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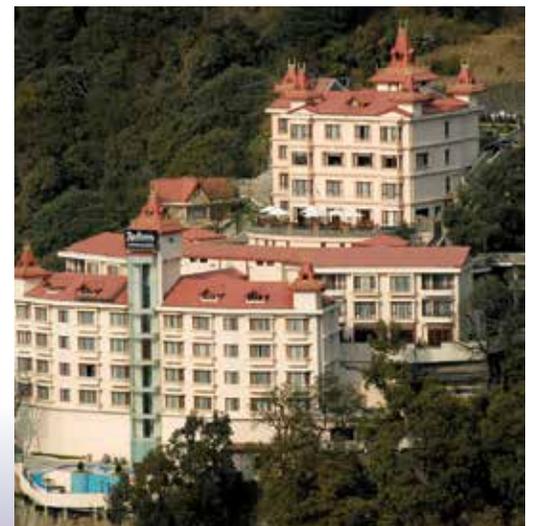


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PUBLISHER'S NOTE



Dear Reader,

When you will bring the February issue of T3FS, you will find the buzzing word Budget in industry. By keeping this in mind T3FS here come up with the cover story on Interim Budget 2019. Interim Budget 2019-20 was presented in Parliament by the Union Minister for Finance, Corporate Affairs, Railways & Coal, Shri Piyush Goyal. Besides having a major Scheme for the farmers, it provides tax sops and sets the Developmental Agenda for the years to come.

Highlights of the budget are Fiscal deficit for 2018-19 will be 3.4% of GDP; Rs.6,000 (US\$83) per annum for poor farmers (having less than 2 hectares of land) under Pradhan Mantri Kisan Samman Nidhi; Rs.3,000 (US\$42) per month pension to unorganised sector labour under Pradhan Mantri Shram Yogi Mandhan; This is subject to collection of Rs.100 /month from the working age of 29 to 60 years; Income tax relief u/s 87A for income upto Rs.500,000 (US\$7,000); Standard deduction of Rs.50,000 (US\$700) for salaried class.

In hospitality we focused on the theme valentine. Valentine's Day is the ultimate day of love and the perfect opportunity to showcase your love and

appreciation towards your significant other. Regardless of what you have planned on this special day, it is almost guaranteed that your plans include a romantic dinner consisting of delicious food and wine.

For hoteliers, it means the perfect opportunity to target new guests. Holidays are a stressful and busy time for travel shoppers. With the just the right amount of incentive and irresistible offers, your hotel can be their number one choice this season.

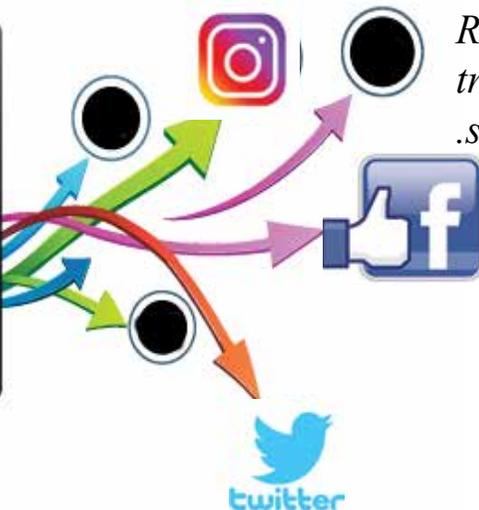
In lifestyle, again with the theme on valentine we get some ideas of surprises for this valentine. Valentine's Day is a time when people show feelings of love, affection and friendship. It is celebrated in many ways worldwide when lovers express their affection with greetings and gifts.

It is considered to the best day to express your love and care for your special one or even express your feelings to the one you love.

Everyone has an opinion on 14th February. Some think it is romantic and a date to be strictly observed and never missed. Couples can spend hundreds of pounds on gifts, a romantic meal or getaway.

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Arabian Travel Week

Reed Travel Exhibitions, organiser of the annual Arabian Travel Market (ATM) showcase in Dubai, has announced the launch of Arabian Travel Week – an umbrella brand comprising four co-located shows.

Taking place at the Dubai World Trade Centre from 27 April – 1 May 2019, the event will comprise ATM 2019 and ILTM Arabia as well as CONNECT Middle East, India and Africa 2019 – a new route development forum launching this year and ATM Holiday Shopper which is a new consumer-led event.

Danielle Curtis, Exhibition Director ME, Arabian Travel Market, said: “The success of both ATM and ILTM Arabia has provided us with the platform to not only introduce two new events for 2019 – but to create a travel week which encompasses the Middle East’s inbound and outbound markets for general leisure tourism and luxury travel as well as providing a dedicated networking forum for the region’s top airline specialists, aviation authorities, tourism boards, airports and tour operators.”



India Heritage Walk Festival 2019

Bird Group, the largest technology provider to the travel industry in India, has tied up with Sahapedia, an online encyclopedia of Indian arts and culture, to support its ‘Heritage Walks’, a project to help people understand the heritage of the cities and towns across the country. Both have come together for a month-long multi-city event, introducing people to the tangible and intangible culture and heritage of their cities and celebrating India’s rich cultural diversity.

This will be the second edition of the India Heritage Walk Festival. With a bigger and grander lineup this year, it will explore the diversity that characterizes the cultural fabric of India, such as, food, heritage, nature, art, architecture, and so on. The festival will have walks, talks, workshops and insta-meets across India covering a broad spectrum of Indian heritage and culture. All of the festival’s bookings are powered by Odigos, a new product by the Bird Group that is a marketplace for tour guides and

experiences.

The heritage walks will cover museums, historically significant monuments, markets, interesting natural landscapes and cultural pockets in 37 different cities known for their cuisine or crafts. The India Heritage Walk Festival will cover large metros, including Delhi, Mumbai, Chennai, Kolkata, Bangalore and Hyderabad, and other historically significant cities such as Agra, Ahmedabad, Bikaner, Kochi, Pune, Patan, Itanagar, Varanasi and Patna.

IHG® signs Holiday Inn Goa Candolim

InterContinental Hotels Group® (IHG), one of world’s leading hotel companies has signed a management agreement with Tipping Point Hospitality Private Limited for Holiday Inn Goa Candolim. Nestled amidst two of the North Goa’s famed and popular destination – Candolim and Calangute, the hotel is expected to welcome guests in November 2019.

Offering leisure and corporate travellers a perfect stay experience, the newly built, 110-room Holiday Inn Goa Candolim will be a 30-minute drive from the city center and a 60-minute drive from the Dabolim Airport. The hotel is also in close proximity to North Goa’s popular entertain-

ment and nightlife destinations and is a 15 minute walk from Candolim beach and Sinquerim fort.

In addition to featuring well-designed, fully equipped guest rooms, Holiday Inn Goa Candolim will comprise expansive meeting space and a business centre to meet the rapidly growing MICE demands in the city.

Holiday Inn Goa Candolim will feature an all-day dining restaurant and a lobby bar, offering guests some great dining options at the hotel. The hotel will

also feature leisure facilities such as an outdoor pool and a gymnasium for guests to enjoy their time during their stay.



First Swadesh Darshan Project in Sikkim

Shri. K.J. Alphons, Union Minister for Tourism inaugurated the project “Development of North East Circuit: Rangpo– Rorathang- Aritar- Phadamchen- Nathang-Sherathang- Tsongmo- Gangtok-Phodong-Mangan- Lachung-Yumthang- Lachen- Thangu-Gurudongmer- Mangan- Gangtok-Tuminlingee-Singtam” implemented under Swadesh Darshan Scheme of Ministry of Tourism, Government of India in the presence of Shri Ugen T. Gyatso, Minister of Tourism & Civil Aviation, Government of Sikkim in Zero Point, Gangtok on 30th January 2019. This project was sanctioned by

the Ministry of Tourism in June 2015 for Rs. 98.05 Crores.

The development of Tourism in North Eastern Region being prime area of focus for the Ministry of Tourism, several initiatives for growth of domestic and international tourism in the region has been taken by the Ministry. One of the many challenges region faces in development of tourism is the absence of quality infrastructure, services and awareness about the array of tourism products region has to offer.

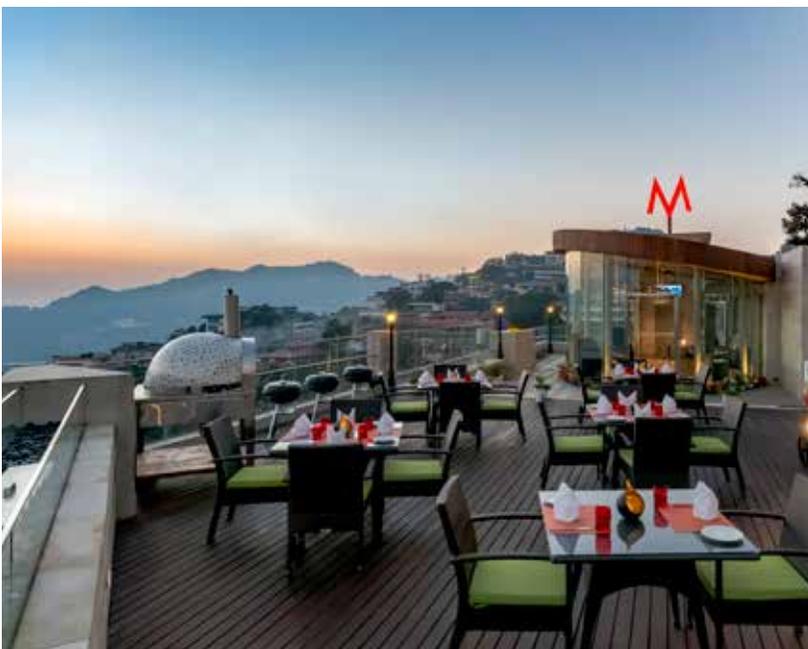
The Ministry is carrying out number of activities to handle the issues on above fronts. On

one hand the Ministry has given great impetus to the tourism infrastructure in the region under its flagship schemes of Swadesh Darshan and PRASHAD. For development of Tourism infrastructure, the Ministry has sanctioned 16 projects for Rs. 1349.04 crores covering all North Eastern States under its schemes of Swadesh Darshan and PRASHAD. The Ministry is actively working with other Central Ministries like Mo/Culture, M/o DONER, M/o Road Transport and Highways, M/o Civil Aviation etc. for development of Tourism in the region.



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Genting Cruise Lines Celebration Time

Genting Cruise Lines recently celebrated its silver anniversary commemorating 25 years of revolutionizing the Asian cruise industry which began with the very first sailing of Langkapuri Star Aquarius from Singapore in 1993. Founded a quarter of a century ago as Star Cruises, Genting Cruise Lines has grown to encompass three major cruise brands by also welcoming Crystal Cruises and Dream Cruises into its family. With the highest quality, reliability and safe “Made in Germany” ships, best in class hospitality with legendary Asian service origins and uncompromising North European marine safety standards, the three brands have been recognized as leaders in their respective segments in the global cruise industry.

Looking forward, 2019-2020 will be a very exciting year for Genting Cruise Lines highlighted by a USD50 million investment to

transform the much loved SuperStar Virgo into Explorer Dream to further expand the fleet for the fastest growing cruise brand in Asia – Dream Cruises. In addition, Genting Cruise Lines will introduce the first of a fleet of 200,000 gross ton “Global Class” ships for Dream Cruises in 2021 along with innovative “Contemporary Class” ships for Star Cruises in 2023.

With the launch of the Explorer Dream, Dream Cruises will expand its fleet to three ships with Genting Dream based in Sin-

gapore, World Dream in Hong Kong / Guangzhou (Nansha) and Explorer Dream which will be based in Shanghai/Tianjin during summer and Australia/New Zealand in winter.



Two-way Investment & Trade

Kyrgyzstan and India are considering establishment of joint financing mechanisms to accelerate two-way investment and trade in a range of areas including energy, IT, mining, textiles, education, medical and pharmaceutical sectors.

This was indicated here by the visiting Kyrgyzstan Foreign Affairs Minister, Mr. Chingiz Aidarbekov, while addressing the India-

Kyrgyzstan Business Forum – From Intentions to Action – Only One Step’, organised by FICCI, Government of India and the Kyrgyz Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

Mr. Aiderbekov said that Kyrgyzstan –India relations have risen to a new level. Yet the full potential is yet to be realised for which it was imperative to remove barriers to trade and investment. He said a special department on

economic diplomacy had been set in the Kyrgyz Foreign Affairs Ministry and provinces were being encouraged to do the same.

He said there was huge scope for investment from India in Kyrgyzstan’s energy sector, especially in hydropower generation. Likewise, there was potential in mining and education, he added.

Los Angeles witnesses 5.1% YoY increase in 2018

2018 was a stellar year for the Los Angeles Tourism & Convention Board in the India market, as the tourism board witnessed a 5.1% YoY growth increase with 130,000 Indian travellers jetting off to the City of Angels during the course of the year. Their brand marketing and communications strategy in the India market has resulted in the market gaining one spot, from

being the 4th highest international YoY growth market in 2017 to now being the 3rd highest in 2018.

India’s encouraging 2018 performance is a reflection of the destination’s steadily rising preference amongst Indians planning trips to the U.S. India is an important and rapidly growing market for the tourism board, and Indian traveler

trends and demands have inspired added efforts to tap the tremendous potential it offers. In a clear indication of the Indian market’s value proposition, over the past 18 months, the tourism board has strategically invested in consumer marketing campaigns as well as continued hosting familiarization trips to showcase the destination.

MoT sanctions Spiritual Circuit of Rs. 85.23 Crore in Kerala

Union Minister of State (I/C) for Tourism, Shri K J Alphons announced that the Ministry of Tourism sanctioned projects worth Rs.85.23 crore for the development of Spiritual Circuit III for Kerala under Swadesh Darshan Scheme. The Minister said that the sites identified under the circuit are spread across all 14 districts of the state and cover 133 religious places. He said the districts where the projects would be implemented are : Kasargode, Wayand, Kannur, Kozhikode, Palakkad, Malappuram, Thrissur, Ernakulam, Idukki, Alappuzha, Kottayam, Pathanamhitta,

Kollam and Thiruvananthapuram .

The Minister said the destinations have been selected keeping in view the inherent historic, cultural and religious significance of the places. The development works include Community hall, Annadhana Mandapam, Multipurpose hall, toilets, cafeteria, parking facilities, landscaping, pathways, illuminations, signages, dustbins etc. The Circuit covers religious sites all across the state from Ananthapadmanabhaswamy Temple in the northernmost district of Kasargode to the Madre De Deus Church in Thiruvananthapuram, the southern-

most district. The Circuit will cover several historical religious sites across the state like the Cheraman Jumah Masjid (Kodungalloor), Koodalmanikyam temple (Irinjalakkuda), St. Thomas Church (Malayattoor), Thriparayar Sreerama Temple (Thrissur) etc. In reply to a question, Shri. Alphons said that the sites have been identified after elaborate study and discussions with all stakeholders. He pointed out that sixty per cent of domestic tourism is related to spiritual circuits.

Oceania Cruises Reveals Exclusive Dom Perignon Pairing Dinner

Oceania Cruises, the world’s leading culinary- and destination-focused cruise line, unveiled its exclusive Dom Perignon Experience at La Reserve. This first of its kind dining experience pairs six palate piquing courses with a different expression and vintage of Dom Perignon’s acclaimed vintages.

“This is a totally new concept that is exclusive to Oceania Cruises. We worked with

the team at Dom Perignon to pair the perfect champagnes with the perfect flavors and the outcome is spectacular. Marina and Riviera will be the only places in the world for travelers to enjoy this exclusive Dom Perignon experience,” stated Bob Binder, President and Chief Executive Officer of Oceania Cruises.

Created by the culinary team at La Maison Dom Perignon in conjunction with Oceania Cruises’ culinary team, the dinner is offered to

maximum of 24 guests.

“We created this dinner to be sophisticated, memorable, a little bit decadent, but also a lot of fun. After all, champagne is all about celebration,” added Binder.



