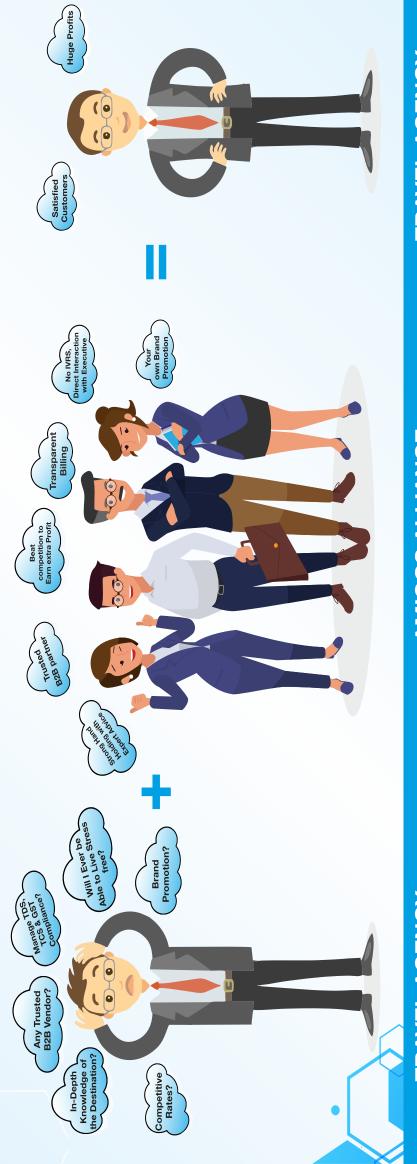






# FROM STRESSED TO STRESS FREE



TRAVEL AGENCY

**AMIGOS ALLIANCE** 

TRAVEL AGENCY

# A COMPLETE SOLUTION OF BUSINESS AND VACATION

We are here to help you Take care of visa process, flight tickets, airport transportation, car rental, hotel booking, local tours, meeting and event.

Give us chance to make your vacation and event indelible.



Contact @:+91-9899359708, 9999683737, tarsh@ travok.net, travokholidays@gmail.com, www.travok.net



Editor & Publisher: Vedika Sharma

Director: Babita Sharma

Sr. Editor: Tarsh Sharma

Reporter: Parul Malhotra

Consulting Editor (West): S K Mishra

Consultant Art Director: Anita

Graphic Designer: Chandrajeet Kumar

Consulting Photographer : Ganesh Kapri

Manager Administration: Gaurav Kumar

Manager Circulation: Himanshu Mudgal

E-mail: vedika@fabianmedia.net, babita@fabianmedia.net

Website: www.fabianmedia.net

### **Editorial & Marketing:**

babita@fabianmedia.net

Published, owned, Printed & Edited by Vedika Sharma 888, Pocket - D, Dilshad Garden, Delhi - 110095, Contact @ 011-41058470, 9560264449

Printed at: G.S. Basava Graphics Art Press, 35 DSIDC, Okhla Indl. Area, Phase - I, New Delhi - 110020

All information used in Trendy Travel Trade with Food & Shop (T3FS) is reliable and derived from the sources. With due respect to the sentiments of the readers, none of the information published is aimed at pinching the emotions of the readers. Opinions/ views expressed by third party in abstract or in interviews are not necessarily shared by us. Material appearing in the magazine cannot be reproduced in whole or in part(s) without prior permission. The publisher assumes no responsibilty for material lost or damaged in transit. The publisher reserves the right to refuse, withdraw or otherwise deal with all advertisement without explanation. All advertisement must comply with the Indian advertisement code. The publisher will not be liable for any loss caused by any delay in publication, error or failure of advertisement to appear.

# PUBLISHER'S NOTE

### Dear Readers

hen you will pick the June 2023 edition of T3FS you will see all about monsoon from travel to hospitality to fashion trends of the monsoon.

While many people prefer to stay indoors during the rainy season, monsoon adventure tourism offers a unique and thrilling experience for those seeking adventure and excitement even in wet weather conditions. By keeping this in mind we explored the three beautiful ASIAN countries Thailand, Indonesia and Bhutan.

It's important to note that monsoon adventure tourism involves certain risks, such as increased water levels, slippery terrains, and unpredictable weather conditions. Therefore, it is advisable to engage in these activities with trained professionals, follow safety guidelines, and be aware of the local weather forecast before planning any adventure during the monsoon season.

