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PUBLISHER'S NOTE



Dear Reader,
 Greetings!

Life is what but one grand adventure to experience!!

Through this February issue of T3FS Magazine, we urge rush your adrenaline with all new exciting chapters from the world of travel, trade & hospitality industry whereas in Lifestyle get in the latest trends to accessorize in quickest time. INDIA is truly the land of wonders and surprises. Surely there is nothing what one can have enough of, to experience and among such hues of this kaleidoscopic charisma of nature are the adventure activities that makes its voyager go through the real meaning of life that is Never Give Up!!

Generalizing the growing trends of adventure and vivid opportunities to explore, T3FS magazine has clubbed distinctive destinations which facilitates guests with the most sought after activities under their most significant surveillance and safety so that fun and joy are the only parts of the memoir and no scratch to be taken away.

Apart from them, you will be going through the updates of trade events like IITT, GPS that have showcased the strengths and gleaming Indian tourism and trade industry. With thousands of visitors and 100s of buyers in multiple networking sessions, these events have given a great platform to extend business.

With the updates and events of the industry, Air mode of travel is the one which is at utmost delicacy with multiple numbers of attentive grounds including engine safety, carrying flammable objects, and pointed objects for any sort of flight miserable happenings, being attentive towards passenger announcement by the captain.

This February issue will hold your breath and fasten yourself as T3FS takes you on an adventurous ride to few amazing destinations of nation India which is rarely explored though they have the whole lot of nature's bliss wherein you can test your level of dare and valor which is uncovered to your spirits.

February is said to a month of love, breeze, pinkish ambience and happiness all around but each member of the mankind is whether having a right to feel the same is still under scan and is questionable for the "other side of the gender grading".

Sip in the medicinal benefits with a toast of brandy while reading over whether love has no boundaries this valentines' day. Accessorize yourself with pride and royalty as the crowns are the symbol of lineage and heritage owning its pride and honor. Crowns were not just accessory but a discipline, a sense of responsibility.

Vedika Sharma

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Incredible India

Serenity Among 30,000 Sculptures

The Meenakshi Temple in Madurai is a cultural treasure, kept alive with a daily dose of art, faith and celebration. The over-2,500-year old temple is one of the most renowned examples of Indian temple architecture. Introspect as you walk in the 1,000-pillared hall, join the throngs of devotees and be enchanted by the emerald deity. Soak in the spirit of the temple city.



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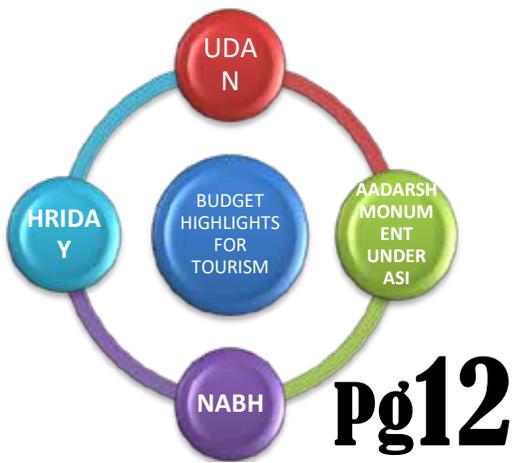
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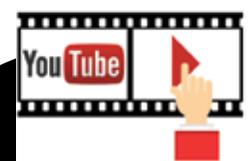
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Tourism Malaysia successfully promoted the Nation at SATTE 2018.

Tourism Malaysia promoted Malaysia in India, in conjunction with the South Asia Travel & Tourism Exchange with its vivid destinations and the amazing sites that may become one of a lifetime experience. The three day program led an opportunity for buyers and sellers to network with each other and develop new tourism products and packages.

YBhg. Dato' Dr. Siew Ka Wei, Chairman, Tourism Malaysia along with the Malaysian delegation comprising of 8 tour agents, 9 hotels operators, 4 products owners, 2 airlines operators and several officials and the state government attended the event to promote Malaysia as a preferred tourist destination.

Malaysia's presence at SATTE this year is an early preparation for the promoting of Visit Malaysia year 2020 in the region. This promotional efforts is expected to increase the number of Indian tourist to Malaysia significantly led a greater awareness of Malaysia as an Ideal holiday destination as well as fostering greater cooperation between tour operators and members of the tourism fraternity.

India is one of the top ten markets for Malaysia with a total 638,578 tourists recorded in 2016. Last year from January to October, total arrivals from India was at 449, 559 arrivals.



Sri-Lanka: A Destination for all the Season



Sri-Lanka Tourism organized a press-conference in New Delhi, announcing a path breaking record of historic growth with 384, 628

arrivals from India market in 2017. Sri Lanka now targets for 4, 40,000 arrivals for the year 2018. Sri-Lanka is growing as, "a destination for all seasons".

The survey conducted by Sri-Lanka Tourism, highlighted that 63.7% of Indian opted for sightseeing excursions and 49.82% preferred for shopping while 41.64% preferred Sea Bathing whereas 37.01% Indian travelers visit the historical sites in Sri Lanka while wildlife remains to be the choice for 21% only that nearly 100% Indians visiting Sri Lanka have had a good & enjoyable visit.

The pristine beaches and cultural aspects of Sri-Lanka is already being explored by Indian guests, however, key area of focus for this years' participation would be to promote Film tourism, Destination Wedding, Religious and Pilgrimage tourism (Ramayana Trail).

Sutheash Balasubramaniam, Managing Director, Sri Lanka Tourism Promotion Bureau

"India continues to be our top source market. We believe that the potential of the Indian travel market is yet to realize in terms of attracting longer stay and higher spending travelers. It is our fervent hope to make Sri Lanka most preferred destination in Asia for Indian Travelers. Sri Lanka offers travelers an array of diverse product offerings and experience spread across the small island and caters to all ages".

Desaru Coast boosts Indian Travelers to Connect to Malaysia

Malaysia's first integrated premium destination and the most anticipated new tourism development; Desaru Coast had an exclusive preview of participated in the South Asia Travel & Tourism Exchange. Theintegrated destination also met India buyers to present latest development and various offering in Johor's hidden Gem. Desaru Coast is located at the south-eastern region of Malaysia spanning over 3,900 acres along an unspoiled 17 km beachfront facing the South China Sea. Desaru Coast is home to four globally renowned hotels and resorts, two world class golf courses, a themed water park, a retail village as well as a conference centre.

Muhammad Zainal Ashikin, Chief Executive Officer, Desaru Development Holdings said.

"Desaru Coast's India Tour will open doors for us to connect with buyers of all sectors within the travel-value chain commerce whilst positioning Desaru Coast as the destination of choice amongst holidaymakers and business travelers alike within the region. We look forward to sharing a preview of the destination that will appeal to international travelers with its myriad of offering."

H.E Datuk Hidayat Abdul Hamid, High Commissioner of Malaysia said "India has always been an important market for Malaysia. In 2016, a total of 6, 38,578 Indian travelers visited Malaysia, maintaining its position as the sixth top tourist generating market to the country. Desaru Coast will definitely make the Indian excited and thus giving a boost to arrivals to the country."



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Morocco Visa Application Centres in India

Cox & Kings Global Services (CKGS), announced the opening of Morocco Visa Application and Information Centres (MVAIC) in India. The Centre in New Delhi was inaugurated by His Excellency Mr Mohamed MALIKI, the Ambassador of the Kingdom of Morocco, in the presence of Ms Venku Murthi, Chief Operating Officer of CKGS. In the first phase, centres have opened in the four key metros—Delhi, Mumbai, Chennai and Kolkata. In the second phase, the centres will be opened in Ahmedabad, Pune, Goa, Indore, Bengaluru, Chandigarh and Jaipur.



ICC WORLD T20 FINALS



In a major coup for Victorian cricket fans, Visit Victoria has secured the men's and women's finals of the ICC World T20 in 2020. The matches will be played at the world-renowned Melbourne Cricket Ground (MCG), highlighting Melbourne's reputation as Australia's sporting capital and a global events city.

The ICC World T20 is the International Cricket Council's (ICC) 'World Cup' for its fastest growing and most popular tournament and is considered one of the largest sporting events in the world. For the first time in its history, the ICC World T20 will feature two stand-alone events as the men's and women's tournaments will be scheduled for different times of year.

This landmark move will see Melbourne become the home of both the men's and women's finals and ensure the women's competition is promoted and staged as a major global event in its own right. The women's competition will take place from 21 February to 8 March 2020 and the men's tournament from 18 October to 15 November 2020. The eyes of the world will be on Australia as the 10 best women's teams and 16 best men's teams, comprising the global superstars of the game, compete to be crowned world champions.

In a further coup for Victoria, both Melbourne and Geelong have been announced as Official Host Cities for the event and three of Victoria's world class venues are set to host matches. On top of hosting both finals, the MCG will also host six Super-12 matches as part of the men's competition.

Visa office for Ukraine in India

Visa office for Ukraine in India Residents of India wishing to travel to Ukraine can now apply for both short and long term visas at the VFS Global Visa Application Centre in New Delhi. Ukraine was recently signed on as VFS Global's 57th client government worldwide, when the Ukraine Ministry of Foreign Affairs and VFS Global signed a contract to provide visa services on behalf of the Eastern European nation across eight countries – Angola, Egypt, Morocco, Nigeria, and Tunisia in the Africa region, Lebanon in the Middle East region, India in the South Asia region, and China, in September 2017. The contract entails the launch of 10 visa application centres across these eight countries by 15 January 2018, with the one in New Delhi being the first step toward that goal.

The year 2017 has been a marked success for VFS Global, with seven new client governments added to its portfolio. The organisation has also expanded its presence to five new countries and also crossed the milestone of handling its 150 millionth application through the year.

Vinay Malhotra, COO – Middle East and South Asia, VFS Global

It is with great pride that VFS Global announces its partnership with Ukraine. It is with even greater delight that we launch the first Ukraine Visa Application Centre in New Delhi, India. Ukraine is fast becoming a popular destination for Indian travellers, and we look forward to offering travel enthusiasts in the region our best in class visa application services to ease their submission process.

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BUDGET 2018: Trump Card for Tourism before Election 2019?

• **Tarsh Sharma**

With the beginning of year 2018, all the eyes were over finance minister and the brains were busy speculating on what is there in the pandora briefcase of Mr. Arun Jaitely, Hon'ble Finance Minister, Government of India. Tourism Industry had revived from demonetization and rectification of Goods and Service Tax wherein

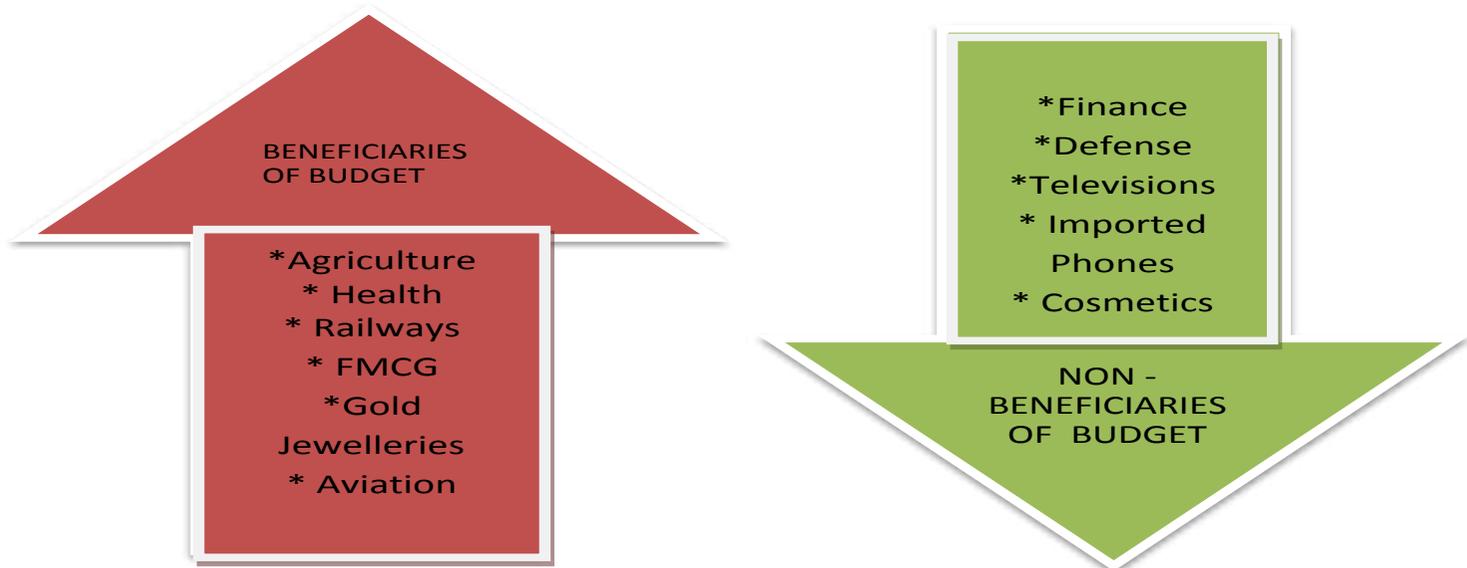
for a time being, it faced double taxation, which had been categorized as luxury in economy and transportation issues and was later reformed and rectified after a heavy struggle and tough times faced altogether. Though the expectation of Industry people were on high note for support and liberal policies, rates and majority of initiative in boosting it

but the new corpus of funds and aids is not up to the mark of level of satisfaction as there was no separate allocation of investments to the industry but then few initiatives drawn by central government will surely be instrumental in taking it to higher level of growth and prospects.

HIGHLIGHTS OF BUDGET 2018-19 FOR TOURISM



BENEFICIARIES & NON-BENEFICIARIES OF BUDGET 2018-19



Narendra Modi, Hon'ble Prime Minister, Government of India

Commenting over the budget 2018-19, Prime Minister firstly congratulated Finance Minister for focusing more over strengthening the under privileged section of nation and significantly giving importance to the health, education and development of all in single parameter. He said that budget is farmer-friendly, common-citizen friendly and development friendly.

It will give pace to the development of the country...the government is focused not just on 'ease of doing business' but also on 'ease of living. This budget strengthens the hopes of 1.25 crore Indians... Our farmers have produced record amounts of grains and vegetables. To strengthen farmers further, we have taken several important steps. For a long time, MSME's faced a lot of burden on the tax front. In this budget, we have also reduced the corporate taxes that MSME's owe. Now, they have to pay only 25% tax instead.



Narendar Modi
Hon'ble Prime Minister
Govt. of India

STRENGTHENING TOURISM AND CULTURE OF INDIA:

For the growth and development of tourism industry in India, the finance minister though did not come up with multiple fancy deals but the crisp and cut-through initiatives will definitely turn out as the game changer for industry with its futuristic perspective.

Focusing on the sectors' disciplines, the government has launched few major schemes on the verge of development of tourism industry. The central government has come up with an allocated budget WITH an estimated cost of INR 2150 crore for tourism ministry which is 20% more than last year's allocation. An exclusive budget of INR 2866 has been allocated for culture ministry which also includes a distinguished amount of INR 203 crore for north eastern regions.