Locate My Bus

Travelyaari, India’s leading online bus booking platform, has launched Locate My Bus feature that enables customers and their family to keep track of their bus in real time using their smart devices. The feature ensures there are no tiring long waits in cold nights or standing in scorching midday sun at the boarding point for a delayed bus, it also eliminates the hassle of repeated calls to the operator for location updates. Just keep a tab on the location of your bus using Locate My Bus feature and plan

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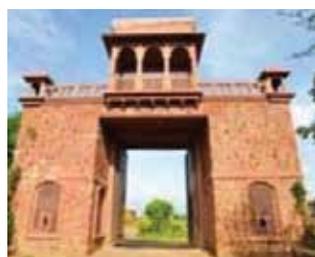
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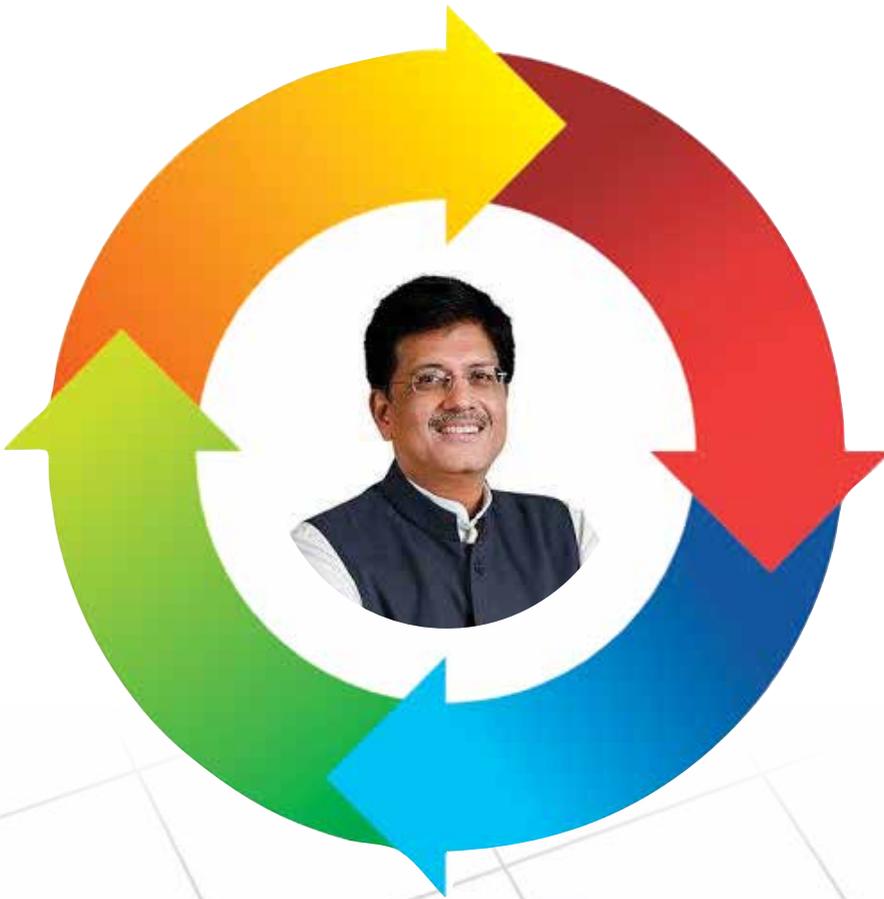


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DO YOU KNOW?

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Interim Budget 2019: A Progressive Path for the Country

A New Deal for 12 Crore Small and Marginal farmers with direct income support, a path breaking Pension initiative for 10 Crore unorganized sector workers, exempting income up to Rs 5 lakhs from Income Tax, reforms in stamp duty, highest ever budgetary allocation of Rs 3 lakh crore for Defence, record allocation of funds at Rs 58,166 crore for North Eastern Areas, a new AIIMS for Haryana, single window clearance for Indian film makers at par with foreigners and higher budgetary allocations for Education, Health, Infrastructure and for the welfare of weaker sections including Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes, a Separate Department of Fisheries for welfare of 1.5 crore fisherman are some of the major highlights of the Interim Budget 2019-20.

Major Schemes

New Scheme- namely “Pradhan Mantri KISAN SAMman Nidhi (PM-KISAN)” to extend direct income support at the rate of Rs. 6,000 per year to farmer families, having cultivable land upto 2 hectares is announced.

While presenting the Interim Budget 2019-20, the Union Minister for Finance, Corporate Affairs, Railways & Coal, Shri Piyush Goyal said that “our Government is launching a historic programme PM-KISAN with an outlay of Rs.75,000 crore for the FY 2019-20 and Rs.20,000 crore in the Revised Estimates of FY 2018-19”.

Under this Government of India funded Scheme, Rs.2,000 each will be transferred to the bank accounts of around 12 crore Small and Marginal farmer families, in three equal installments. This programme would be made effective from 1st December 2018 and the first installment for the period upto 31st March 2019 would be paid during this year itself, Shri Piyush Goyal said.

To provide sustained and focused attention towards development of Fisheries, the Government has decided to create a separate Department of Fisheries. Finance Minister said that through the measure, the Government wants to promote further growth over 7% to promote livelihood of about 1.45 crore people dependent on the sector. The Finance Minister announced 2% interest

Dr. Ankur Bhatia, Executive Director Bird Group & Member of CII’s Core Committee on Aviation

We congratulate the government for presenting a forward-looking and progressive interim budget. This budget while announcing financial sops for MSME’s, farm and health sectors that form the backbone of the economy and tax relief for the middle class, also sufficiently prioritized infrastructure for railways and airports by allocating hefty investment to add a fillip to ongoing progress. For airlines, the business has grown exponentially in the last year as UDAN Yojana has made travel possible for anybody and everybody. This has put an unexpected burden on airports severely crowding them. There is an urgent need to upscale existing airports and introduce the stipulated 100-mark operational airports soon, to cater to ever-increasing demand. We now await the implementation of the promises made.



subvention to the farmers pursuing the activities of animal husbandry and fisheries, who avail loan through Kisan Credit Card. Further, in case

of timely repayment of loan, they will also get an additional 3% interest subvention. Allocation of Rs.750 crore for Rashtriya Gokul



Peter Kerkar, Group CEO, Cox & Kings

The move by the government to increase the tax exemptions will lead to additional savings thereby leading to more discretionary spends and travel and tourism can be one of the beneficiaries. The overall emphasis on improving rural connectivity with an outlay of Rs 190 billion will lead to easier access to key tourism destinations which are located in rural and semi-rural areas. Furthermore, the government’s continued emphasis on the North East by allocating additional resources to the region will dramatically improve the connectivity and give a boost to tourism.



Mission has been announced for the current year itself. Setting up of “Rashtriya Kamdhenu Aayog” to upscale sustainable genetic upgradation of cow resources and to enhance production and productivity of cows has also been announced. The Aayog will also look after effective implementation of laws and welfare schemes for cow.

To provide pensionary benefits to at least 10 crore labourers and workers in the unorganised sector a new Scheme called ‘Pradhan Mantri Shram-Yogi Maandhan’ is announced. The Finance Minister said that within next five years it would be one of the largest pension schemes of the world. A sum of Rs.500 crore has been allocated for the Scheme. Additional funds will be provided as needed, Shri Goyal added. The scheme will also be implemented from the current year, he said.



Aditya Loomba, Jt Managing Director, Eco Rent A Car

This budget has brought some much-needed relief to the real estate industry. The large budgets assigned to defence purchases were also much needed. The abolishment of customs duty on capital goods is also welcomed.

However, GST needs to be revised for various sectors especially the hospitality sector where it's currently very high especially for Self Drive Car Rental services. I hope the government will give its due importance to the Tourism and Passenger transport business and relax the taxation in the coming financial year.

Tax Benefits

Individual taxpayers having taxable annual income up to Rs.5 lakhs will not be required to pay any income tax. The Finance Minister said that persons having gross income up to Rs. 6.50 lakhs are not required to pay any income tax if they make investments in provident funds, specified savings and insurance etc. Additional deductions such as interest on home loan up to Rs. 2 lakh, interest on education loans, National Pension Scheme contributions, medical insurance and medical expenditure on senior citizens etc, are also provided for in the Interim Budget 2019-20. Thus tax benefit of Rs. 18,500 crore is proposed to be provided to an estimated 3 crore middle class and small taxpayers comprising self employed, small business, small traders, salary earners, pensioners and senior citizens.

For salaried persons, Standard Deduction is being raised from the current Rs.40,000 to Rs.50,000. This will provide additional tax benefit of Rs. 4,700 crore to more than 3 crore salary earners and pensioners.

Exemption on levy of income tax on notional rent on a second self-occupied house is also now proposed. Currently, income tax on notional rent is payable if one has more than one

self-occupied house.

TDS threshold on interest earned on bank/post office deposits is being raised from Rs. 10,000 to Rs.40,000.

TDS threshold for deduction of tax on rent is proposed to be increased from Rs. 1,80,000 to Rs.2,40,000 for providing relief to small taxpayers.

The Finance Minister says that the Government wants the GST burden on home buyers to be reduced and accordingly the GST Council was moved to appoint a Group of Ministers to examine and make recommendations in this regard at the earliest.

Shri Goyal said that soon, businesses comprising over 90% of GST payers will be allowed to file quarterly return.

Inflation

The Finance Minister said that the Government has been successful in bringing down average inflation to 4.6% over last five years, which is lower than the inflation during the tenure of any other Government. In fact Inflation in December 2018 was down to 2.19% only. Shri Goyal said if we had not controlled inflation, our families would have been spending around 35-40% more today on basic necessities such as food, travel, consumer durables, housing etc. The average rate of inflation during previous five years 2009-2014 was a backbreaking 10.1%, he pointed out.

Fiscal Deficit

The fiscal deficit has been brought down to 3.4% in 2018-19 RE from the high of almost 6% seven years ago, the Finance Minister mentioned. He said, the Current Account Deficit (CAD), against a high of 5.6% six years ago, is likely to be only 2.5% of GDP this year. "We contained the fiscal deficit notwithstanding the Finance Commission's recommendations increasing the share of the States from 32% to 42% in central taxes, which we accepted in the true spirit of cooperative federalism, thereby transferring significantly higher amounts to the States", Shri Goyal said.

Growth and FDI

The Finance Minister Shri Piyush Goyal stated that a stage for high growth in decades to come, has now been set, after a wave of next generation path breaking structural reforms over the last five years, including introduction of Goods and Services Tax (GST) and other taxation reforms.

The country witnessed its best phase of macro-economic stability during the last five years. "We are the fastest growing major economy in the world with an annual average GDP growth during last five years higher than the growth achieved by any Government since economic reforms began in 1991. From being the 11th largest economy in the world in 2013-14, we are today the 6th largest in the world", the Finance Minister asserted in his Opening Remarks of his Budget speech.

Shri Goyal said that due to such a stable and predictable regulatory regime, growing economy and strong fundamentals, India could attract massive amount of as much as \$239 billion of Foreign Direct Investment (FDI) during the last

5 years, when most of the FDI was allowed to come in through the automatic route.

Enhanced allocations for major Schemes

Announcing an allocation of Rs.60,000 crores for MGNREGA for Budget Estimates 2019-20, the Finance Minister said that additional allocations will be made, if required.

Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojana (PMGSY) is being allocated Rs.19,000 crore in BE 2019-20 as against Rs.15,500 crore in RE 2018-19. During the period 2014-18, a total number of 1.53 crore houses have been built under the Pradhan Mantri Awas Yojana, he announced.

By March, 2019, all households will be provided with electricity connection. Till now, 143 crore LED bulbs have been provided in a mission mode which has resulted in saving of Rs.50,000 crore for the poor and middle class.

He said through the world's largest health-care programme, Ayushman Bharat, to provide medical treatment to nearly 50 crore people in the country, around 10 lakh patients have already benefited through free treatment for medical treatment which would have otherwise cost them Rs. 3,000 crore. Lakhs of poor and middle class people are also benefiting from reduction in the prices of essential medicines, cardiac stents and knee implants, and availability of medicines at affordable prices through Pradhan Mantri Jan



Neelu Singh, CEO & Director, Ezeego

The interim budget highlights the government's proposition to further enhance the infrastructure of roads, railways, airports, urban transport and inland waterways which will bring new and unexplored destinations on the tourists map as well as enhance the overall travel experience. A vision for a Clean India with enhanced regional connectivity will be a great leap for Indian states promoting existing as well as new tourism products.

Aushadhi Kendras, the Finance Minister added.

Shri Goyal also said that 14 of the 21 AIIMS operating or being established in the country presently have been announced since 2014. He also announced setting up of a new - the 22nd AIIMS in Haryana.

Allocation for Integrated Child Development Scheme (ICDS) is being increased from Rs.23,357 crore in RE 2018-19 to Rs.27,584 crore in BE 2019-20.

A substantial increase is proposed in the allocation for welfare of the Scheduled Castes and Scheduled Tribes. The allocation of Rs.56,619 crore made in BE of 2018-19 for Scheduled Caste, further increased to Rs.62,474 crore in RE is proposed to be enhanced to Rs.76,801 crore in BE for 2019-20, an increase of 35.6% over BE of 2018-19. For the Scheduled Tribes also, proposed allocation in 2019-20 BE is Rs.50,086 crore as against Rs.39,135 crore in BE 2018-19, an increase of 28%.

The Finance Minister said that a Welfare Development Board to frame special strategies for the benefit of the hard-to-reach De-notified, Nomadic and Semi-Nomadic communities will be set up under the Ministry of Social Justice and Empowerment. He said that a Committee under NITI Aayog will also be set up to complete the task of identifying De-notified, Nomadic and Semi-Nomadic communities not yet formally classified.

Shri Goyal said under the Ujjwala Yojana aiming delivery of 8 crore free LPG connections, more than 6 crore connections have already been given and the remaining will get free gas connections by next year.

The Finance Minister announced that a National Artificial Intelligence Portal will also be developed soon as a part of the National Programme on 'Artificial Intelligence'.

The Department of Industrial Policy and Promotion will now be renamed as the Department for Promotion of Industries and Internal Trade.

The Finance Minister stated that the Government e-Marketplace (GeM), created by the present Government two years ago, resulted in average savings of 25-28% and the platform will now be extended to all CPSEs. Transactions of

over Rs. 17,500 crore have taken place so far.

The Finance Minister announced that for the first time, the country's Defence Budget will be of over Rs.3 lakh crore.

The Finance Minister, Shri Piyush Goyal pointed-out that domestic air traffic passengers have doubled during the last five years, leading to large number of jobs also being created. The number of operational airports has crossed 100 with the commissioning of the Pakyong airport in Sikkim. Arunachal Pradesh came on the air map recently and Meghalaya, Tripura and Mizoram have come on India's rail map for the first time.

Capital support from the budget for Indian Railways is proposed at Rs.64,587 crore in 2019-20 (BE). The Railways' overall capital expenditure programme is of Rs. 1,58,658 crore. The Finance Minister, who is also holding the portfolio of Railway Ministry, announced that the Operating Ratio is expected to improve from 98.4% in 2017-18 to 96.2% in 2018-19 (RE) and further to 95% in 2019-20 (BE).

India's installed solar generation capacity has grown over ten times in last five years. Stating this, Shri Goyal said that "our commitment to promote renewable energy is reflected in setting up the International Solar Alliance, the first treaty based international inter-governmental organisation headquartered in India. This sector is now creating lakhs of new age jobs, he added.

The Finance Minister announced that in Entertainment industry, which is a major employment generator, regulatory provisions will now rely more on self-declarations. To promote entertainment industry, the Single window clearance for ease of shooting films, now available only to foreigners, will also be made available to Indian filmmakers. "We will also introduce anti-camcording provisions in the Cinematograph Act to control the menace of piracy", he said.

Saying that "We are poised to become a Five Trillion Dollar Economy in the next five years and aspire to become a Ten Trillion Dollar Economy in the next 8 years thereafter", Shri Piyush Goyal said that there has been a Growth of 18% in Direct Tax Collections in 2017-18 and increase in tax base by as many as 1.06



Sandip Somany, President, FICCI

It is a progressive budget that addresses both the current challenges being faced by the economy as well as presents an outline of the vision the government has for the future of India ten years ahead. FICCI compliments the Government for its clear focus on the agriculture sector, particularly the small and marginal farmers, the middle class, senior citizens, small-savers and workers in the unorganised sector. The budget contains several comprehensive proposals that would benefit each of these sections of our society and this is in line with government's philosophy of 'sabka saath, sabka vikas'.

FICCI had suggested the need for Direct Income Support for farmers and is happy to see its inclusion in the budget. This is critical as through this measure the government will be able to cover all the small and marginal farmers as compared to the MSP scheme which benefits just about 30% of such farmers. By also committing funds upfront from the central pool, any resistance from states will be avoided.

This very well complements the support rendered to them through the healthcare and life insurance schemes already announced earlier and completes the social safety net which is so essential for crores of workers in the informal sector. Through this scheme the government has pushed the financial inclusion agenda forward and underlined its commitment to promote the welfare of those who need it the most.

The above, we feel, would improve demand in the economy and support investments going ahead. We see a positive momentum building for the housing and real estate sector which has major forward and backward linkages. All of these are positive for growth, will have a multiplier impact and improve the outlook for the economy in the coming years.

Ritesh Agarwal, Founder & Group CEO, OYO Hotels & Homes

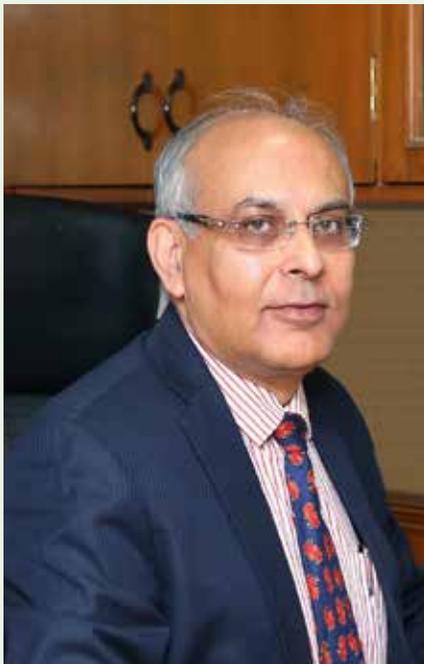
This is the Budget for a New India. The honorable interim FM has meticulously balanced priorities of various sections of our society and delivered on his government's vision of 'Sabka Saath, Sabka Vikas'. This Budget makes a strong promise to the people to India, which I hope will be backed by an equally strong delivery, especially in the areas of job creation and addressing the skill-talent gap. The announced tax breaks, together with low average inflation, are likely to spur domestic demand and spending, and inject liquidity in the market. This is great news for sectors such as hospitality and travel.