While moving ahead in hospitality, we kept focusing on our theme monsoon "Rainy Season Rendezvous," where we explore unparalleled hospitality experiences in enchanting destinations.

In the journey of this article, we invite you to embark on unique monsoon adventures in remarkable locations: The Dwarika's in Nepal, Anantara Golden Triangle Elephant Camp & Resort in Thailand, Gangtey Lodge in the Kingdom of Bhutan, and Taj Corbett Resort & Spa, Uttarakhand. Each destination offers a blend of cultural exploration, serene relaxation, and tantalizing culinary delights, ensuring an unforgettable monsoon retreat. Join us as we delve into the captivating experiences and breathtaking landscapes that await you. Get ready to immerse yourself in the wonders of the monsoon season and create



cherished memories in these remarkable Hotels and resorts.

Ofcourse, when it's about travelling during monsoon how we can forget to take care of our monsoon lifestyle. In line with the monsoon theme, we covered "How to stay chic even when it is pouring outside".

As the monsoon season approaches, it's time to revamp our fashion and makeup choices to look effortlessly stylish even when the rain is pouring outside.

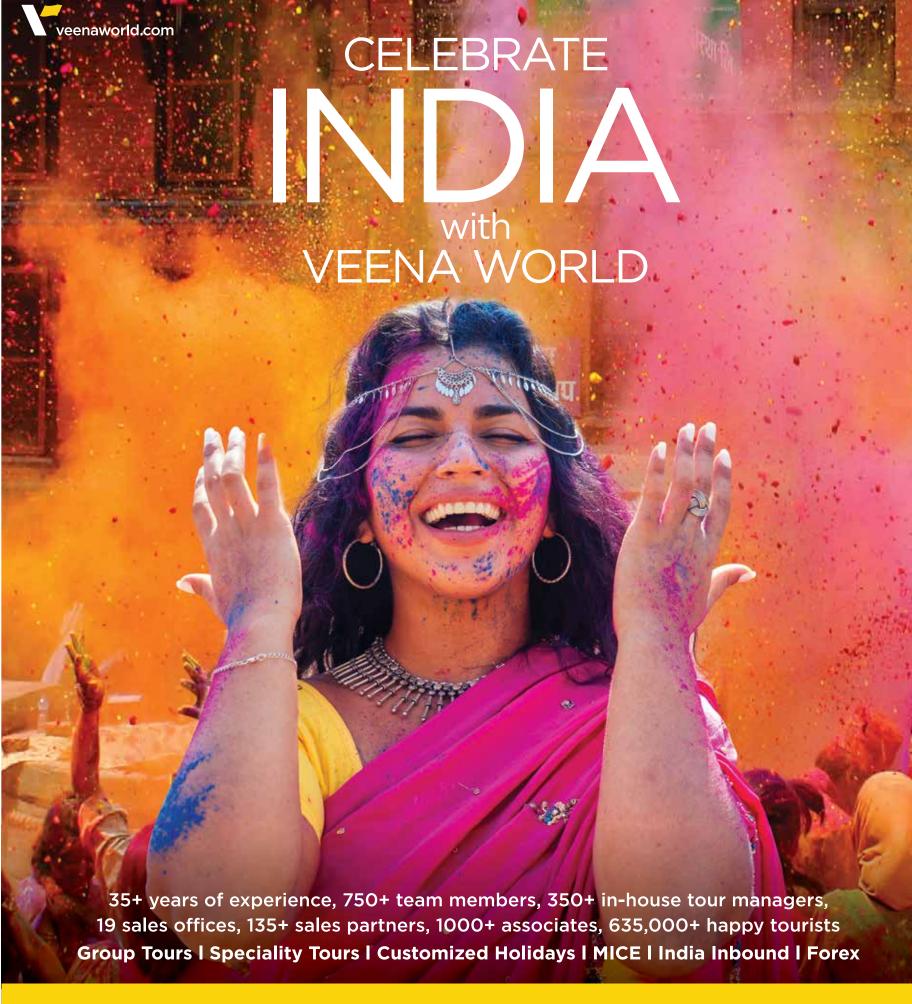
Monsoon fashion is all about finding the perfect balance between practicality and fashion-forwardness, ensuring you stay dry while turning heads with your impeccable style. We will delve into the world of monsoon fashion and makeup, exploring the latest trends, brand recommendations, and effective techniques to achieve a chic look regardless of the weather conditions.