Under the Regional connectivity scheme of UDAN (UDE DESH KA AAM NAGRIK) initiated by the Government last year, 56 unserved airports and 31 unserved helipads would be connected. To further boost tourism, the Budget proposes to develop ten prominent tourist sites into Iconic Tourism destinations by following a holistic approach involving infrastructure and skill development, development of technology, attracting private investment, branding and marketing. Under the Bharatmala Pariyojana, about 35000 kms road construction in Phase-I at an estimated cost of Rs. 535, 000 crore has been approved. In addition, tourist amenities will be upgraded at 100 ADARSH monuments of the Archaeological Survey of India (ASI). The National Heritage City Development and Augmentation Yojana (HRIDAY) have been taken-up to revitalize heritage cities. He also announced that for promoting tourism and emergency medical care, the Government will make the necessary frame work for encouraging investment in sea plane activities.



Hon'ble Minister of Finance
Govt of India

VOICE OF TOURISM INDUSTRY ON NATION'S BUDGET

With the demands for a new entirety of funds for tourism and reviving hard over recent monetary reforms, the tourism industry is not that much happy as ITSdemands have not been met and no supplementary investment expenditure has been announced exclusively on the extension of industry's growth and development, the tourism and industry has its hopes totally focused on Budget which promises to develop 10 prominent sites as iconic tourist destinations, up gradation of 100 ADARSH monuments of the Archaeological Survey of India (ASI), and creation of frameworks to encourage investment in sea plane activities will attract more investments in the sector. Focusing on the National Heritage City Development Augmentation Scheme, it will highlight to preserve and protect heritage cities in the country which is expected to make a positive move for domestic tourism.



Pronab Sarkar
President, Indian Association of Tour
Operators (IATO)

After the implementation of GST with effect from 1st of July 2017, tourism has been taxed heavily due to multiple taxes on the services. We have been pleading with the government that our taxes are much higher than our neighboring countries and we need to be at par to compete in the International market to attract more foreign tourists to our country and to earn much needed foreign exchange and to create more employment, tourism industry needs to be boosted by giving. Export industry status to tourism industry and tourism services from which they earn foreign exchange is out of GST/ IGST. However our this demand has not been met. Government has also announced to extend benefit of the reduced corporate tax of 25% for companies with turnover of up-to Rs. 250 crore from Rs. 50 crore earlier, which will boost small and medium companies.

Rationalization on taxes to benefit those involved in promoting and delivering travel & tourism services would generate new impulses for tourism. Addressing issues like tax exemption benefit extended to the NRI Holiday business for tour operators and clarification on the flexibility of transfer and grant of GST credit on hotels would create the necessary boost in the tourism sector further. While the Union Budget 2018 did not directly address several of the demands being made by the travel and tourism industry, it addressed a relatable need that act as a medium for growth of the infrastructure sector. The budget emphasized on the government's vision to make 10 prominent tourist sites as iconic tourist destinations, with an amalgamation of private funding, marketing and branding giving a much-needed boost to domestic tourism. Right from boosting the Smart Cities programme to laying down a blueprint for better connectivity through the UDAN scheme, modernizing the Railway infrastructure, introducing more airports to connect various parts of the country are initiatives that will contribute towards sustainable growth within the sector.



Vishal Suri,
Managing Director,
SOTC Travel

The US has substantial exposure in some of these sectors and very little presence in domains like infrastructure and food processing. IACC will flag these potential areas mentioned in the Budget 2018-19 to the business corporations in the US and catalyze their greater involvement in India's development story. The new industry friendly defense production policy, which will be unveiled soon, as mentioned in the Budget speech, will be of great interest to the US business corporations, which are steadily scouting Indian markets for starting their production bases



Vasant Subramanyan
National President,
Indo-American Chamber of Commerce

While concentrating over the aviation industry, the budget 2018-19 has focused on the strengthening of infrastructure and colonizing more cities with the facility of air transportation & schemes like UDAN. The development policies states to develop regional airports that will connect 56 un-served airports and 31 un-served helipads, and also 16 airports which are currently under operation. The government will also aid on to increasing the airport capacity to handle 1 billion trips a year.



Peter Kerkar
Group, CEO,
Cox & Kings Ltd.

The move to expand the UDAN (Ude Desh ka Aam Nagrik), to over 56 unreserved airports and 31 unreserved helipads will open up huge opportunities for the travel industry as connectivity will improve and people in these areas will be able to travel seamlessly within India and overseas, thereby giving a boost to domestic and outbound tourism. Overall, the thrust of this budget is on infrastructure development, which is what the tourism industry has always represented to the government. New tourism circuits can only come up if there was adequate development and this budget lays emphasis on it. Finally, giving a boost to the rural economy will also enhance the purchasing power amongst those living in rural areas and this in turn will stimulate travel. We have observed this over the last couple of years.

The Budget has laid emphasis on developing the airport infrastructure in the country which is lagging the robust growth in air traffic (passenger traffic is expected to cross 300 mn passengers in FY2018 after having crossed 265 mn passengers in FY2017). Government's plan to increase the capacity by five times is a positive development and is targeted to meet the future air traffic growth in the country. The budget has increased the planned capital outlay for the ministry of civil aviation to Rs. 4,086 crore in FY2018-19 from Rs. 2,543 crore in FY2017-18, which is in line with government's focus on development of infrastructure. AAI, the nodal authority for owning and managing airports, has been undertaking airport infrastructure up-gradation for last few years. Given the ambitious target of increasing capacity by five times, AAI is expected to play a greater role and increase the pace of infrastructure development. The budget proposal of leveraging AAI's healthy balance sheet is expected to generate sizeable resources for AAI to undertake required capacity enhancement initiatives.



Harsh Jagnani
Vice President and Sector Head,
Corporate ratings,
ICRA Limited mentioned



Balu Ramachandran
Vice Head of Air and Distribution,
Cleartrip

India has achieved the position of being the fastest growing domestic aviation market in the world. Airport capacity addition in most imperative to ensure that the growth impetus does not hit an infrastructure roadblock and it is heartening to see the government backing up the ambitious UDAN plan with budgetary provisions for airports.

Infrastructure has been the major focal point for budget 2018-19 and the ministry of finance. It is also very true that India is in urge of great infrastructural ground for its potential future and growing economy. The ministry of finance has allocated flooded funds to strengthen infrastructure on connectivity ground as apart from aviation, the ministry has come up with schemes like Bharatmala Pariyojna which is focusing on the road

connectivity in the upcoming years. Bharatmala Pariyojana will be granted a massive fund of INR 535, 000 crore construct roads in Phase-I which will aid about 35000 kms of road and road developments.

On the infrastructural front, with the markets giving a compounded return of 15-16% over the last 20 years, a tax impacting 1.5% return should not affect the domestic investor appetite for equity investment,

Group highlighted the schemes how it will benefit rural India and how the infrastructure building will encourage multiple industries to grow. This time, the Union Budget focused on two aspects: boosting the rural economy and making healthcare accessible and affordable to every Indian. These are steps towards India's growth and development, aligned with the government's vision for the country. There is also big push towards increasing the digitization in the country. We are heartened to note the focus on rural India - right from boosting the Smart Cities programme to laying down a blueprint for better connectivity through the UDAN scheme. Upgrading India's Infrastructure by modernizing the railways, airports and roads as well as introducing more airports to connect various parts of the country, are initiatives that will help boost tourism in India. The Budget also indicates a clear commitment to improving rail networks by announcing that all stations with more than 25,000 footfalls will have escalators and trains will be provided with Wi-Fi and CCTV monitoring facilities to ensure safety.



Madhavan Menon
Chairman
Thomas Cook Group

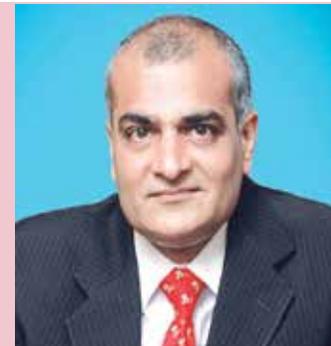
Exceptional case in this year's budget was hospitality industry which has not been exclusively allocated any fund and in order to boost tourism sector, the hospitality surely plays a crucial role and shortage of organized hospitality industry will be an adverse affect on tourism's road to development. Increased investment in infrastructure will help boost travel among the masses thus increasing the business for hospitality and tourism sector.



Chander Baljee
Managing Director
Royal Orchid Hotels

This is an inclusive budget with prime focus on agriculture, healthcare, education and infrastructure sector. Though there is no direct mention of hospitality sector in the proposed Union Budget, however, various measures to enhance disposable income and the government's plan to increase the airport capacity to handle one billion trips a year will augur well for mid-segment hotels.

It will drive consumption in a big way, thus helping growth in other related sectors, While we see a clear focus on the infrastructure sector development in the rural areas, the plans for such development in the urban areas including wider connectivity across the length and breadth of the country have also got the needed attention in the budget.



Rashesh Shah
President,
FICCI



Manheer Singh Sethi
Co-founder
Travkart

Travkart is collectively pleased with the positive announcements made by our Finance Minister in the Union Budget. The tax cut and added incentives on Travel and Tourism, of course, stand out as one of the most affirmative steps taken in the direction of boosting the \$210 billion industry overall and creating more jobs in this domain. Policy initiative towards infrastructure building and skill development will spur the growth of the travel segment further. This will help reiterate India's growing leadership position as an international tourist destination. Overall, we would say that the budget announcements will prove to be a real shot in the arm for the travel and tourism industry of India.

A skier in a black jacket and blue pants is captured mid-air, performing a jump against a vibrant sunset sky with shades of blue, purple, and orange. The skier's skis are horizontal, and snow is visible around them. In the background, a snowy mountain slope is dotted with evergreen trees.

INDIA : The Spirited Source

• **Vedika Sharma**

INDIA is truly the land of wonders and surprises. Surely there is nothing what one can have enough of to experience and among such hues of this kaleidoscopic charisma of nature are the adventure activities that makes its voyager go through the real meaning of life that is Never Give Up!! From all the corners of this magnetizing and enticing wonderland India, one can experience life only more to what he expects to find the real him, the true him. So, this February hold your breath and beat as T3FS takes you on an adventurous ride to few amazing destinations of nation India which is rarely explored though they have the whole lot of nature's bliss wherein you can test your level of dare and valor which is uncovered to your spirits. Adventures are for sure the priority bucket list of every travelover and activities like river rafting, trekking, scuba diving, snorkeling, skiing, surfing, zip line, flying fox, bungee jumping are just few to name. And, to bring more bolts from the bleeding blue nation, there are not just these to frame in your eternal memory but only more to add in it. India, the world's paradise has few major destinations like North-east states, Rishikesh, Jaisalmer, Lakshwadeep, Gulmarg, The Great Himalayas, Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Jodhpur are here to bound one and all with their natural and pristine splendor and etched experiences in minds for lifetime.



TREKKING

Trekking and Himalayas are an obvious and death combination for the ardent adventure lovers. The height, the steeps, the risks, the ice, the plains and the high-lows of this massive white sheet of mountains is a worldliness memoir to take at least once in a lifetime. The Himalayas are undoubtedly composed but they are also immensely wild destination dwells upon for an adventurous trekking experience. The mighty terrains of Himalaya jewel of the delicate nature and stupendous atmosphere provides spectacular overflow of trails available for adventure lovers. Trekking is a great lesson to realize that no matter how difficult journey is but one must not stop dreaming and realizing the feel that veins through after reaching on top. The goal and standard should always be high in life while keeping the footstep attentively and realizing the depth of land where we stand. Himalayas are the wide opened arms of INDIA which even in its freezing temperature solaces with its warmth which is accessible from Kashmir to Ladakh to Himachal to Uttarakhand to Sikkim and to Arunachal Pradesh.

As it is home to freezing glaciers and deep sub-zero lakes, the deep wildernesses of mountains ranges from moderate to tough trekking condition which makes it a challenging trek to swing and hang through the regions of Chandrashila at one corner whereas the picturesque beauty of natural vegetation of the hill skirted as thick forests and dim sunlight is a bliss in Kumaoni Hills which makes the voyage to be a verve in lap of nature. The immaculate milieu and artistic view of Ladakh is no surprise and to prove this true; Nubra valley and Markha Valley are the picture perfect instance which holds some extravagant wildlife. The valley seems like a spotless white sheet of snow covering the mountain tops with a splash of iced water garrulous amongst the charming corral making Sikkim the surreal and soulful beauty of north eastern India. Himalayans are purely to replenish as a medicinal dose to revive life out of competitive world wherein one has lost love and confidence within him. The most ideal & considered destination perhaps is Chandrashilla Trek which is immensely popular among people. Chopta, a part of Chandrashila trek is also known as Mini Switzerland of India. To start off the expedition, Tungnath is the place to reach for.

HOW TO REACH:

By Flight @ Jolly Grant Airport
By Train @ Rishikesh Railway Station
By Road @ Rishikesh or Srinagar



RIVER RAFTING

Rafting has been one of the major known and experienced adventure activities in India and now it is spreading its popularity through multiple corners of nation. The activity was immensely popular in north-eastern parts of nation but in meantime it has also emerged as one of the most popular water sports in other Indian region. Riding through high and lows of unbridled water and twirling in those precarious rapids and random corners is where the adrenaline rush makes the experience thrilling and heart-skipping simultaneously. Life teaches us various lessons but this one surely makes us understand that though life is tough and surprising at times with its difficulty but we must make it our passion and ultimate goal with a positive and happy go ride. If the chances are yet to explore, then go with flow here in this ultimate and exciting ride of white water.

Perhaps one of the most challenging rafting destinations would be the action-packed giant river Brahmaputra which is surely untamed and a must option to sail in thrill with this water-adventure and to indulge in the compelling beauty of nature. It has been perfectly said by Shakespeare that what lies in a name, if you call rose by some other, its fragrance will still amaze you and last forever!! And river Brahmaputra perfectly defines the statement as it emerges from China's held Tibet region from Angsi Glacier with its baby name 'Tsang Po'. They call it 'Siang' in Arunachal Pradesh whereas 'Dudha Koshi' in Nepal and 'Brahmaputra' in Assam, and ultimately 'Jamuna' pours in Bangladesh. As a Rafter, one learns all this on his expedition of Bhramputra River Rafting.

The starting point of rafting is at Tuting and the end is situated in Pasighat which cover prolonged endurance of 180 kms. For any adventurer, it takes around one complete week to conclude the journey of the entire stretch, camping along the riverside after sunset in a close-knit happy go environment generalizing the experiences of the day. The 180 kms of stretch adds up to one of the most adventurous and unpredictable water experience and rendering an elated eternal memory for the adventurer. Camping at the distinguished destinations while rafting through Brahmaputra makes one well aware of the life, culture and traditions of Arunchal Pradesh, Assam and other parts of north-eastern India which is a great way to learn the passion and warmth that comes on realizing the real meaning of life for all, is one in this colorful ambience halting at Zebra Rock, Karko Killer, Tooth Fairy, Moving Madness, Yinkeong, Tuting, Pulsating Palsi, Ninguing, Hairy Hari, Broken Oar, Rikor, etc. The rafting adventure is a bliss in its own which can only be sensed and is inexplicable.