The announcements on bridging the digital divide and improving efficiency through technology are also welcome. I am excited about India's Vision 2030 and believe that it will empower more young entrepreneurs to set off on their entrepreneurial journeys.



Sanjeev K Nayar, General Manager, WelcomHeritage

Definitely it is an expansionary budget, which will give leverage to consumers to spend their money. The increase in the tax exemptions means that now consumer have more money to spend so demand for few products will increase and we hope that travel and tourism be one of the beneficiaries. Also the government has given special priority to build next-gen infrastructure and improve the rural connectivity with an outlay of Rs 190 billion. This will boost Travel & Tourism industry as new destinations (rural or semi rural) will make their way to travellers. This will also open new avenues for business as well as hospitality players to expand their horizons and contribute in the overall growth. However, the industry expects some rationalisation in the GST bracket.



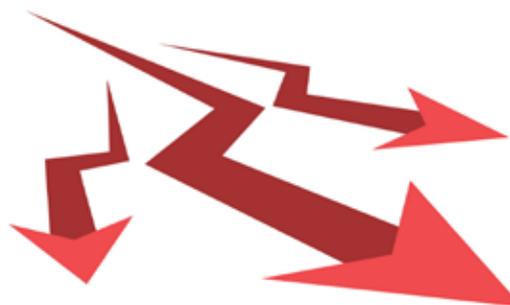
crore people filing income tax returns for the first time in FY 2017-18, mainly on account of demonetization.

Shri Goyal said that he is proposing, through the Finance Bill, necessary amendments to levy Stamp duties on one instrument relating to one transaction and get collected at one place through the Stock Exchanges. The duty so collected will be shared with the State Governments seamlessly on the basis of domicile of buying client, he said.

In all the total expenditure is to increase from Rs.24,57,235 crore in 2018-19 RE to Rs.27,84,200 crore in 2019-20 BE. A rise of Rs.3,26,965 crore or approximately 13.30%. This reflects a high increase considering low inflation. The fiscal deficit of year 2019-20 is estimated to be 3.4% of GDP.

The Finance Minister pointed out that after completion of the fiscal deficit consolidation

programme, the Government would now focus on Debt consolidation. He said “We have maintained the glide path towards our target of 3% of fiscal deficit to be achieved by 2020-21. India’s Debt to GDP ratio was 46.5% in year 2017-18. The FRBM Act prescribes that the Debt to GDP ratio of the Government of India should be brought down to 40% by 2024-25. “Along with completion of the fiscal deficit consolidation programme, we will now focus on Debt consolidation”, he added.



Guarav Dewan, COO and Business Head Travel Food Services (TFS)

2018 has been a good year with the implementation of GST across sectors ultimately benefitting the end users. We expect the upcoming budget to be continuing the focus on infrastructure development and policies to be continuing to drive change in the sector. Schemes like Udaan and Bharatmala have really started to take off and we are already seeing some positive results. These initiatives have started the engine and will greatly benefit the economy and will continue to fuel the growth for the travel retail and allied sectors. We hope that along with highway development, the focus will also include enhancing the overall passenger experience for Indian Railway traveller. Master concession models for airports have been a game changer, a similar framework is expected to positively impact Indian Railways and help transform the passenger experience. We are also looking forward to re-introduction of input tax credit for F&B industry, to the extent wherever the industry is paying higher taxes than 5%.



Mahesh Iyer, ED and CEO, Thomas Cook (India) Limited

While the Interim Union Budget 2019 has seen no direct mention of the travel and tourism sector, focus on tax breaks for the Middle Class (including doubling of income-tax exemption to Rs 5 Lakhs, raising of the threshold on bank fixed deposit interest to Rs 40, 000, etc.), will result in increased disposable income and a cascading boost to consumption-offering the sector an opportunity for increased travel & tourism spends.

Oceans and coastlines formed the sixth dimension of the Government’s Vision for 2030 leveraging the strength of blue economy and sagar mala, and this augurs well for India’s Cruise Tourism both ocean and river waterways. Impetus to associated industries including the Indian Railways with a budget outlay of Rs. 1, 48, 650 cr., a specific focus on untapped sister states Meghalaya and Tripura, along with 19,000 cr. Allocation to roadways under PMGSY (Pradhan Mantri Gram Sadak Yojna) will see enhanced access and connectivity bringing newer tourism destinations on the radar, especially in Tier II and III regions. With a key focus on the overall development of roads, railways and seaports as part of the vision to make India a \$10 trillion economy over the next decade, inbound and domestic tourism is expected to see cascading impact.

The endeavour to lead the world in transport and modern technology through electric vehicles and energy storage devices in India by 2030, will aid in generating cleaner air, and a healthier environment for denizens as well as inbound travellers.



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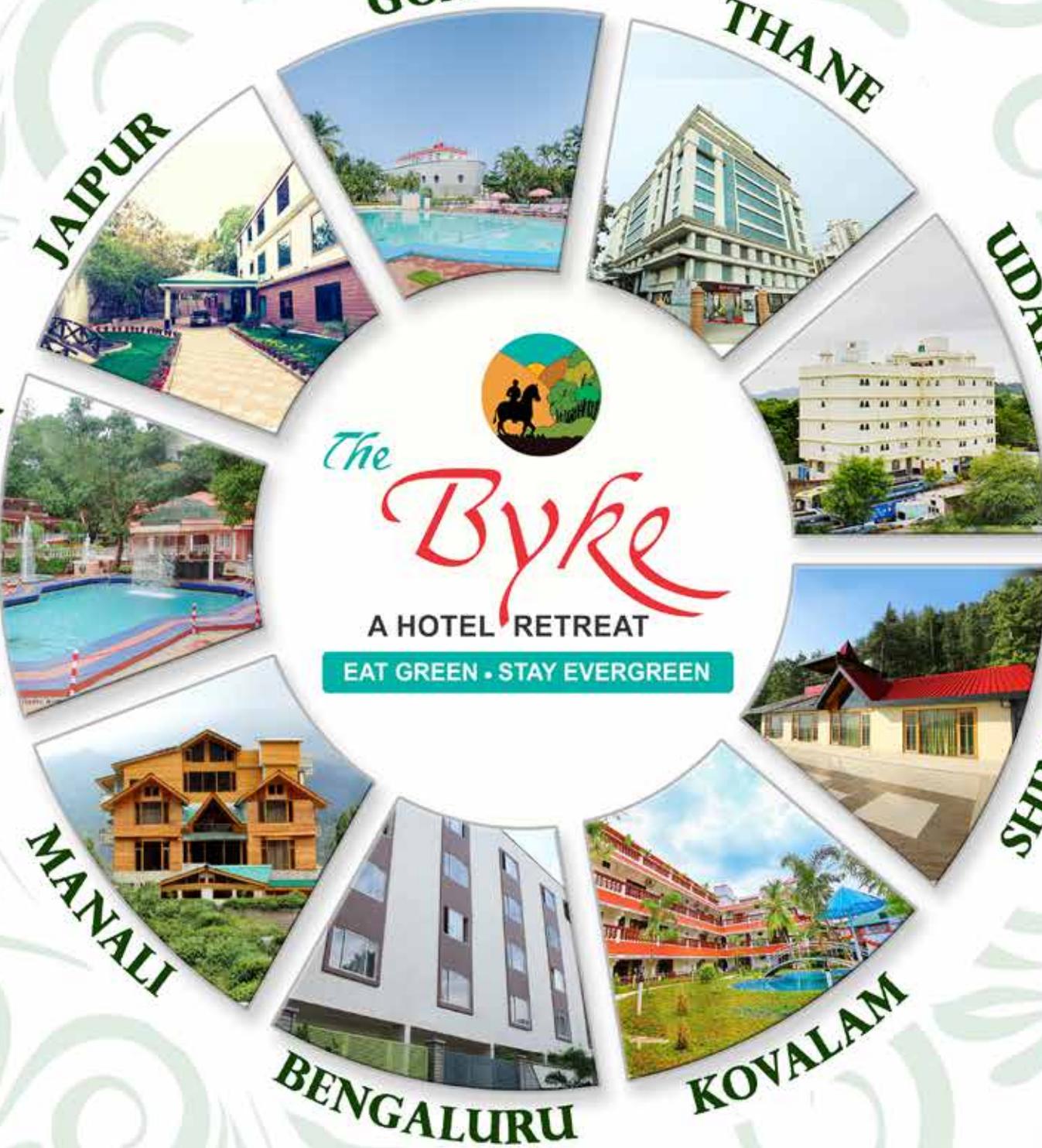
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Time's up. A new era. The great reckoning. Whatever you call it, or whichever hashtags you put on it, it's today. The time right now is about women. Here in conversation with T3FS Magazine, Jyoti Mayal, Director, New Airways Travel share about her three decades of experience being women in the travel industry.

• **Tarsh Sharma**

“A Woman is the full circle. Within her is the power to create, nurture & transform” – Jyoti Mayal



VS: More than a decade of dynamic professionalism.a longer journey to imbibe success and fame. To begin with, I would like you to enlighten us with your vocational trail that is truly archetypal for the world to look into.
JM: Education & upbringing in my mind has a great impact on your growing up & plays a very important role in life but it's not always about schools & colleges. Informal education & life is the greatest educator. I was a successful Interior & Furniture Designer before I joined the travel industry & my husband, Balbir Mayal at New Airways Travels. I have also done my B.ED. & Graduation from Delhi University & and Diploma in Travel & Tourism from Bombay. I joined my husband in a flourishing travel business & thus did not face any big challenges & was welcomed by the industry, it's now nearly 3 decades but learning is constant.

Q. What transitioning taught you about womanhood?

JM: I am proud to be a woman. I was the most pampered child in my family, thoroughly spoilt & could get away with anything. I was brought up in a close-knit highly educated family with lots of cousins of both genders all around & though I did my schooling from a convent, the gender difference was never a thought. Transition into

womanhood was adapted very easily as I grew.

Q. Life is a now a global competition to face on. How do you deal with the conditions you feel to be entangled in to?

JM: Life is beautiful & certainly has its challenges but there here are no drawbacks to being a woman, as a matter of fact being a woman you can get away with a lot. It is certainly beautiful to be a Woman. Woman for sure is a better organizer, better worker and can handle situations more effectively. We are used to multi-tasking & are thus better at any job we take up. I believe in having courage, integrity, humility and focus along with the ability to plan strategically and love to catalyze cooperation amongst my team, whom I always respect. I take up challenging tasks & am a persistent worker. My downside is I am a straight forward person & vocal about the same.

Q. Give some closing comment by advising and reflecting yourself to inspire other women's.

JM: I now have a vast experience of over 3 decades in Travel Tourism, Hospitality & the MICE Industry. I currently hold the position of Hon. Secretary-General of the Travel Agents Association of India. I have

great relationships in place with my members for me they are my extended family. I would do anything in my capacity to support them whenever needed. I have tried to educate our members & bring opportunities on the forefront for them. I have tried to make our connect & communication with the airlines, consulates, embassies & government stronger. I sincerely believe in giving back to the industry & society both from which I have gained so much. I also represent on various boards including the Ministry of Tourism & Aviation, Government of India & other Travel, Tourism & Hospitality bodies for different aspects of Travel, Tourism & Skill Development. Three years back I started Redhat Communications for events & exhibitions. I love meeting people & making new friends. Life is too short & we should be accumulating happiness.

I also strongly believe in supporting Woman & Girl Child which is my tag line for children's expo Jack & Jill I hold every year under Redhat Communications.

I personally have not had any bad experience in life I have been loved & respected by the industry. Life has given me many good friends, well-wishers & acquaintances.

An important aspect of being a woman – we need to be inspired by each other & our selves. We make

ourselves go weak; we show our weaknesses & at times also hide behind them. Inspiration comes in many forms, in many ways... when we least expect it and when we do. I think inspiration is all around us, we just have to be ready for it and see it when it's in front of us. We have to be open to being inspired and that comes back to our attitude, our level of gratitude and our belief in hope for ourselves and for those around us.

One point which I have always been emphasizing about is that more and more women should join the travel industry which in turn would make tourism and our country a safer place to move around in. We should encourage more women drivers, guides, police & in other hospitality & travel jobs. We should empower woman & let them make their own decisions

My most sincere advice to the young women who steps into the working atmosphere would be, Do not be intimidated or patronized by your superiors. No one is superior to you. You are answerable to yourself. Lead your life boldly with your head held high. Do not give in to any wrong demands. Have the courage to say NO and respect yourself & also teach yourself to walk out of any situation you do not want to be in. One door closes many more open.

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of life

You believe in taking risk or plan beforehand.
JM: Some of both

Your high points.
JM: My love of life ...laughter & happiness

Your low points.

JM: My straightforwardness

Favorite industry leader
JM: My Husband – Balbir Mayal (Worked selflessly for TAAI & the Industry)

Novel you are inspired with.
JM: Ayn Rand – The Fountainhead

A movie that motivates you.
JM: Gone with the Wind

How you spend your day on day off.
JM: Enjoying my husband & children's company (Balbir, Jahnvi & Montek) Reading & listening to music.

No Two Days are Ever the Same...

In an exclusive interview with T3FS, Kimberley Long, Head of Distribution, Hahn Air Lines GmbH shares about the inspirational journey of her life.

• **Tarsh Sharma**

“Be proud of being a woman but make sure you do your homework.” – By Kimberley Long

VS: To start with, I would like you to highlight your journey from ground zero to where you stand today.

KL: I came to Germany almost 30 years ago after finishing my studies in California. My first job was in a department store which was most beneficial because I was forced to speak the difficult language of German and put it into practice.

I must say, I’ve been quite lucky with meeting interesting people along the way who gave me opportunities and inspired me to try new jobs. Even if there was one that didn’t work out, I’ve taken something away from the experience. Entering the aviation field was certainly not a planned career step, but I wouldn’t change it for the world. I truly believe that my journey, including learning from my mistakes, has made me a better, stronger and wiser person equipped to achieve any goals I set for myself.

Joining Hahn Air was a great decision. Today, as Vice President Sales and Agency Distribution I oversee the departments: Global Account Management, Online Travel, Service Desk, Sales Support and Business Travel Management. I lead a team of 60 employees scattered across the world. No two days are ever the same...

VS: Being in the industry for so long, what comes beside and reside forever is the experience with distinguished people and the diverse culture they comes from. How difficult has it been for your survival as the trade industry is considered to be a male dominated one?

KL: Maybe my height has helped me. I can’t say that there have been any major distinctions between males and females in my career path. Of course, men and women often see things from a different perspective. I consider this to be healthy. What is generally needed is an underlying respect for each other. If there is no mutual respect, neither males nor females can reach their potential, which in return downgrades their common goal.

VS: What has transitioning taught you about womanhood?

KL: I am most grateful that my parents often allowed me to partake in social gatherings as a child. This allowed me to become comfortable interacting with others and expressing myself among adults early on in life. I love being a woman who is able to actively participate in so many facets of life.

VS: Life is now a global competition to face. How do you deal with the conditions you feel to be entangled in to?

KL: Working globally is one of the most exciting challenges. It not only forces you to come to terms with differences, but it also teaches you to become a better observer and listener, rather than being the person who’s doing all the talking. I don’t always have answers to all situations, however, I still very much enjoy learning, and coming to work each day. “Be proud of being a woman but make sure you do your homework.”

VS: What comes, and stays is the experience with diverse & distinguished people you meet and the organizational culture you get in. How do you foresee the changes that have brought recognition of women in Industries in recent times?

KL: Women need to be true to themselves, while finding a manageable means of applying their personal skill-set and professional achievements within a “predominantly male driven system” that has been around for hundreds of years. That means we also need to adapt.

Working at Hahn Air is truly a pleasure. In this environment we promote the employment



and advancement of multicultural, diverse women in all aspects of business to ensure equal opportunities. We have women working in IT, sales, product development and flight operations, including pilot positions. Even Hahn Air’s management team comprises of women.

VS: T3FS Magazine connects the dots between tourism, hospitality and lifestyle markets and hence the readers would love to hear a few words of encouragement and heartfelt messages that bring us together.

KL: The longer I am in the travel industry, the more I see the significance of these areas to one’s life. We all share the need to discover and enjoy everything life has to offer, and it’s wonderful to see a magazine that puts such an integral part of our lives into perspective.

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You believe in taking risk or plan beforehand.

KL: Plan beforehand – but be spontaneous.

Favourite industry leader.

KL: Richard Branson – If you don’t succeed try and try again.

Novel you are inspired with.
KL: The Power of Now – Eckhart Tolle

A movie that motivates you.
KL: 100 Foot Journey

How you spend your day on day off.
KL: Cooking & shopping

Book of Life

Sucheta Nagpal, Director, Travstarz share about the lesson and the milestones from the book of her life during an exclusive interview with T3FS.

• **Tarsh Sharma**

“Time is changing and our entire thought process is evolving” – By Sucheta Nagpal

VS: To start with, I would like you to highlight on your journey from ground zero to where you stand today.