Runway to get the trends of current .scenario





Come, say *Namaste* with Veena World! We invite you to explore and experience the enigma that is India

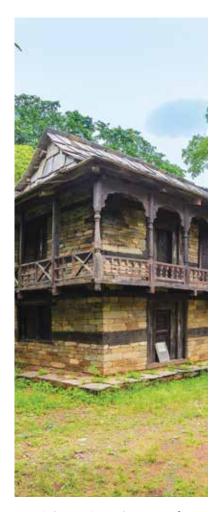
Heritage I Spirituality I Adventure I Diverse Landscapes I Nature and Wildlife Luxury I Gastronomy I Yoga and Wellness I River Cruises

Write to us at: sunila@veenaworld.com mohan.redkar@veenaworld.com

Inviting travel agents to become Veena World's sales partners across India and the world © +91 887 997 9733 Visit: www.veenaworld.com/travel-agents



India Toll Free: 1800 22 7979 | India Inbound: +91 915 200 4511



# Peek into the History of Madhya Pradesh through Museums

Welcome to Madhya Pradesh, a state in central India known for its rich cultural heritage and historical significance. As we approach the **International Museum** Day on 18th May 2023, it is an opportune time to delve into the fascinating world of museums in Madhya Pradesh.

Pg.10



# **Embracing the Beauty of** Monsoon

While many people prefer to stay indoors during the rainy season, monsoon adventure tourism offers a unique and thrilling experience for those seeking adventure and excitement even in wet weather conditions. By keeping this in mind we explored the three beautiful ASIAN countries Thailand, Indonesia and Bhutan.

Pg.12



# AlUla's Jabal Ikmah Recognized for its **Documentary Heritage**

The Royal Commission for AlUla (RCU)'s efforts to conserve the region's documentary heritage have been acknowledged with the listing of Jabal Ikmah on UNESCO's Memory of the World Register.

Pg.20



# The Mighty Oceans of the World

This World Ocean Day, spend some time in the marine world and pledge to celebrate its uniqueness. Dive deep to discover the corals, swim with the dolphins, save endangered Hawksbill turtles and learn about conserving their home.

Pg.24



# **Rainy Season** Rendezvous

Welcome to "Rainy Season Rendezvous," where we explore unparalleled hospitality experiences in enchanting destinations.

Pg.32



# **HOLIDAYS: Priceless Treasures and Wondrous Pleasures**

Family holiday with kids? These family friendly luxury hotels belong on your bucket list.

Pg.38



# **Bakstage Gourmet Elevates World Cuisine** with a Grand Twist

Just as flowers bloom, so do new ventures. Inspired by tropical and Indian flowers, especially the Lotus, which represents purity, rebirth, and strength, Bakstage as we all knew it, has made a comeback! With all new fresh and exciting vibe and an eclectic menu, Bakstage is now 'Bakstage Gourmet'.

Pg.44



Nexa Jimny: Dominate the Off-Road

Unleash Your Adventure with Maruti Suzuki's All-New 5-Door Off-Roader

Pg. 60

# SNIPPETS

he conclave brought together all the stakeholders of Rajasthan Tourism at one platform to discuss and deliberate the way forward through various panel discussions, keynote addresses, and interactive sessions.

During the conclave Pride of Rajasthan Awards Ceremony was also held, in which Lifetime Achievement Awards were conferred to Padmshri Shrimati Gulabo Sapera in the field of dance with Kala Ratn Nritya Srijan award; the Kala Ratn Shilp Srijan award to Shri Haneef Usta for his contribution in Usta Art and the award of Paryatan Ratn - Utkrisht Netrity to Shri Bhim Singh for his contribution in Tourism.

It is to be recalled that the Association of Domestic Tour Operators of India (ADTOI), a national body of almost 850 plus domestic tour operators and hospitality partners as its members spread across India, is playing a leading role in all the promotional schemes for the revival of the Tourism in India.

Chief Guest, Honourable Minister of State, Rajasthan Small Industries Corporation Limited and Chairman Rajasthan Export Promotion Council, Mr Rajiv Arora said, "Eight crore more domestic tourists have come to Rajasthan than what were coming in 2019. This reflects that like Goa and Kerala, Rajasthan holds an important place in tourism. Fair and religious tourism have made the state attractive."