HOW TO REACH:

By Flight @ Chabua Airport
By Train @ Dibrugarh Town , Dibrugarh
By Bus @ Dibrugarh Bus Stop



BUNGEE JUMPING

The adrenaline junkie who always trail for adventurous India and its wonders, there one stop answer is Bungee jumping. Bungee jumping happens to be on a fixed platform that extends to the middle of a valley to jump to at least a height of not less than 83 metres that counts to roughly 273 feet and equivalent to falling from a building which is approx. 22 stories high in a harness but. The jumper is tied with a rubber cord to his ankle and asked to take the leap of faith from the fixed platform and rush through his faith for lifetime after jumping off. After the jump, the jumpers are lowered to the ground then on a bed. This adventure sport is now no more a query since the tourism front has developed all the requisites of this unforgettable experience of life that teaches to balance the downfalls with all the love, positivity and vigilant eyesight on where to stop. India was catching up fast for its one adventure sport which is well equipped and has trained and skilled professional. Bungee jumping surely landed as the most sought after answer to it. The adrenaline rush that this adventure sport promises is subsequent to none.

Rishikesh has the highest bungee jumping spot in India and the only destination with a fixed platform to dive from. Bungee jumping stands only for those adventurers who are passionately and mindfully strong enough to take leap of faith from such an enormous height. But if thrill and adventure are on mind, then bungee is one experience what must not be left out. There are multiple options available to choose from for the dare darling be it high bridges, helicopters, tall buildings and hot air balloons but in Rishikesh, it is an exclusively built platform, on a cliff at a height of 83 meters only to add more to the thrill. This cliff overlooks a canyon, through which flows the mighty and holistic River Ganga making it worth a try!

This bungee jumping site has been designed by David Allardice who specially landed to nation to certify over the adventurous ride and its worth on why this leap of faith is only to build your confidence and belief in you stronger than ever. This daredevil stunt takes people under special surveillance of trained professional before jumping off and avoiding any sort of casualty. Bungee jumping requisites few harness equipment, bungee jumping gear where the feet is attached to a long elastic cord (made of latex rubber) and assistance in getting ready for the jump is substituted. Once you jump off, all you remember is the daring you who can take on the world on from nothing to everything & for which even nature is applauding you from all around the hills, embracing you through its blissful air and cheerful sound of River Ganga flowing beneath you. The surroundings and the ambience of nature in Rishikesh makes the set up much perfect to breath in and feel that why this late!!! There are certain necessities for bungee jumping in Rishikesh that includes that minimum age of a person on the day of the activity should be 12 years and minimum and maximum weight of 35 kg and 110 kg, respectively.

HOW TO REACH:

By Flight @ Jolly Grant Airport
By Train @ Rishikesh Railway Station
By Road @ Rishikesh or Srinagar



FLYING FOX

Ever felt like flipping your hands into wings and fly high like a bird. Well, wishes lies everywhere and every lifetime. Flying fox is one of those adventure activities that fulfill this wish of a person. Hanging upside at one edge of a cliff and swinging down through other side of the cliff will make one scream the loudest in lifetime every time it is experienced. It makes one feel like he is high on sky and beyond all boundaries and every boundation. The activity even thrills one to see others doing it and then imagining to gain same amount of courage and audacity to let the thrill run through our blood and replenish every veins of the body with that oomph adrenaline rush. But then the best of the feelings is to overcome such fear and breaking the laws of safety and insecurity of loosing us only for gaining that enigmatic phenomenal outlook. Majority of people restrict their wit on outraging their own knack but once the mental makeup is done, then only sky is the limit for the overtly celebration of life. Life's most beautiful and worth a remembrance are only those moments which you make up instantly and believing the real you who is ready to take plunge only to complete the traverse in lifetime bestowed to mankind by the supreme one. Something seems to hold you back even from marking such celebrations is the FEAR and not believing YOU! The fear of taking self to a joyride, fear of being creative and innovative, or even fear of generalizing inner strength and wandering praises around the world. This thrill ride from one corner of fear to the next edge of freedom, courage, joy, victory and celebrations is what Flying Fox is!! Just take one plunge harnessing you swinging on a zipline.

It is psychosomatic treatment will make you to try it to believe it. Rajasthan has perfect platform for you to give Zipline/Flying Fox a try. Fly high in pride and honor at the majestic and massive forts standing out as the witness of history of great warriors. Forts like Mehrangarh Fort, Neemrana Fort are the perfect set with their high cliff, blue sky and lush green steeps. Glide on the with composure over its two desert lakes of Mehrangarh fort is the destination which is perfect to trek through and then run to swing in the land of death with pride and respect. Rao Jodha eco-park is considered to be one of the best views of Mehrangarh Fort which is an exemplary master piece creation in the Blue City of Jodhpur. With Flying Fox, you get to see the view that entices and mesmerizes in every bit of minute in a ride of approximately 90 minutes. Flying fox includes safety guidance, brief training session, practicing zip lining on short lengths and taking minute steps as a walk between the zip to have their overview and be aware of high and low points of the cliffs. The forts in Rajasthan are a true bliss and mirror to the great history and heritage of India so somewhere Flying Fox takes on a ride of past only to make us meet with surreal us in future after completion of ride. It also makes believe that India is still a land of great warriors who are fighting their own battle in some other form and take you out as a winner of all odds. Fly on to City Wall for a unique perspective of Jodhpur and break your wall of insecurity and fear of limitations for not trusting self-strengths. It would be the experience of a lifetime and the memory to be cherished forever and ever. The fort also encompasses beautiful views of Chokelao Garden; an oasis of lush lawns, shady trees and fragrant flower borders in the walls of forts and beautiful gardens that are well maintained by the staff standing always at your service. After flying fox experience one can take on a small visit to The museum in Mehrangarh Fort wherein he can look for the soveigners of past still kept afresh their which majorly include the sword of Mughal Emperor Akbar and the magnificent gold howdah in which the Maharaja used to ride on his elephant. After the sunset, enjoy folklores of Rajasthan gazing at the stars and feeling the best of blues in your getaway.

HOW TO REACH:

By Flight @ Jodhpur Airport
By Train @ Jodhpur Railway Station
By Bus @ Jodhpur Bus Stop



SKIING

Skiing is one recreational activity wherein getting on a strip board gliding smoothly through the sheets of snow crossing with the uses of skis. To all the snow lovers and those who are ardently in love with the chilling season of winter is having all their answers to adventure in snow land is Skiing. Skiing is still an unfamiliar in India and under scan to be of national popularity but then with sporting towns of Gulmarg and Auli, Skiing is nowhere far behind other adventure activities. Skiing is an experience that lets to breathe the best of life in the most freezing weather conditions. The greatest range of white sheet mountains in the northern part of nation is the best platform for Skiing and to traverse in the most apt destinations for taking on the most adventurous ride of lifetime. Skiing requires few set up without which the activity cannot be taken forward. The required ‘powder’ is available in India for making skiing an unforgettable experience is also the finest in the world as it is ultra soft and fluffy snow (as opposed to wet snow, which restricts motion, or icy snow, since slippery snow is dangerous to ski on and not fun at all and a dry base is necessary). Also known as off-piste skiing, skiing powder is what the experienced skier looks out for.

The equipments include cable chords, chairlifts, boards, skills, boots, cool weather absorbent suits, and the dearth of proper infrastructure. Skiing is for such an enthusiast, worth considering for taking a plunge on the surreal ambience of range of snow mountains. Skiing is offered at several locations across Himalayan states which majorly includes Jammu & Kashmir, Himachal Pradesh, Uttarakhand, Sikkim and Arunachal Pradesh. The ski resort in these locations are facilitated with the basic amenities of furnishing as a ski resort with cable cars, chairlifts and requisite guidelines to be trained onto the basic safety measures before proceeding for Skiing experience.

Gulmarg is one of the destinations that feature as the best destination to try hands on Skiing Gulmarg scores on world class infrastructure for experiencing Skiing and has all major sources of connectivity including airways and roadways besides the snow and roads jamming issues. Gulmarg has five international-level Poma ski-lifts on the lower slopes and one of the highest cable cars in the world, the Gulmarg Gondola, which travels a distance of 2.7km, with a vertical rise of 1,280m, takes skiers to a point at 3,980m, almost to the top of Mt Apharwat. The Gulmarg has 15–20 chairlifts in every resort; it’s still the best in India and adequate for a good experience. The snow quality at Gulmarg is also better in comparison to all fronts that offer skiing adventure experience. People also get luxury treatment along with all the required infrastructure and safety and security guidelines. Gulmarg is easily accessible from capital city Srinagar on a road trip of 90 minutes only. There are six bunny slopes, with different gradients and levels for beginners, and the higher slopes are for professional skiers. There is a Gulmarg ski patrol, managed by an American avalanche specialist and consisting of 14 highly trained Kashmiri snow scientists and rescue specialists, trained for all contingencies. It also has a sophisticated avalanche warning system, to flag off any trouble. The absolute top-end place is Gulmarg and that teaching methods and knowledge are often not up to international standards. On the positive side, the locals know the terrain and conditions very well.

HOW TO REACH:

By Flight @ Srinagar Airport
By Train @ Jammu Railway Station
By Bus @ Srinagar, Jammu & Sonmarg



SNORKELING & SCUBA DIVING

Scuba Diving and Snorkeling are two most known water activities to explore the blue beauty of Indian paradise. Beneath the depth of nature among the coral reefs and multiple aquatic fauna, feel the real pleasure of life. Snorkeling is a popular water sports activity on the surface of an ocean whereas Scuba Diving is an underwater dive with breathing equipments. In the surreal and untouched location far from chaotic and prickling in eye sight, water therapy proves magical in healing life and melting the tensions and stress with water. Snorkeling and scuba diving is the real adventure of life taken in the coastal towns of nation and in the outskirts of Lakshwadeep, Andaman & Nicobar Islands, Kerala and other destinations of Arabian Sea. The isolated beauty of pristine beaches entices the mankind to dwell in the most magnificent aquatic life which is only to shower love and warmth on us with their ethereal compassion and kindness. So, dive in with the flow of blue water of Arabian Sea which is perpetually taking your breath away emitting out of snorkeling and scuba diving adventure activities and giving a new definition to the ultimate happiness of life. The thirty-seven beautiful islands on the Arabian Sea are the showcase of Indian blues that justifies the diversified beauty of India not just above the sky or on the surface of deserted sand but also the ménage of deep dive in the ethnic kindness of nation.

Aquafauna of Andaman & Nicobar islands is spread on the mighty Arabian Sea that offers best of experiences to relive life in the most apt manner considering activities of scuba diving and snorkeling. The white and mudded sand beaches give the perfect base to natural ambience settled up by nature amidst natural & evergreen vegetation of dense forests of the islands all across Andaman & Nicobar. The sun soaked wet grains of sea sand, squashy curved shores, blue & greenish aquatic lagoons and coral reefs only add to making it an ideal destination which is heavenly abode for any diver to map the depth of sea or any snorkeler to be in the timeless yet lifetime adventurous yet most serene snorkeling experience.

The fresh floral aroma, the warm tranquil waters and the breathtaking natural beauty all together not only make Havelock one populous destination but, Agatti, Kadamat, Kavaratti, Bangaram, Kalpeni and Minicoy are also the hot-spots which makes Andamans one of the sorted destination to travel through once in a lifetime. The emerald green idyllic palm clad islands is the everlasting moments to rejuvenate body, mind and soul that though you would capture once in lifetime but it will be eternally elated by years to come forward.

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Tamil Nadu: The Tantalizing India

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Tamil Nadu is surely a state of treasure to the golden bird of world – India with its magnificent destinations in the streams of natural wonders; be it the beaches or the captivating hills and the man-made wonders like heritage monuments and temple architectures.

Tamil Nadu surely mesmerizes the tourists and wanderers with the vivid colors of its exploratory kaleidoscope. The state has abundant of landscape, nature's bliss, temples, monuments, coastal lines, aquatic life and aerial blues to hold on to your breath. But to more of a surprise, with that bliss of nature are the enticing and thrilling adventurous destinations that thunder one's soul to try or not to try moments.



Kolli Hills

Believed to be in the name of a ghost "Koli Pavai", Kolli hills are the Mountain of Death. Kolli hills are the captivating and majestic gift of god situated at an altitude of more than 4265 feet. The place is an abode of Haven for adventurers and nature wanderers and the rarest of belief on real grounds. Kolli Hills is situated in the centrally located Namakkal district of south Indian state Tamil Nadu. Being a part of the Eastern Ghats with an area of more than 200 km², it is a roller coaster of trek options with the mountain ranges that are running through the coastal lines of east part of southern India. So, all the backpackers and nature lovers, Kolli hills will be the ultimate destination for your expedition for best of adventures for eternity and beyond.

Perumal Peaks

On the massive western ghats are the peaks of Perumal at the height of 8005 ft and highest in the Perumalmalai hills of Kodaikanal. A part of the mighty Western Ghats, Perumal Peak is a trekker's delight. Trekking is a one of everyone's dream list but trekking over Perumal peaks is like cherry on the cake and a tempting delight which are high on the calories of dare and urging guts and to add on to the delight is the amazing picturesque Nilgiri hills which craves you for that soulful satisfaction for its blue skies, lush green hills and sun and moon playing hide and seek with wide opened arms of warmth, love and breeze. It is an expedition of 11 kilometers which is pure unadulterated and untouched charisma of plains, cliffs, and steeps. Water is too much cold.





Siruvani Waterfalls

The water people can have the answer to their wandering and exploratory query of an adventurous ride to the waterfall with Siruvani falls which are an exclusive bestowed present of god to mankind in a small village of Tamil Nadu named after it. The wonderland of waterfall offers various adventurous exploration including camping, wildlife safari, trekking, and nature ride. Amidst the dense forest of Siruvani area is the sweet and milky waterfall making that lovely background blissful music from its flow is inexplicable in words with its feel. Just the silence of words and feel of nature makes the water even sweeter. This can be the reason that it is one of the sweetest water lakes on earth.

Covelong

Rarely known to few people and being less crowded, the Covelong is known for being the surfing destination but is the perfect escapade for adventure seekers. The coastline of almost 7,000 kilometers; it proves to be an amazing surfing destination for those who are onto experimenting the unmapped adventure and surfing destination. With its wide spread blue waters and clean beachside areas, Indians are slowly routing for the destination and are in love with the place so much that it's hard to leave the place and be to the base again from blue waters. For Water babies and the escapist out of the chaotic lifestyle, Covelong can be a therapy for you and an unforgettable experience and even surfing is not known then the people here are ready to make you do so under their guidance and be a master of it.



Manapad

Manapad is another surfing adventure destination with unique coastline rounded by the accumulated lava of century years old. The location has breathtaking waves and their highs and lows to map you and take away your life for seconds. The wave formations of the place make it a distinguished location and unique among others for its surreal experiences to take on for lives and years to come. The wind speeds, heights, climates, and vibes of the place make it a must visit wishlist of your bucket to pour on for one of the best experiences of the lifetime. The adventurer can also look out for wakeboarding, scuba diving, crab hunting, sailing and scuba diving along with just one simple ride on a boat watching the dolphins making the cutest part of memory amongst all the thrills and heart blocking activities.