SN: I completed my schooling from New Era Public School, New Delhi and graduated in BA (Honours) from Delhi University while pursuing a 2 Year Full Time program in Interior Designing & Architecture though I never pursued a career in designing. I started my first job in the Hospitality industry in 1999 with International Club Systems, a Holland based company specializing in designing loyalty programs around the world which were unheard of in India at that time. After spending few years there, I moved onto Visas and Immigration Industry and spent few years there reaching the level of Vice President of the company. I then moved to Travel and MICE Industry and handled major Corporate Relations successfully. Then in 2008 along with my husband I started Travstarz Global Group, a specialized B2B travel company in India and started offering Travel Services to travel Agents and Tour Operators. Initially, we started with Hong Kong as a destination and added

many more destinations along the way. We then started the Hotel and Air Consolidation business and finally Rezb2b, a CTRIP Subsidiary invested in us in 2018 and there has been no stopping since then in our growth.

VS: Every new chapter has erudition, lessons and milestones to write the book of life. Tell us about success story of yours.

SN: Well, hard work and success have always gone hand in hand and our case was no different. It was indeed a tough grind. Determination, perseverance and consistency have been our few keys to unlock success. The concept of a B2B company was still very new to India at that time but Outbound Travel was increasing at a fast pace and Travstarz bridged the gap. The company soon came to be known for its quality services and competitive pricing and grew rapidly to add various other destinations. Soon we got noticed by leading Hotel Chains of the World as one of the leading Wholesaler and Consolidator in India.

VS: How’s you feel working in a male-dominated industry. How do



you think you’d fare?

SN: Looking at the fact that travel industry is a male dominated industry never held me back. My work has always been independent of any such thing. Now even

women are actively participants of the industry.

Also, I think time is changing and our entire thought process is evolving.

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You believe in taking risk or plan before hand.

SN: I strongly believe in planning because I go by the quote that failing to plan is planning to fail.

Your high points.

SN: That surely has to be determination tied to my optimism

Your low points.

SN: I am very impulsive and that at times has gone against me in some situations.

Favorite industry leader.

SN: Its very difficult to pick one because the industry has a lot of stalwarts and each one has their own strengths
5. Novel you are inspired with.
The Alchemist by Paulo Coelho

A movie that motivates you.

SN: Zindagi Na Milegi Dobara...I strongly believe in fully living every moment as life is always unpredictable.

How you spend your day on day off.

SN: Mostly till the evening or afternoon its work but post that I make sure my kids and family are my only priority.



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ATOAI 14th Annual Convention

ATOAI (Adventure Tour Operators Association of India) came up with its 14th annual convention in Araku Valley, Andhra Pradesh from 17th to 20th January 2019!! The theme of the convention this year was - Indian Adventure: Future Challenges & Opportunities.

• Parul Malhotra





ATOAI emerged hot spots in the country to showcase its potential as an adventure tourism destination bringing in focus the newer and established adventure products and exposing it to the adventure travel fraternity at large and providing networking opportunities with the local stakeholders.

Hence by going to Araku Valley, Andhra Pradesh this year, ATOAI objective is to

showcase the potential of adventure tourism products the state has to offer.

Adventure travel is redefining travel. The niche has not only become mainstream but is now leading it. A sustainable, responsible, eco-friendly world is increasingly gravitating towards the offerings of this genre whose core is now being defined as, Being in a natural environment, Learnings and Meaningful Experiences. And what

the new adventure traveler is seeking is Transformation, Expanded Worldview, Nature & Discovery, Mental Health, Learning, Connections, Fun & Thrills, Physical Health, Unique Experiences and Meaningful Stories. These trends are becoming kind of a new movement and will have its implications on how travel business is going to be conducted in coming years, what will be its ethical underpinnings and how its will not be mere an activity but part of a personal journey and





growth. This worldwide movement is also having its effect on adventure travel in India. We have now twenty odd verticals from what earlier thought out to be a mere congregation of mountaineers, skiers, trekkers, campers, rafters and Jeep safari walas. Now from Scuba diving to paragliding, motor biking to sky diving, Kite surfing to River cruising, Angling to Bungee jumping, Caving to Birding, Adventure Parks to Nature retreats..... the list goes on.

Beyond the Himalaya, products are being created all across the length and breadth of the country. Every destination is curating and creating its own adventure products. Newer adventure products and newer regions offering adventure products are populating

the map. These are very interesting times for our industry. These new opportunities have its new set of challenges - Safety and sustainability, Skilled manpower and Right regulatory environment, Educating and developing the right perspective for the fraternity... To celebrate, highlight and deliberate on these new pathways and to give direction to what is increasingly becoming a new movement in travel, the adventure fraternity gathered at Araku Valley, Andhra Pradesh.

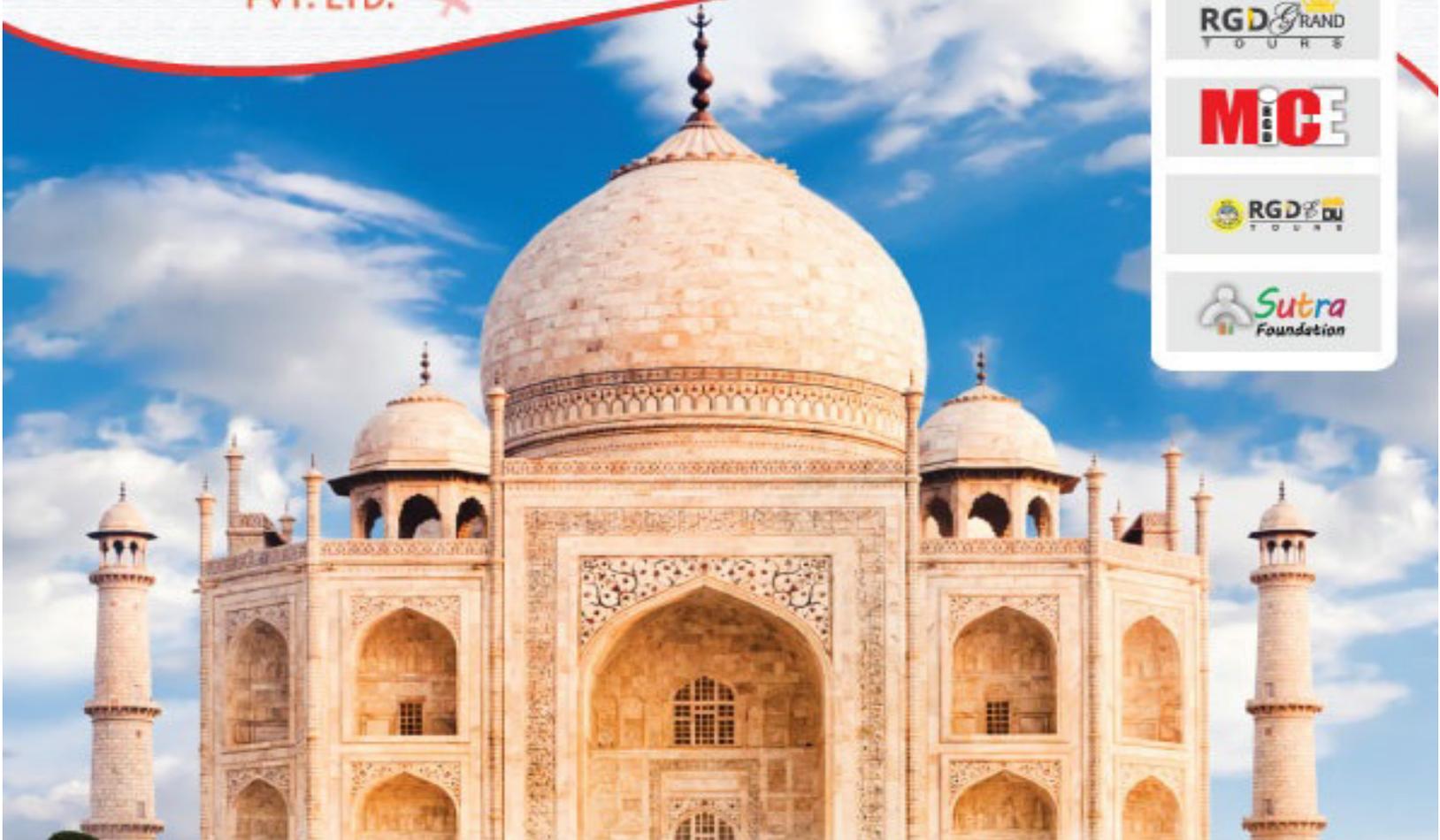
Home to amazing beaches, enchanting temples, and mesmerizing hill stations, there is no dearth for many explored gems in South India that portray the ancient traditions, and rich cultural heritage. And of all the

unexplored and untouched places, Araku Valley in the heart of Andhra Pradesh is undoubtedly a stunner. Yet to be explored to its fullest potential, Araku Valley is one of the most spectacular vacation spots in the state of Andhra Pradesh.

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Hahn Air: 20 Years of Operations

In an exclusive interview with T3FS, Nico Gormsen, General Manager and one of the two owners of Hahn Air share about the journey of twenty years of Hahn Air.

For those who are not familiar with Hahn Air, can you tell us a bit about the company?

In 1999 we started with a business idea: We wanted to give travel agents access to airlines that were not represented in the BSP of their market or that did not grant ticketing authority in their country. We did this by making flights of partner carriers available on our HR-169 ticket. We started with one market, Germany, one GDS and three interline partners. It was our many years of experience in the industry that helped us predict the success of our ticketing solution for airlines and travel agents. This year, we can look back at 20 successful years.

Today, we are the market leader providing global distribution solutions to more than 350 air, rail and shuttle partners thereby creating ticketing opportunities for over 100,000 travel agencies in 190 markets.

Even airlines that do not have a GDS presence as well as rail and shuttle companies can benefit from global distribution as well via our solutions. Through the H1-Air and 5W-Rail&Shuttle products, the services of our air, rail and shuttle partners can be issued on our HR-169 ticket. Thereby travel agents benefit from gaining access to carriers they normally would not be able to issue in their market. As a result, they can offer greater choices to their customers.

Hahn Air is an airline that specialises in ticketing solutions. What about your operational flight business?

We are proud to have two areas of business, flight operations and ticketing solutions. Operating a scheduled route is vital to our identity as an airline. It is a healthy business branch that is operated by our company with a passion. A team of 30 colleagues is responsible for our fleet of three business jets operating two scheduled flights in Europe and countless business executive charter assignments.

Especially during the last three years, we have gained a solid reputation as an executive charter carrier providing luxury charter services with an unparalleled level of service and personal attendance. We are proud to be the smallest IATA carrier with the highest security certification, the IATA Operational Safety Audit (IOSA). While ticketing over the years developed into our main business branch, flight operations is our true heritage. We could never do without it. All of us at Hahn Air live and breathe the aviation business.

20 years on, the company has evolved from a dynamic start up to the market leader in ticketing and distribution solutions. How did this happen?

That's an interesting question. We started our ticketing business with three people in one room. Today, we are 300 colleagues spread across 19 countries worldwide.

In the late 1990s, two businesses naturally found each other. On one hand there was the airline Hahn Air serving regional routes in Germany and on the other hand was Saspo, a tour operator and general sales agent office representing South American airlines in Germany. We understood the need of foreign airlines to sell their services in a market like



Germany. However, in order to do so, these airlines had to be members of the GDSs and BSPs. Through our innovative approach to ticketing, we enabled these airlines to sell their services in Germany by entering into interline agreements with Hahn Air.

As a result, travel agents were able to offer greater choices to their customers by selling our partners' flights on the HR-169 documents. When this worked successfully in Germany, we decided to take our global ticketing platform to the next level and to offer our services to travel agents worldwide.

Hahn Air was the first airline to introduce an automatic insolvency insurance that is included with the HR-169 tickets. Can you tell us more about this?



Nico Gormsen, General Manager, Hahn Air

In 2010, we introduced Securtix®. Today, we are still the only provider in the market to offer such a comprehensive level of insolvency-coverage. If any air, rail or shuttle service issued on an HR-169 ticket is cancelled due to the insolvency of the operating carrier, we guarantee travel agents that their clients' money is automatically protected without any extra cost. We vouch for a full refund of the unused part of the ticket, including taxes. Additionally, we guarantee that stranded passengers receive not only a reimbursement for the unused part of the ticket, but also the difference between the original and the new ticket value, up to € 125. We cover the costs of meals and hotel accommodation up to € 75 and other additional expenses like transfers and phone calls up to € 50. We just recently celebrated the 35 millionth insolvency-safe ticket being issued by a travel agency in Indonesia. To honour this occasion, we donated €3,500 to a local charity chosen by the agency.

What kind of support do you provide travel agents in India?

As for India, it is an important market for us. Back in 2002 we first built our roots in the market through our appointed Service Partner Bird Travels in New Delhi. As we saw the potential that the market held, we decided to establish our own office in New Delhi in 2013.

Overseen by our Vice President Sales and Agency Distribution, Kimberley Long, the office in New Delhi is operated by three dedicated Directors Global Account Management to develop the business and serve the travel agent community across the sub-continent. For marketing and sales support

and related activities, the three regional Global Account Directors are in charge of their respective regions: Northern & Eastern India is looked after by Sanjay Shrivastava, while Southern India is overseen by Bharat Kapoor. As for Western India, Zafar Shamsi is in charge.

To acknowledge the importance of the market, we also established a dedicated Service Desk for India. The 24/7 Service Desk can be reached by email at serviceindia@hahnair.com or on our toll-free number 1-800-1026-169.

Are you still confident about growth in the number of partners in your network?

Our network of partners continues to grow. In 2018 alone, we integrated 30 new carriers: 13 were new interline agreements, 16 were new H1-Air

partners and one was a new rail partner under 5W-Rail&Shuttle. As for 2019, we've already seen three new partners come on board.

We hope to continue seeing growing enthusiasm for our platform across the globe from carriers across the various business models. We remain committed to adding more partners to our network in order to offer our travel agency partners greater choices when serving millions of passengers worldwide. The strong growth we've seen since the launch of our global ticketing platform is a testament to the value our partners are experiencing.

What opportunities and challenges do you see ahead for the company?

The history of our company indicates that we have never shied away from venturing into the unknown. We are constantly looking for improvements to our business and for opportunities to invest in innovative technologies. This includes IATA's NDC and ONE Order which are great initiatives enabling airlines to make their complete product portfolio (and not only flights) easily accessible in any distribution channel. In turn travel agents will benefit from richer content and real-time offers which are tailored to their customers' needs.

Hahn Air has also successfully developed its HR-EMD product which allows travel agents today to purchase airlines' ancillary services through GDSs. And of course, it is one of Hahn Air's priorities that this will be possible in a future NDC environment, too!

How are you celebrating your 20th

anniversary?

As 2019 is a special year for us, we have planned a series of activities and initiatives to celebrate this milestone event. All information about this are available on a dedicated page on our website www.hahnair.com/anniversary.

The page includes a map of events and activities taking place around the world. We are especially proud to have received hundreds of congratulatory messages from travel agents and partners and we are sharing them on our "Wall of Friends". It's great to see what a difference our solutions are making for travel agencies and airlines around the world! Besides that, there are competitions where travel agents can win attractive prizes, for example, a trip for two to one of the seven birthday parties that will be held in exciting locations across four continents. We are also providing a special inside look into our company history where 20 colleagues are telling our company's story by sharing 20 memories from the past 20 years.

In addition, we will sponsor various industry events. And finally, we will be publishing new brochures for travel agents about the benefits of working with Hahn Air as well as a history brochure with inside stories and memories of colleagues.

On a personal level, what has been the biggest accomplishments you have had with Hahn Air and where do you see the company in the next 20 years.

Co-founding Hahn Air and developing its business has really been a labour of love and an amazing journey for me. Seeing it grow to today's size has been one of my greatest achievements. But our success would not have been possible with just a unique business idea; it's all about the people who shaped our company history. We have a tremendous team in place; their passion for our company is truly inspiring and the level of dedication raises confidence in our partners that they are in good hands. We could not have done it without them.

Something I am also very proud of is the establishment of the Hahn Air Foundation which was founded in 2012. It provides financial support to 19 social projects worldwide. We help women and children to find a way out of poverty, and to lead a free, healthy and self-determined life. Our projects support, for example, the development of health facilities, nurseries and social institutions. In fact, in India, we support Navajeevan ("New Life") which is an aid project for street children in Vijayawada.

In 20 years, we see ourselves where we are today, right next to our partners, ensuring that they benefit from our ticketing and distribution solutions and reap the best possible business results. I'd say we are ready for the next 20 years!

Cathay Pacific opens The Sanctuary by Pure Yoga

A visit to Cathay Pacific's Business Class lounge at The Pier in Hong Kong has just become even more beneficial for mind, body and soul following the opening of The Sanctuary by Pure Yoga.

Designed in partnership with The Pure Group, The Sanctuary by Pure Yoga is a 700 square-foot area divided into two zones – The Body Sanctuary, which is dedicated to yoga, and The Mind Sanctuary, where travellers can meditate to focus and calm the mind.

Cathay Pacific Regional General Manager – South Asia, Middle East and Africa, Mark Sutch said: "India is considered as the world's spiritual healing centre offering life-altering wellness practices through Yoga,

meditation and more. We are delighted to introduce amenities combined with comfort, relaxation and wellness to our customers from across the globe and especially India, the birthplace of Yoga. A long journey can be exhaustive and affect one's physical and mental health. The Sanctuary provides the required environment, equipment and facilities for Cathay Pacific travellers to indulge in a relaxing experience combined with health benefits, just before or in between their flights. Last year, we introduced 'Travel Well with Yoga' - an inflight video series and now our customers in the lounge can also avail this benefit."



