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INTRODUCTION

Go on the Ultimate Vacation and Play all Your Favorite Seaside Activities with Barbie™!

Get ready for fun-filled days at the beach with Barbie™ and her friends! Photograph underwater sea creatures, build amazing sandcastles, learn the latest island dances, go surfing and more. Play exciting games to earn everything needed for the greatest beach bash ever! Win tiki torches, beach umbrellas and even the music for your party. Plus, choose the fashions for every event including the Souvenir Photo Album, where you take the perfect photos of your vacation. It's nonstop fun in the sun!

MINIMUM SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS

- Microsoft® Windows® 95, 98, Windows ME® or Windows® 2000®
- Pentium®II, 233 MHz processor or faster
- Standard keyboard and mouse
- 32 MB RAM (64 MB Windows® 2000®)
- 95 MB available disk space
- 12x CD-ROM drive or faster
- 16-bit Direct X®-compatible sound card
- 16-bit Direct X®-compatible video card (640 x 480 resolution)
- SVGA Color monitor
- Direct X® 8.0

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INSTALLING BARBIE™ BEACH VACATION™ CD-ROM

- Insert the Barbie™ Beach Vacation™ CD-ROM into your CD-ROM drive.
- If the AutoRun feature is enabled for your CD-ROM, select **Install** from the AutoRun screen.
- If AutoRun is not enabled, click **Start** and then **Run** from the Windows® Taskbar.
- Type **d:\Install** (d: refers to your CD-ROM drive. If your CD-ROM drive is not d, type the appropriate letter).
- Follow the installation instructions on screen.
- After installation is complete, you'll find the Barbie™ Beach Vacation™ icon in the Barbie™ Beach Vacation™ menu of your Barbie™ programs.

RUNNING BARBIE™ BEACH VACATION™ CD-ROM

- Insert Barbie™ Beach Vacation™ CD-ROM into your CD-ROM drive.
- If you have AutoRun enabled for your CD-ROM, click **Play** to run the program.
- You can also click Start/Programs/Barbie™/Barbie™ Beach Vacation™ from the Windows® Taskbar.
- You can also click the Barbie™ Beach Vacation™ shortcut icon on your desktop.

UNINSTALLING BARBIE™ BEACH VACATION™ CD-ROM

- Click Start/Programs/Barbie™/Barbie™ Beach Vacation™ CD-ROM/Uninstall Barbie™ Beach Vacation™ CD-ROM from the Windows® Taskbar.

GETTING STARTED WITH BARBIE™ BEACH VACATION™

Signing In and Selecting Your Play Mode

To start a new game, type in your name and click the Arrow Button or press the Enter Key on your keyboard. After you sign in, the Main Menu will appear.



Back Button: To leave the activity you are playing or return to the previous screen at any time, click the Back Button in the upper left corner of the screen.

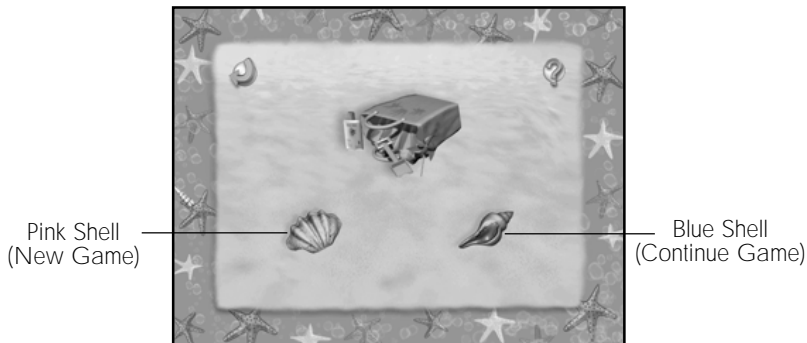
Help Button: If you want to hear the directions for any activity again, click the Question Mark in the upper right corner of the screen.

You can bypass the directions at any time by clicking the right mouse button.

Souvenir Photo Album: Click on the Photo Album to see the photos you have taken of Barbie™ and her friends. You can take photos of all your favorite places and adventures as you play.

Activity Mode: Click on the items on the Beach Towel to play your favorite activities in any order you like. When you are finished with an activity, click the Back Button to choose a different activity.

