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This July to September, visitors are welcome to immerse in our medley of unique experiences and events, such as the Rainforest Lumina, Singapore Food Festival, Singapore Garden Festival, Singapore Night Festival and Halloween Horror Nights.

Traditional local dishes and inventive epicurean experiences await ardent foodies (pg 14 to 17), while avid shoppers are bound to love the creations of Singapore's passionate local designers (pg 18). In Singapore, culture and heritage are always a short stroll away (pg 12 and 26), as are gregarious sports and hair-raising adventures (pg 20 to 23). For intrepid explorers and nature lovers, there's also lots to do (pg 10 and 11) in our City in a Garden, which is ranked one of the most sustainable cities in the world.

Adrenaline junkies have to check out the Grand Prix Season Singapore, with its unique night race and countless dining and retail promotions, as well as the International Champions Cup, a vigorous pre-European football season tournament. Whether you're on vacation with your family (pg 24 and 25) or a young traveller ready to mingle (pg 28 to 31), Singapore teems with concepts and innovations that will inspire you to live out your passions.

Enjoy your stay,

Andre



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Handy Tips

Follow these pointers to make the best of your stay.

• TRANSPORT



MRT

Trains typically run from 5.30am to midnight. Standard tickets vary from S\$0.77 to S\$2.50. See page 32 for the MRT map.

📱 www.smrt.com.sg
☎ +65 6331 1000



Bus

Fares start as low as S\$0.77. Try to have the exact fare as bus drivers do not give change.

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Premier Cabs
☎ +65 6363 6888

SMRT Taxis
☎ +65 6555 8888

• CONNECTIVITY



Free Wi-Fi

Register for free public Wi-Fi service with your foreign number at any Wireless@SG hotspot across Singapore, and receive your login details via an SMS message. Overseas charges may apply. Alternatively, you can rent a pocket Wi-Fi device at Singapore Visitor Centre (orchardgateway) or Changi Recommends at Changi Airport.



SIM Card

Telcos in Singapore have ceased the provision of 2G network in Singapore. To attain 3G/4G roaming, buy a Singapore prepaid SIM card from Singapore Visitor Centre (orchardgateway), Changi Recommends or telecommunications retail shops located at the airport, major shopping malls and convenience stores islandwide.

• SINGLISH, SIMPLIFIED

English is Singapore's primary language, though our English is peppered with colloquial expressions that you can easily pick up.



A Malay expression referring to food or the act of eating.

"There are many shiok makan places in this neighbourhood—here, it's makan time, all the time!"



Singaporeans end some sentences with "lah" to make a remark less assertive. While you might say, "if you can't make it work, consider doing it another way", a Singaporean might say ***"If cannot, do another way lah."***

● GST REFUNDS



Shopping using cash and cards is safe and efficient in Singapore. Tipping is not a common practice as service charge has been factored into the Goods and Services Tax (GST). As a tourist in Singapore, you can claim a refund on 7% GST under the Tourist Tax Refund Scheme if you make any purchase more than S\$100 at the participating shops. Here's how to go about it:

1 Look out for these signs at the shops



2 Choose one credit/debit card as a Token for tagging your purchases. Don't forget to ask for your eTRS Ticket, original invoice or receipt.

3 Apply for your tax refund at the eTRS self-help kiosks located at Singapore Changi Airport's Departure Hall and Departure Transit Lounge of Terminals 1, 2 and 3, as well as at the ICA duty office at Seletar Airport. Be sure to file your GST claims before checking in your goods.

4 At the eTRS kiosk, swipe your assigned Token to retrieve your purchase details. Otherwise, scan your eTRS tickets to retrieve your purchase details.

5 You can choose to have the refund credited directly into your credit card at the eTRS self-help kiosk, or get a cash refund. If you chose the latter (available only at Changi International Airport), proceed to the Central Refund Counter after the immigration checks.

6 Alternatively, apply for tax refunds with the Tourego app, a mobile tourist tax refund solution that is downloadable from the Apple App Store or Google Play Store. Get your refund ticket issued directly to an e-wallet. Tourego also provides users with the latest shopping, food and travel tips for an overall fuss-free journey in Singapore.

TOUREGO 途豹



VISITSINGAPORE APP

Download and try the new Visit Singapore Travel Guide app (currently in beta version, available on iOS) for insider tips and recommendations on hidden gems in the city. Explore Singapore with ease, discover nearby places of interest, and try the Augmented Reality (AR) experience at select locations.

Download on the
App Store

Tapao

The Singlish equivalent of takeaway.

"If you can't finish your makan, you can always tapao."

Paiseh

"Paiseh" means "it's not courteous of me to do/say this", so you might hear a Singaporean say "*paiseh*" if he or she is late, makes a mistake, is embarrassed or is informing you that you are breaking a rule.

Shiok

An expression of great satisfaction and pleasure.

"The restaurants in Sentosa are damn shiok, so are the theme parks and their rides!"

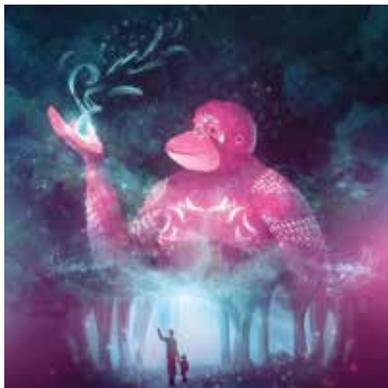
JUL



Opens 1 Jul

Rainforest Lumina

Pull the vines aside and meander along the path to where a lush and luminous universe awaits you at Singapore Zoo. Meet the Creature Crew, a quirky group of unlikely heroes, and join them on an adventure to



discover their enchanted world. Asia's first multimedia night walk experience at a wildlife park will surely be an unforgettable experience for all ages.

www.rainforestlumina.sg Singapore Zoo
 Take bus 138 from Ang Mo Kio MRT station

13-29

Singapore Food Festival 2018

A hallmark in the Singapore calendar, the 25th edition of Singapore Food Festival celebrates gastronomy with unique F&B collaborations, food film screenings, new local menu launches and cooking classes. This lively presentation of Singapore's food scene portrays local food in intriguing ways—check out The 50 Cents Fest, which invites one and all to savour iconic Singaporean dishes for just 50 cents (S\$0.50) per portion.

Various venues



3 & 4

Celine Dion Live 2018

Set to perform her first-ever concert in Singapore, world-renowned singer Celine Dion is celebrating her 50th birthday with a landmark Asia-Pacific tour. She will perform on not one but two nights in Singapore.

www.marinabaysands.com
 Sands Grand Ballroom,
 Marina Bay Sands®
 Bayfront

13-14

STREAT

A sub-festival of Singapore Food Festival (SFF), STREAT is a jubilant celebration of local cuisine, flavours and culinary talents, highlighted by a pop-up restaurant and food stalls indulging diners in modern-Singaporean and traditional fare. Here, you'll also be treated to drinks by Manhattan Bar (ranked no. 1 bar in Asia), exclusive SFF-branded beers and an array of entertainment.