SBI Card and Etihad Airways Co-Branded Card



SBI Card, one of India's largest credit card issuers, and Etihad Guest, the loyalty programme of Etihad Air-

ways, hosted an exclusive evening at Hotel Taj Palace in New Delhi to celebrate the launch of their first international co-brand partnership.

The evening gala showcased a world of benefits with Etihad Airways and SBI Card unveiling the unique travel specific Visa credit card available in two variants - Etihad Guest SBI Card and Etihad Guest SBI Premier Card - for upwardly mobile and discerning guests and travellers.

The card was launched by frequent traveller and Bollywood actress Shilpa Shetty and the event was attended by world travel-

lers, business leaders, leading socialites and travel and lifestyle media.

Talking about her regular travel and how the new co-branded card is the ideal way to improve the experience, Ms. Shetty said: "As a frequent traveller it's reassuring to have the comfort and extra benefits the Etihad Guest SBI Card provides, allowing me to avail special perks like priority check-in and lounge access so I can relax and enjoy my entire journey. It's a definite game changer for me, especially when I have to fly so much and I love the freedom of being able to use the miles all over the world."

SpiceJet awarded 36 new sectors under UDAN III

SpiceJet awarded 36 new sectors under the third round of bidding for the Government of India's UDAN Scheme.

Out of these 36, 02 will cater to the unserved markets of Ghazipur and Jharsuguda whereas 09 will be for underserved markets of Adampur, Agra, Belagavi, Bhavnagar, Durgapur, Gwalior, Kishangarh, Pantnagar, and Tanjore.

SpiceJet is India's largest and most organized regional player operating a fleet of 46 Boeing MAX and NG aircraft and 27 Bombardier Q400 planes. The airline had placed an order for 50, 90-seater Q400s in 2017 of

which five have already been inducted last year.

Last year, SpiceJet was awarded 20 sectors under the second round of bidding for UDAN. Out of these 20, 15 catered to unserved markets of Kannur (Kerala), Darbhanga (Bihar), Ozar (Nashik), Pakyong (Sikkim), Kishangarh (Rajasthan), Lilabari (Assam), Thanjavur (Tamil Nadu), Bokaro (Jharkhand) and Solapur (Maharashtra) whereas five were for underserved markets like Jaisalmer (Rajasthan).

In 2017, SpiceJet was awarded six proposals under the first phase of the UDAN scheme and was the only participating airline that did

not seek viable gap funding from the government. SpiceJet has launched operations on all the awarded UDAN I routes.

With the recent addition of the Kolkata-Lilabari-Kolkata flight, SpiceJet now operates 23 flights under UDAN on the routes of Delhi-Kishangarh-Delhi, Kolkata-Pakyong-Kolkata, Guwahati-Pakyong-Guwahati, Mumbai-Porbandar, Mumbai-Kandla-Mumbai, Hyderabad-Puducherry-Hyderabad, Jaipur-Jaisalmer-Jaipur, Delhi-Adampur-Delhi, Ahmedabad-Jaisalmer-Ahmedabad, Surat-Jaisalmer-Surat and Delhi-Kanpur-Delhi.

Ajay Singh, Chairman and Managing Director, SpiceJet

UDAN has been a fabulously successful scheme which has provided unprecedented air connectivity and all credit for this goes to the present government. We have been the most enthusiastic supporter of this great initiative from the very beginning and we look forward to operating on the routes that we have been allotted.



InterGlobe Aviation Ltd. and BIAL ink deal to build MRO

InterGlobe Aviation Ltd., which operates India's leading domestic carrier – IndiGo – and Bangalore International Airport Limited (BIAL) – operator of Kempegowda International Airport, Bengaluru

(KIAB) – have entered into a 20-year agreement to sub-lease land at the BLR Airport to build a state-of-the-art Maintenance Repair & Overhaul (MRO) facility. The 13,000-sq mts hangar, to be built on five acres in the BLR

Airport campus, would be able to accommodate two narrow body aircraft and will have support infrastructure, including an engine QEC shop warehouse and engineering offices for all repair and maintenance.



Wolfgang Prock-Schauer, Chief Operating Officer, IndiGo

Kempegowda International Airport, Bengaluru (KIAB), with its strategic location, will play an even more important role going forward. It is for this reason that IndiGo decided to build a hangar as the core of our maintenance centre in South. This facility will become operational by 2020.

Hari Marar, MD & CEO, BIAL

At BIAL, we believe that we must always offer a comprehensive bouquet of services that will facilitate the growth of our airline partners. IndiGo has been one of the fastest growing carriers at the BLR Airport. The outcome of this agreement will create more connectivity and open new markets – further enhancing its growth. We look forward to a fruitful partnership with IndiGo.



UDAN 3.0

The union Minister for Civil Aviation and Commerce Shri Suresh Prabhu announced the results of UdeDeshKaAamNaagrik (UDAN) Scheme. Shri Prabhu also handed over the letters of award to successful Airlines.

UDAN Round 3

The Minister said, following two successful rounds of bidding, the Ministry of Civil Aviation launched the largest bidding round under the highly successful UDAN Scheme, also integrating a number of iconic tourism sites in coordination with the Ministry of Tourism. Key Features of UDAN 3 included:

1. Inclusion of Tourism Routes under UDAN 3 in coordination with the Ministry of Tourism
2. Inclusion of Seaplanes for connecting Water Aerodromes, and
3. Bringing in a number of routes in the North-East Region under the ambit of UDAN

Process of bidding

AAI invited interested bidders/airline operators to submit their Initial Proposals under the provisions of UDAN 3 on 2nd November 2018 followed by a meeting with various potential bidders on 6th November 2018. The deadline for submitting the Initial Proposals was 18th Decem-



ber 2018.

AAI subsequently invited interested bidders to submit counter proposals against various Initial Proposals from 19th December 2018 onwards. The last date for submission of Counter Proposals was 28th December 2018. This was followed by the opening and scrutiny of technical bids, and financial bids, for Initial Proposals as well as Counter Proposals.

Enthusiastic response from the industry Shri R. N. Choubet, Secretary, Ministry of Civil Aviation (MoCA) told the gathering that the response received from the operators is very encouraging. Airports Authority of India (AAI), the implementing agency of UDAN, received 111 Initial Proposals and 17 Counter Proposals from 15 bidders covering more than 350 UDAN Routes. "Proposals connecting 13 Water Aerodromes and more than 40 tourism routes were also received as part of the bidding process", he said.

Elaborating further, Shri Choubey said, after detailed validation, 73 proposals have now been identified for the purpose of award having:

- Airports to be connected: Currently 16 unserved airports, 17 underserved airports, 6 water aerodromes and 50 served airports (for a total of 89 airports) would be connected based on the proposals identified for award.
- Geographical spread: There is a good geographical spread in the proposals: 235 routes comprising 189 RCS Routes and 46 Tourism Routes would be connected across 29 states in the country.
- Enhanced Connectivity: The proposals identified to be awarded would add another 69.30 lakh seats annually across the RCS Routes with more than 1 lakh annual seats through seaplanes and more than 15 lakh annual seats on tourism routes. This is in addition to the number of seats created under UDAN 1 (13 lakh) and UDAN 2 (29 lakh).

Effective implementation

To ensure effective implementation of the Scheme and quick commencement of operations once the bidding process is over, MoCA and AAI, in parallel, are also coordinating with the Ministry of Tourism, Ministry of Defence and the State Governments for various facilitating actions.

Progress of UDAN 1 and UDAN 2

The success of UDAN 3 has come on the back of strong performance of UDAN 1 and UDAN 2. The connectivity proposed under UDAN 1 has commenced and is stable.

Discover the Romance with the Great Hospitality

Valentine's Day is around the corner, which means showering your significant other with love and heart-shaped gifts.

• **Tarsh Sharma**

Valentine's Day is the ultimate day of love and the perfect opportunity to showcase your love and appreciation towards your significant other. Regardless of what you have planned on this special day, it

is almost guaranteed that your plans include a romantic dinner consisting of delicious food and wine.

For hoteliers, it means the perfect opportunity to target new guests. Holidays are a stress-

ful and busy time for travel shoppers. With the just the right amount of incentive and irresistible offers, your hotel can be their number one choice this season.

Here are the hotels for you to select.



Grand Resort Bad Ragaz

If flowers and chocolate seem a little passé as a Valentine's Day gift this year, guests might find what they are looking for at the Grand Resort Bad Ragaz: The famous five-star resort in Eastern Switzerland offers possibly the most exclusive Valentine's surprise in the whole country. You will not only spend the night in the luxurious Penthouse Suite on Valentine's Day, you will also enjoy a VIP treatment with their valentine in the award-winning Thermal Spa.

The Valentine's evening starts at home, as the Grand Resort Bad Ragaz limousine picks up the enamoured couple from their own doorstep to chauffeur them to the picturesque Sarganserland region. Along-

side a personal butler, the Head Chef of acasa Catering, Sandro Steingruber, will be on hand for the couple in the tastefully decorated Helena pool. His 8-course dinner will guarantee culinary highlights throughout the evening. Between courses, the team at the thermal spa will pamper their guests with a soothing Gold massage. The evening will draw to a romantic close in the luxurious Penthouse Suite. As a souvenir of this special Valentine's Day, the happy couple will receive a personalized poem a few days after their stay. This will be written by a professional face reader, who will draw inspiration from a photograph of the lovebirds taken on Valentine's Day itself.



Address Dubai Mall

With nearly 97 per cent of Dubai's tourists visiting The Dubai Mall, it is no surprise it has earned the title of the world's most visited destination. Visitors to the mall, located in the heart of Downtown Dubai, the iconic mega-development featuring attractions such as Burj Khalifa and The Dubai Fountain, have an unbeatable hospitality experience awaiting them at Address Dubai Mall.

Linked directly to the mall's famed Fashion Avenue, Address Dubai Mall now welcomes visitors in a new look and sparkle. Emaar Hospitality Group, the hospitality

and leisure business of global developer Emaar Properties, has boldly reimagined the hotel, an exceptional and exclusive city shopping retreat in The Dubai Mall.

The rooms take on an inspiring new look and feel with lavish furnishings. Private balconies open to mesmeric views of Burj Khalifa and The Dubai Fountain.

Karat, the lobby lounge, is fresher and sophisticated, and serves contemporary and modern Arabic culinary delights. Cez is where you can retreat for a sumptuous lunch. The Café serves luscious lattes to ice-cold frappés. Opening soon is the

Club Lounge, exclusively reserved for guests of Club Rooms and Suites. Address Dubai Mall is also home to one of the largest open-air lap pools in Downtown Dubai, its allure enhanced by the exotic pool-side restaurant, Cabana, which will welcome guests shortly.



Banyan Tree Samui

Overlooking the azure waters of the Gulf of Thailand, Banyan Tree Samui is nestled amidst the lush jungles of a private bay in Lamai. Choose to unwind in your pool villa, amuse your palette with delectable cuisine, partake in a range of recreational activities, delight your senses in blissful spa treatments or soak away your worries in The Rainforest, our hydrotherapy wellness facility. From couples, families or groups to comfort-seekers or adventure-seekers, tropical splendour awaits at Banyan Tree Samui.

Experience a sanctuary where nature and culture combine to create lasting memories from your tropical getaway in the Land of Smiles.

Create exciting memories to embrace love in any occasion at the tropical hideaway-

1. **SENSE OF ROMANCE**-Embrace love in the tropics. Get a sense of romance in Samui, as you enjoy time with your special someone. Indulge in a romantic getaway rejoicing in the midst of serenity and tranquility. Retreat into the intimacy of your villa sanctuary with your loved one and let love blossom.
2. **Intimate Proposal at Banyan Tree Samui**-Create once-in-a-lifetime moment in an unforgettable setting. Make your beloved feel the sense of love with a truly enduring proposal in Thailand creating magical and

unforgettable moments together overlooking the Gulf of Thailand.

3. **Let the love bloom in your own private pool villa with floating breakfast:** Soak in the first rays of the day over the Gulf of Thailand as one enjoys an early-morning dip in the privacy of the pool villa while delighting in a unique in-villa floating breakfast experience. A lavish floating breakfast in your own private pool villa with unobstructed, unbelievable views of the turquoise blue ocean.
4. **Romantic Destination Dining**-Embark on a culinary journey with your special someone around the resort. Banyan Tree Samui offers the following destination dining experiences to embrace love in tropics accented with romantic touches, an expansive view of the Gulf of Thailand and a star-filled sky above with mesmerizing moments to remember forever.
5. **Extravagant Sense of the Sea**-Create your own perfect day in paradise onboarding the Sense of the Sea, the private luxury speedboat of Banyan Tree Samui for an extraordinary marine excursion. Dive in and explore the diverse marine ecosystem or relax and take in the scenic vistas as one delight in a remarkably amazing experience amidst the coastal beauty of the Gulf of Thailand.

6. **Couples' Spa Treatment**-Surrounded by lush greenery, the spa at Banyan Tree Samui promises a relaxing wellness experience for any kind of traveller. Pamper yourself and your loved one with a tailor-made spa treatment to rejuvenate the senses. A journey combined with utmost luxury and comfort ensuring a memorable holiday experience!



Mandarin Oriental, Munich

Mandarin Oriental, Munich has launched a romantic accommodation package for lovers in February. Guests who book the Luxurious Valentine's offer will experience a romantic getaway filled with treats, an intimate dinner for two, and a romantic bathing experience.

Upon arrival at the hotel, guests will be welcomed with a delicious surprise from the hotel's patisserie, and can enjoy a romantic in-suite bathing experience, prepared by the hotel's

bath butler. A six-course omakase menu for two at Matsuhisa, Munich, including a Valentine's champagne cocktail, rose for the lady, and chocolate-covered strawberries, is the perfect way to complete this special evening.

The Luxurious Valentine's package includes:

- Overnight stay in a luxurious suite
- Full daily breakfast for two in the hotel restaurant or in-suite
- Signature Valentine's welcome amenity on

arrival

- Exclusive 6-course omakase menu at Matsuhisa, Munich including a champagne cocktail, a rose for the lady, and chocolate-covered strawberries
- A romantic bath, prepared and decorated by the hotel's bath butler

The package is available between 8 and 15 February, subject to availability, and rates are based on two people sharing for a minimum two-night stay.





Mandarina Colombo



Discover true luxury at Mandarina Colombo, set in the heart of the bustling business capital amidst irresistible vistas of the Indian Ocean. A refreshing escape

for both business and leisure, Colombo city hotel combines sleek contemporary comforts of plush accommodation, fine dining and warm hospitality.

The epitome of elegance, Mandarina Colombo presents a combination of convenience and sleek modern luxury.



Mgallery

MGallery is thrilled to unveil its new wellbeing strategy. Offered across the 26 countries where the boutique properties are located, it will embrace the brand's conviction that wellbeing is a holistic experience aiming at igniting each guest's inner spark.

Fall in love with taking care of yourself Committed to considering the needs of its guests, the enchanting MGallery brand unveils the steps to igniting guests' inner spark through a 360° experience beyond spa and series of sensorial rituals.

Essential to fostering energy, beauty and balance, MGallery's unique approach to wellbeing starts with addressing guests' lifestyle, with the properties allowing individuals to discover a spectrum of wellbeing initiatives throughout their stay. Guests can for example take care of themselves through the array of bespoke beauty partners curated by the hotel, enjoy a signature treatment linked to the hotel's story, attend a fitness class in an unexpected area of the hotel or even write a letter to themselves capturing their commitments from their stay.

As Vice President Global Marketing for MGallery, Yohan Amiot says: "At MGallery, we believe that wellbeing is a complete experience, focused on self-care. Our art of welcoming is about helping guests ignite their inner spark. This is the reason why our new strategy focuses on the core elements of wellbeing, providing experiences that nourish the mind, body and soul to allow our guests becoming their most authentic version of themselves."

This wellbeing holistic experience will be

implemented across the 26 countries where the boutique properties are located, among which Hotel Paris Bastille Boutet in France, INK Hotel Amsterdam in The Netherlands, Hotel des Arts Saigon in Vietnam and Hotel Muse Bangkok Langsuan in Thailand, to name a few. Some programs and markers will be similar to all hotels (Inspired by Her offer, charity endorsement, signature treatment...), while others will be optional (personal commitments, tea experience, in-room fitness...).

The women leading women to wellness

The new MGallery wellbeing strategy is in line with the Inspired by Her offering, launched in 2013. Through it, MGallery anticipates and responds to the demands of their female clientele with exclusive services and special considerations throughout their stay. Showers with massage jets, powerful hairdryers, properly sized dressing gowns and a large selection of herbal teas, as well as a multitude of little touches, complete this unique offering.

Going further and addressing the needs of female and male alike, the new wellbeing approach has the same philosophy of bespoke welcome and fostering self-empowerment through wellbeing.