Yelagiri

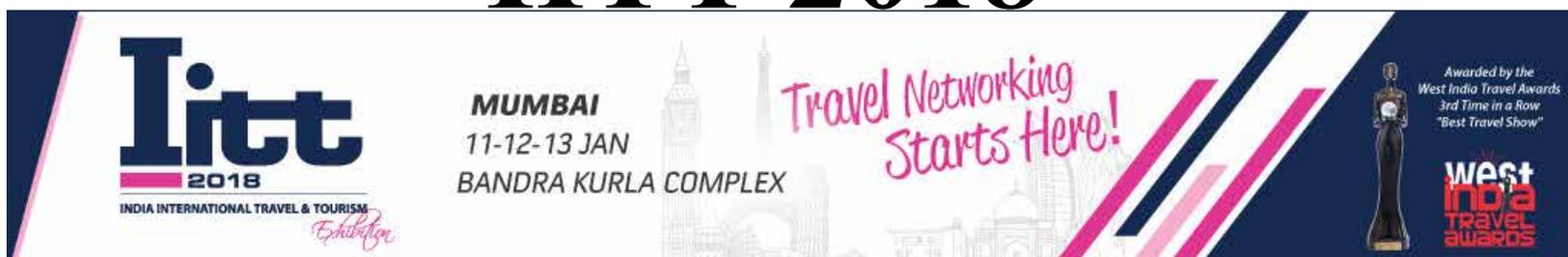
One of the smallest towns in the state, Yelagiri also called as Elagiri is no doubt an eternal piece of marvel and beauty. At a height of 920 meters, the place is being embraced by four mountain corners wrapped under love and compassion in an all-time cool breezy climatic condition. With just the raw people of tribal communities, Yelagiri only has love and warmth to its guests with activities like boating at Punganur Lake or trekking at Swami Malai or just a wonderful ride on the Jalagamparai Waterfalls upside the hills. The tourism and hospitality is the source of the culture of tribal communities who have kept the natural essence of Yelagiri alive and are mostly engaged in activities related to nature like forestry and agriculture.



Rameshwaram

Rameshwaram is an ideal destination for those who look out for activities like kayak, jet ski, stand up padd board, windsurfing, snorkeling, coral watching, aquarium and so many in the coastal state of southern India and is known for cleanest of all beaches and sea views to be the delight of life. Soaking under sunbath or dwelling self in cool sea dives or just embracing the breeze of blue water winds, Rameshwaram has everything to excite one's passionate self which is hidden and rusted in the general hectic life. Not only being an ideal Lord Shiva destination, the sea of the city is always ready to welcome the adventure activists to get along for never had experiences in their life and being amazed by the wonders of the shiva land. Watersports experience of Jet Ski, Stand up board and Windsurfing makes the trip worth taking on in addition to the regular water sports with the delight of Kayaking and of course the banana rides.

IITT 2018



• T3FS Desk

ABEC Exhibitions & Conferences Private Ltd— India's trade fair leader successfully hosted the fourth edition of travel and tourism - India International Travel & Tourism fair (IITT). IITT has established itself as a leading Travel & Trade Show of global importance within a short stint. As evident from its triumphs, IITT has been conceptualized and executed by the national industry leaders, ABEC Pvt. Ltd. - India's Largest Private Sector Organizer of International Shows. With a legacy of 22 years and having curretted over 70 shows, IITT marked ABEC's entry into the travel sector and has been applauded by buyers and participants both.



With over 10,000 visitors & 200+ exhibitors every year marking their presence, IITT is surely taking up heights. The various innovative concepts of interaction like IITT Connect, Conference, Workshop from International & National Tourism board, Hotel chains, Airlines, Cruise liners, DMC, Tour operators and many more, IITT provides best of the platform to grow the potential business. Apart from effective trade networking among travel dealers from domestic and international cities, IITT also offers an array of innovative attractions like destination workshop, Seminars, Training Academy, Panel discussion in the august presence of eminent leaders, etc. making it much more than just another travel show. IITT is a galactic congregation of the global travel fraternity, a Celebration & Commercial Hub at the same time. This year the event was held in Bandra Kundra Complex from January 11th to January 13th 2018. The inaugural function marked the presence of Shri Jay Kumar Rawal Hon'ble Minister of Tourism, Government of Maharashtra alongwith Saroja Sirisena, Consul General, Consulate General of

Srilanka to Mumbai; Karan Anand, Head of Relationships and Supplier Management, Cox & Kings; Jitender Paul Singh, COO, Cox & Kings; Sunil Kumar, President, TAAI; Mahendra Vakharia, President, OTOAI; Guldeep Singh Sahni, Founder & Immediate Past President OTOAI; Pranab Sarkar, President, IATO; P P Khanna, President, ADTOI; Manish Gandhi, Director/CEO, ABEC Exhibitions & Conferences Pvt. Ltd. and Mohit Mewani, Exhibition Director, IITT.

IITT 2018 spread across 20,000 sq meter exhibition areas is looking forward to welcome more than 5,000 national as well as international trade visitors that will include more than 500 exhibitors and hosted buyers respectively. The three-day affair saw 3000+ pre-fixed meetings and two-day panel discussions focusing on key industry issues. There were also on-spot meetings with 300+ corporate and 150+ wedding planners. IITT-2018 also conducted 5 knowledge sessions at their Mumbai exhibition where senior delegates deliberated on issues concerning the travel and tourism industry worldwide.

First session was moderated by Karan Anand, Head of Relationships and Supplier Management, Cox & Kings and Claudio Zemp, Director - India, Switzerland Tourism, Ismail Amer, Egyptian Tourism Counsellor in Mumbai, PP Khanna, Member, National Committee of Tourism & Hospitality, CII, BA Rahim, Group Director, Akquasun Holidays, Guldeep Singh Sahani, Immediate Past President, OTOAI were on board of panel who discussed on DMCs and Tourism Boards nexus... Is this the New Powerhouse a level playing field? The second session on day one of the exhibition was on 'Challenges of the Burgeoning Indian Outbound' which was moderated by Manoj Gursahani, President, Visit USA Committee. The panellists for the second session were Sheetal Munshaw, Director - India, Atout France, Amod Thatte, Head - Products & Innovation, B2C, SOTC; Thomas Pappachan, Director - Outbound, Harvey India Tours and Travels Pvt. Ltd; Prasad, Head - Outbound Holidays, Mercury Travels; Mahendra Vakharia, President, OTOAI & MD, Pathfinders Holidays Pvt. Ltd.; Sudhir Patil, Founder & Director, Veena World and Himanshu Patil, Director, Kesari Tours. The opening panel session at the day two was on 'Maximizing Alternate Revenue Streams' which was moderated by Sriram Rajmohan, CEO & MD, Club7 Holidays Ltd. The panellists for the session were Jyoti Mayal, Honorary Secretary General, TAAI and Amit Vijay Gupta, Head-Operations, Lyca Telecom; Hariprasad MP, Sr V P & Head Treasury, CentrumDirect Limited & Dev Karvat, CEO- Emerging Markets, Cover-More Group,. The discussion at this session threw light on the developments across various verticals in the travel industry viz. Forex, Communication and Travel Insurance. The second panel session of the day two was focused on 'Exploring the Potential of Domestic Cruising', moderated by Carl Vaz, Chairman & CEO, Charson Advisory Services Pvt Ltd. The panellists in this session, namely Ratna Chadha, Chief Executive, Tirun Travel Marketing; Nishith Saxena, Founder & Director, Cruise Professionals; Kunal Sampat, GM – India, MSC Cruises; Naresh Rawal, VP – Sales, Genting Cruise Lines and Nalini Gupta, Managing Director, Lotus Destinations, Representative of



Costa Cruises in India, shared disparate views on the potential of cruise tourism in India, but agreed that India lacks the infrastructure and finance to build indigenous cruise ships. The concluding knowledge session of the exhibition 'TravelBuzz – Power of Big Data – Are we prepared?' saw Abhijit Desai, Managing Partner, Ekam Consulting LLP as its moderator and panelists, Ankush Nijhawan, Co-founder, TBO & Managing Director, Nijhawan Group of Companies; Jaal Shah, Managing Director, Travel Designer Group; Noel Swain, COO, Ezeego1.com; Vineet Budki, Founder & CEO, Guidoo World and Chetan Kapoor, Research Analyst – Asia Pacific, Phocuswright, drawing opulent information on how Big Data has gained momentum since its inception and simultaneously charged in the travel industry, easing the travel operating fraternity's operations.



Kishan Biyani
Managing Director, ARK Travels

It has been fifth year from where we had started and year on year the quality has improved. The hosted buyers' concept is one of the best things, they come up with which includes quality buyer. Everyone has spent real time as people have come out to understand product instead of just standing at exhibiting counter and moving out." The footfalls have been amazing and the reach has really helped ARK travel in growing business. One thing that makes IITT stand out from other events is that other events are mass out whereas here it is class out.

Annie Trinidade
Marketing Manager, Malaysia Tourism Promotion Board

"All the participants of IITT-2018 for this time in Mumbai had lot of visitors and which is why we have been really hopeful with the event. This has been the first time that Tourism Malaysia is participating IITT and must say that it has been a wonderful experience and day one has been pretty nice and we have met quite a lot of trade and hospitality people.

Aarti Manocha
Managing Partner, Harvey World Destinations

IITT 2018 has been an interesting show. Though we are participating for the first time, we had meaningful customer have come across both from corporate and B2B segment and this is what a company caters to do. We are not disappointed in any manner of the outcome we received and at last I would say, we are happy with it"

B. A. Rahim
Group Director, Akqua Sun Holidays

This year the quality of IITT has been maintained really well by raising their bar in comparison to previous years' event. The quality was everywhere be it agents or buyers or exhibitors. If in one word I need conclude the experience of IITT-2018, I would say Fabulous.

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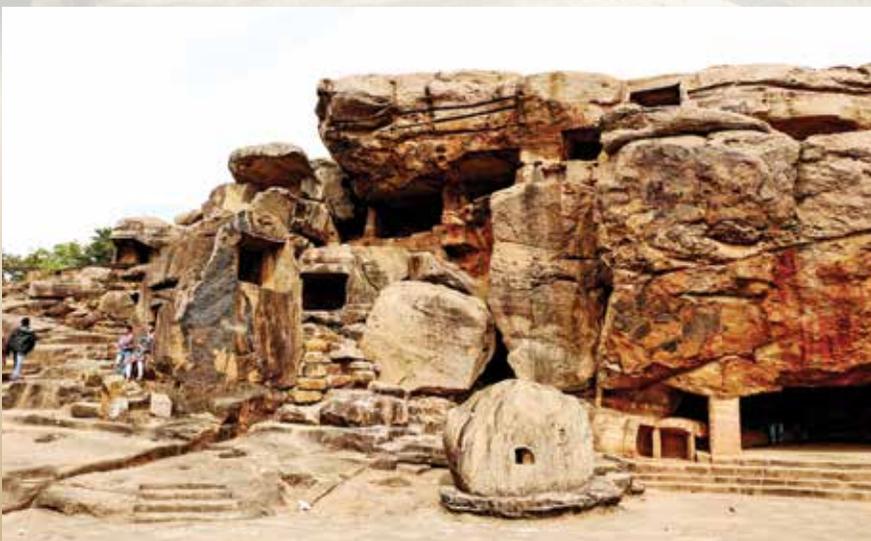
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ODISHA – An Extraordinaire Quest

ODISHA is the eastern coastal state of India covered with unadulterated beaches, intrepid mountain cliffs, hilly ranges and magnificent rock caves.

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The state has been the source of pride of Indian heritage and culture with its exquisite art forms and inexplicable craft works but what brings more wonder to it is the nature and natural untouched innate beauty which at times brings peace to mind and sometimes enthralls the heartbeat. Odisha is such an audacious destination which is now known as the Eastern Goa of India with the immense popularity of its hills, mountains and of course not to forget the beaches. The state has a lot to offer on the ground of adventure activities to its travellers. So, if you are an ardent lover of exploring your dare power then Odisha has a lot to offer you.



Udaigiri Hills

Udaigiri means Sunrise wherein the 18 gumpha (caves) lets an adventure trekker experience first sunlight of the day. Earlier, they were known as the Cuttack caves that are partly natural and partly artificial gumpha and hail a great source of significance in terms of history, heritage and archeology. The Udaigiri hills are routed near Bhubaneswar, the capital city of Odisha. The manmade parts of the gumpha were built around 2nd century BCE. Udaigiri caves are beautifully well-maintained shrines. The 18 gumpha comprise of Rani Gumpha "Queen's Cave", Bajaghara Gumpha, Chota Hathi Gumpha, Alkapuri Gumpha, Jaya Vijaya Gumpha, Panasa Gumpha, Thakurani Gumpha, Patalapuri Gumpha, Mancapuri and Swargapuri Gumpha, Ganesha Gumpha, Jambesvara Gumpha, Vyaghra Gumpha, Sarpa Gumpha, Hathi Gumpha, Dhanaghara Gumpha, Haridasa Gumpha, Jagannatha Gumpha and Rasui Gumpha.

The Udaigiri hills are the best-sorted destination for those who are looking out for some thrilling adventures instead of water sports and beach leisure trips. They are the aptest caves to learn about the ancient civilization as well with their exquisite archeological details.



Khandagiri Hills

The crest of Khandagiri is higher almost 3.96 meters to that of Udaigiri. The enthralling and heart-throbbing hills of khandagiri stand at a whopping height of 37.5 meters and are an unforgettable experience for eternity and beyond to those who come here for trekking. The rock is made up of a coarsely grained substance formed sandstone in multiple textures which belong to old times of medieval period. Most of the caves here are a row of cells open directly to the verandah on to the front site. Khandagiri is also a significant destination for the Jain and Jain ascetics. The pillars of caves consist of exclusive animal carves decoration with motifs of animals, creepers, and flowers. The sculptural and decorative art of the caves include panels which depict popular legends, the religious and heroic observance with the touch and essence of history and heritage. The Anant Gumpha of Khandagiri denotes the achievements which are remarkable of 24 Tirthankaras along with Sasanadevis in the Barabhuji cave, Surya Gajalakshmi, and Jaina symbols.

Satkosia

Satkosia is a splendid location which marvels itself in star gazing, bonfire and open sky dinner on the sandbar. One can indulge himself /herself on to sands sports, cycling in jungle, sunbath and swimming in areas of river Mahanadi. The place also offers a touch of folklore with resplendent dance performances by local artists in wonderful natural surroundings. The eco-tourism of this destination is also perfect for those who map for trekking around lush green natural surroundings. Satkosia is also a favorable solace for birds like Brahminy Ducks, Pintails, Bar Headed Geese, Thicknees's, Pratincoles, Herons, Gulls, and Lapwings etc. You may also find crocodiles and turtles basking around white sands crawling all around.



Bhitarkanika

Bhitarkanika is the royal mangroves which were later occupied by government and converted it into tourism spot for voyagers. The Bhitarkanika sanctuary is spread over an area of 672 km² which is serving since 1975 and is an amicable destination featuring abundant variants of birds and amphibians around the beautiful delta of rivers Brahmani and Baitarani. The marine wildlife sanctuary – Gahirmatha has been declared as World Heritage and has been developing since then to a lot. Some wildlife experts are of the opinion that the largest saltwater crocodile ever was in Bhitarkanika, measuring an estimated 23 feet (7.0 m) which could be traced from the skull preserved by the Kanika Royal Family. The crocodile was shot near Dhamara in 1926, and later its skull was preserved by the then Kanika King. Crocodile experts estimate the animal to have been between 20 feet (6.1 m) and 23 feet (7.0 m) long, as the size of the skull was measured one-ninth of the total length of the body.



Rambha

The destination is nestled in the Rambha bay which is adjacent to the Sankuda Island. Rambha is truly a bliss place to have the start of your day close to nature. Some of the other major islands are Honeymoon Island, Rajhans Island, Birds Island, New Mouth, Parikud Island and Island of Nalabana. Among every other island, the Nalbana deserves a special focus for the migratory birds which pay their visit to the island. The Somolo Island's home was built by the King of Kalikote. You can also savor the view of dolphins at the mouth of Chilka near Satpada.