Arora said that Rajasthan Industrial



# Rajasthan Domestic Tourism Stakeholders Conclave

Promotion Scheme (RIPS 2019) has benefited tourism industry and Rajasthan government has given tourism a status of industry.

He said that it is strange that Centre's budget is only double than Rajasthan whereas it has to allocate budget to other states as well.

Guest of honour, Regional Director (North), Ministry of Tourism, Government of India, Mr R.K Suman said, "Tourism department of GOI promotes domestic tourism, which has increased after corona. Centre has made several kind of policies to promote domestic tourism. We are supporting ADTOI to organise this conclave and also meet the stakeholders and we will support wherever possible."

The Chairman of the Rajasthan Chapter, Mr. Syed Wali Khaled pointed out that, "The

domestic tourism has brought in the muchneeded respite to the industry that suffered immensely during the pandemic. Yet, tourism service providers couldn't benefit much from the surge in the Domestic travellers owing to their not being well equipped to connect to the demands of the Domestic Travellers'."

On this occasion, Jaipur Heritage Mayor, Munesh Gurjar was present as guest of honour. President of ADTOI, PP Khanna, Vice President ADTOI, Ashish Sehgal also expressed their

Earlier, the conclave commenced with a lamp lighting ceremony by the dignitaries. The conclave concluded with valedictory note by Mr Ashish Sehgal, VP ADTOI, Conclave Chair and vote of thanks by Mr Mahendra Singh.

# Noida International Airport Chooses Amadeus as a Strategic Technology Partner



'nder the agreement, Amadeus will design, supply, commission, operate, and maintain the cloud-hosted endto-end PPS for Noida International Airport. Under the terms of the service engagement, Amadeus will also provide a host of smart and modern capabilities including biometric-based DigiYatra integration at every passenger touch point to enable smooth passenger experiences.

Self-service PPS touchpoints including check-in kiosks, automated bag drops, and eGates will be fully integrated and communicate in real-time with airline departure control systems and other

stakeholders to facilitate a frictionless experience for travelers.

Mr. Christoph Schnellmann, Chief Executive Officer, Noida International Airport, said, "We are pleased to partner with Amadeus for the passenger processing system at Noida International Airport. Amadeus is a leading global travel technology company, and its rich experience and stable suite of digital solutions will support NIA in delivering world-class services. This is a significant step forward in our endeavor of facilitating fast, safe and convenient journeys for travelers."

Sarah Samuel, SVP Airport and Airline Operations, APAC, Amadeus said, "Noida International Airport and Amadeus are working to co-create the digital passenger experience of the future. We look forward to supporting an end-to-end airport journey based on innovative cloud, self-service and biometric technology that delivers a smooth and relaxed airport experience. This partnership is an important milestone for Amadeus in the Indian market and beyond, showcasing the strength of our technology in supporting airports' growth from the ground up".

# ITDC Registers **Highest Ever Financial** Performance in FY2022-23



he Profit Before Tax (PBT) for FY 2022-23 reached Rs. 86.12 cr, a jump of 983% in comparison to the previous year, while the PAT stood at Rs. 60.33 cr.this year in comparison with PAT last year of Rs. 4.38 cr.

Commenting on the same, Shri. Piyush Tiwari, Director (Commercial & Marketing), said, "ITDC scripts a new success story this year with its exceptional offerings and consumer-centric services. These astounding growth figures demonstrate a historic moment for us, as we celebrate the highest-ever turnover and profit by surpassingall previous records and accomplishing notable milestones, particularly a huge rebound after the negative impact of COVID-19. We have achieved the highest consolidated turnover ever recorded for a full year, along with an unprecedented profit before tax. This incredible performance showcases our commitment to excellence and our dedication to promoting tourism in India which was made possible by the dedicated and determined efforts put in by ITDC collective."