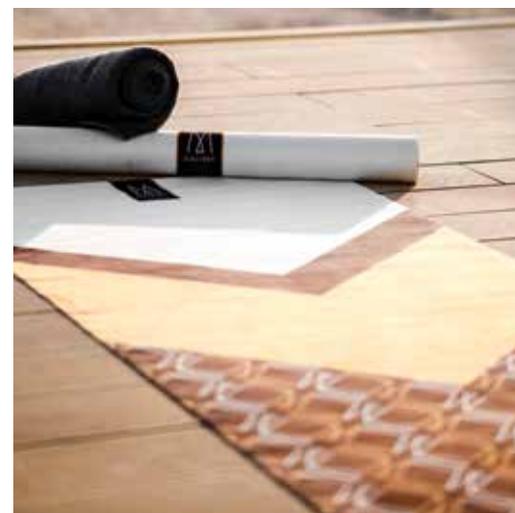
A wellbeing holistic experience through the MGallery network to follow the official launch in a heaven of peace in vibrant Dubai

Enthusiastic to embark guests on a transformative journey, MGallery hosted the first "Ignite your inner spark" festival at The Retreat Palm Dubai over three days from January 21st to 24th.

"More than just an event, MGallery along with an army of seven specialists aimed at

shaping the way travelers experience hotels and achieve wellbeing. At MGallery, guests can find what works best for them and enjoy a bespoke experience to support a balanced lifestyle. The increasing awareness of self-care provides us with the perfect opportunity to inspire our guests towards wellbeing on their travels.", comments Lindsay Madden-Nadeau Global Director of Wellbeing for Raffles, Fairmont and MGallery.

This wellbeing holistic experience, piloted in Dubai, featured specialists handpicked by MGallery including published author, naturopath and nutritionist Kate Reardon, who conducted several workshops over the event including healing with food and the moonlight meditation, as well as the breakfast booster session. The program of this event also included Yin Yoga session, talks on self-care, vegan-cooking lessons, intuitive dancing, fengshui workshops and much more!



Fairfield by Marriott Pune Kharadi

After successfully digging their shoes in Belagavi, Fairfield by Marriott introduces itself in Pune Maharashtra. Located in close proximity to Pune's business hubs, Fairfield by Marriott Pune Kharadi is the perfect destination for any business trip or a quick getaway. Enjoy an ideal location near great shopping, family activities and celebrated attractions, including EON IT Park, World Trade Centre, Magarpatta City and Amanora Mall.

Featuring 109 well-appointed rooms, the hotel's contemporary design offers fuss-free

and easy comfort with its range of in-room amenities; the hotel is a haven for families, vacationers and business travellers. Dining options include Kava Kitchen and Bar – the signature all-day dining restaurant offering a mix of international and local delicacies; the bar provides a selection of premium liquor, fine wines, cocktails and mocktails, and the market – a 24/7 convenient store with a wide variety of grab-and-go food option. Host flawless corporate events at Fairfield by Marriott Pune Kharadi's versatile meeting and conference space featuring state-of-the-

art audio-visual equipment and customized catering.

For travellers who want to maintain momentum and stay balanced, Fairfield by Marriott Pune Kharadi uniquely supports productivity and well-being with smart spaces, health-conscious options and a stress-free experience so you never skip a beat. Whether you are travelling in Pune for a day, a week or a month, Fairfield by Marriott Pune Kharadi provides a modern respite where your needs always come first.



The Westin Maldives Miriandhoo Resort

Maldives is every traveler's dream destination. Whether you are looking for a relaxing holiday, a bit of adventure or an unforgettable romantic escape – Maldives with its sandy white beaches, alluring waves and splendid landscapes, is the ideal getaway.

With keen attention to details that make for those priceless romantic moments The Westin Maldives Miriandhoo Resort is a paradise on earth that you are seeking.

From the almost private breathtaking views of the ocean to cozy dining outlets, restoring spa therapies and a host of quiet romantic activities, the property offers the most magnificent abode.

- The resort also provides access to a nearby-

uninhabited private island - Hulhudhoo, just a short 700m speedboat trip across the ocean where guests can enjoy a bespoke castaway picnic, with nothing but the sky to watch over you. Few things can set the stage for a romantic interlude like this.

- Host your wedding set against the backdrop of stunning ocean views, swaying trees, gentle breeze and all the elements you have ever dreamed of, to make your special day truly memorable.
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- Every trip to the Maldives includes a close connect with the stunning Indian Ocean. Explore the underwater world while snorkeling, diving, fishing and parasailing.
- The signature Heavenly Spa by Westin™ allows guests to reflect and immerse themselves in the beauty and luxury of nature, while indulging in soulful and revitalizing massages.
- With the on-property photographers capturing your special moments, revel amidst the picturesque island of Miriandhoo.





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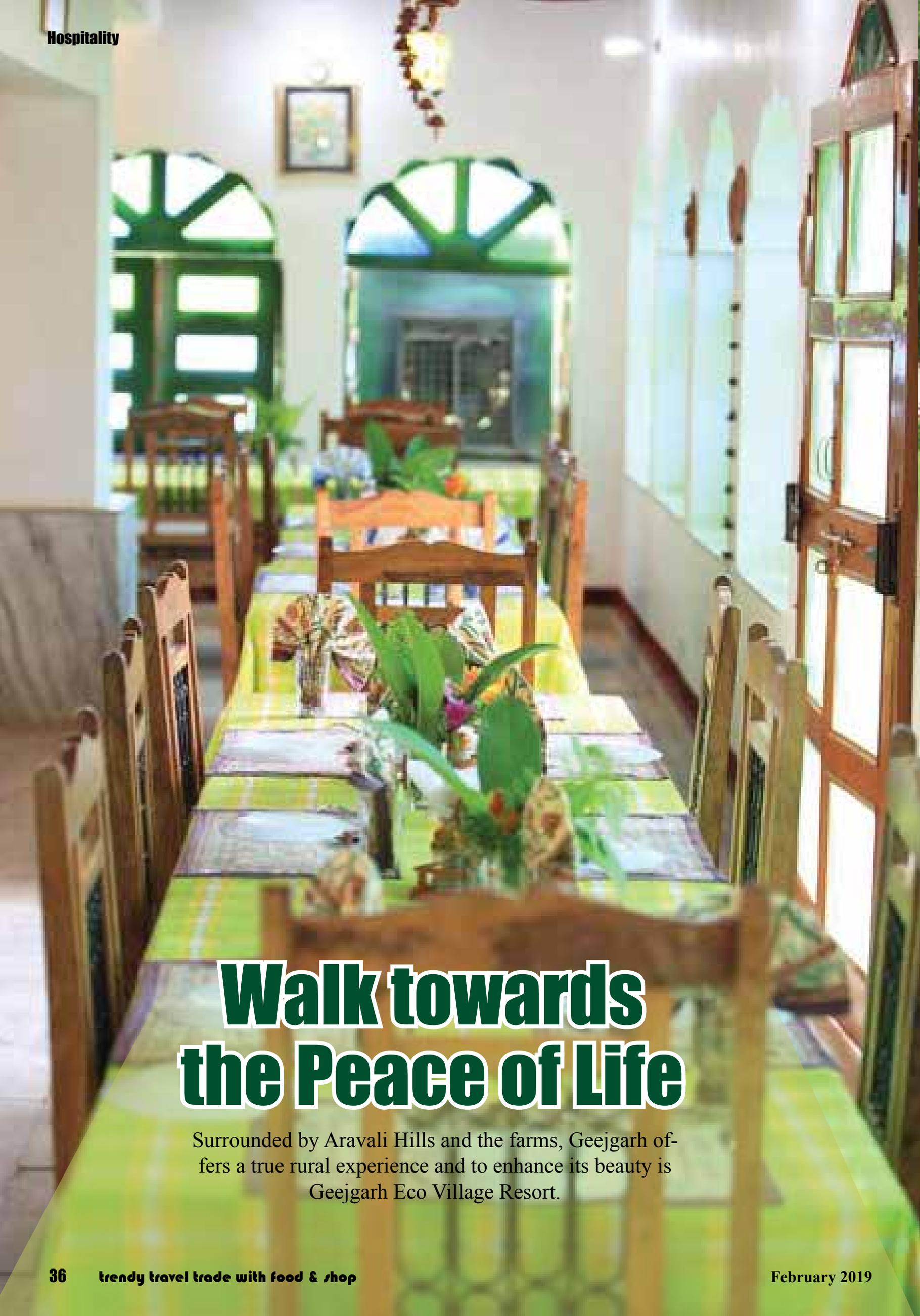
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Location

Never earlier has a location been so significantly transformed, carved as a tourist haven from sheer expanse! And with all modern amenities to suit the discerning traveler, Rajasthan Resorts & Camps rolls out the carpet for individuals from India and overseas; Groups - Small; Corporates on a get-away or for their conferences and meets.... You are welcome to experience it yourself "The joys of the rural habitat".

Activities to Experience

Your experience will comprise of 2 night accommodation, breakfast, dinner, activities like camel cart ride, village safari and more. The experience will give you a closer look at village life. It is also a great opportunity for a quick rejuvenation from the hustle and bustle of city life. Spend some quality time with friends and family in the lap of nature and get yourself thoroughly recharged.

Activities include:-

1. Cooking Classes
2. Visit to the Organic farm
3. Village or Country side tour.
4. Visit to Abhaneri step well - 7th century monument (by your own transport)
5. Interaction with local people, one can also visit the Khadi Gram Udhdyog & local school

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10. Cycle Tour of the area - started October 2010 wherein your guest can explore the countryside on their own by cycle with the help of a map of the area. Also they can enjoy Head or Shoulders Massage at the local barbers shop or enjoy Tea at a Dhaba in the Village on direct payment basis.

Accommodation

It gives a break to your groups and individuals from the monotony of the modern hotels, palaces and busy cities. Relax in the lap of nature with 4 acres of garden with 25 Village Huts with all modern amenities.



Rock with Rock Spa

Hard Rock Hotel Goa, India's first Hard Rock Hotel has launched its most awaited Rock Spa® to provide guests with the ultimate escape from reality. The new Rock Spa® offers a complete sensory experience with rejuvenating and authentic treatments along with the brand's signature "Rhythm & Motion" massage.

The intricately adorned Rock Spa® features 2 newly designed treatment rooms with a special room dedicated for Rhythm & Motion treatments. Guests can choose from a host of spa services and wellness packages like manicures, pedicures, full body treatments and massages, including deep tissue, sole revival, athletic and therapeutic restoration needs.

Speaking at the launch of the new spa, Vikas Sharma, Vice-President Operations,

Hard Rock Hotel Goa, said, "Goa is home to many globetrotters and soul-seekers, looking for a place to relax, unwind and put down their backpack. We are delighted that the new Rock Spa® will offer guests a unique and all-encompassing experience giving them a new lease of life during their holiday. At Hard Rock, we focus a lot on health and wellness through our SoundBody program which already has Body Rock® and Rock Om® in place. Rock Spa is our latest addition to this multifaceted umbrella of holistic health."

The Rock Spa® features the brand's signature Rhythm & Motion menu of spa services offering the world's first fully immersive music-centric treatments that utilize amplified vibrations, pressures and patterns. This ground-breaking experience will take guests on a rhythmic massage journey – bass vibrations ripple through the massage table as treble beats come from above, sending pulses through the body and leaving guests feeling energized and invigorated.

Relieve The Stress

Come out and enjoy a day of pain relief and pampering at Sohum Spa at Radisson Blu Resort Goa Cavelossim with their Herbal Pouch Therapy. There is nothing as rejuvenating as a tranquil spa treatment and the Herbal pouch therapy is a clear reflection of that.

This therapy is a highly suitable pain relief Ayurvedic treatment that calms your mind, invigorates your body and soothes your soul leaving you feeling revitalised. At Sohum, the therapists have integrated various styles of healing and wellness modalities from various streams of wellness.

Herbal Pouch Therapy is treated with bundles made out of herbal powders and then massaged using herbal pouch dipped in warm

herbal medicated oil. This therapy is often recommended for illness such as rheumatoid arthritis, spondylitis, frozen shoulders, osteoarthritis, chronic back pain, sciatica, sprains and cramps, neuralgia as it improves the blood circulation, enhances muscle strength, relieves body aches and stiffness, and is very soothing and relaxing. Targeting the ever-changing skin and body needs of both men and women, the Herbal Pouch Therapy also utilises a uniquely powerful professional formulation for maximum

results.

The ancient science at Sohum Spa focuses on establishing and maintaining the balance of energies within us, promoting harmony between the individual and nature which in turn promotes good health. As wellness is an important aspect of life, and one that we sometimes take for granted with well trained and attentive spa therapists, your holistic experience at Sohum will ensure you keep going back for more.





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Fairfield by Marriott Pune Kharadi

Feroz Patel has joined Fairfield by Marriot Pune Kharadi, in Maharashtra as the Head Chef since the hotels' inception in Pune. With 12 years of experience in the culinary department, Chef Feroz comes with the comprehensive skill set and knowledge in Food & Beverage Operations. His earlier assignments include Le Meridian Pune (Grand Sheraton), Carnival Cruise lines, Oakwood Worldwide , Premier INN, Sarover Group & Citrus Hotels.

Grand Hyatt Kochi Bolgatty

Grand Hyatt Kochi Bolgatty announces the appointment of Rashmi Kamboj as the Director of Convention Sales. She will provide leadership, strategize and drive the convention business of Lulu Bolgatty International Convention Centre, one of the largest convention spaces in India, adjacent to Grand Hyatt Kochi Bolgatty. Rashmi has over two decades of experience in the convention and hotel industry. She has been part of leading brands such as Taj, Marriott and the Hyderabad International Convention Centre managed by Accor.



IndiGo

The Board of Directors of InterGlobe Aviation Limited (IndiGo) announced the appointment of Mr. M. Damodaran as an Independent Non-Executive Director and the Chairman of the Board. Mr. M. Damodaran has held a number of important positions in the Central and State Governments and in India's financial sector, including Chairman, Securities Exchange Board of India (SEBI), Chairman, Unit Trust of India (UTI), Chairman, Industrial Development Bank of India (IDBI), and Chief Secretary, Government of Tripura. His pioneering role in promoting Corporate Governance in India invests EEPL with an experience based leadership role in corporate governance advisory work.

Radisson Noida

Setting a tone for unprecedented growth this year, Mr KshitijJawa has been appointed as the new General Manager of Radisson Noida Sector 55, a luxury 5 star property in Noida. An accomplished hotelier with 13 years of hospitality experience, Kshitij will be responsible for spearheading all the operations at the property. Prior to joining the Radisson Noida, he was the Executive Assistant Manager at Radisson Blu,Dwarka under whose strong leadership the hotel won the award for the best Associate appreciation week for 2018 in Asia Pacific thus setting new bench marks for an Associate driven culture.



Singhania Sarovar Portico,Raipur

Sarovar Hotels and Resorts announces the appointment of Sumeet Shandilya as General Manager of Singhania Sarovar Portico, Raipur. Sumeet brings with him a professional experience of more than 14 years with core expertise in Food and Beverage operations and Marketing. Before joining Singhania Sarovar Portico, Raipur, Sumeet has worked with Xanadu Collection All Suite Hotel Kampala, Uganda as General Manager.

The Westin Maldives Miriandhoo Resort

The Westin Maldives Miriandhoo Resort is pleased to announce the appointment of Varun Bharadwaja as the Director of Sales and Marketing. In his role at the hotel, he will be leading the management staff in implementing effective strategies and key initiatives to maximize revenue generation and achieve marketing opportunities for the hotel. An extensive 13 years of sales and marketing experience in the hospitality industry has led Varun to evolve into a collaborative leader. Prior to joining The Westin Maldives Miriandhoo Resort, he was Director of Sales and Marketing at Taj Exotica Resort & Spa and Taj Coral Reef Resort & Spa in Maldives for over three years.



The Westin Maldives Mirandhoo Resort

Marriott International is pleased to introduce Brendan Corcoran as General Manager of The Westin Maldives Miriandhoo Resort, representing the debut of Westin Hotels & Resorts in the Republic of Maldives. A combination of 70 superb overwater and island villas, the resort is an idyllic island paradise in in the UNESCO listed Baa Atoll Biosphere Reserve. Brendan's industry experience spans over twenty years in a variety of leadership positions. Prior to his appointment at The Westin Maldives Miriandhoo Resort, his role as General Manager at Coco Palm DhuniKolhu, Baa Atoll, Maldives saw him gain deep insights and knowledge of the region.