Nandankanan & Satpada

Nandankanan is a famous zoological park near Bhubaneshwar located just 15 kms away from the city also popularly known as Garden of the Gods. With an abundant variety of more than 15000 fauna of 120 distinguished species, the place is majestic in its definitions. Revive your inert soul while touring along the forests and natural vegetation and experience best of times of your life in the unadulterated nature. Satpada, where is the meeting point for Chilika Lake into the Bay of Bengal wherein one, can indulge himself / herself on to different sort of water sports activities. An eternal view of this melting point is the sunrise and sunset of the sea which views to its utmost perfection. Located in the south-eastern part of the famous Chilika lagoon, the seven villages which in the odyssey language are called collectively as Satpada is also just 50 km from Puri. It is situated near by Brahmagiri tehsil. Dolphins can be another major attraction at Satpada while boating amidst the Chilika Lake.



Global Panorama Showcase

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GPS is the real time networking destination for tourism professional from the Tier II and Tier III cities of India and the leading Tourism Service providers from India as well as overseas and is a key forum to shape the future of the industry through networking and educating. Global Panorama Showcase (GPS) inaugurated its 6th edition in Nagpur at Centre Point Hotel. With more than 950 registered attendees who marked their presence at the event, GPS has been a windswept for the industry with its vivid networking opportunities provided to the exhibitors and business visitor. The inaugural day of the event had seen presentations on products by Amigo Travels, Genting Cruise Lines Singapore Airlines, Sahibji Group, Prevoyance Cyberforensic, FXkart, Travcare, Mazda Travels, Red Tours, etc. GPS Nagpur hosted 105 exhibitors and 1100 trade buyers for B2B meetings in the three day event.



Global Panorama Showcase is rising to the sky of glory with every successful year. Currently, GPS has a following from over 15,000 travel professionals across India and this would be a good opportunity for hotels, restaurants and FMCG industries to offer discounts to the GPS members. And those who will be enrolling for GPS membership which is a new concept to be brought up at the launch event of Nagpur will have a full year access to the GPS App at no additional cost. All new tie-ups, offers and benefits would be available to the registered members.



GPS will now host itself in 7 more mega cities of the country this year including Ahmedabad, Chandigarh, Lucknow, Kolkata, Kochi, Pune and Hyderabad. This year the event is supported by Maharashtra State Tourism Board, Singapore Airlines, Dream Cruises, Silk Air, Crystal Cruises, Nijhawan Group of Companies, IndiGo Airlines, Interglobe, Star Cruises, Trawell Tag, JFly, GMJ and many more.

Talking about the success of Global Panorama Showcase, Mr. Anand informed that GPS is now followed by more than 20,000 people and all the credit for this goes to the mobile application launched last year, which has been gradually and steadily accepted by the trade fraternity.

GPS is aimed at providing opportunities to the growing Travel agents and tour operators to recognize the need of this emerging market as it has lot of potential to evolve.



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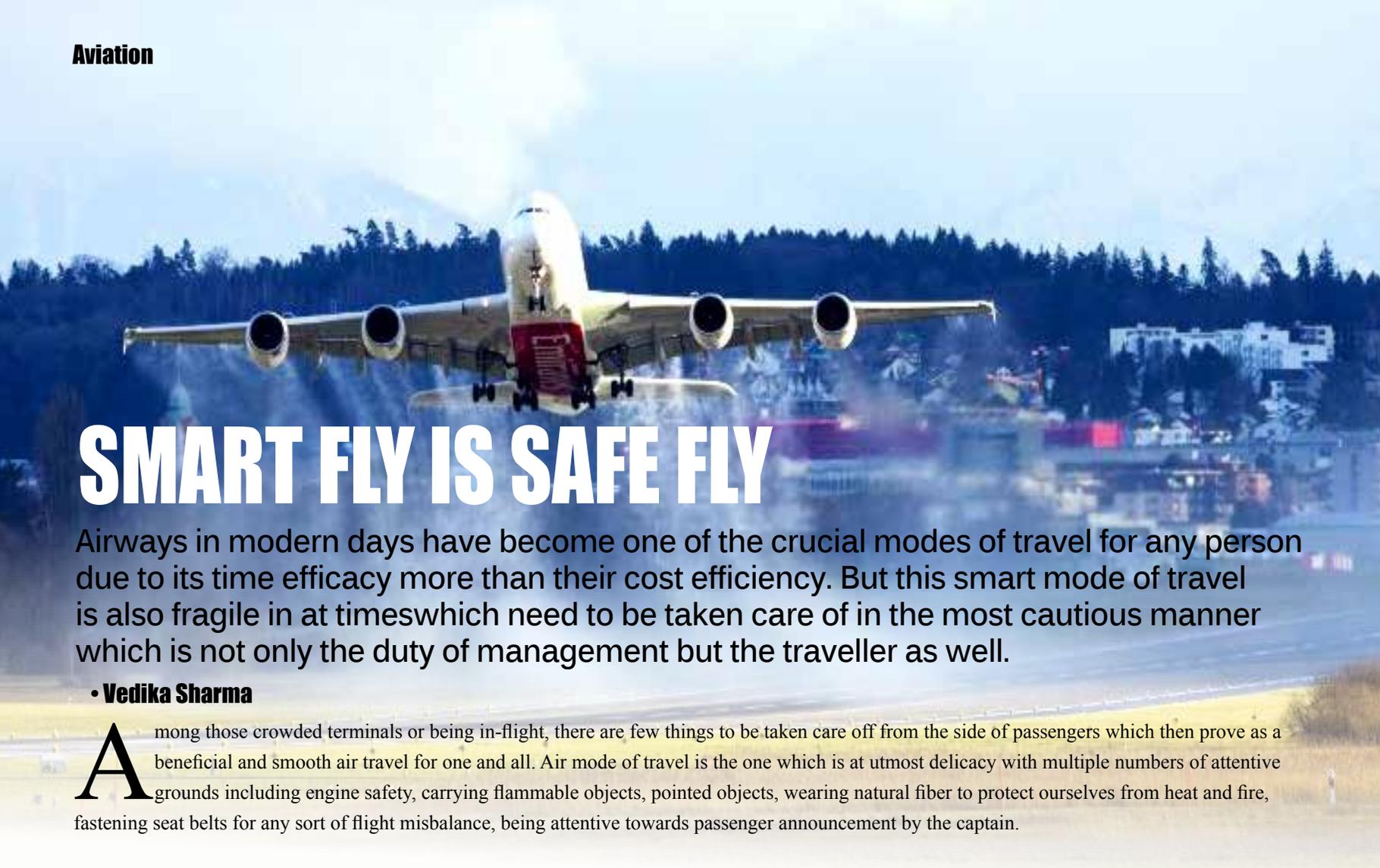
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SMART FLY IS SAFE FLY

Airways in modern days have become one of the crucial modes of travel for any person due to its time efficacy more than their cost efficiency. But this smart mode of travel is also fragile in at times which need to be taken care of in the most cautious manner which is not only the duty of management but the traveller as well.

• **Vedika Sharma**

Among those crowded terminals or being in-flight, there are few things to be taken care of from the side of passengers which then prove as a beneficial and smooth air travel for one and all. Air mode of travel is the one which is at utmost delicacy with multiple numbers of attentive grounds including engine safety, carrying flammable objects, pointed objects, wearing natural fiber to protect ourselves from heat and fire, fastening seat belts for any sort of flight misbalance, being attentive towards passenger announcement by the captain.

THE PRE-BOARDING SAFETY TIPS



Always ensure before leaving that you have put on the fabric that is not heat friendly like synthetic and Velcro so that any sort of burnt may not take place with you. Instead you must put on cotton, wool, denim, etc which are natural fibers.

Keep your passport and valuable belongings safe but also quickly accessible as you may not know about the time of their need in case of emergency and casualty.

Always take a flashlight for emergency purpose as they may prove to be the source of light in the rarest chances of dark and when no other source is accessible.

Before finalizing your luggage, please ensure that there is no flammable object in the bag and electro-magnetic substances as well. Laptops and other electronic equipment must be taken along with for check in as storing them in luggage is a dangerous option even to the flight. Try keeping your laptops separately for check-in as this how you can have an eye on them and will be able to clear security check in the safest manner.

Always remember that your co-passenger is also equivalent to you while traveling so do not overweight your check-in baggage for the cabin to become heavy and being a problem for others to put their luggage. This how you may ensure an easy and accessible travel for all.

If you are having certain phobic issues and any breathing issues you must ensure that taking a long distance flight is whether safe for you. In certain cases of emergency, you may not get the required amount of benefit over and above air.

Drinking caffeinated products at higher altitude causes serious issues as the airline cabins are pressurized to about the same level at the altitude as that of Denver in the atmosphere, therefore, consuming them can adversely affect you more at sea level. So, never travel being drunk with too much of alcohol or try going being friendly to non-caffeinated drinks.

Flying Facts

- Airlines only hire those pilots which have a commercial flying license and most likely an advanced degree with an estimated flying time of more than 3000 hours. It is so because no airline trains for flying.
- Every commercial airplane system is built with a primary, auxiliary, backup and emergency system (four systems) for ensuring the safety of passengers.
- As a back up to air traffic control system, every commercial airplane has traffic and collision avoidance system (TCAS) to monitor and avoid airplanes in the vicinity of the aircraft network.
- Even if any engine stops working at cruising height of 35,000; it can fly for an estimated time of 30 minutes. As a safety point, now most of the aircrafts are with 2/3/4 engines for longer routes. So if one is not working, the others have a control over flying and landing safely.
- Though the aircrafts have a mightier capacity of surviving thunderstorms but then the pilots are not advisable to do so and are allowed only to fly for 20 miles from the core of the storm. They are also equipped with technologies and advancements to survive any sort of air turbulence.
- The aircrafts are equipped with heavy trained pilots which have the training for landing on 0/0 visibility as sometimes the weather conditions are also not good and require landing on 0/0 visibility.
- The flight courses are directionally bound like eastbound courses fly to odd altitudes whereas westbound flies to even altitudes. This is basically done to maintain the minimal distance of 1,000 feet and usually 2,000 feet for those which are flying more than 29,000 feet altitude.

Don't Panic, Your Flight is your Life Saver

- The aircraft automatically drops oxygen mask for you when the air pressure is low. Since the pressure level goes down, the technically advanced equipment will let the oxygen mask drop on to the command of a system and you get them to wear and breathe properly.
- Aircraft doors are designed to open inward, and then they usually rotate before they open out. Since the pressure inside the cabin is higher than outside, the door is being pushed outward even at relatively low altitudes, creating a seal. You'd need to overcome that seal to move the door inward, and that's more than any human or even half a dozen super strong humans could do. You might have it open with a tractor but that's hard to get on board.
- The flight attendants are allowed to open doors in case of unconsciousness of passengers or any child gets trapped due to any casualty in the lavatories. The metal plate with caption "Lavatory" should be uplifted and the lever behind with springs in the door to be pulled off.
- The window shades are to be kept upside during takeoff and landing to ensure the atmosphere and conditions of outside so that if any flight's pilot is not vigilant enough and the passenger can help warning with any sign of casualty then he can.
- If any passenger does some mischief or lands of being accused to wfraudulent and criminal activities then the flight attendants have the permission to announce the arrest of that person after landing and before the aircraft doors open with handcuffs.

Cathay Pacific: yoga to the sky

Cathay Pacific has partnered with Pure Yoga to launch a new inflight well-being programme, 'Travel Well with Yoga'. In harmony with the airline's 'Life Well Travelled' campaign, the series of videos have been developed by esteemed Pure Yoga instructors to help passengers ease into their journeys with yoga and meditation exercises and tips. Passengers can now view 'Travel Well with Yoga' in English, Cantonese, Mandarin and Japanese language across all Cathay Pacific and Cathay Dragon routes by accessing the Lifestyle section on their inflight entertainment screens.

Split into six easy-to-follow videos featuring



founding teacher Patrick Creelman and senior instructor & co-founder Almen Wong, the series demonstrates yoga and meditation routines that can be done before, during or after a flight. Exercises are designed to improve circulation, enhance joint mobility and relax the mind for a comfortable and restful journey.

Pure Yoga is also offering all Cathay Pacific Marco Polo Club members a complimentary 10-day trial, 50 per cent discount on studio joining fees, and a complimentary upgrade for access to all Pure Yoga studios across Asia.

Simon Cuthbert, Cathay Pacific Entertainment, Platforms and Connectivity Manager

We all know that sitting still for a long period of time can be uncomfortable. The need to get up, move and get your blood pumping is important during a flight. Yoga is an innovative way to do this. There are a series of exercises that can easily be done from an economy class seat whilst other moves are suitable for after the flight in your hotel.

New Baggage Policy by Etihad Airways

Etihad Airways has introduced a new baggage policy tailored to varying customer requirements in the international markets it serves.

The changes allow for a simpler baggage structure as the allowance for all markets, excluding the US and Canada, is now based on total weight rather than the number of bags checked in.

With the switch to a weight-based baggage policy, the majority of markets will be

entitled to 23 kgs of checked baggage on Economy Deal fares, 30 kgs on Economy Saver and Classic fares, and 35 kgs on Economy Flex fares. Customers in all Business Class fare categories are entitled to 40 kgs, and First Class customers enjoy a 50 kgs allowance. Guests in The Residence onboard Etihad Airways' flagship Airbus A380 fleet are provided with an allowance of four bags at 32 kgs each. Exceptions apply to select markets.



Mohammad Al Bulooki Vice President Commercial, Etihad Airways Executive

In line with global best practice and market trends, Etihad Airways has developed a baggage policy that best caters to the differing needs of our guests around the world. The switch to a policy based on weight rather than the number of bags simplifies our allowance system and provides greater convenience and customer benefit while enhancing the travel experience.

New Amenity Kits by Swiss

The Airline of Switzerland is introducing new amenity kits for its Business Class guests on long-haul flights. The new collection is a product of the collaboration between Swiss International Air Lines (SWISS) and Victorinox, and features a range of amenity kits in a multifunctional design.

Business Class travellers on SWISS long-haul services can now enjoy a new line of amenity kits. The new collection and its design have been developed in collaboration with Victorinox, the renowned manufacturer of Swiss pocket knives. A total of six different kits have been created in all, which will be offered on board at differing periods. The collection has been specifically designed so that all the

kits are reusable and can partially be combined.

The collection for long-haul flights from Switzerland includes a practical passport holder, a travel toiletries bag with inner pockets and a longer bag with an inner pocket. On long-haul flights to Switzerland Business Class travellers will be offered a high-quality metal tin that is modelled on the Victorinox suitcase design and can find further use as a pen or pencil box.

Every kit contains a toothbrush and toothpaste, a lip salve, a sleep mask, socks and earplugs. The new Victorinox Business Class amenity kits will be available in Business Class on SWISS flights for the next three years.





