the resort home to the largest indoor waterpark in the U.S. at 173,000 square feet. New features included the world’s largest behemoth bowl, mat racers, a second FlowRider surfing ride and much more. That same month the resort also added 96 additional three-key condos (288 guest rooms), making it the largest hotel in the state of Ohio at 884 rooms.

And, just last summer the authentically African-themed resort teamed with renowned animal expert and director emeritus of the Columbus Zoo, Jack Hanna, to unveil its Safari Adventures Animal Park featuring up close and personal encounters with African animals including giraffes, zebras and more.

About Kalahari Resort

Kalahari Resort-Sandusky, located on Highway 250 just north of exit 118 of the Ohio Turnpike, is home to the largest indoor Waterpark in the U.S. at 173,000 square feet. In addition, the resort features a 77,000-square-foot outdoor waterpark, 884 guest rooms and suites, the full-service Spa Kalahari, a collection of unique retail shops, an indoor miniature golf course, one of the largest game arcades in the Midwest, a fully-equipped fitness center, a wide variety of dining options and more. In addition to its Sandusky location, Kalahari Resorts has a location in the popular “Waterpark Capital of the World,” Wisconsin Dells, Wisconsin. For reservations and guest information, call (877) 525-2427 or visit www.KalahariResorts.com. To review Kalahari Resort’s electronic press kit, go to www.kalahariresortsgobig.com.

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