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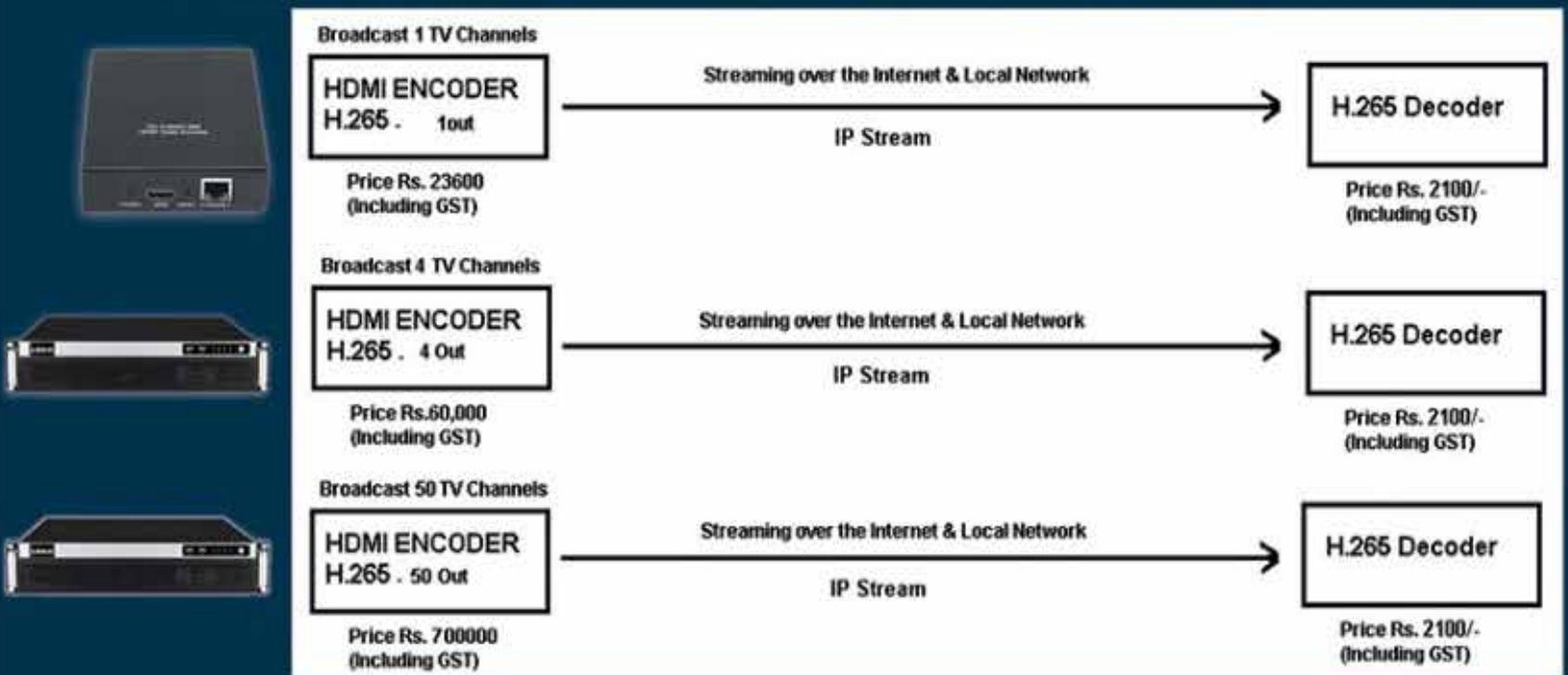
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Most Romantic Day of the Year

The cards are in the shops. The adverts for champagne and chocolates are on the TV. Pink love hearts are popping up everywhere. We cannot fail to notice it is Valentine's Day very soon.

• **Vedika Sharma**

Valentine's Day is a time when people show feelings of love, affection and friendship. It is celebrated in many ways worldwide when lovers express their affection with greetings and gifts.

It is considered to be the best day to express your love and care for your special one or even express your feelings to the one you love.

The annual celebration of love puts a high value on grand ideas and romance. Couples that have been together for a long time can naturally feel a bit removed from this. Life gets in the way and spontaneity can begin to decline. Grand gestures make way for a simple exchange of cards and little else.

Everyone has an opinion on 14th February. Some think it is romantic and a date to be strictly observed and never missed. Couples can spend hundreds of pounds on gifts, a

romantic meal or getaway.

On this one day of the year, they might actually be desperate to get a surprise or enjoy a day that is not just like every other day.

That, of course, is not to say that valuing your partner equates to how much you spend. Despite what jewellers, restaurants and travel websites tell us, a genuine demonstration of love is far more precious. Simple things mean the most like preparing a meal on Valentine's Day at home or booking him/her into a local spa for a massage.

In making an effort to celebrate your love as a couple, it is the little gestures that mean the most. A kiss, a hug, a rose picked from the garden are the kinds of gestures that hold our partners close and keep the spark alive.

Here we have some ideas for you to make this day more special.

- On small pieces of paper, write down



every kind of kiss that you can think of (examples: passionate, on the cheek, etc.). Then fill an inexpensive red felt bag with your "kisses" and give it to your spouse. Ask your spouse to pull several pieces of paper from the felt bag, and then give





your sweetheart whatever kind of kiss is described.

- Give your wife a dozen roses. On each stem attach a note for a future date—to do something that she would enjoy.
- Surround the Bed with Heart Balloons and Roses

- Surprise Your Loved Ones with Affirmation Sticky Note Hearts
- Plan a surprise outing! Start with dinner at your partner's favorite restaurant, then reveal tickets to a show or sports game.
- Stock the fridge with his/her favorite beer or wine and the shelves with his/her



favorite snacks.

- Leave a note on the bathroom mirror so he/she will see it first thing in the morning.
- Visit a theme park. Theme parks are never out of fashion, especially because of the new and innovative rides and attractions that are added each year. Visiting an amusement park is probably one of the best ways to surprise your boyfriend/girlfriend on Valentine's day this year. Just make sure to book your tickets a couple of days in advance so that you don't need to stand in a long queue to get the tickets.
- Memories are to be cherished ever after. And what could be better than reliving the old memories, something that has been elusive with the busy schedule playing the villain? Surprise your boyfriend/girlfriend by taking him for a walk or trip on this valentine's day to the place where you both first met by chance or by luck, or the place where you first kissed. Hold his hands just the way you did long back. Make him feel belonged. He will love all the attention that he gets.
- This may be on the colder side depending on your location, but if you grab as many blankets as possible, you can make it work. Surprise your girl/boy with a night underneath the stars. You can bring along a nice bottle of wine or champagne to toast with.
- One of the most romantic dates you can go on involves no pre-planning whatsoever. Depending on you and your SO's transportation situation, hop in the car, get on the bus/train, or start walking, and just make it up as you go along. You might end up finding a cool event that you had no idea was happening!



Success for Audi Sport customer teams at Bathurst

Audi Sport customer racing experienced a setback in the launch of its title defense in the Intercontinental GT Challenge.

After both Audi R8 LMS of the Audi Sport Team Valvoline had at times led the 12-hour race in Bathurst in the early phase, the squad with drivers Christopher Haase/Christopher Mies/Markus Winkelhock ultimately had to settle for 14th place. The Australian customer teams Matt Stone Racing and Hallmarc, however, were delighted to climb the podium in their class.

“We’ve won the manufacturer’s classification of the Intercontinental GT Challenge three times, and last year we also took home our third victory at the Bathurst 12 Hour,” says Chris Reinke, Head of Audi Sport customer racing. “This time, however, we unfortunately didn’t achieve our goals in Australia.”

A top-class battle emerged from the almost 30-strong GT3 field of racers from ten manufacturers. Depending on the pit stop sequence, Audi Sport had two irons in the fire in the first hours of racing. Start driver Chris-

topher Haase drove the first stints over almost three hours and was the first Audi Sport driver to take the lead. Later, his Audi Sport driver colleague from South Africa, Kelvin van der Linde, also led the field at times in the sister car. After handing the No. 22 Audi R8 LMS over to his teammate Garth Tander, the Australian touched another car in the fifth hour of racing.

The subsequent repairs cost the team six laps. The car was ultimately thrown out of contention in an accident of Belgium’s Frédéric Vervisch in lap 182. At this time, the No. 2 vehicle also dropped out of the fight for the lead. Several minutes after the half-time mark, Christopher Haase had to pull into the pits with power steering problems. The team lost eight laps for the repairs. Christopher Haase, Christopher Mies and Markus Winkelhock fought their way up the order to take the flag in 14th place.

Thus, the best Audi in the field was cam-

paigned by the private team Matt Stone Racing. The all-Australian driver line-up of Todd Hazelwood/Roger Lago/David Russell scored tenth overall, making them the second best squad in the Pro-Am category: a remarkable feat considering that this was the first time the Australian team had fielded an Audi R8 LMS. Thanks to the Hallmarc team, another customer squad celebrated a podium result with an Audi R8 LMS. Marc Cini/Dean Fiore/Lee Holdsworth were the third best team in the Pro-Am class.

Audi now takes up the chase at the four remaining rounds of the Intercontinental GT Challenge. In eight weeks, round two at Laguna Seca will follow. In the history of the California 8 Hours, the Audi R8 LMS is still the car to beat after two wins since 2017.



Hyundai Motor Unveils i30 Fastback N

Hyundai Motor announced its customized i30 Fastback N will be the Official Safety Car of the 32nd season of the MOTUL FIM Superbike World Championship (WorldSBK).

Unveiled, the i30 Fastback N safety car stands out with a livery derived from Hyundai’s i20 World Rally Championship (WRC) car. This activity is part of Hyundai’s new partnership with WorldSBK, announced in September of last year.

The i30 Fastback N Safety Car will make its public debut in Australia at the Phillip Island Grand Prix Circuit from February 22 to 24. The full fleet of official cars will be released at Spain’s Motorland Aragón, which will take place on April 5 to 7. Hyundai’s fleet, ranging from the i30 N to the Kona and Tucson SUV models, will be used in various capacities such as providing race direction or transporting medical personnel.

Since the announcement of N brand at the Frankfurt Motorshow in 2015, Hyundai has taken part in numerous motorsport events, including the World Rally Championships, Nürburgring 24 Hours and WTCR. Not only has the N brand performed well in the highest intensity competitions,

but it has also proved a success among adrenaline-seeking customers, with its production of the i30 N, Veloster N, and most recently, the i30 Fastback N. The Hyundai N brand delivers high-performance vehicles that are fun to drive, with everyday usability and track capability.

The i30 Fastback N, Hyundai’s third high-performance N vehicle, debuted at the Paris Motor Show in October 2018. It is the first five-door coupe in the C segment and unique in its class. With a combination of sophisticated, elegant design, exhilarating performance and fun-to-drive features, the i30 Fastback N is an everyday sports car that’s as thrilling on the road as it is on the racetrack. Equipped with signature N Corner Carving Differential for maximum feeling, the i30 Fastback N is the perfect vehicle to be driven both on and off the racetrack.

“Building the WorldSBK Safety Car has been a very interesting project for us. It is not a race car but will spend most of its life on the race

track. Since the i30 Fastback N is born capable, we didn’t need to make many modifications for it to do its job. The i30 Fastback N Safety Car is the most elegant safety car yet it will safeguard the world’s fastest production-based motorbikes. It is a true display of its duality character,” said Thomas Schemera, Executive Vice President and Head of the Product Planning & Strategy Division at Hyundai Motor.



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Lamborghini makes history again

Two red flag stoppages could not stop Lamborghini taking its second successive victory in the Rolex 24 Hours of Daytona – round one of the WeatherTech SportsCar Championship season, thus becoming the first manufacturer to do so since the GTD class was introduced to the legendary race.

Despite dropping out of the top ten with a puncture four hours from the finish, GRT Grasser Racing claimed victory with Mirko Bortolotti, Rolf Ineichen, Rick Breukers and Christian Engelhart aboard the #11 Huracán GT3 Evo. As the race started at 14:35 Eastern Time, the #11 with Ineichen at the wheel made a strong start, leaping from fifth on the grid to run third early on after passing the #46 Ebimotors Huracán GT3 Evo of Giacomo Altoé.

The #11 held the lead in GTD before receiving a three-minute and 40-second stop and hold penalty for disobeying the full course caution wave-by procedure. Breukers dropped to 16th in GTD but made up a place at the unfortunate expense of Emanuele Busnelli, who was forced to bring the #46 into the pits with a technical issue.

Breukers was back in contention by the end of the seventh hour before handing over to Lamborghini Factory driver Mirko Bortolotti, who consolidated fourth position in the #11 GRT. The Italian battled hard with the leading Porsche and Mercedes to run fifth approaching half-distance.

The #48 Paul Miller Racing Huracán GT3 Evo started from last but made great progress in the opening hours to gain five positions by the time Andrea Calderelli took over the commands. Calderelli headed Bortolotti in fourth position at the end of the ninth hour. Heavy rain during the night continued in the morning, forcing the red flags to come out. Shortly before the race was halted, there was more heartbreak for the #46 Ebimotors Huracán as Taylor Proto was forced to retire after a collision with a Porsche.

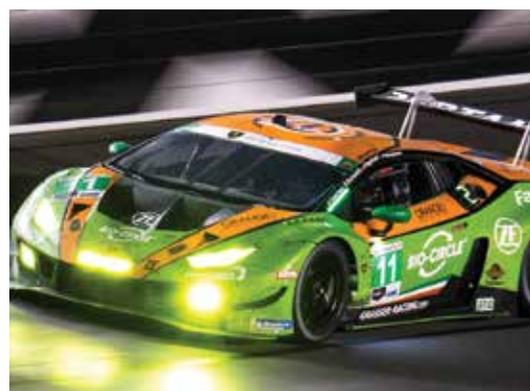
At the same time, an oil leak sustained after contact prematurely ended the #48 car of Caldarelli, Corey Lewis, Bryan Sellers and Ryan Hardvick. After the lengthy red flag, action finally resumed with Bortolotti holding third place at the restart, before suffering a puncture following contact between the two GTLM leaders at the first corner.

The #11, now with Engelhart at the wheel, dropped as low as 11th in GTD but made a superb recovery to claim victory when the race was stopped again, this time permanently.

Stefano Domenicali, CEO of Automobili Lamborghini, said: "This is a historic victory for

Lamborghini, a success which has rewarded the hard work of the many women and men who do their best to our company the best every day! Last year's success was incredible, but this year will remain in the motorsport history books."

The #7 Magnus Racing Huracán GT3 Evo (Spencer Pumpelly, Marco Mapelli, John Potter, Andy Lally) finished 11th in GTD, while the #47 Precision Performance Motorsport (Linus Lundqvist, Milos Pavlovic, Steve Dunn, Don Yount) closed in P20 after due to a clutch failure.



Tata Motors domestic sales recorded 54,915 units in January 2019

As muted consumer sentiments continued in January 2019, Tata Motors Commercial and Passenger Vehicles Business sales in the domestic market witnessed a drop of 8% at 54,915 units as against 59,441 units sold over last year.

The cumulative sales for the domestic market (April 2018 -January 2019) grew by 21% with 552,887 units as compared to 458,205 units over the same period last year.

Domestic – Commercial Vehicles

Tata Motors' Commercial Vehicles (CV) domestic sales declined by 6% in January 2019 to 37,089 units, compared to 39,386 units sold last year. Subdued market sentiments, high interest rates, lag effect of implementation of revised axle load norms, slowing industrial output and declining IIP growth index were the primary factors behind the lull. The base effect is also playing a role in the muted growth of CV industry w.r.t. H2 FY 18. Cumulative sales for the fiscal (April-January 2019) at 378,664 units have grown by 23% compared to 308,921 units sold during the same period last year.

The M&HCV truck segment declined by 9%, at 11,694 units, compared to 12,804 units

sold in January 2018, due to weak sentiments among transporters as a result of the revised axle load norms announced in July '18. Post the axle load norms implementation, the freight carrying capacity of MHCVCV has increased by 20%, however, the freight growth has not been able to absorb this capacity resulting in lower demand of new trucks. The tipper segment on the other hand continued to witness a strong growth on the back of road construction, irrigation and affordable housing projects.

The I&LCV truck segment recorded a growth of 10% with 4,999 units in January 2019 as compared to 4,541 units sold last year. This segment has not been much affected by the increased axle load norms. The demand in I&LCV segment has been led by the e-commerce sector, increased rural consumption, supported by new product introductions.

The SCV Cargo and Pickup segment wit-

nessed a drop of 7% at 16,619 units sold in January 2019 over last year, due to the high base effect. However, with the hub-spoke model continuously evolving, the small commercial vehicles is expected to be in demand for last mile connectivity needs across rural and urban markets.

The commercial passenger carrier segment recorded sales of 3,777 units, lower by 8% as compared to 4,093 units sold in January 2018. This segment has been impacted due to the slowdown in the procurement of buses by STUs and the permits for private hiring.



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All I need is Love

Just in time for Valentine's Day, we take a spin through history's greatest lovers—star crossed, cursed, life-long, and everything in between.



Love is a powerful emotion. Throughout history, couples in love have caused wars and controversy, created master-

pieces in writing, music, and art, and have captured the heart of the public with the power of their love. Here we will explore the love sto-

ries of the Bollywood stars. These tales of celebrities meeting and falling in love are almost too cute for words.

LOVE WHICH DIDN'T SEE HAPPY ENDING (Ishq sachai vai jisko milti nahi manjile...)

Dilip Kumar and Madhubala

Madhubala and Dilip Kumar's love story is the most tragic love affair that Indian Film Industry ever had to witness. Madhubala was a beauty with a heart-warming smile that could enliven even a corpse and that was exactly Dilip Kumar fell for. Their love blossomed and they found their soulmates in each other. They had seven years of courtship and during that time, they did four movies together. But her father, Attaulla Khan didn't want her to be in a relationship with the iconic actor and did everything and took every possible step to ensure that the eternal lovers were separated. They tried hard to be with each other forever, but their love story remained incomplete.