Adventure Mode: Click on the Beach Bag to experience the vacation adventure from beginning to end. When you go on an adventure with Barbie™ and her friends, you'll earn cool stuff for her big beach party. **Look for tiny green bottles throughout the adventure—they're full of surprises!**

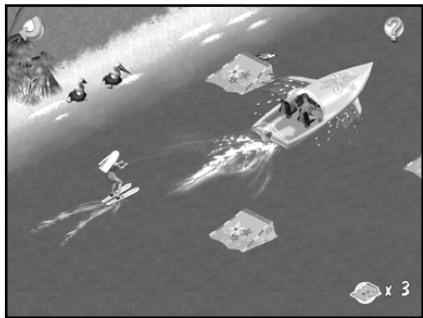


- Click on the Pink Shell (on the left) to start a new adventure.
- Click on the Blue Shell (on the right) to continue with your last vacation adventure.

ACTIVITIES AND ADVENTURES

Water-Ski Adventure

Join Barbie™ and Teresa™ as they practice for the water-ski show. Help Barbie™ hit the jumps, collect the flags, and go through the gates so she can win fun items for her beach party. For even more fun, have Barbie™ do show-stopping tricks on her skis.



- Pick out the perfect water-ski outfit for Barbie™ by clicking on the outfits on the wall.
- Click the Continue Button in the lower right corner when you're ready to ski.
- Use the mouse or the Arrow Keys on your keyboard to move Barbie™ from side to side.
- Ski over the buoys with flags to collect the flags.
- Ski between the gate flags to pass through a gate.
- Ski over a ramp to do a jump.
- Press the Spacebar or click the right mouse button to do cool tricks.
- The numbers in the lower right corner keep track of how many flags you've collected, ramps you've hit, or gates you've gone through.
- Beat the final level where gates, jumps and flags all appear together!
- Click on the Question Mark if you want to hear the directions again.
- To exit the activity at any time, click the Back Button in the upper left corner of the screen.

Underwater Photo Safari

Christie™ needs to fill the Island Scrapbook with photos of the island sea creatures, but some of the animals are camera shy. With your help, maybe Barbie™ can snap pictures of them.

- Pick out the perfect diving outfit for Barbie™ by clicking on the outfits on the wall.
- Use the mouse or Arrow Keys on your keyboard to move Barbie™ around.
- Try to find the sea animals that match the pink and white outlines along the left side of the screen.
- When Barbie™ gets close to a creature she wants to photograph, press the Spacebar or click the right mouse button to take the picture.
- Some creatures are really shy and hide when you swim by, so you'll need to move in close to get a good picture. When you get close to the animal, you will have to move the camera around and snap the picture when you see the animal in the camera lens.
- When you take a picture that is needed for the Island Scrapbook, you can view it right away. When you are ready to take more pictures, click the Continue Button.
- Keep exploring the underwater area until you have found all the sea creatures.



Sandcastle Contest

Building sandcastles is so much fun! Let's enter a sandcastle contest, and design and decorate the winning castle together!

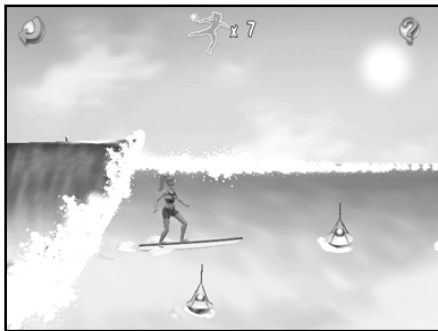


- Pick out the perfect beach outfit for Barbie™ by clicking on the outfits on the wall.
- The toolbar on the bottom of the screen has everything you need to build the best sandcastle. You can place these items anywhere you want on your castle.
- In Adventure Mode, Barbie™ will tell you which buckets to use to build the castle. Choose the correct buckets from the toolbar.

- There are flowers, flags, shells and other fun decorations. Click on the decoration you want to use, then click on a location to place it.
- To remove a bucket of sand or a decoration from the castle, click on the pink Shovel and then click on the item you want to remove.
- Click on the Sandcastle covered by the pink **X** to clear away your castle and begin a new one.
- When you finish building your sandcastle, click on the Camera to take a picture of your creation!
- Click on the Question Mark if you want to hear the directions again.
- To exit the activity at any time, click the Back Button in the upper left corner of the screen.

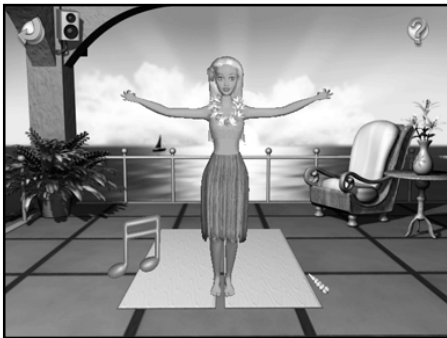
Surfing the Waves

Surf's up! Barbie™ is ready to hang ten. All she needs to ride the waves is a cool outfit and a matching surfboard. Surfing is easy...just follow the dolphins!



