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Test track closure

EPCOT undergoes significant transformation as CommuniCore Hall and Plaza officially open, but construction isn't slowing down. Various projects are ongoing, including an unknown attraction near the Imagination pavilion, updates to the DVC lounge, and refurbishments for Mission: Space. However, a major project is set to begin on Test Track, with a reimagining inspired by the original World of Motion ride from 1982. As Disney continues to evolve, Test Track has recently closed its doors for reimagining, with details still scarce about the new project's timeline. Another area of change is Magic Kingdom, where Tiana's Bayou Adventure prepares for its June 28th opening, featuring a The Princess and the Frog theme. In addition to Tiana's Bayou Adventure, several other attractions are set to open or close during May and June, including the imminent reopening of Splash Mountain. Country Bear Jamboree is also slated to re-open with a new show, featuring an all-new act for the bears. The Magic Kingdom has a new opening to look forward to - Big Thunder Mountain Railroad is set to kick off on July 17th. However, this leaves only three attractions open in Frontierland: Big Thunder Mountain Railroad, Tom Sawyer Island, and the Walt Disney World Railroad. Meanwhile, Tomorrowland Terrace remains closed, having been shut down since the pandemic-related closures in 2020. Although it was already an occasionally open spot, Disney hasn't announced when it will reopen. On a more positive note, for those seeking a quiet work space in the Magic Kingdom, this could be the perfect location. In other news, EPCOT's DVC lounge is undergoing a refurbishment and has been closed since June 2nd. The temporary DVC lounge set up in the Odyssey pavilion offers snacks, drinks, and seating, although only half of the pavilion is currently being used as a lounge. This provides a convenient spot for DVC members to escape the heat and relax. Disney's World Showcase also has some updates - Marrakesh Restaurant in the Morocco pavilion remains closed but has been functioning as an Annual Passholder lounge since May 1st. Although it's unclear if this is a permanent closure or a temporary arrangement, passholders can enjoy complimentary food, beverages, and air conditioning during its designated hours. Finally, Rock 'n' Roller Coaster is set to reopen on July 27th after a prolonged closure that lasted from January 8th. This marks the second time the ride has closed around this period in recent years, but fans are eagerly anticipating its reopening. Little Mermaid has officially shut down at Disney World, as suspected since it hadn't been open for several years. A new show called "The Little Mermaid — A Musical Adventure" is set to replace it in Fall 2024 at Disney's Hollywood Studios. Blizzard Beach closed on March 16th, 2024, and Typhoon Lagoon reopened the following day, with no timeline given for their alternating closure schedule. Test Track at EPCOT will temporarily close on June 17, 2024, to undergo a transformation inspired by "World of Motion," with concept art revealed. The attraction's third major version will feature a "spirit of optimism" and no details are available yet on the ride's actual changes or reopening timeline. Dynamic Structures of the World is a Canadian company that specializes in steel fabrication, with a rich history dating back to 1926. Originally founded as Vancouver Art Metal, the firm has undergone several name changes over the years, including becoming Coast Steel Fabricators Limited in 1952 and AGRA Coast Limited in 1994. In 2001, it was acquired by British firm AMEC and later sold to Empire Industries in 2007. Dynamic Attractions was founded in the theme park industry. In 2012, they started working on the SFX Coaster project which combines high-thrill roller coaster experiences with intense shows and multimedia sequences. The project required 500 person years of investment and took place at their factory. The concept was launched in 2014 and quickly gained interest from Ferrari World Abu Dhabi, Universal Studios Malaysia, and Evergrande Group. Mad Cobra Suzuka Circuit The Mad Cobra Suzuka Circuit is a Steel roller coaster located at the Suzuka Circuit in Mie Prefecture, Japan. It was built by Premier Rides and opened in 1998. The ride is part of the track switches Premier Rides [17] Revenge of the Mummy Universal Studios Hollywood California, United States 2004 Track switches Premier Rides [17] Revenge of the Mummy Universal Studios Singapore Resorts World Sentosa, Singapore 2010 Track switches Premier Rides [17]. Dynamic Structures Incorporated was a Canadian company specializing in amusement park rides and other attractions. It produced the Soarin' Over California Test Track Mark VII Monorail Steel Structures for Disney theme parks, as well as several roller coasters including Dinoconda at the China Dinosaurs Park. Universal Studios Hollywood's Investment in Epic Theme Park Transformation ^ "Universal Studios Hollywood Makes Unprecedented Investment in Epic Theme Park Transformation" (Press release). NBCUniversal. 9 April 2014. Retrieved 3 August 2014. ^ "Harry Potter and the Forbidden Journey (Universal Studios Japan)". Parkz. Retrieved 8 December 2013. ^ a b "SFX Coaster". Park World Magazine: 18. July 2014. Retrieved 3 August 2014. 2013. ^ Marden, Duane. "Unknown (Genting SkyWorlds)" and "known (Shaoxing Jinghu Theme parksPark)" articles on Roller Coaster DataBase were retrieved. Wikimedia Commons has media related to Dynamic Structures, as mentioned in Wikipedia's 2013 update.