Raj Kapoor and Nargis

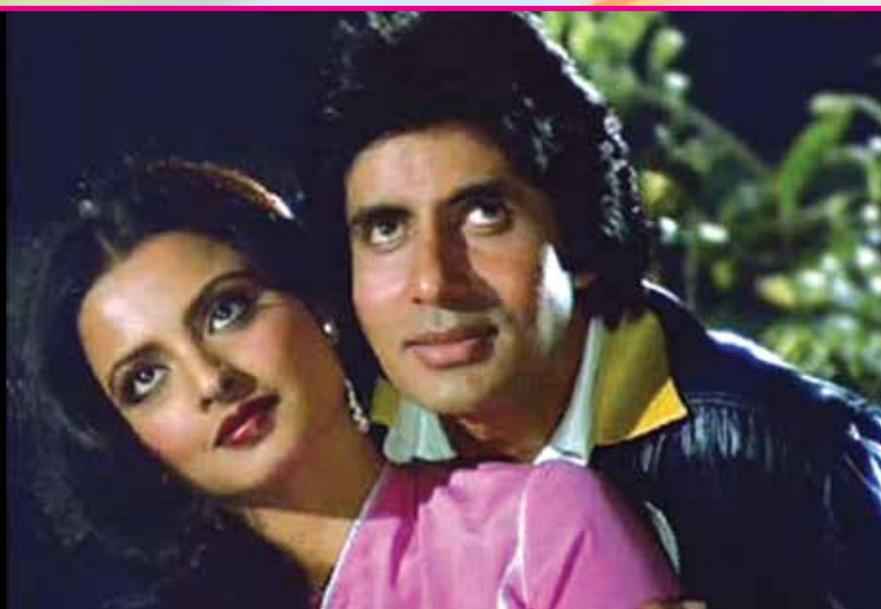
The legendary couple of Bollywood too had a love story that is written in the golden pages of the history of Bollywood. Even though Raj Kapoor had innumerable link-ups with his leading ladies, when it came to Nargis, something special about her made him fall madly in love with her. Together they worked in many successful movies and everyone was aware of the off-screen love that was quite evident in their sizzling on-screen chemistry.

But their love couldn't reach its destination as Raj Kapoor was already married. She waited for him for 10 long years but Raj Kapoor never divorced his wife. She then finally left him and married his Mother India co-star, Sunil Dutt.



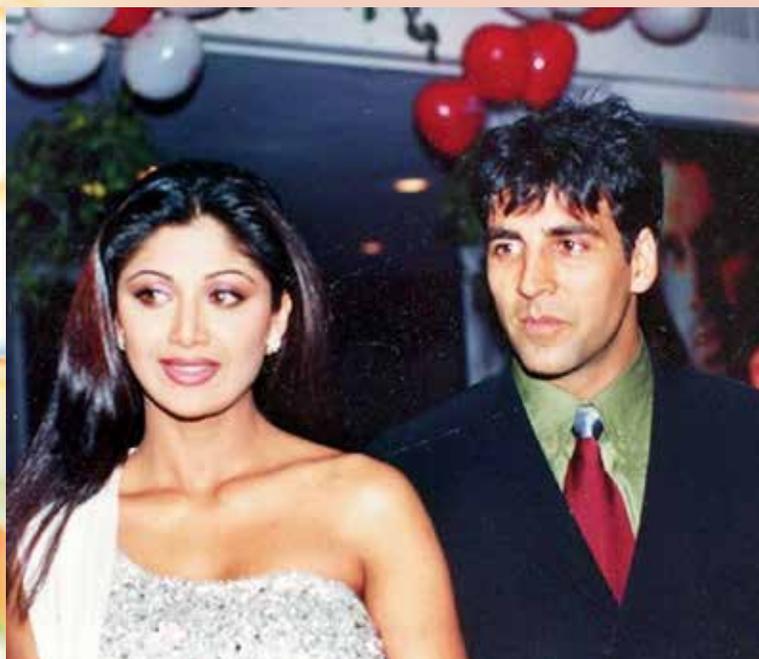
Amitabh Bachan and Rekha

When they first met at the sets of Do Anjaane, sparks flew and Rekha was in awe of Amitabh Bachchan. They went on to do 7 films together. Silsila was the last film they did together. The two were magic on and off screen.



Akshay Kumar and Shilpa Shetty

Both are happily married today but we all know the chemistry they shared on screen might not be recreated again. Dhadkan was the last movie they worked on together. There is no doubt they sizzled on screen and off both. There were a lot of women linked to Akshay back then. The rumor mills went on for a year. Unfortunately, their love story didn't last for a long time, Akshay got married to Twinkle around the same time. Also, it is said that Shilpa and Twinkle were best friends when this happened.



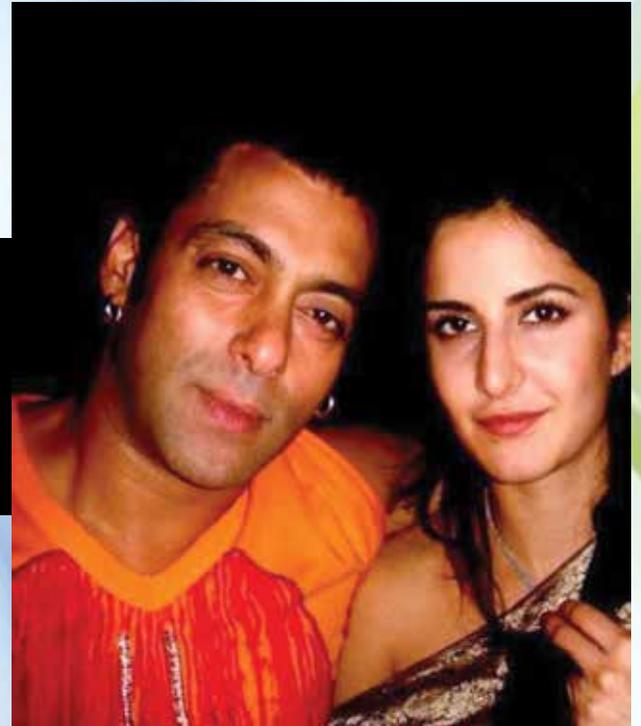
John Abraham and Bipasha Basu

John and Bips had a very close relationship with their struggle to reach the stage of Bollywood. Despite having eight years of strong relationship, they broke up. The main cause of their break up was a lack of trust. They blamed one another for cheating the other. After their break up, John Abraham got married to Priya Runchal while Bipasha Basu got united to Karan Singh Grover.



Salman Khan and Katrina Kaif

Kat and Sallu separated due to many causes. The first was the vast age difference between the two. The second was the over-possessive nature of Sallu. The third was the uncomfortable stress that Kat always felt when she was with Salman. Last but not least, was Ranbir and Kat's growing love towards each other.



*WITH THE HAPPY ENDING
(Rab ne bna di Jodi...)*

Virat Kohli and Anushka Sharma

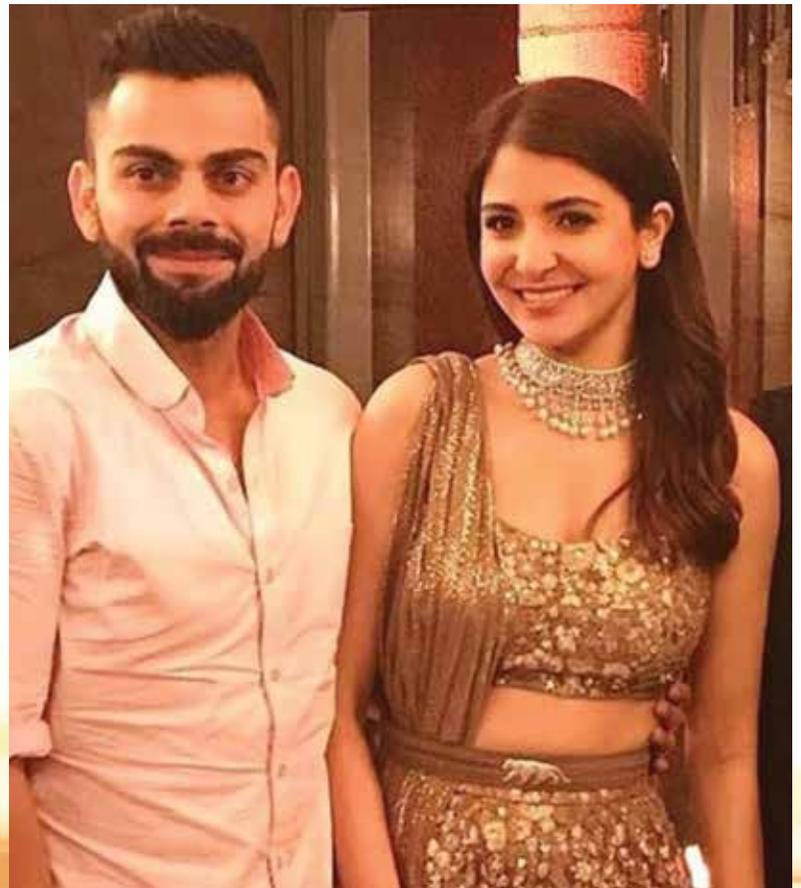
Virat and Anushka met each other in 2013, as they worked together for a TV commercial. After this, the two became very 'good friends', and were even spotted together at various places. Of course, in no time, the rumours about these two dating each other started doing the rounds.

While these two lovebirds did not accept being in a relationship with each other initially, this did not stop them from missing out on an opportunity to spend time together. Anushka went to New Zealand in February 2014, and the Indian cricket team was also there for a tournament. They both were seen strolling around the city hand in hand, and very much in love.

In February 2016, there were reports that Virat and Anushka have taken a short break from their relationship to sort out the differences and focus on their work. But, only after a few months, the news

of their breakup started doing the rounds again and this time the reasons were very serious. Apparently, Virat wanted to settle down, but Anushka wanted to focus on her career. This created a lot of differences between the otherwise happy couple. It was also reported that Virat's over-possessive nature is creating the rift between them and things are becoming worse. They kind of confirmed their breakup when the two unfollowed each other on Instagram. But, the following year, in December 2016, the couple was back together. They walked hand-in-hand for Yuvraj and Hazel's wedding.

After dating for almost 4 long years, the couple finally got hitched in a secret ceremony on December 11, 2017, in Tuscany, Italy. It was an intimate Hindu Wedding attended by the close family and friends of Virat and Anushka. Both Anushka and Virat wore Sabyasachi outfits on their D-day and looked flawless.





Priyanka Chopra and Nick Jonas

The 'Jealous' singer and the 'Quantico' star were just friends when they were seen together for the first time in 2017 Met Gala, but their chemistry was for everyone to witness.

In late June 2018, They came to India and Nick met Priyanka's family and also attended the pre-engagement party of Akash Ambani with her. The couple stepped out in London on July 18 to celebrate Priyanka's 36th birthday.

On August 18, 2018, The two got officially engaged in a traditional Indian 'roka' ceremony with family members and close friends. The two also hosted an engagement party attended by popular celebs from Bollywood like Alia Bhatt, Parineeti Chopra and Arpita Khan among others.

Nick Jonas married Bollywood actress Priyanka Chopra in two highly-anticipated ceremonies over the weekend at the Umaid Bhawan Palace in Jodhpur. The couple had a Christian wedding on Dec 1, officiated by Nick's father Kevin Jonas Sr., and a traditional Hindu marriage on Dec 2, 2018.

After tying the knot in two elaborate ceremonies they hosted their first wedding reception in Delhi on Dec 4.

Ranveer Singh and Deepika Padukone

Ending all speculations, Ranveer Singh and Deepika Padukone finally tied the knot on November 14. The couple reportedly fell in love on the sets of "Ram-Leela" and the love blossomed while they were shooting for "Bajirao Mastani" and "Padmaavat".

Love at first sight, as they say, is what happened with Ranveer Singh. He first saw Padukone at the Zee Cine Awards in Macau, wearing a stunning silver gown. The same year, the duo was cast for Sanjay Leela Bhansali's Goliyon ki Raasleela...Ram Leela. Though the film did hit a few roadblocks in terms of casting, we couldn't have asked for a better pair for Bhansali's love saga. Their love, allegedly, blossomed on set and sparked rumours of them dating.

Their electrifying chemistry surpassed new levels when they shot for the Vogue India grand anniversary cover. One couldn't help but notice the comfort and

camaraderie they shared.

During the Tamasha actor's performance at IIFA 2016, the fans got little more than a glimpse of the couple's PDA when she ended her performance by making heart gestures and giving a flying kiss to an elated Ranveer. The pair more or less went public with their relationship when they were seen leaving the Ambani bash hand in hand, that year.

2017 had been a landmark year for Deepika, as she marked her foray into Hollywood with xXx: Return of Xander Cage opposite Vin Diesel. Singh could be seen by her side always, lending his support throughout one of the most important phases of her career. Later that year, the duo was also spotted attending the Ganpati celebrations at the Ambani house together, coordinated in metallic ensembles.

Putting an end to all speculations, the duo announced on their social media handles that they would be getting hitched on 14-15 November 2018.



Prediction for February 2019 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

ARIES: Expect a very positive financial message. If obstacles are confronting you, it is because you're moving in the wrong direction. More facts need to be uncovered. Be honest with yourself. Spend some quality time with your children, as they need you now. You will

soon buy a new car. Invest a small amount of money and forget about it, it will be needed later.

Lucky color: Indigo
Lucky number: 9



TAURUS

Money will be slow in coming, and not as much as you hoped for, but there will be financial gains soon. You won't want something that isn't right, no matter how much you want it, and you won't give up until you get what you want. Your success will come through an impromptu business proposal that will change

things for the better.

Lucky color: Pink
Lucky number: 4



GEMINI

You will want to get away from work but it will keep pulling you back. An unexpected financial gain is on the cards. A health letter, legal notice or bureaucratic 'reminder' will irritate you. There will be disappointment from an associate or partner who will let you

down. Maintain mental or emotional balance, keep things in their proper perspective.

Lucky color: Lime green
Lucky number: 1



CANCER

Activity in your work will be renewed. Expect a positive flow of creative, innovative or inspired ideas and lots of praise or admiration. Something is going to transpire that you didn't think possible, something you want very much. A call or union with an

admirer will bring a refreshing change and a fresh start. You will be in better condition mentally, physically and spiritually.

Lucky color: Coral
Lucky number: 8



LEO

You'll begin a new project or venture similar to something you just finished (but better) and papers will be involved. If you have to take a test, you'll pass with flying colors. A transfer of ownership will be processed and completed. You will suddenly become more goal-oriented

and motivated. You will have to wait a day or so before you can resolve a dilemma. Finances will start rolling in and you will be able to buy property soon.

Lucky color: Beige
Lucky number: 2



VIRGO

A contract in hand is indicated. You will want a marriage or a serious commitment but will have a 'tug of war' between your head and heart; if your heart wins a sacrifice will have to be made. Financial obstacles will be surmounted and a cheque or commission is in the offing. Too much of action may affect

your health.
Lucky color: Yellow
Lucky number: 5



LIBRA

A decision will be made soon. You may also be considering a major purchase. You will be concerned about an investment or business partnership and will wonder if you should force the issue, or if the problem will get resolved on its own. Allow others to help you; don't be afraid to take chances. You will be lucky in romance and will benefit through chance meetings.

Troubles or disputes are going to end.

Lucky color: Black
Lucky number: 3



SCORPIO

You will have luck in a new business enterprise, and income thought lost will be retrieved. Don't chase a mirage, if you try, you will advance only to have to pull back. Delay your investment plans till next week. Stay away from unnecessary arguments, as they will have a negative outcome. Health will play

up especially your lungs.

Lucky color: Mauve
Lucky number: 6



SAGITTARIUS

New solutions will come through someone who enters into your situation and puts a new slant on things and you will have the good fortune to know what is true and what to do. Trying to take on too many things at once is taking its toll; you're spreading yourself too thin. All is going out and nothing is coming in. Internal

conflicts and emotional tribulation will come to an end.

Lucky color: Turquoise
Lucky number: 7



CAPRICORN

A financial transaction bothering you will have a positive outcome. Your activities will be geared to daily living, family ties or your home. An addition to the family on the cards. You will invest in your own house soon. Watch your health for dental problems.

Lucky color: Khaki
Lucky number: 1



AQUARIUS

The focus is on activities centering on the home or a business that you can do out of your home, financial independence. Be sure to handle financial negotiations and business transactions before you get started, or misunderstandings will arise. A professional call is indicated and a family event is in store.

Lucky color: Sea green
Lucky number: 9



PISCES

You will be assisted or advanced in your finances, profession or social life. Money will be coming in through work you like or a business partner, and a financial problem that caused you a lot of worry; pain or aggravation will be resolved in a positive way. You will experience love and harmony with your sisters and brothers even if you've had a

falling-out in the past

Lucky color: Brown
Lucky number: 6



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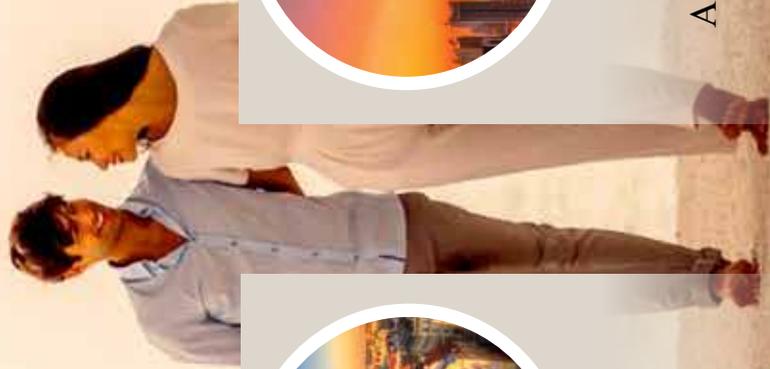
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