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The world of movies comes to life again: Movie Park Germany kicks off the new 2025 season in April!

Revised stunt show with new elements, newly designed magic show and several events await the guests

(Bottrop-Kirchhellen, 24 March 2025) After a short break from production, the world of film at Movie Park Germany is waking up from its winter sleep! Germany's largest movie and amusement park starts the new season on April 4 and has a colorful mix of entertainment and events on the schedule. "Once again this year, our aim is to create a day just like in the movies for the whole family," says Managing Director Thorsten Backhaus. "Entertainment and events play a leading role in this."

Guests can experience new action right at the start of the season when the **new Movie Park Germany Stunt Team** moves into Studio 6. In addition to a revised storyline, some new car and bike stunts will provide entertainment. The team has plenty of stunt experience and has already performed shows at theme parks such as Parque Warner in Spain and Mirabilandia in Italy.

Cinematic magic returns to Studio 7 this summer. This year, award-winning **illusionist Christian Farla** will be performing his **newly designed show "Magic Impossible"** with spectacular new large-scale illusions. Among the new highlights are "The Showgirl Box", direct from Las Vegas, "The Scorpion" and the world's largest illusion act, the "Drill of Death". The magic show can be experienced between July 7 and August 31, 2025.

In the fall, the **Halloween Horror Festival** once again casts its dark shadows and over 280 monsters will be unleashed on all brave horror fans between September 27 and November 9. After the spookiest time of the year, Germany's largest movie and amusement park brings the year to a festive close: From the end of November, Christmas wishes will come true at **Movie Park's Hollywood Christmas** on over 20 event days and Hollywood in Germany will sparkle like in a US Christmas movie with over 800,000 lights. Shows and entertainment will once again be the focus in the third year of the event.

3, 2, 1 – Action! Movie-like events and shows during the season

As usual, there will also be a number of special events in the spotlight in 2025 to further emphasize Movie Park's DNA and American identity. At the **ELITE Cheerleading Championship**, international and national athletes will once again compete for titles, trophies and qualifications during the Whitsun weekend. Additionally, one week prior to that, the **ELITE Stunt & Dance Championship** will take place to allow even more time for the exciting competitions and individual disciplines this year. After two successful years on the Hollywood set, the **Camera Day** event is

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also back for its next episode. Here, theme park fans, content creators and photographers can use the Movie Park set exclusively for photo shoots and video recordings on a closing day. The **US Car Show** and **Spotlight - Your Car in the Spotlight** also bring cinematic US entertainment to the park.

Shows and entertainment on the Hollywood set will also be provided by the **Movie Park Entertainment Crew**. Not only is a new edition of the Saloon Show planned for guests, but Van Helsing's Club will also be used as a show location – following the great success of last year's Christmas show – and will feature a new show in the 2025 season. There will also be a new singing show on the New York Plaza Stage. A colorful mix of classic musical songs, pop and western elements awaits guests in the various shows.

The refurbishment and new storyline planned for the simulator attraction “The Lost Temple” will be postponed for the time being to reprioritize the strategic direction for future attractions at Movie Park. This will allow the park to focus on other priorities for the time being, such as improving the infrastructure and guest experience.

More information about Movie Park Germany and the 2025 season can be found at www.movieparkgermany.de. Everything related to opening hours and prices can also be found there. As a family theme park, Movie Park is now offering two special family tickets, for example. Tickets for 2 adults and 3 children or for 1 adult and 3 children can now be booked via the web shop for a fixed date. It pays to book early, as prices are cheapest at least 6 days in advance of the day of the visit. Any combination of people is welcome on the Hollywood set: dad, mom, uncle, aunt, grandma or grandpa can purchase a joint package with children just as easily as friends or acquaintances. Prices vary depending on the date selected and start at €134.90 for 2 adults and 3 kids and €99.90 for 1 adult and 3 kids.

Movie Park Germany

Since 1996, Movie Park Germany has been offering its visitors shows, attractions and events all about film, with the motto: "Hooray, I'm in the movies!" Spanning approximately 45 hectares, the Park invites guests to immerse themselves in the world of film and find excitement, entertainment and thrills in more than 40 different attractions. Germany's largest film and amusement park is a special experience for young and old alike, having borne the TÜV distinction "OK for Kids" since 2006. Featuring Nickelodeon LAND and its TV heroes SpongeBob SquarePants and Patrick Star, the PAW Patrol and the Teenage Mutant Ninja Turtles, the park is particularly suitable for families. Thanks to the in-house tour operator Movie Park Holidays, arranging a long journey with accommodation in nearby hotels is child's play. www.movieparkholidays.com. Movie Park is part of Parques Reunidos, one of the leading global operators of regional leisure parks with a well-diversified portfolio of more than 60 different assets (theme parks, zoos and marine parks, water parks and other attractions), spread out over 12 countries across Europe, North America, the Middle East, and Australia.

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