- Pick out the perfect surfing outfit for Barbie™ by clicking on the outfits on the wall.
- Use the mouse or Arrow Keys on your keyboard to surf the waves.
- Press the Spacebar or click the right mouse button to do some awesome surfing tricks.
- In Adventure Mode, try to do as many surfing tricks as possible and be sure to pick up green bottles by surfing over them.
- Watch out for the buoys! If you hit one, you'll lose a point!
- Click on the Question Mark if you want to hear the directions again.
- To exit the activity at any time, click the Back Button in the upper left corner of the screen.

Dance Challenge



As the sun sets over the water, it's almost time for the big beach bash. But what's a party without music and dancing? Barbie™ can't wait for the fun to begin, so c'mon let's dance!

- Pick out a dance outfit for Barbie™. Each outfit is matched with a different style of dancing. When you want Barbie™ to do a different dance and listen to different music, click on another outfit.
- When the music plays, notes will bounce across the screen. You can help Barbie™ dance better by clicking the mouse buttons at the right time.
- Click the left mouse button when notes bouncing in from the left reach the left floor pad. Click the right mouse button when notes bouncing in from the right reach the right floor pad.
- Click the Question Mark if you want to hear the directions again.
- To exit the activity at any time, click the Back Button in the upper left corner of the screen.

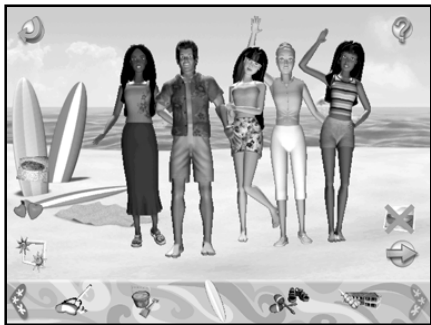
Beach Party

It's almost time for the beach party, but there's still a lot to do! Barbie™ needs your help to select the location for the party, choose the music and decorations, plan the entertainment, and much more.

- Pick out the perfect party outfit for Barbie™ by clicking on the outfits on the wall.
- Click on the Map on the left side of the screen to choose a location for the party.
- Click on the Hearts to invite friends to the party.
- Click on the Stereo to choose music for the party.
- Click on the Stars, Balloons, or Beach Umbrella to decorate for the party.
- The toolbar on the bottom of the screen has everything you need to throw a great party! For even more party items, click on the Arrow. Click to select the party item then click anywhere on the screen to place it.
- To remove an item, click on the Broom, then click on the item to be removed.
- Click on the party friends covered by the pink X to clear away your party and begin a new one.
- Click on the Camera to take a photo of all the fun.
- Click on the Continue Button when everything is ready for the party and see Barbie™ and her friends' party come to life!
- Click on the Question Mark if you'd like to hear the directions again.
- To exit the activity at any time, click the Back Button in the upper left corner of the screen.



Souvenir Photo



This is one vacation that Barbie™ and her friends will never forget! Help Barbie™ and her friends relive all the fun by taking their picture at your favorite places on the island. Select outfits for Barbie™ and her friends, choose the setting, and snap away!

- Click on the Map to choose the location for the photo.
- Click on the Hearts to add the friends whose picture you'd like to take.
- When you select friends for the photo, you get to choose their outfits.
- In the dressing room, click on the Clothes that you want your new friends to wear, then click the Continue Button to return to the Photo Shoot.
- Click on the Frame to choose a frame for your photo.
- Click on the Continue Button to view your picture.
- Click on the Camera to take the souvenir photo.
- Click on the Photo with the pink X to erase the picture.
- Click on the Question Mark if you'd like to hear the directions again.
- To exit the activity at any time, click the Back Button in the upper left corner of the screen.

Photo Album/Island Scrapbook

Each sandcastle creation, beach party scene, and souvenir photo you take are saved in the photo album for you to remember and enjoy.



- Click on the Arrow Buttons at the bottom of the screen to turn the pages of the photo album.
- Use the mouse or the up and down Arrow Keys on your keyboard to select a photograph.
- Click the left mouse button or press the Spacebar to get a close-up of a selected photo.
- Click the right mouse button or press the Delete Key to remove a selected photo from the album.
- Click the Back Button to close the photo album and go back to the Main Menu.

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