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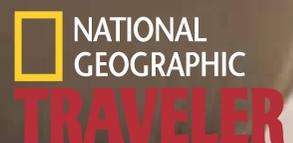
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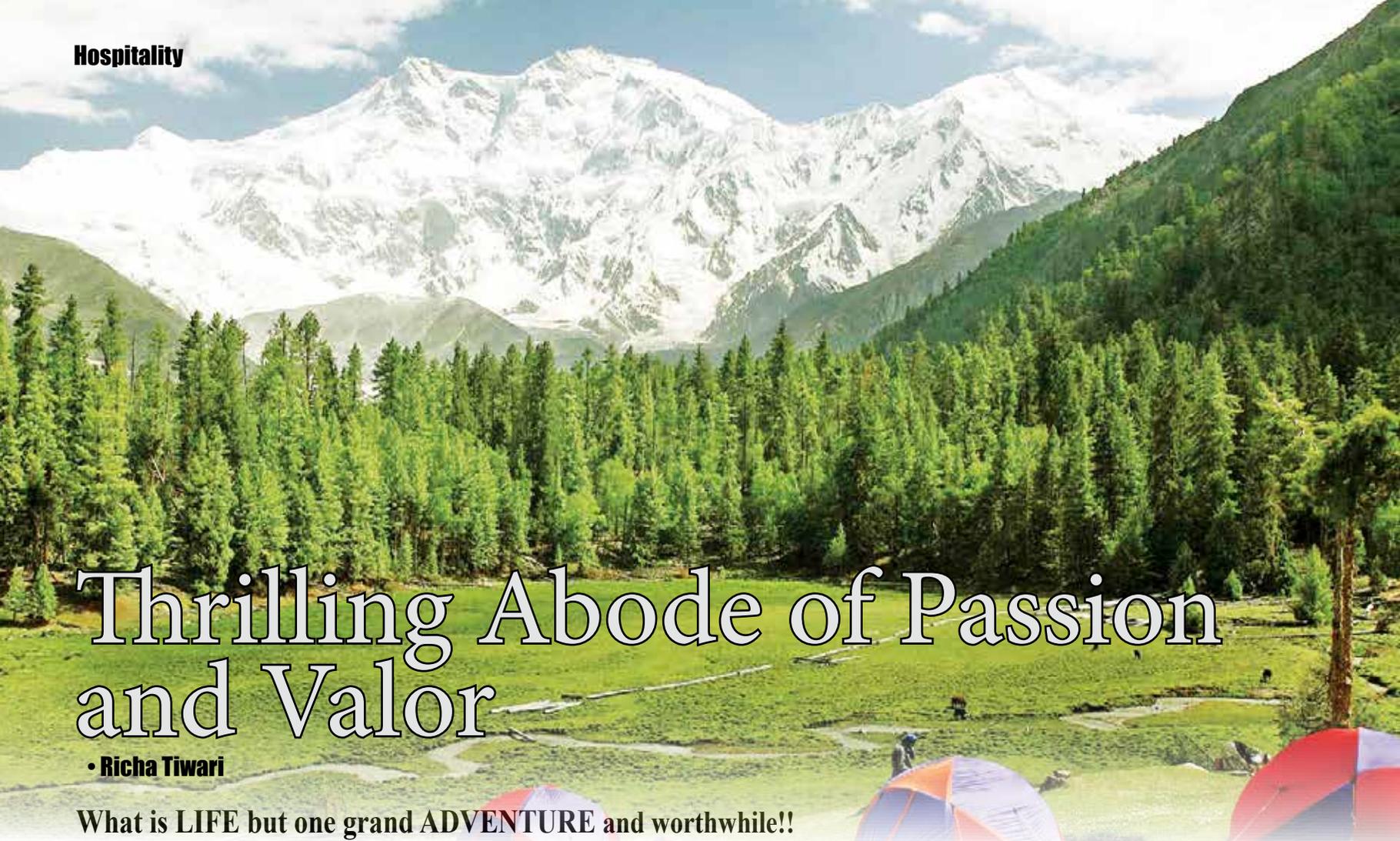
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What is LIFE but one grand ADVENTURE and worthwhile!!

Adventures are the best way to learn worth of life. Adventure has been a niche for hospitality segment but with the passage of time but now it is establishing itself as one of the primarily chosen ride of passion and valor. And, for the same warmth and spirit, Indian Hospitality has foster itself in connecting the dots of adventure activity and accommodating self after going through the most exciting trip of lifetime.

Generalizing the growing trends of adventure and vivid opportunities to explore, T3FS magazine has clubbed distinctive destinations which facilitate guests with the most sought after activities under their most significant surveillance and safety so that fun and joy are the only parts of the memoir and no scratch to be taken away. In India, there are abundant properties that have come up in an exclusivity of being tailor-

made for adventure drive of passion ranging from the jungle safari destinations in nearby places of national parks and wildlife safaris in the forest locations of Madhya Pradesh, North East, West Bengal to desert experiences in the most populous Thar Desert particularly in Rajasthan state. It also facilitate people through range of mountain cliffs for trekking, zip lining, bungee jumping in the regions of Himalayan states like Uttarakhand, Himachal

Pradesh, Arunachal Pradesh and flying fox at the massive historical forts to the amazing surreal experience of once in a lifetime in royal destinations of Rajasthan and Gujarat diving deep the in the magnificent blue waters of Arabian sea at destinations like Tamil Nadu, Andaman & Nicobar, Daman & Diu, Lakshwadeep and Pondicherry.



Vanraj Tiger Resort

Vanraj lives up to its royal title and is the perfect base camp for discerning wildlife enthusiasts to experience the majestic central Indian forest. Pench Reserve is blessed with numerous locations where they organize trekking from 2 hours to 2 days. It offers a range of activities and experiences. While going to a game drive in itself is an exhilarating experience. No matter how many drives you do, it will always be less.

The in-house team brained child game "The Great Jungle Hunt" is an extremely popular activity for small groups and corporate. This is a combination of Treasure hunt and Roadies where you get a 4x4 open gypsy along with clues and tasks across the jungle which is inspired from a TV series and is the 'Most amazing Race'. This activity has always made people come back repeatedly just to relive the experience. Survival tour adventure take guests for a trek deep in the forest and educated on different survival techniques like how to boil eggs without water, how to filter any water without any tools. Full day Camp on the backwaters of Sitakassa dam can be organized by our team.

To give a fresh start to the day, the guests can collect various plants, leaves, flowers, herbs, wild vegetables while going through a walk in nature. After a rigorous day, night nature walks along with naturalists who take guests for sightseeing in the dark will be bliss. Full moon Dinner organized along Riverside, Farm, or in a Tribal village is the most enticing set up to dine close to nature. Despite of promoting equipment based activity, Vanraj Tiger Resort focus mostly on the activity which are passively adventures in nature.

Tribal cooking is a unique experience which the resort provides. If they convert adventure into pleasure more people will opt for it which in is a positive sign for tourism. One such Example is the iFly centres across the world. They have made skydiving accessible for everybody. They organize ATV off road driving experience on prior request.

Neemrana Fort Resort

The 15th century heritage hotel is one of the most popular resort with its magnificent and vibrant beauty and lineage spread in 2.5 hectare. Seven palace wings built over is 14 layers tiered into a hill includes Hanging gardens, two pools to swim out to the horizon, an Ayurvedic spa, and India's first zip-line.

The heritage hotel has managed India's first zipline experience in association with Flying fox which is a world class adventure activity. The hotel also facilitates in total of 13 adventure activities including camel rides and cart, vintage car ride, hiking. Nowadays kids & youth are more adventure prone and they like to experience adventure activities for fun & frolic. The eco friendly concept attached with the activities also educates the importance of preserving & further enhancing to protect & develop the bio diversity. While guest tries the activities and enjoy for pure adrenaline rush the provider earns revenue which also in turn helps in generating employment.

To provide guests the various options to choose from wide variety of activities so that they engage, enjoy, refresh & spend quality time with their family members / friends. The activities provided could contribute immensely in ensuring the best stay along with room décor, ambience and food!

The hotel majorly facilitates families and the major footfall they receive from Delhi NCR region in India & USA internationally.

Della Adventure Resort

For those who are seeking an adventurous stint near the outskirts of western India then the most sought after destination to rejuvenate in the most thrilling experience would be none other than Della Adventure be it a solo trip or family or group jaunt. Della adventure resort serves as a perfect location with hanging clouds, picturesque landscapes, and very well designed.

Della Adventures is an ideal location to keep your anxiety and enthusiasm high through various adventure activities for individuals as well as for groups that majorly includes Swoop swing, Flying Fox, Rocket Ejector, Motocross dirt bike riding, Aqua Zorb, Buggy Ride, Paint ball shooting, ATV Rides and Bungee Trampoline. Della Adventure offers a choice of 5 multi-cuisine

restaurants which include a unique food line with 100% vegetarian in its multi-cuisine restaurant offering a delightful menu for the Gujarati and Jain food lovers. Parsi Dhaba gives you authentic parsi and Punjabi Dhaba serves the scrumptious north-India's quaint spicy food cuisine while Cafe 24 is a 24 hour coffee shop and multi-cuisine restaurant serving fine dining even late nights. You can also indulge in fast food delights at the Sports Bar or

indulge in a variety of cakes, cookies, Lonavala chikkis and more at the Fudge and Chikki is the perfect piece of sweet memories to take along with. It offers 163 luxury rooms and signature villas amidst the scenic hills of Lonavala with unique 24 hour services at your footsteps with all modern amenities and fine dining experience making it one of the best resorts in Lonavala.

Ramada Resort

Ramada Resort, Kumbhalgarh is one of the resplendent hotels to explore the adventurous and mesmerizing beauty of Rajasthan state. The Ramada Resort is located in the awe-inspiring destination of Kumbhalgarh, the land that reciprocates pride and history of nation. With the most apt bliss of nature, the 6 acre land is blessed with sparkling Lakhela Lake.

People can experience best of Indian flavors in the multi-cuisine restaurants in Panghat, Aakhali, Mewar Thali and Jalsa. The resort also facilitates a visit to the famous 15th-century Jain temples at Ranakpur, located at one end of the sanctuary. The activities offered here is Jungle Safari, Trekking & Zip Line. Jungle Safari is the most loved activity by a major share of tourist from Gujarat & Rajasthan. Jungle & Village Safari of the Kumbhalgarh sanctuary which is a 15-km long drive from Kumbhalgarh to Thandi

Beri which is a 3.5 hours journey and includes safari of animals such as leopards, bears and sambar. Apart from this, they offer other activities such as Zip lining and trekking. Adventure tourism is one of the highest growing industries across the globe. As people are becoming more educated and travelled, they seek something more than the usual. However, adventure is always shown in the light of adrenaline rush-ups or achieving the impossible, which mars its potential of becoming a pleasure and mainstream activity. To

convert pleasant adventure's most important step is to ramp up the facilities including the training and adventure equipment. The quality of the adventure or the minimum risks it involves is the most pleasing point in the attraction of customers. An adventure that's more reliable provides greater pleasure to the customer, avoiding thoughts on the life risks.



The Khyber Himalayan Resort & Spa

The Khyber Himalayan Resort & Spa, Gulmarg located at an elevation of 8,825 ft. in the Pir Panjal range of the majestic Himalayas is spread over seven acres in a pristine pine valley. The awe-inspiring location of The Khyber Himalayan Resort & Spa combined with the unfolding drama of Gulmarg's changing seasons has been tempting guests to return again and again. The resort is an easy walk from the Gulmarg Gondola, the highest ski lift in the world.

In the vivid variants of adventure activities, The Khyber Himalayan Resort & Spa, Gulmarg invites to take on hand in experiencing the most freezing adventurous activity called Skiing. A ski enthusiast hunt freezes with the ultimate thrill of nature on slopes of the Affarwat Mountain or learn skiing on the gentle meadows of Gulmarg at Khyber. After you have had a fill of the beautiful and

mesmerizing views, a Gondola ride followed by a ski run down the powder-soft slopes or snow activities is awaiting your way forward. Amidst the white sheet of icy hills, be soaked in the sunshine or star gaze by night being sky your blanket. Warm up yourself here with the traditional kahwah and snuggle under a comforter if not in mood to explore outskirts or at Chaikash, the tea lounge with other variety of teas, coffees, tisanes.

For opulent feast chose from a range of cuisines available at the all day dining restaurant Cloves at Nouf, the terrace restaurant which offers spectacular views. At Calabash, the sheesha lounge, sip on mocktails and snacks. Rejuvenate yourself at this paradise on earth with a spa treatment at The Khyber spa by L'OCCITANE.

Hotel Ravine

Panchgani with its natural mount sides, appropriate wind speeds, unobstructed open spaces, uncluttered water bodies and clear landing areas makes it a natural venue and Panchgani Ravine Hotel is a preferred destination, especially when it comes to adventure sports. Hotel Ravine is one of the favourite hubs for travellers seeking for outdoor adventure in India.

Ravine hotel provides adventure sports like Jet Ski, paragliding and kite surfing among the few adventure activities to take on at this place. Ravine hotel is a unique three star paragliding retreat that boasts of having one of the best locations for paragliding in the open green plains and the crystal clear skies of India. It provides high quality kite surfing kites, provides all the necessary equipment and follows up on the safety provisions, outdoor requirements etc. needed to give you an adventure of a lifetime. Adventure enthusiast can douse the adventure thirst with the best Jet Ski, kite surfing and paragliding facilities.

At Hotel Ravine enjoy a royal, relaxing holiday with the state of art living quarters and gorge on the cuisine of your choice at Melting Pot restaurant. Guests can accommodate themselves in the multiple options of room and view type majorly from Valley Side, Valley Plus, Executives & Jr. Executive rooms; tents' option from King, Queen, Prince and Princess and Emperor. Guests can let out their stresses and strains ebb away at the state-of-the-art spa at Hotel Ravine's Serenity Spa.



Banleghi Resort

Welcome to the land of dreams. The resort is a happy mix of peaceful serenity and modern amenities. We are between Bhimtal and Mukteshwar. This is your perfect weekend getaway where you can de-stress and enjoy the scenic beauty of the Kumaon ranges. Padampuri is a small village nestled in the foothills of Himalayas and on the highest peak of Padampuri, is our resort Banleghi. The place has thick plantation of pines and mesmerizing step fields add to the beauty of the place

Bhalugarh Waterfall is a soft-adventure sport, almost anyone in reasonable physical condition can go trekking. From small family treks to treks of moderate difficulty for a pro, spread across the banleghi hill, providing breathtaking views and adventure. The activities offered by Banleghi for their guests are Camping, Paragliding, Trekking, Cycling and others. Cycling comes first to mind

climbing 10 kms up and down the lonely banleghi hill. The dense pinecones, silent road, mountains and one you cycling all the way, what one will need more than all of this. Camping is another fine allied adventure. Be the bird you always wanted to in the paraglide and see the hills from a bird's eye. The beautiful Bhalugarh waterfall is maasive and

has ample water for a refreshing swim. The thick pine forest around the resort is a natural abode for camping. Adventure is worthwhile in itself. Instead of making your life perfect, give yourself the freedom to make it adventurous. The cottages of Banleghi are perfectly set in a comfortable and cozy ambience of gleaming stars in the dense forest area.

Desert Springs

Desert Springs is a colony of camps wherein you can have a feel of the community life in the nomadic desert. Their camping arrangements are customized according to the purpose of the visit. If you are a nature lover; we get into the exact spot where the flora and fauna abounds.

The hotel relent person to bask in the beauty of this culturally rich state. Enjoy and gratify your adventure thirst with the activities like Quad Biking, Rock climbing, motor biking and zip-lining at Jaisalmer. If history is what interests you; you will be taken to those isolated but deeply enthralling sites that were thriving communities in the bygone era. If you want that adrenalin rush; you can go for dune bashing and sand boarding adventures. If you are looking for some adventurous desert safari experience, then Desert Springs resort is a perfect for you. An adventurer can enjoy an enthralling camel ride and cart rides with your friends and family. And head back to Jaisalmer with lots of memories.