Empress Lawn Esplanade



17-19

Speciality and Fine Food Asia

Speciality and Fine Food Asia invites you to experience artisan, gourmet and specialty food from around the world. It will be held together with Restaurant, Pub & Bar Asia 2018, which highlights new trends and innovations that are charting the path of the global food and beverage industry.

📄 www.speciality-asia.com
 📍 Suntec City 🚶 Promenade

21 Jul – 3 Aug
Singapore Garden Festival
 Gardening and plant enthusiasts have to visit the Singapore Garden Festival, which celebrates the world's best landscape and garden designers, florists and horticulturists. Be inspired to revamp your own garden, or simply soak in the many breath-taking sights, sounds and scents of this festival.

📄 www.singaporegardenfestival.com
 📍 Gardens by the Bay 🚶 Bayfront



20-22

Tuesdays With Morrie

Godot Theatre Company from Taiwan puts on a heart-warming theatrical rendition of Mitch Albom's bestseller, Tuesdays With Morrie. The plot talks about the invaluable life lessons that Albom learned from his professor Morrie Schwartz during the latter's last days.

📄 www.esplanade.com 📍 Esplanade – Theatres on the Bay 🚶 Esplanade



26, 28, 30

International Champions Cup

A fiery tournament played between top European football clubs, the International Champions Cup is an annual competition held just before the various European leagues kick off. Come catch teams like Atlético Madrid, Arsenal and Paris St-Germain in action and live out your football fantasies.

📄 www.internationalchampionscup.com
 📍 Singapore Sports Hub 🚶 Stadium

AUG



Lim Cheng Hoe. Singapore River. 1962.
Watercolour on paper. 33 x 42.5 cm.
Collection of National Gallery Singapore.

From 3 Aug

Lim Cheng Hoe: Painting Singapore

Explore key works of Lim Cheng Hoe, Singapore's main pioneer *plein-air* watercolour painter, and discover his mastery of the medium through his production of iconic images of Singapore, as well as the techniques he employed through his *plein-air* practice.

📍 www.nationalgallery.sg
📍 National Gallery Singapore
📍 City Hall



4-27

DigiMuse Presents

Combining history and technology, one can discover fascinating artefacts and engage in immersive, dynamic conversations enabled by artificial intelligence at DigiMuse Presents. The National Heritage Board and the National Museum of Singapore recently held an open call for inventors and innovators to submit forward-thinking projects that blend history, art and technology. This digital showcase invites you to explore the most compelling of these submissions.

📍 www.nationalmuseum.sg
📍 National Museum of Singapore
📍 Bras Basah



9-19

RWS Street Eats

Indulge in the best gastronomic experiences of the region without leaving Sentosa! RWS Street Eats invites you to savour more than 20 different street foods and snacks from across eclectic Southeast Asia.

📍 www.rwsentosa.com
📍 Resorts World Sentosa
📍 HarbourFront

17 Aug – 8 Sep Singapore Science Festival 2018

Discover how artificial intelligence and its assimilation into our daily lives are sculpting our future. Science enthusiasts of all ages are welcome to take part in engaging demonstrations, live shows, talks and workshops, which will depict how developing technology is drastically changing life as we know it.

📍 www.science.edu.sg
📍 Science Centre Singapore
📍 Jurong East

4-5

Hyperplay

As part of the YOUTH* celebrations, gaming and music enthusiasts will relish the many experiences to be had at this two-day festival. Witness the best League of Legends players from across Southeast Asia duke it out, and indulge in four MTV Spotlight performances by local and international artists.

📍 www.hyperplay.mtvasia.com 📍 Singapore Indoor Stadium 📍 Stadium



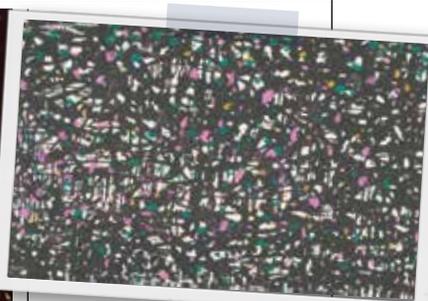


17-25

Singapore Night Festival 2018

Let moving visual projections of the Singapore Night Festival lead you through a series of visual and performing art. Come take a stroll through the city's iconic landmarks, decorated in whimsical fashion, while performers dance among audiences.

📍 www.nightfestival.sg 📍 Bras Basah Bugis 📍 Bras Basah



Gift of the artist. Collection of National Gallery Singapore.

31 Aug 2018 – 29 Sep 2019

Wu Guanzhong: Expressions of Pen & Palette

Distinguished by the discerning black strokes that he uses in his impressionist pieces, the works and writings of the late Wu Guanzhong (who would have turned 99 this month) invite one and all to witness how modern Chinese art combines both oriental and occidental ideas.

📍 www.nationalgallery.sg
📍 National Gallery Singapore
📍 City Hall



25-26

singaPOpera

Relish two exuberant hours of Singaporean stalwart Dick Lee's feted musicals, performed by eight renowned actors and a nine-piece orchestra.

📍 dickleeasia.com
📍 Esplanade Concert Hall
📍 Esplanade

30 Aug – 2 Sep
Beerfest Asia 2018

Beerfest Asia isn't just about savouring more than 500 different beers by over 40 exhibitors from around the world. The 10th edition of this enormous party also invites attendees to groove to a variety of musicians, who'll keep this boisterous party going every night till the wee hours.

📍 www.beerfestasia.com
📍 Gardens by the Bay
📍 Bayfront



31 Aug – 21 Oct

Sunflower Surprise

Lovers of this big exuberant flower will surely enjoy this unique festival, which will embellish Gardens by the Bay with a plethora of sunflower arrangements. Themed around Dorothy's journey to see the Wizard of Oz, this whimsical adventure introduces guests to the peculiar sizes and shapes that sunflowers come in.