If you are a group of friends or family or you are on an adventurous excursion wanting a superlative desert experience; Desert Springs is an excellent choice to enjoy traditional musicians and dancers that will enthrall with their colorful and soulful Rajasthani folk music & Kalbelia dance. Enjoy the desert experience with Desert Springs like a true Rajasthani Royal as the sumptuous dinner follows and you can have a good night's sleep under the quite starry sky.

One is surely going to admire the scenic magnificence of Thar Desert. A voyage to the desert offers you a real adventure into the magnificent jaw dropping perfectly sculpted dunes which adds more thrill and amazement in the camel ride.





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BYKE Nature Vilas: The Escapade to Mesmerizing Haven

• T3FS Desk

The Byke Hospitality group has come up with its most quintessential property in the scenic hill station Shimla. Byke Nature Vilas which is located amidst the lush green picturesque location of Himachal Pradesh. The Byke Nature Vilas boasts of a unique experience for all nature lovers and explorers.

Shimla is always known for being the snow sheet of Indian nation and this white surreal beauty is the most popular and sought after destination for traveling solo, family or groups. The Byke Nature Vilas entices for voyagers of winter, snow & warmth offering a refreshing change from the hustle and chaotic lifestyle and assembles one to experience the very essence of Shimla.



ACTIVITIES:

The varied activities ranging from walk to sunset point, lazy stroll to nearby town to family picnics and water sports under the blazing Sun. The Byke Nature Vilas is always focused on providing high end hospitality and world-class amenities to their guest so that they take up with them bunch of charming moments.

The hotel property is the most preferential option for those who are looking out for adventure activities as the travel desk is 24x7 available at your service to assist you with exploration over the heart-throbbing surrounding of Shimla and its local sightseeing.

DINING:

In order to treat the cravings of appetite, hotel offers variety of delicious delicacies served with authentic flavors at their multi-cuisine pure vegetarian restaurant with farm fresh in-house & roof top restaurant that bliss the romantic set up.

NEAR BY PLACES:

The property accompanies superb scenic areas with all the comfort and well maintained rooms with best possible view of valley and places like Kufari, Mall Road, Naldhera, Jakhu Temple and Tatta Pani.



ACCOMODATION:

The cozy and luxurious abode has four distinctive accommodation options namely Forest View Deluxe Room, Mountain View Deluxe Room respectively to choose from with nice structures, comfy beds and a range of modern amenities inclusive of facilities like Entertainment, Heating Equipments, Basic Needs and Safety lockers with medical emergency arrangements, internet facility and ample amount of parking space for those who are travelling with their own transport mode. The rooms are designed in keeping mind a generous blend of contemporary art ad modern features keeping in mind the needs and preferences of the discerning traveler.





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Bengaluru Marriott Hotel Whitefield

Bengaluru Marriott Hotel Whitefield is pleased to announce the appointment of Sushma Khichar as Director of Operations. Sushma brings with her over twelve years of rich experience in the hospitality industry. Before joining Bengaluru Marriott Hotel Whitefield, she was part of JW Marriott Mussoorie Walnut Grove Resort and Spa as Director of Rooms. She has demonstrated success at envisioning new concepts, future trends, streamlining operations and providing direction. She also has strong expertise in Sales, Marketing, Business Operations, Front Office, Manpower Planning and Management across hospitality industry, making her an all-round industry star and earning her the designation of Director of Operations.

Etihad Aviation Group

Etihad Aviation Group (EAG) confirmed the appointment of Mark Powers as its new Group Chief Financial Officer. He brings with him significant industry experience, having held senior leadership roles at major airlines including JetBlue, where he most recently held the position of Chief Financial Officer. In his new role, Mr Powers will be responsible for the finance function across the Abu Dhabi-based group's five divisions, which comprise UAE national airline Etihad Airways, Etihad Airways Engineering, Etihad Airport Services, Hala Group and Airline Equity Partners. He also worked for Northwest Airlines, where he held the position of Vice President Treasury, Corporate Finance; for Continental Airlines, where he was Treasurer and Associate General Counsel; and for GE Aviation, where he was Director Customer Finance and Commercial Engine Programs.



FICCI



The Federation of Indian Chambers of Commerce & Industry (FICCI) is pleased to announce the appointment of Mr. Dilip Chenoy as its Director General. Mr. Chenoy has been the Managing Director and Chief Executive Officer of the National Skill Development Corporation (NSDC), Director General of the Society of Indian Automobile Manufacturers (SIAM) and Deputy Director General of the Confederation of Indian Industry (CII). He was awarded the Game Changer Award in 2015 and the Rashtriya Media Ratan Award in 2013. He has been a Member of the Governing Council of the Institute of Applied Manpower Research and Member of Germany-India Skills Working Group. He is currently Chairman of Sant Longowal Institute of Engineering and Technology and Member, Board of Advisors, IILM.

Kochi Marriott Hotel

Sumeet Suri is appointed as the new General Manager at the Kochi Marriott Hotel w.e.f 10th January 2018. Prior to his current role, Mr. Suri was the Hotel Manager of the ITC Grand Chola Chennai where he spearheaded the operations of 600 rooms coupled with 10 restaurants and banqueting space of up to one lac sq. ft. He also worked as the Food & Beverage Manager at the ITC Kakatiya, Hyderabad and ITC Grand Central, Mumbai and in 2014 he was appointed as the General Manager of Welcomhotel Jodhpur. Ever since the hotel opened its doors, Mr. Suri has demonstrated leadership and effective, efficient management in all aspects of the hotel's operations.



Las Vegas Convention and Visitors Authority



The Las Vegas Convention and Visitors Authority (LVCVA) announced the hiring of Steve Hill to fill the role of President and Chief Operating Officer (COO). The announcement completes an organizational restructuring that was introduced in January 2016. As part of the restructuring, the organization developed a c-suite structure for the executive office to prepare better for succession planning and create an organizational structure to better mirror and partner with the resort community. Hill comes to the LVCVA from his position as Executive Director of the Nevada Governor's Office of Economic Development (GOED), a position he held since the agency was established by Governor Brian Sandoval and the Nevada Legislature in 2011.

Le Meridien Goa Calangute

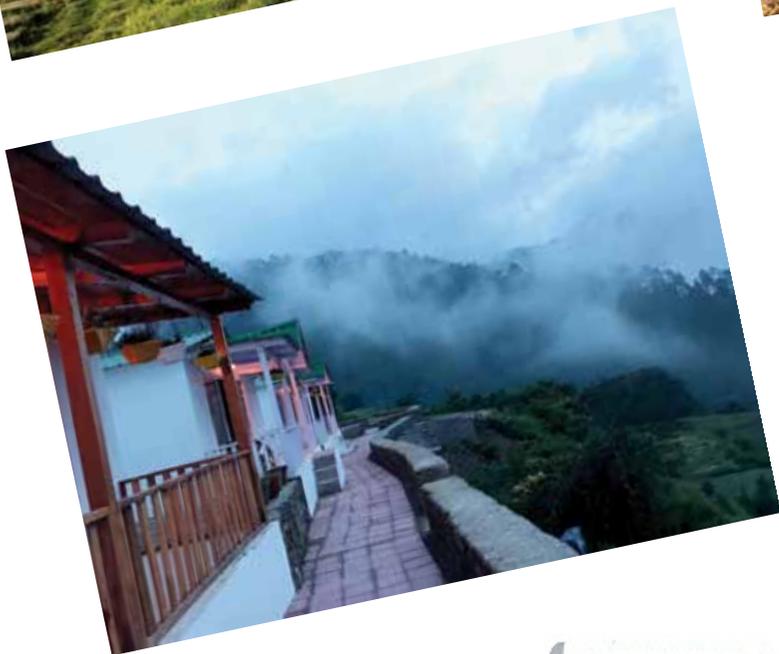
Saurabh Bhatnagar has been appointed as the Director, Food & Beverage at Le Meridien Goa, Calangute. He brings with him over 14 years of hospitality experience and has worked in leisure destination in India as well as overseas. Having worked with both Indian and International hospitality chains in the country in varying position, Saurabh has an expansive knowledge and expertise in creating Food & Beverage concepts as well creating successful restaurants. In his tenure with hotels, he has been instrumental in setting up successful restaurants. His prior assignment was with Park Hyatt Chennai as Food & Beverage Manager.



One&Only Resorts



One&Only Resorts has appointed Robert Logan as General Manager, One&Only Palmilla. Robert takes over the legendary Mexican resort after joining One&Only Resorts in 2016. Robert possesses more than 25 years of experience in the luxury hospitality industry. In his new role, Robert will be responsible for the overall operation of the iconic resort, and leading the award-winning One&Only Palmilla team renowned, for their intuitive and genuine service. An expert in development of new business initiatives and operational standards, Robert will ensure the consistent delivery of the One&Only Resorts brand promise at One&Only Palmilla.



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THE MEDICINAL ALCOHOL - BRAND(Y)

• Tarsh Sharma

The liquor which is more off taken like a medicine source is none other then Brandy. Brandy is the fermented alcoholic spirit made up from fruit juice and also wine at times. The high quality stronger brandy is also known as applejack and cognac.



Medicinal Benefits of Brandy

- Beneficial in Cancer
- Anti-Aging Properties
- Heels Respiratory system issues
- Boosting Immune System
- Insomnia Relief
- Healthy and unclogged Heart
- Instrumental in Weight Management

Brandy is available in multiple variants and different fruit flavors. This after-dinner drink is mostly famous for its multiple medicinal facts as they say drinking brandy is beneficial for cold and cold related issues. The drink is a typical after dinner and before sleep liquor to be taken. As a part of regular or casual intake, Brandy can be consumed neat also and without ice. Brandy when taken in a snifter which is an exclusive glass, the content of this liquor remains warm and later in room temperature. It is the aroma of brandy that entices it as a more enjoyable. The intakes of every small sip taken make the person fonder of it with the passage of time.



WHISKEY??.....NAAAH

It is believed by most of the people that Brandy is another type of whiskey only as they have the same feels and aroma as of whiskey. Whiskey is made up of grains or malted barley whereas Brandy is the fermented fruit juices preferably from grapes.

The First Toast

It was Europe, who incepted the taste and "Brandewijn" came into existence. "Brandewijn"

is a dutch word and cognac was induced in the regions of France. Every corner of Europe has some magnificent flavors of brandy to offer at your table and take away as a token of love along with.

The Alcoholic Medicinal Dose

Brandy processes through distillation after juices are fermented and at times they are distilled out of wine contents also. These spirits are all undergone through unique distillation procedure

but then they have variations and are immensely distinctive. With the available variants like cognac, grappa, slivovitz, Armagnac; you can sip brandy for lifetime. The magical fact of this distilled spirit is that if taken in a definite proportion, it is surely a wonder to your health which is why this is not a bizarre in households of every corner of world. Brandy is the classic alcohol that is one of a kind being the most elegant and beneficially scrumptious spirit.

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Crown has been the symbol of lineage and heritage owning its pride and honor. Crowns were not just accessory but a discipline, a sense of responsibility.

Apart from showing the royalty, kindness and the empathy for all; with the passage of time, now crown is a quite populous and trending in as fashion accessories with passage of time and social media is a huge market source for them.

A crown is a traditional symbolic form of headwear worn by a monarch or by a deity, for whom the crown traditionally represents power, legitimacy, victory, triumph, honor, and glory, as well as immortality, righteousness, and resurrection. In art, the crown may be shown to be offered on Earth by angels. Apart from the traditional form, crowns may also be in the form of a wreath and be made up of flowers, oak leaves, or thorns and be worn by others, representing what the coronation part aims to symbolize with the specific crown. In religious art, a crown of stars is used similarly to a halo. Crowns were worn by rulers that often contain jewels. Crown is forever, they will never get old and always young for life.

Take Your Pick

Crown on Ring Fingers

Couples who are engaged and are soon to be married should never settle on just wedding rings whether or not that perfectly suit them as their affluent tastes since their unique lifestyles is also matter of great concern to take forward. Matrimony is one of the most important engagements that a person can make in his life; a vow that should be complemented with the finest jewelry piece. Crown ring are designed carefully and masterfully whose collection is to imbue the traditional tenacity of matrimonial jewelry with added aesthetic flair and couture that helps make it truly one of a kind and a special part of your wedding moment. Modernized design adds a special allure and distinction to the collection, created with upscale, modern and classic tastes and apt enough to fit into urban lifestyle. Wedding rings for men span the gambit from simple, classic wedding bands to diamond encrusted carved and hand woven. Be diverse by opting for handwoven bands that are distinctly novel and trademarked. Old world artistry meets modernized styles and patterns, culminating in a timelessly perfected ring that is sophisticated, detailed, fashionable and elegant. The special moments in life that take your breath away are few and are only to relive in memories framed. That's why Crown Ring set out to celebrate these moments with a collection of spectacular precious metal bridal jewelry that brings happily ever after to life.





Crown Tattoo

The crown has been used as a symbol of royal power and authority for long period of time. Alike the scepter, the crown is also visible as a badge of office, granting the wearer & its possessor, the absolute right to rule. The authority to rule was often held to be divinely inspired. In one of the Christian traditions, the garland of thorns is used to be placed on Christ's head during the ordeal of his crucifixion which is known as the "Crown of Thorns". The centerpiece of any coronation of a new monarch is always the moment when the new King, Queen, or Emperor has the state crown placed upon their head. It is believed that at this moment of time, the power to rule is transferred to the new monarch. Many groups have often used the crown to symbolize the power and authority to lead or command. When it is combined with a cross, one of the meanings of the crown is "victory," and the cross symbolizes Christianity. As a symbol, the crown also symbolizes leadership and the rightful authority which comes from being elected by a group to serve as their leader. The crown doesn't just mean the right of one person to command another. It symbolizes an individual's sovereignty over their own life, feelings, thoughts, and actions. The crown symbolizes self-control and is a reminder to use power and authority wisely and justly.

Crown Locket

A thoughtful gift for mummy's little princess, this beautiful heart locket necklace makes a great first piece of jewelry for the little girl. The perfect locket for the perfect princess. A locket is a small ornamental case for a photograph or other keepsake usually worn as a crown pendant on a simple chain but lockets can also be in the form of a ring or brooch. People would frequently display miniature portraits of loved ones or sometimes small pictures of the King or Queen to show their loyalty to the crown. Sometimes the lockets are made up with small openings in which small perfumed fabric squares are placed to camouflage the stench of the unpleasant sanitary conditions. Locketts are available in a variety of shapes and sizes; but the most popular is the sentimental heart shape. Locketts make great gifts for special occasions preferably birthdays, anniversaries, christening or other religious ceremonies and also for holidays like Valentine's Day and Christmas. Traditional styles are available in a variety of precious metals such as gold or silver and can be embellished with gemstones such as diamonds or pearls.



Crown Bangles

A bangle comes with a promise to stay with each other, live together, and be happy with each other. Every charm tells a story. From cherished memories shared with friends and family to once-in-a-lifetime occasions, you wish to acknowledge, each charm on your bracelet that tells the story of landmark events and personal milestones in a beautiful and unique way. Charming rose bracelets rose in popularity amongst the European noble classes during the Victorian period, when Queen Victoria became instrumental in their revival. These royal crown bracelets provide a contemporary heirloom gift to mark precious moments in your lifetime. The beautifully handcrafted sterling silver charm bracelet features a delicate crown inspired by our Royal heritage. Always wear your crown! This crown bracelet is perfect for girls who love to be treated like a princess or a queen! It is fabulous enough to wear alone or you can stack it with other bracelets.



Crown Anklets

Are you preparing for a beautiful royal wedding or you are looking for some elegant accessories for your bridal look? I think this chic and gentle crown anklet can grab all the attentions as it is driving head crazy! This accessory will be perfect for weddings and brides in Queen Style, in combination of a flower or greenery crowns and airy lace or silk dresses. The anklets will give you the best and proper feeling of being royal feeling like a queen bride at your special wedding days.



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LOVE – The feeling has no boundaries?

• Richa Tiwari

Love is said to be the birth right of all but does the society allow people to feel so? Now the question arises for the said “third world” of society. Is it seriously a stigma and crime for the **third world** section of feeling different and born with special biological distinctiveness?

February is said a month of love, breeze, pinkish ambience and happiness all around but each member of the mankind is whether having a right to feel the same is still under scan and is questionable for the “other side of the gender grading”. People are categorized not in just two but three categories on their biological ground wherein one is male, second is female and another one was transgender whose club has now been joined by the LGB people as well. LGBT is termed for those people who are Lesbian, Gay, Bisexual and Transgender. The LGBT encompasses those who express their love interest for them who are

significantly not certified for them to love and are the ones those who reject such stereotypical and hypothetical mentality of being restricted on to the societal norms and diverse for the love they chose or their heat skipped for. And since outraging the society, the community had no room for love as they are still fighting a battle of their existence and acceptance certification of society. Many NGOs, Societies, Clubs and communities are now putting their foot forward to support the LGBT and trying their hard to provide them equal rights to that of those which are certified to be “NORMAL”.

Abnormality is the definition of human brigade and not the creator of world; so will that be fair breaking them apart?





The History of TomorrowLand:

Love is eternal, it is an era that is never ending, being bliss of almighty to take it as a blessing in whatever form you get. It is not since today that the community has come under existence but then the history speaks of it. Time has been the witness of LGBT community and its existence in the royal palaces and forts of India as well as world lineage. Those were also the days when they were especially called by Kings and Knights to safeguard them and used to keep them close to their reign. They were said to be the “TRUSTWORTHIES” of kingdoms that passed on from one generation to another. Be it any queen or be it any king, they all had one “KHAAS” LGBT person in their lives holding their diplomatic policies, deep dark secrets, source for their lavish arrangements and their friends among the world of foes.

From the centuries of Krishna times and Rama times to the Rajputs and the Mughals and the Britishers, none has been untouched of respecting the loyalty of these people and the instrumental in journey of their success. And with every passing generation, it feels that LGBT will regain the confidence in society and will not be ashamed of accepting their distinctive individuality but what all they need is the love and support of the society.

Challenging Humankind; Changing Era

As it is said by someone, “Love me without fear. Trust me without questioning. Need me without demanding. Want me without restrictions. Accept me without change. Love me for who I am!”

Following these footsteps, the community has once again marched forward to take over the hurdles and started accepting what they are and being proud of the same. Many of the western celebrities came out in the recent times and opened about their happy-go and forever love. They have even embraced parenthood providing a shelter to those who were in need of a great lifestyle and became exemplary to world that mankind is not in segregation of the society but to spread love and embracing everyone in the equal Libran ground.

Un-naturally Natural Bliss

The community has for sure reached to the ultimate edge of their fight for dignity and attaining the right to breathe free with the love of their life. The sexuality of a person is also a gender linked stigma for the health related issues as there are a few chronic diseases like cancer, heart diseases, environmental hazards, communicable disasters, mental disorders and social well-being is jeopardize for these preferred society. The otherness also makes the person distress and disgrace on his mental fitness. However, rest of the community. Being deviant by the stereotypical people, the community had been a matter of left out and disgraced on their identity and dignity. So, people will stare but it is only you who can make worth the task for them with your pride, attitude and confidence.

LGBT can be a bliss if we take it as Life gets better together !!!!!

Lakme Fashion Week' 18

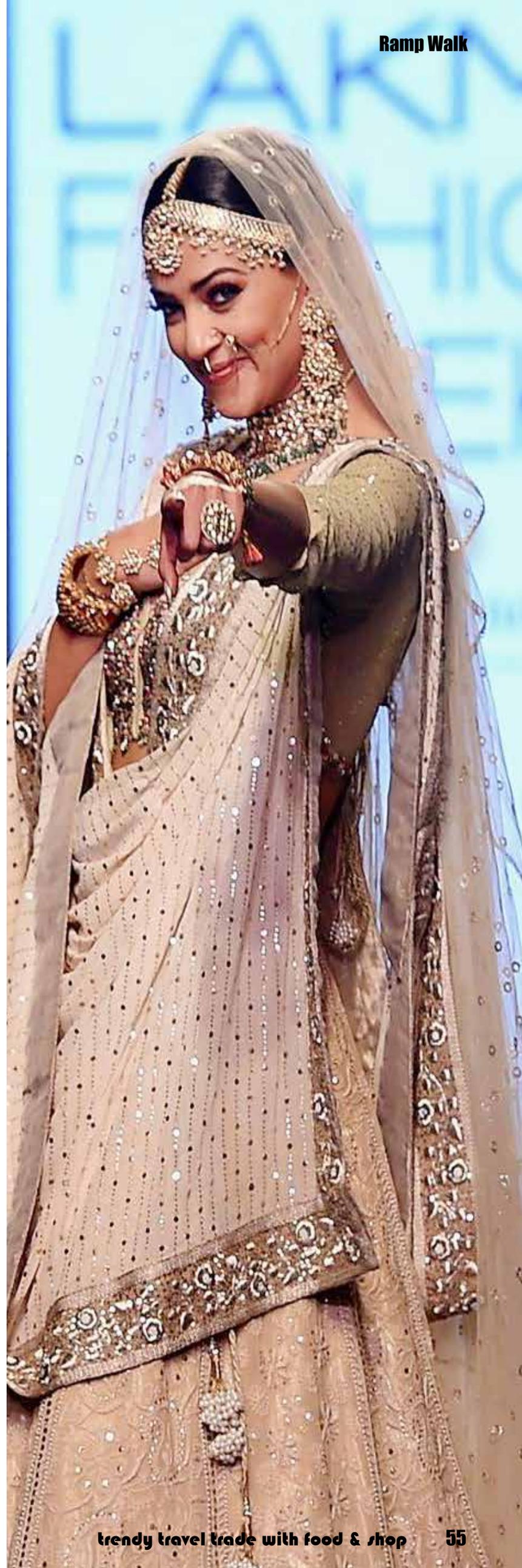
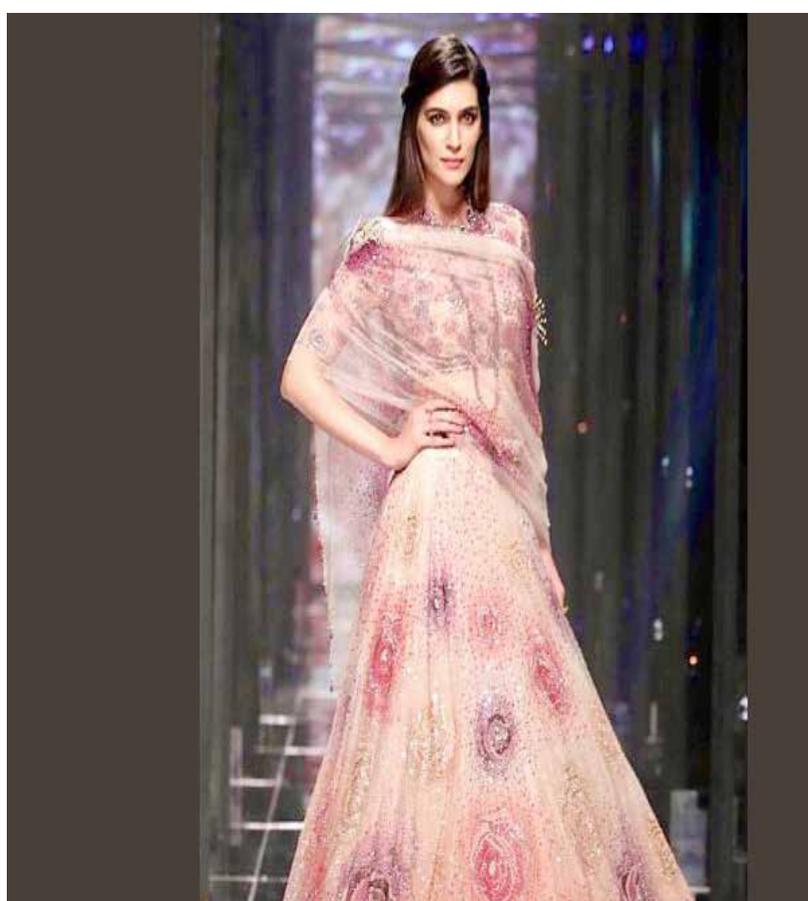


Mumbai the fashion city seemed to be the perfect sky for stars to dazzle in round the week in the Lakme Fashion Week 2018. This year it was more over fusion and amalgamation that was showcased on the side of creativity by distinctive designers. Co-partnered by IMG Reliance, a leader in sports, fashion and entertainment marketing and management and was driven to world by NEXA.

The show highlighted the creativity of Anamika Khanna, Anushree Reddy, Tarun Tahiliani, Shantanu & Bhumi, Riddhi Mehra, Anita Dongre, Falguni & Shane, Payal Singhal, Jayanti Reddy, Ashwini Reddy and many more. The night was amazingly glamorous with show stoppers like Kareena Kapoor, Aditi Rao Haydri, Illiena D'cruz, Kriti Sanon, Kangana Ranaut, Shahid & Mira Kapoor, Bipasha Basu, Shilpa Shetty Kundra, Swara Bhasker, Pooja Hegde, Karan Johar, etc.

The pastel shades, intricate embroidery, light fabrics, flowing satin, signature cutwork, outfits focused on panned casuals, Swarovski crystals were the highlights of the show.

• T3FS Desk



Prediction for February 2018 by Poonam Sethi

“The more you give, the more you receive” is the motto of renowned Tarot card reader and holistic healer, Poonam Sethi, lives by. She has studied Feng Shui and Tarot card reading at several institutions across the globe and has, through extensive self-study, practice and perseverance, mastered the art of guiding people from the present into the future to precision.



ARIES

An awaited message will arrive with very positive results...could be from an admirer. Someone will help you collect money that is owed to you. You'll get together with someone on an idea or partnership and will also be making revisions in your work or presentation in order to increase your earnings or make your returns more lucrative.

Lucky Color:-PURPLE

Lucky Number :-5



TAURUS

You will feel hurt or slighted because your partner is ignoring you or not including you in his/her plans, being completely honest with you, or living up to his/her promises or commitments. You'll feel nervous, agitated, frightened or confused and will have a difficult time maintaining emotional balance. You're going to experience a chain reaction in money matters with only a partial response at first, and then one thing will lead to another and a moderate degree of success will be attained.

Lucky Color:- JADE GREEN.

Lucky Number :- 8



GEMINI

Your heartfelt desires are going to be met through the entry of a kindred spirit (one you've met or feel you've met before) with whom; you will establish a deep rapport and mutual feeling of affinity, passion and trust. A payment is going to be late or will not arrive at all and it will really aggravate you, but money will come in from a new undertaking or different source. Don't try to assess situations and effect solutions in advance. The time will come when you'll know what is true or what to do and if you wait for that moment, you'll leave an opening for the Universe to step in and solve things for you.

Lucky Color:- BRICK RED

Lucky Number :- 7



CANCER

You'll wonder if you'll ever have the relationship you want because in your mind, it seems that no matter what you try to do, you never manage to achieve results. You can expect fortunate changes in business and finance- new opportunities, expansion, and increase. You will think about mailing a letter to a company but will put it off, and/or a letter will arrive that will make you angry.

Lucky Color:- GREY

Lucky Number :- 9

**LEO**

You will want to share your deepest feelings but will keep them to yourself because you can't find an "outlet" or won't want to run the risk of being vulnerable; and/or you'll have superficial involvements or fast flings with strangers. Someone will present you with a very enticing opportunity concerning your home or place of business that could open up a whole new vista or increase your income substantially. The choice will be up to you.

Lucky Color :- SAFFRON

Lucky Number :- 7

**VIRGO**

You will be waiting to see what a lover will do. This could also indicate a sudden flight from home, but not a permanent one. You will hold off on an idea because you won't be ready to commit, or will feel the time isn't right or that there's too much hard work involved. You are going to have a complete reversal in your thinking.

Lucky Color :- RED

Lucky Number :- 3

**LIBRA**

Plodding work, a sordid relationship, or an extramarital affair will trouble you. You and a partner or loved one will unite and discuss plans for the future. You will be surprised by your unexpected progress, good fortune, or "arrival" in business or financial matters, or you'll surprise yourself by taking a major "yes" decision you've been putting off.

Lucky Color :-WHITE

Lucky Number :- 1

**SCORPIO**

You will be very surprised at the unsolicited attention you're going to get from one who really piques your romantic interest. Pleasure pursuits, financial agreements, and spiritual matters are going to bring you a lot of personal satisfaction, and something that was cut off (or you thought was dead) in the past is going to spring back again. Keep an optimistic attitude and let time be the deciding factor.

Lucky Color :-PINK

Lucky Number :- 4

**SAGITTARIUS**

You will be trying to maintain emotional control when faced with upsetting news or circumstances; yet, unbeknown to you, your lover feels the same. You will have discussions about work or finances, which will be agreed upon by everyone, and if in business for yourself, you'll make money but will have to make some concessions.

Lucky Color :-YELLOW

Lucky Number :- 9

**CAPRICORN**

You'll be pleasantly surprised by some unexpected good news about your career and positive changes in your home or work environment. A new romantic interest could also be indicated. Your emotional state will greatly improve through the intervention of another. Don't give up, you will receive an answer or clear-cut direction that will solve your problem(s) and get you back on the right track.

Lucky Color :-BLUE

Lucky Number :- 2

**AQUARIUS**

Problems will cause you to shut down emotionally, but not letting on to what is really going on inside will make the pressure build. Loosen up and you'll find that love is everywhere. Professionally, you will make many important contacts, but will have to wait for things to unfold. Personally, you will be weighted down with responsibilities and feeling that you have no one to lighten your load or ease your burdens.

Lucky Color :-ORANGE

Lucky Number :- 6

**PISCES**

You will be in a romantic or flirtatious mood, and life will offer several opportunities for romance, but those who try to exercise a claim will have to compete with stiff competition...your work and your "ideal" lover. A disagreeable situation and a negative emotional condition are going to come to an end. Money will be acquired from a business of your own or business done out of your home. Be sure to handle financial negotiations and business transactions before you get started, or misunderstandings will arise.

Lucky Color :- GREEN

Lucky Number :- 8

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 - Breakfast with Lion at Tsavo Lion Restaurant
 - Indian Cuisine Lunch or Dinner where available and specified

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based on 4 hotel

- (1Night at Lovina Beach + 3Night at South Bali)**
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