📍 www.gardensbythebay.com.sg
📍 Gardens by the Bay
📍 Bayfront

SEP



1-16

Sentosa Sandstation

This very different sort of beach party indulges you in not just amazing works of sand art, but also in unique photo opportunities with these elaborate sculptures. Download the festival's dedicated app to see these artworks come alive in augmented reality.

www.sentosa.com.sg/Sentosa-Sandstation

[Sentosa](#) [HarbourFront](#)

6 Sep – 9 Dec 6th Singapore International Photography Festival

The Singapore International Photography Festival invites one and all to admire the works of a wide variety of photographers. This immense festival spanning several galleries thrusts both renowned international shutterbugs and Singaporean stalwarts into the spotlight.

www.sipf.sg

[Various venues](#)

6-16

Indian Heritage Centre CultureFest

The Indian Heritage Centre CultureFest will feature informative guided tours and cultural workshops. It will be launched alongside *The Chetti Melaka of the Straits* exhibition, which will showcase the colourful culture of the Chetti Melaka community through artefacts, food and garment displays.

www.indianheritage.org.sg [Indian Heritage Centre](#) [Little India](#)



7-16

Grand Prix Season Singapore

As one of the biggest highlights in our sporting scene, FORMULA 1 2018 SINGAPORE AIRLINES SINGAPORE GRAND PRIX allows you to catch some of the fastest cars in the world take on Singapore's extremely challenging Marina Bay Circuit. You could also treat yourself to special menus and promotions rolled out by restaurants just for the Grand Prix Season Singapore. Get ready to drink and dance the night away at the many after-parties that will take place on every night of the race!

www.singaporegp.sg

[Various venues](#)



8 Sep – 8 Oct Mid-Autumn Festival Light-up

Singaporeans celebrate the Mid-Autumn Festival by rolling out lanterns in a flurry of forms and mooncakes (sweet traditional pastries) in a multitude of flavours and textures. Come admire the moon at its brightest, along with the deluge of decorations that will enliven Chinatown.

www.chinatownfestivals.sg

[Chinatown](#) [Chinatown](#)



8 The SMASH HITS Concert - Tiffany & Debbie Gibson

Take a trip back in time with these two pop princesses, who will be belting out their nostalgic hits like I Think We're Alone Now and Lost In Your Eyes.

www.thestar.sg [The Star Theatre](#) [Buona Vista](#)

8-9

Singapore Toy, Game & Comic Convention (STGCC)

At STGCC, you can collect unique memorabilia and the autographs of the world's best comic artists and writers, then exchange trading cards with enthusiasts from around the world, and sing along to familiar anime theme songs sung by their original vocal artists.

📍 www.singaporetcc.com
 📍 Marina Bay Sands®
 🚶 HarbourFront



24 Sep – 7 Oct

The Science of Kindness

Bring your children to dance and sing along to this musical by KidSTOP and the Singapore Kindness Movement, which highlights to young people that being good to others is, in fact, good for one's soul.

📍 www.science.edu.sg
 📍 Science Centre Singapore
 🚶 Jurong East



27-30

The Great Food Festival

Check out this one-stop gastronomic platform to indulge in the most delectable offerings with our celebrity chefs and patissiers. Be inspired by live demonstrations and perhaps pick up some tricks of the trade from hands-on masterclasses.

📍 www.tgff.com.sg
 📍 Resorts World Sentosa
 🚶 HarbourFront

28 Sep – 20 Oct

Peter and the Starcatcher

Ever wondered how Peter Pan came to be? Follow him and his friends on this epic prequel to the children's classic, which will warm your heart at one moment, then have you splitting your sides the next.

📍 pangdemonium.com
 📍 Drama Centre at the National Library Building 🚶 Bugis



28 Sep – 31 Oct

Halloween Horror Nights™ 8

With a section of the event themed around the immensely popular Netflix series *Stranger Things* this year, Southeast Asia's ultimate Halloween experience dares you to come and meet your ghastly hosts, and take selfies with them afterward.

📍 www.halloweenhorrorights.com.sg
 📍 Universal Studios Singapore™, Resorts World Sentosa
 🚶 HarbourFront



30 Sep – 31 Oct

Spooky Seas

An unforgettable Halloween celebration awaits in one of the largest aquariums in the world. This peculiar underwater experience of Halloween indulges young and old in spectacular shows, interactive games and storytelling sessions.

📍 www.rwsentosa.com
 📍 S.E.A. Aquarium™
 🚶 HarbourFront

Hidden Nature

*Are you ready to see Singapore in a different light?
Embark on these nature tours to explore our sustainable city.*



Botanic Gardens Tour by Let's Go Tour

Cycle round Singapore's first UNESCO World Heritage Site to see its swan lake and colonial buildings. An insightful tour that rides through the Orchard Road shopping belt and past Istana, the official residence of the President of Singapore. Your group will stop for refreshments among the lush greenery of the Gardens, then pedal on to the Singapore River, where good food can be enjoyed along its exuberantly embellished banks.

Starting point: Let's Go Shop at High Street Centre, 1 North Bridge Road #B1-58

When: Daily 2.30-5.30pm

Book at: www.lets gobikesingapore.com

Contact: +65 9004 4332



Eco Adventure & MegaZip Offer – Segway Tours Singapore

Learn how to steer a Segway, which is an efficient and eco-friendly mode of transport, then cruise with your guide through the scenic island resort of Sentosa. Afterward, take an unforgettable ride on the MegaZip, which is the longest flying fox zip-line in Southeast Asia.

Starting point: Gogreen Segway Eco Adventure @ Beach Station or Siloso Beach

When: Any time between 10.15am (first ride) and 6.45pm (last ride) with 30-minute intervals

Book at: www.segwaytours.com.sg/offer/megazip-offer

Contact: +65 9825 4066 / +65 6352 6754





City & Sightseeing Tour by Monster Day Tours

The knowledgeable tour guides of Monster Day Tours present Raffles Place, Marina Bay and the Singapore River in an engaging fashion. Embark on this intimate walking trail with them, which will not only disclose to you how these famous precincts came to be, but also show you the thousands of plant species and the world's tallest indoor waterfall found inside the eclectic Gardens by the Bay. Quote "MDTINSIDER" to enjoy exclusive privileges.

Starting point: Raffles Place MRT Station
(passenger service counter)

When: Wed-Sun 10am-2pm, noon-4pm or 3-7pm

Book at: www.monsterdaytours.com

Contact: +65 9151 7567



Mangrove Kayaking Adventure by Asian detours

Catch a glimpse of rare birds and discover the rich flora and fauna that inhabit Pulau Ubin, when you embark on this paddle-powered tour. Suitable for children aged 7 and up, this unique trip teaches beginners the fundamentals of kayaking, then it's out into the open sea to experience this rustic island's wetlands.

Starting point: 34 Pulau Ubin

When: Select days, 9am-1.30pm or
1.30-5.30pm

Book at: www.adventures.asiandetours.com

Contact: +65 6733 2282 or +65 9772 2071



What's in my mangrove? by NParks

Occurring at the borders of fresh water and sea water, mangroves are extremely diverse ecosystems that are home to a wide array of organisms. Join nature experts on this insightful stroll through Sungei Buloh Wetland Reserve, which is one of the last remaining refuelling pit stops for migratory birds that fly between Australia and Siberia.

Starting point: Sungei Buloh Wetland Reserve,
Visitor Centre

When: Select days, 9.30-11am

Book at: www.nparks.gov.sg

Contact: +65 6794 1401

The Cultural Melting Pot of Chinatown

Singapore's Chinatown is in fact a melting pot of global cultures. Take a stroll around the neighbourhood and you'll see conserved shophouses and new trendy bistros, as well as people of various faiths worshipping in pre-war mosques and temples, all located side by side.



10am

Grab breakfast at **Sarnies** (136 Telok Ayer Street), before dropping by **Nagore Dargah** (140 Telok Ayer Street) next door. A classical Muslim shrine built by South Indian migrants in the early 1800s, this national monument is distinguished by its intricately moulded motifs, columns and arches. It was restored in 2007 to become the Indian-Muslim Heritage Centre.



11am

Beside Nagore Dargah is **Thian Hock Keng Temple** (158 Telok Ayer Street). This is a shrine dedicated to the Taoist mother goddess of the sea, Mazu, and is the oldest surviving Hokkien (a Southern Chinese dialect group) temple in Singapore. Participants of the many rituals conducted at the "Temple of Heavenly Happiness" live in harmony with the devotees of **Al-Abrar Mosque** (192 Telok Ayer Street), who can be seen walking to and from daily prayers.

“Before opening Park Bench Deli, I had already fallen in love with this bustling neighbourhood. Its old shophouses have been preserved by the government and devotees can be seen carrying out their daily rituals along these streets, in some of the country's oldest temples, mosques and churches. I love visiting Amoy Street Food Centre in the mornings for some nasi lemak or chee cheong fun, and wishing good morning to its older generation hawkers.”



- Andrei Soen, chef and creative director of Park Bench Deli (179 Telok Ayer Street).



3pm

Visit the **Chinatown Heritage Centre** (48 Pagoda Street), a beautifully restored shophouse that offers a glimpse into the lives of early migrants. Here, a high-tech multimedia experience awaits, where visitors can engage in the rich culture of the precinct and even opt for interactive guided tours led by a *samsui* woman or trishaw rider.

Noon

Stop by **Maxwell Food Centre** (1 Kadayannallur Street) for lunch before visiting **Jamae Mosque** (218 South Bridge Road), which was built by Tamil Muslim settlers in the early 19th century. Its neoclassical structure is distinguished by Doric columns and embellished with Chinese green-glazed tiles, and has never been extensively overhauled. Pagoda Street runs between **Masjid Jamae** and the two-century-old **Sri Mariamman Temple** (244 South Bridge Road), the oldest Hindu temple in Singapore. This detailed Dravidian-style structure's main prayer hall has doorways to numerous other shrines that honour various deities.



4pm

Back on South Bridge Road, **Eu Yan Sang** (273 South Bridge Road) purveys a wide variety of Chinese herbs that are proven effective against various ailments—just approach Eu Yan Sang's in-house experts for advice. A stone's throw away is the **Buddha Tooth Relic Temple** (288 South Bridge Road), whose Northern Chinese vernacular-style structure and Tang Dynasty details were stringently overseen by its abbot, so that they would closely abide by traditional design principles. On the top floor of the temple is its namesake relic, a sizeable canine believed to have come from the mouth of Gautama Buddha. Catch sunset here or head north to admire the **former Majestic Theatre** (80 Eu Tong Sen Street), which incorporates both oriental and occidental architectural details. Built by Eu Tong Sen, after whom this street is named, the Majestic Theatre used to host Cantonese Opera productions that would draw throngs of spectators.



Photography: Afur Wong (Thian Hock Keng Temple); Danny Santos (Sri Mariamman Temple)

Makan Time

10 Singaporean dishes that every foodie should most definitely savour.

1 Hainanese Chicken Rice

A truly Singaporean creation, this flagship delicacy of Singapore is adapted from the *Wenchang* chicken recipe of Hainan Island and was brought here by Chinese migrants. Featuring steamed or roasted chicken served with chicken stock-flavoured rice, Singapore's rendition of chicken rice places much emphasis on the flavour of its accompanying chilli and garlic sauces.

Enjoy at: **Chatterbox**

📍 Mandarin Orchard,
333 Orchard Road Level 5
☎ +65 6737 4411 🚗 Somerset

2 Hokkien Mee

One of Singaporeans' favourite comfort foods, this dish from China's Fujian Province consists of yellow and white noodles wok fried with squid and prawns. A good plate of Hokkien *mee* is not just juicy and flavourful, but also accompanied by tasty chilli paste and lime.

Enjoy at: **Newton Food Centre**

📍 500 Clemenceau Avenue North
🚗 Newton

3 Rojak

The Chinese take on Indian *rojak* is an entirely different dish. It stirs pineapple, cucumber, turnip, *youtiao* (Chinese dough fritters) and fried bean curd in a sweet sauce mixed with shrimp paste, then sprinkled with ground peanuts.

Enjoy at: **Balestier Road Hoover Rojak**

📍 Whampoa Wet Market & Food Centre,
90 Whampoa Drive
🚗 Boon Keng

4 Fish Head Curry

A spicy and sour curry, this symbolic dish was introduced in Singapore and adapted to local palates. Enjoy the tender meat of the fish head that flavours the curry.

Enjoy at: **The Banana Leaf Apolo**

📍 www.thebananaleafapolo.com
📍 54 Race Course Road
☎ +65 6293 8682
🚗 Little India

5 Kaya Toast

A traditional Singaporean breakfast available at most coffee shops, or *kopitiams*, is *kaya* toast, which comprises toasted bread slices spread with a jam made from coconut and eggs. Pair your *kaya* toast with soft-boiled eggs, which you can drizzle with black soya sauce, and wash down with either *kopi* or *teh*, which are the Singaporean versions of coffee and tea.

Enjoy at: **Heap Seng Leong**

📍 10 North Bridge Road #01-5109
☎ +65 6292 2368 🚗 Lavender



6 Laksa

This spicy Singaporean noodle is served with eggs, shrimp and cakes of soy bean in a delicious curry. Flavoured with spices and coconut milk, this gastronomic symbol of Singapore has a myriad of variations, but one definite must-try is the *laksa* of the scenic and historic neighbourhood Katong.

Enjoy at: 328 Katong Laksa
 📍 51 East Coast Road
 ☎ +65 9732 8163
 🚗 Mountbatten



7 Nasi Lemak

A delicious rice meal that is easily ported around, *nasi lemak* is defined by its rice that is richly flavoured by coconut milk and pandan leaves. Order your *nasi lemak* with *ikan bilis* (fried anchovies), *ikan kuning* (yellowstripe scad), a chicken wing, a squid patty and *telur goreng* (a fried egg). Classic *nasi lemak* can be found in Adam Road Food Centre, while a decadent upscale version of it is served in The Coconut Club on Ann Siang Hill.

Enjoy at: Adam Road Food Centre
 📍 2 Adam Road
 🚗 Botanic Gardens
Enjoy at: The Coconut Club
 📍 www.thecoconutclub.sg
 📍 6 Ann Siang Hill
 ☎ +65 6635 2999
 🚗 Telok Ayer and Chinatown



8 Carrot Cake

Starkly different from Western-style carrot cake, Singaporean carrot cake consists of white radish and rice flour stir fried with garlic, eggs and preserved radish.

This scrumptious yellow and white local favourite also has a black version that is doused with sweet soy sauce.

Enjoy at: Redhill Food Centre
 📍 Blk 85 Redhill Lane #01-49
 🚗 Redhill



9 Chilli Crab

An icon of Singaporean cuisine, this dish complements a meaty crab in sweet and spicy flavours. Chilli crab is served with *mantous* (fried buns) that you can dip in its rich gravy.

Enjoy at: Jumbo Seafood
 📍 www.jumboseafood.com.sg
 📍 The Riverwalk, 20 Upper Circular Road #B1-48
 ☎ +65 6534 3435
 🚗 Clarke Quay



10 Indian Rojak

Rojak practically means "jumbled up mess", which aptly describes the delicious assortment of egg, fried dough, tofu and shrimp fritters that can be dipped in its tangy and slightly spicy sauce.

Enjoy at: Tekka Centre
 📍 665 Buffalo Road 🚗 Little India



Great Eats

Visit these restaurants to experience Singapore's dining scene in unique ways.



Stellar at 1-Altitude

Just for its 8th anniversary celebration entitled Summer Nights, diners at Stellar at 1-Altitude, Singapore's highest restaurant, can dine under the stars at the 1-Altitude rooftop bar. Feast on Stellar's signature Constellation six-course menu or opt for the omakase eight-course menu.

📍 www.1-altitude.com/stellar
 📍 1 Raffles Place Level 62
 ☎ +65 6438 0410 🚗 Raffles Place



SINGAPORE FOOD FESTIVAL

To indulge in the best gastronomical experiences that Singapore has to offer, head over to the Singapore Food Festival, an annual food extravaganza which you can read more about on page 4.

Annalakshmi

A pay-as-you-wish restaurant that straddles Chinatown and the Central Business District, Annalakshmi's buffet spread is highlighted by tasty traditional treats like *chappati* (unleavened flatbread), *dhal* (dried and split bean, lentils and peas), *kootu* and *sambar* (vegetable dishes with lentils that are eaten with rice), and *kurma* (spiced vegetables braised with yoghurt or cream).

📍 www.annalakshmi.com.sg
 📍 104 Amoy Street
 ☎ +65 6223 0809 🚗 Telok Ayer



Pollen

Soak in a breath-taking view of Gardens by the Bay while tucking into the innovative botany-themed creations at Pollen, prepared by Executive Chef Steve Allen who previously was the head chef of one-Michelin-starred Claridge's in London. Treat yourself to Pollen's Garden, which comprises an array of seasonal vegetables chosen by chef Steve, while enjoying views of both the Gardens and Marina Bay.

📍 www.pollen.com.sg
 📍 18 Marina Gardens Drive #01-09
 ☎ +65 6604 9988 🚗 Bayfront



Quandoo

Download the CHOPE, HungryGoWhere and Quandoo apps on Apple App Store or Google Play Store to enjoy great savings and recommendations!

Smith Marine

Aquaculture farm and restaurant Smith Marine invites you to fish for your own food, then let friendly chefs prepare your catch in classic local styles. Indulge in Singaporean signature dishes like black pepper crab and *sambal sotong* (squid in chilli paste), aboard this charming floating platform.

📍 www.smithmarine.com.sg
 ☎ +65 9792 7609
 🚢 Book a two-way ferry at S\$100 from Changi Point Ferry Terminal



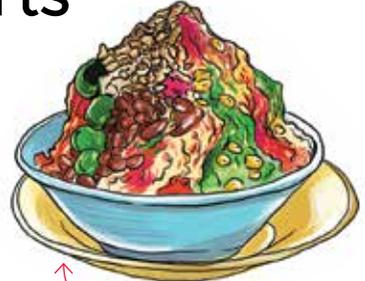
Singapore's Most Popular Local Desserts



Chendol

An iced dessert topped with green rice flour jelly, red beans, coconut milk and palm sugar.

Pulut Hitam
Sweet dessert made from black glutinous rice with coconut milk and palm sugar.



Ice Kachang

Dig through its mountain of syrupy shaved ice to uncover a base of palm seeds, jelly, red beans and sweet corn.



Tau Huay

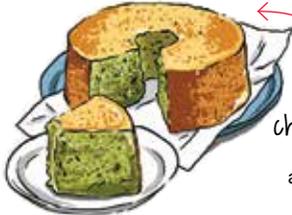
Enjoy sweet soya bean curd as a pudding or as a drink.

Gulab Jamun
An iconic Indian dessert, made of deep-fried flour balls soaked in sugar syrup.



Ah Baling

These sweet rice balls contain different fillings like peanut and black sesame paste.



Pandan chiffon cake

A fluffy, angular cake flavoured with pandan.

You can find these desserts in most hawker centres, traditional dessert shops and/or local bakeries.



Bubur Cha Cha

Sweetened with coconut milk, this colourful dessert contains chunks of sweet potato and yam.

Cheng Teng
A light and healthy dessert with ginkgo nuts, lotus seeds, longans, red dates and white fungus.



Tau Suan

Dessert soup made with split mung beans and best eaten with pieces of *youtiao* (Chinese dough fritters).

Go Local!

Our vibrant city inspired these ten entrepreneurs to chase their dreams. You can collect their impassioned and award-winning creations from these boutiques.



1 biro
biro purveys Japanese-style menswear in discerning cuts and uncommon materials. The brand's intricately tailored apparel has garnered a sizeable following in Singapore thanks to its off-kilter forms and comfortable fabrics.

📄 www.birocompany.com
📍 **Kitchener Complex**,
809 French Road Level 3
☎ +65 9748 7347 🚗 **Lavender**

2 Ed Et Al Shoemakers
The former official shoemaker

of acclaimed bespoke tailor Kevin Seah, lauded atelier Edwin Neo now rolls out seasonal designs under his own banner and also customises shoes for clients. If you'd like a pair of sturdy, personalised leather shoes made the traditional way, give him a call to arrange an appointment.



📄 www.edetal.sg
📍 **120 Telok Ayer Street Level 2**
☎ +65 6337 8919 🚗 **Telok Ayer**

3 LING WU
Greatly influenced by her

Singaporean garment manufacturing family, Ling creates designs that are both very fashionable and highly functional. You can admire their exquisite details up-close in her boutique or in TANGS departmental store, or buy them from her website.



📄 www.lingwu.sg
📍 **43 Jln Merah Saga #02-78**
☎ +65 9696 3118 🚗 **Holland Village**

4 Binary Style

Binary Style's Singapore-themed scarves, whose patterns range from historic landmarks to iconic apartment blocks, sell like hotcakes among locals and foreigners alike. These captivating accessories by architects Santhi and Sari Tunas can be found in Isetan Scotts or NAIISE@Cathay, and also bought from Binary Style's website.

📄 www.binarystyle.myshopify.com
📍 **Shaw Centre**,
350 Orchard Road Level 2
☎ +65 6733 1111
🚗 **Orchard**



5 Ong Shunmugam

Featuring flowers that can be found across Singapore, apparel by Priscilla Shunmugam also draws inspiration from traditional *kimonos* and *batik* (a traditional Southeast Asian style of dyeing fabric). Distinguished by their bright colours and free-moving forms, this Chinese-Indian designer's work frequently taps on traditional silhouettes and motifs from her dual heritage.

📄 www.ongshunmugam.com 📍 **43 Jalan Merah Saga #01-76**
☎ +65 6252 2612 🚗 **Holland Village**



6 MATTER
Renyung Ho and Yvonne Suner's label not only produces chic and comfy apparel and accessories, but also takes care of the villages that make them. One of a handful of Singaporean brands centred on fair trade, MATTER employs the expertise of artisans from around the world, and in turn empowers them to build better lives for themselves.

📄 www.matterprints.com
📍 4A Haji Lane
🚗 Bugis



7 Aijek
Minimalist womenswear by Aijek sports stylish and balletic forms. Shop online or browse Aijek's mesmerising dresses in stores like Moxie, Society A, TANGS and Trixilini along Orchard Road.

📄 www.aijek.com
📍 TANGS Orchard, 310 Orchard Road
☎ +65 6737 5500
🚗 Orchard



10 ELOHIM by Sabrina Goh

"Through my circles of friends in the fashion industry, I got to sell my designs in various boutiques and also showcase them at the Audi Fashion Festival 2009," divulges local designer Sabrina Goh, who feels that Singapore caringly nurtures its young designers. Acclaimed for their clean lines, Sabrina's compelling silhouettes accentuate the feminine figure in subtly elegant ways. "You can't keep looking to the left and right and worrying about what your competition is doing. Stay focused and stay true to your own vision."

📄 www.sabrinagoh.com
📍 Capitol Piazza, 13 Stamford Road #02-14
☎ +65 6385 2185 🚗 City Hall



8 In Good Company
Founded in 2012, In Good Company's chic and modern accessories gradually found fame around the world and are now stocked in iconic shopping destinations like Saks Fifth Avenue in New York City. Sporting a versatile and non-conformist style, In Good Company now purveys apparel too that perpetuates this spirit of individuality.

📄 www.ingoodcompany.asia
📍 ION Orchard, 2 Orchard Turn #B1-06
☎ +65 6509 4786 🚗 Orchard

9 Carrie K.
A decade ago, Carolyn Kan left the corporate world to create jewellery that incorporates nuts, bolts and other 'hardware'. Her bold pieces were met with universal acclaim and have been donned by celebrities like tennis star Caroline Wozniacki and Hong Kong actress Angelababy.

📄 www.carriekrocks.com
📍 National Design Centre, 111 Middle Rd #02-02
☎ +65 6352 2559
🚗 Bugis



Fast Times in the Lion City

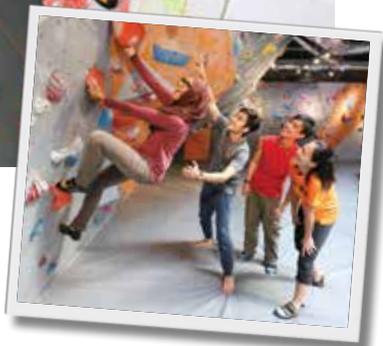
The perfect holiday destination for action seekers who crave excitement, as seen from our Grand Prix Season Singapore, our metropolis indulges your sporting passions with new trends, thrills and invigorating activities.



Climb Central

Located within a sports-themed mall, Climb Central boasts Singapore's largest indoor rockwall. Special harnesses at this family-friendly establishment enable children to belay for adults and vice versa. If you fancy rowing along the bay, rent a kayak from the Water Sports Centre outside Kallang Wave Mall and row down to Marina Bay, or up Kallang River.

📍 www.climbcentral.sg 📍 Kallang Wave Mall, 1 Stadium Place #B1-01
☎ +65 6702 7972 📍 Stadium



The Karting Arena

If you feel inspired by this season's Singapore Grand Prix, have a go at go-karting in The Karting Arena. After instructors teach you how to manoeuvre your go-kart, you'll be able to race against your friends in challenging courses.

📍 www.thekartingarena.com
📍 The Grandstand,
200 Turf Club Rd #01-01B
☎ +65 9627 6771
📍 Sixth Avenue

PRE-SEASON FOOTBALL FEVER

Football fans shouldn't miss the International Champions Cup, which lets you meet Europe's best footballers. Feel the adrenaline rush when you watch top clubs duke it out, then join football-themed games and parties in the city afterward. Read more about it on page 5.





Red Dynasty Paintball Park

Put your infantry skills to the test against your friends and co-workers in Red Dynasty Paintball Park, which comprises several styles of paintball courts across Singapore. Be sure to put on comfortable protective gear, because paintball can get painful if you're hit at close range

📍 www.weplaypaintball.com

📍 The Cage Sports Park,

220 Turf Club Road

☎ +65 6659 4782 📍 Sixth Avenue



The Cage

Located in a tranquil neighbourhood near our National Stadium, The Cage welcomes you to play games in its indoor courts. Although most patrons play futsal here, many others also enjoy playing frisbee and cricket on its artificial turfs. If you happen to be short of teammates, log onto *strangersoccer.com*, a popular website where avid footballers find like-minded enthusiasts to start games with.

📍 www.thecage.com.sg

📍 38 Jln Benaan Kapal

☎ +65 6344 9345

📍 Stadium



The Rink

Located among a cluster of popular shopping venues, The Rink allows pros to refine their skills and aspiring ice-skaters to live out their passions by learning how to skate. Fans of the cold can also beat the heat inside Snow City (21 Jurong Town Hall Road) nearby, where snowball fights and unique photo opportunities await.

📍 www.therink.sg 📍 JCube, 2 Jurong East Central 1 #03-11

☎ +65 6684 2374 📍 Jurong East

“ One of my favourite activities is hiking around the MacRitchie trail and TreeTop Walk. Nothing beats a slow calming hike in this rainforest, that's actually in the middle of our bustling city. It helps me unwind and takes my mind off things for a bit. ”

- Tay Jiawei, local light welterweight boxer and trainer.





Sentosa Escapades

The 'State of Fun' abounds with adrenaline-charged adventures.

1 Ride a cable car

From lush Mount Faber Peak, a cable car ride into Sentosa will treat you to a bird's-eye view of Sentosa and southern Singapore. Ardent naturalists will also relish trekking through surrounding parks like Labrador Park and the Southern Ridges.

📍 www.onefabergroup.com
📍 Mount Faber Road
☎ +65 6377 9688
🚶 HarbourFront

2 Adventure Cove Waterpark

Enjoy a bevy of thrilling slides and rides with your friends and family when you visit Adventure Cove. Here, even if you are new to scuba diving, you can experience snorkelling among corals and fish.

📍 www.rwsentosa.com/en/attractions/adventure-cove-waterpark
📍 8 Sentosa Gateway
☎ +65 6577 8888

3 Mega Adventure Park—Singapore

Suspended 75 metres high and spanning 450 metres, Sentosa's MegaZip lets you fly through treetops. You can also enjoy a bungee-assisted trampoline, a 15-metre-high climbing wall, a 15-metre drop and a 36-metre-high treetop obstacle course.

📍 www.sg.megaadventure.com
📍 10A Siloso Beach Walk
☎ +65 6722 3785

4 Segway tour

Learn to ride a Segway from experienced instructors, then zip around this verdant island with your guide to experience its eclectic sights and sounds.

📍 www.segwaytours.com.sg
📍 Beach Station and Siloso Beach
☎ +65 9825 4066 / +65 6352 6754

5 Wave House Sentosa

Wave House Sentosa hosts a variety of parties throughout the year. After taking on its 10-foot FlowBarrel Wave, get to know fellow thrill-seekers at its lively beachside bar.

📍 www.wavehousesentosa.org
📍 36 Siloso Beach Walk
☎ +65 6377 3113

6 Ola Beach Club

Say hello to exhilarating times! Besides gregarious parties and sumptuous food, Ola Beach Club is also where you can enjoy stand-up paddleboarding, ride a donut or banana boat, kayak and even strap on a jetpack or jetblade to defy gravity along the coast of Sentosa.

📍 www.olabeachclub.com
📍 46 Siloso Beach Walk
☎ +65 6265 5966

7 Universal Studios Singapore™

One can take pictures in many elaborate sets with your favourite television and movie characters in Universal Studios Singapore™, but action seekers will surely be chomping at the bit to get on rides like Revenge of the Mummy™, Battlestar Galactica: HUMAN vs. CYLON™ and TRANSFORMERS The Ride: The Ultimate 3D Battle.

📍 www.rwsentosa.com/en/attractions/universal-studios-singapore/explore
📍 8 Sentosa Gateway
☎ +65 6577 8888

8 AJ Hackett Sentosa

This adventure park named after the famous Australian daredevil welcomes you to bungee jump, swing on a Giant Swing, swoop on a Top Swing, as well as walk across a lofty Skybridge and down a hair-raising Vertical Skywalk. You'll be awarded a certificate upon completing your heart-racing tasks.

📍 www.ajhackett.com/sentosa
📍 30 Siloso Beach Walk
☎ +65 6911 3070



Family Eats

Travelling with the entire brood in tow? These kid-friendly restaurants offer an enjoyable time for the whole family.

Slappy Cakes

Create your dream pancakes in fun-filled Sentosa! Sweet or savoury, doused in chocolate or smothered in peanut butter, Slappy Cakes encourages the young and young at heart to be as creative as possible when designing their own meals.

- 📄 www.slappycakes.com.sg
- 📍 26 Sentosa Gateway #01-29
- ☎ +65 6795 0779
- 🚗 HarbourFront



Wildseed Café & Bar

Nestled in the greenery of Seletar Aerospace Park, this café, patisserie and bar serves freshly baked cakes, sumptuous brunch items and a range of kids meals. Wildseed also has a dedicated children's activity corner that encourages your child to express him or herself through arts and crafts.

- 📄 www.thesummerhouse.sg/wildseed-cafe-bar
- 📍 Seletar Aerospace Park, 3 Park Lane
- ☎ +65 6262 1063
- 🚗 Take bus 103 from Yishun MRT station or take bus 117 from Sembawang MRT station.

EatPlayLove Café

A quaint café with lots of children's toys and a colourful play area, EatPlayLove invites you to indulge in comfort foods like waffles and pancakes, then explore its lively neighbourhood of Kampong Glam (read about it on page 26) after.

- 📄 www.eatplaylove.com.sg
- 📍 28 Aliwal Street #01-07
- ☎ +65 6444 6400 🚗 Nicoll Highway





LIGHT UP THE NIGHT!

Your children will enjoy playing with lanterns of all shapes and forms during the Mid-Autumn Festival. They can join other kids partaking in this merry celebration at Chinatown, Gardens by the Bay or Chinese Garden. Read more about Mid-Autumn Festival on page 8.



Open Farm Community

Located amidst the greenery of Dempsey Hill, families can tuck into a delicious meal of locally farmed ingredients and perhaps sign up for a gardening workshop, which will teach you and your kids how to cultivate your own eco-friendly garden at home.

📍 www.openfarmcommunity.com 📍 130E Minden Rd
☎ +65 6471 0306 🚗 Botanic Gardens



Café Melba

A blend of Aussie and Asian fare, Café Melba's long menu of hearty brunch items are available all day. Enjoy these tasty creations while your children play in its gigantic bouncy castle, and take part in group games on its spacious grounds.

📍 www.cafemelba.com.sg
📍 Goodman Arts Centre,
90 Goodman Road,
Blk N #01-56
☎ +65 6440 6068
🚗 Mountbatten

Quentin's The Eurasian Restaurant

One of few restaurants in the region that serve authentic Eurasian cuisine, Quentin's has a padded children's playroom and is located beneath the Eurasian Community House's educational gallery, from which parents and children can learn more about this local ethnic group. The charming neighbourhoods of Joo Chiat and Katong are also a stone's throw from here.

📍 www.quentins.com.sg
📍 Eurasian Community House, 139 Ceylon Road Level 1
☎ +65 6348 0327 🚗 Dakota





Rumah Makan Minang



Maison Ik-koku

The Sultan

Kampong Glam Cafe

Bhai Sarabat Stall

Supermama

Atap Bar

Scene Shang

Mamanda

Masjid Sultan

Blu Jaz Cafe



Balik Kampong!

Spice up your Singaporean experience by exploring the heritage district of Kampong Glam. Named after the gelam tree, this fascinating neighbourhood showcases the immense vibrancy of both old and new Singapore.

Culture shapers have to make a trip to Kampong Glam (in Malay, the word *kampong* means "compound", while "Glam" is often attributed to the *gelam* tree that was found and used locally for boat-making, medicine and even as a seasoning for food).

To be as close to the action as possible, consider staying in **The Sultan** (101 Jalan Sultan), a beautiful boutique hotel housed within intricately restored shophouses. The Sultan is a stone's throw from the actual former palace of the local sultan, which now serves as the **Malay Heritage Centre** (85 Sultan Gate). Enjoy a lavish meal of *nasi ambeng* (a rice dish accompanied by as many as 15 different side dishes) at **Mamanda** (73 Sultan Gate) on the old palace grounds, or enjoy West Sumatran-style *nasi padang* (Malay mixed rice) and beef *rendang* (braised meat cooked in coconut milk and spices) at **Rumah Makan Minang** (18 & 18A Kandahar Street), an esteemed icon of this precinct.

A distinctive landmark that towers over this district, **Masjid Sultan** (3 Muscat Street) is an Indo-Saracenic-style mosque commissioned by Sultan Hussain Shah in 1824 and rebuilt in 1932. Email info@sultan.mosque.org.sg to arrange a guided tour. On the

southern fringe of this colourful quarter, **Supermama** (265 Beach Road) purveys Singapore-themed dinnerware and other souvenirs, while **Scene Shang** (263 Beach Road) is filled with wares that embrace our Asian history and culture.

Follow the captivating murals of Haji Lane to off-kilter eateries and independent boutiques selling a host of hip apparel and accessories. Just on the other side of these shophouses, Arab Street's long-time tenants have sold Middle Eastern dinnerware, garments, lanterns, rugs and other multi-coloured souvenirs here for decades.

After you've worked up an appetite, grab an inexpensive bite at **Kampong Glam Café** (17 Bussorah Street), an old-school coffee shop that serves a wide variety of Malay and Western dishes. Wash your meal down with frothy, spiced milk tea at the **Bhai Sarabat Stall** (21 Baghdad Street) across the street.

The neighbourhood teems with a deluge of post-dinner drink options: Relish a rooftop view of the district at **Atap Bar** (48 Arab Street), a new halal speakeasy or **Maison Ikkoku** (20 Kandahar Street), a craft cocktail bar. Enjoy live music or perhaps even play alongside the gifted musicians of **Blu Jaz Café** (11 Bali Lane).



Malay Heritage Centre



Paint the Town

Party like a local in these energetic dance clubs.



Altimate

Have a blast at the highest party (61 floors up) in the city. Complemented by a sister restaurant and a rooftop bar (read about them on page 16), Altimate hosts thriving parties all year round including the Johnnie Walker Circuit Lounge during the Grand Prix Season Singapore every September (page 8).

www.1-altitude.com/ultimate
 1 Raffles Place Level 61
 +65 6438 0410 Raffles Place



Canvas

One of the most popular party destinations along the Singapore River, Canvas hosts friendly patrons who love to groove to infectious tunes by lauded local DJs.

www.canvasvenue.sg
 20 Upper Circular Road
 +65 8125 0166 Clarke Quay

Avry

A youthful watering hole in the heart of the city, Avry treats its guests to a bevvy of drinks, electronic dance music and elaborate cabaret-style pageantry.

www.avry.club
 9 Raffles Boulevard #02-02
 +65 9111 2868 Promenade

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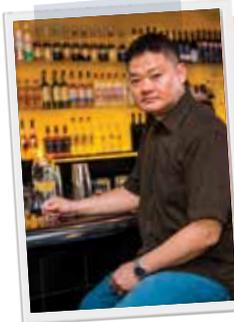
A nondescript venue along Boat Quay, Headquarters is a Berlin-style techno nightclub that hosts acclaimed DJs from the local and international house and trance scenes.

www.thecouncil.sg
 66 Boat Quay
 +65 8125 8880 Clarke Quay

Kilo Lounge

Discover amazing local and international 'indie' DJs at Kilo Lounge and make friends with Kilo's discerning music lovers. Kilo's entrance is along its back lane—follow a corridor decorated with hanging plants, to its vivacious dance floor.

www.kilokitchen.com/lounge
 21 Tanjong Pagar Road #01-02/04
 +65 9824 9747 Tanjong Pagar



“In Singapore, depending on preference, you can find a diverse array of nightlife experiences. Live music venues alone showcase a melting pot of different genres and forms. From swanky rooftop bars to down-to-earth neighbourhood bars, you will be spoilt for choice.”

- Stanley Yeo, owner of Wala Wala Cafe Bar, which is one of Singapore's most prominent live music establishments. Wala Wala celebrates its 25th birthday this year.

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📱 www.lulus.sg

📍 Pan Pacific Hotel, 7 Raffles Boulevard

☎ +65 9829 1922 🚶 Promenade



Caffe Fernet

Overlooking Marina Bay, this new cosy Italian-style restaurant and bar has already garnered a sizeable following who love its cocktails and bar snacks, as well as its hearty brunch and dinner menu.

📱 www.caffefernet.sg

📍 Customs House, 70 Collyer Quay #01-05

☎ +65 9178 1105 🚶 Raffles Place



Origin Bar

Origin's Bar Manager Adam Bursik has created five different cocktails themed on five districts of Singapore. Savour these innovative drinks inspired by Boat Quay, Chinatown, Little India, Marina Bay and Orchard Road.

📱 www.shangri-la.com

📍 Shangri-La, 22 Orange Grove Road

☎ +65 6213 4595 🚶 Orchard



Sugarhall

Cocktail and rum enthusiasts will surely enjoy reggae-themed Sugarhall, which stocks a wide range of rums from around the world. To complete this Caribbean experience, Sugarhall also treats its guests to juicy steaks, hearty sharing plates and irresistible bar bites.

📍 www.sugarhall.sg

📍 102 Amoy Street

☎ +65 9732 5607 🚗 Telok Ayer

Level Up

When you order drinks or food at Level Up, they come with tokens that you can use to play old-school video games, pool, foosball, shoot hoops and more. Here, you can make new friends over beer pong and win soft toys for your loved ones from claw machines.

📍 www.1-levelup.com 📍 3A River Valley Road #02-04

☎ +65 6266 2276 🚗 Clarke Quay



“Singapore’s F&B scene is at its prime and we now need to work hard collectively to maintain our world-class standards. Visit Atlas, Manhattan or Origin to drink in unique environments with breathtaking aesthetics, and drop into bars like Tippling Club, Operation Dagger or Native to relish techniques that their bartenders apply to achieve better flavours and heighten guest experiences.”

- Peter Chua, who was crowned Best Bartender in Southeast Asia in 2014, and recently opened a new speakeasy, Junior the Pocket Bar, whose entrance is along the back lane of 43 Tanjong Pagar Road.



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Address:
216 Orchard
Road (Next to
orchardgateway
@emerald)

Operating Hours:
Daily 8.30am-9.30pm

KAMPONG GLAM

Address:
55 Bussorah Street

Operating Hours:
Daily 8am-6pm