The iconic Ashokhotel has achieved its highest ever turnover of Rs. 199.59 crand profit of Rs. 50.51 crduring FY 2022-23, further highlighting the exceptional performance of ITDC. Allthebusinessverticals at ITDChavealso shownamuch improvedperformance during the FY 2022-23. This indicates a strong demand for ITDC's incomparable hospitality offerings. The increased occupancy showcases ITDC's unwavering commitment to providing unparalleled guest experiences, ensuring customer satisfaction at the forefront of their operations. ITDC's relentless pursuit of excellence and innovation, coupled with a deep understanding of the evolving needs and preferences of its discerning guests makes it stand unique in the market. Its outstanding financial results are a reflection of recognition of ITDC's capabilities in customer's mind. By consistently raising the bar in terms of quality, service, and amenities, ITDC has successfully positioned itself as a preferred choice among travellers and business professionals alike.

# **VFS Global Supports** 282 Special Olympics **Bharat Athletes**



he three-day Visa At Your Doorstep camp organised by VFS Global at the campus of Amity University, Noida, was aimed at helping these athletes with intellectual disabilities in representing India at the Special Olympics World Games Berlin 2023, scheduled to be held from 17 to 25 June 2023. To ensure that all the 282 athletes and coaches complete their visa application submission on time, VFS Global organised mobile biometric kits and team and the staff worked 20 hours a day for three days.

'We are overwhelmed by the dedicated service rendered by VFS Global officials at the Special Olympics Bharat sports camp held recently in preparation of the Berlin games. The time and patience with which they ensured that all the delegates' visa process was completed is unprecedented and we would like to express our sincere gratitude to them. We feel proud to have esteemed institutions such as VFS Global in joining us in our endeavours of promoting inclusion of persons with Intellectual Disabilities," said Dr. Mallika Nadda, Chairperson, Special Olympics Bharat.

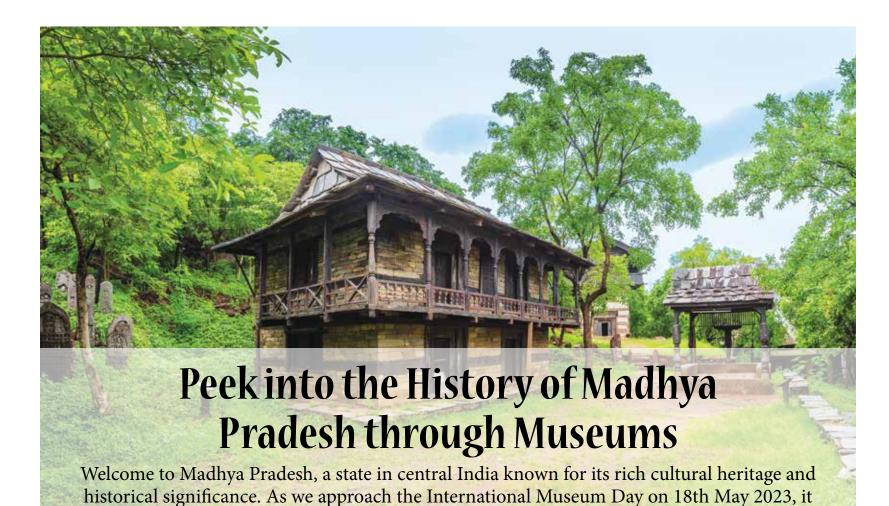
Special Olympics Bharat is a National Sports Federation also registered under the Indian Trust Act 1882 in 2001 and is accredited by Special Olympics International

to conduct Special Olympics Programs in India.

To acknowledge their efforts, all VFS Global team members were facilitated by Dr.Nadda at the Amity University campus on 28 April 2023.

"It was an honour and privilege to be part of the sporting journey of these athletes from the Special Olympics Bharat. As an organisation which was conceptualised and launched in India and was one of the earliest 'Made in India' companies, we always strive towards promoting efforts which help people in representing our country and making us proud. We wish these athletes all the very best for the Special Olympics World Games Berlin 2023," said Prabuddha Sen, Chief Operating Officer-South Asia, VFS Global.

VFS Global introduced its Visa At Your Doorstep services in 2016, offering applicants an at-home solution to the complete visa application process, including end-to-end professional guidance and biometric enrolment, from a location of choice. Currently, VFS Global offers doorstep visa services on behalf of 16 governments in India - Austria, Czech Republic, Denmark, Estonia, Finland, France, Germany, Hungary, Iceland, Italy, Latvia, Lithuania, Luxembourg, Slovenia, Switzerland, and UK.



his state boasts a diverse collection of museums, each offering a unique glimpse into the region's past, art, culture, and natural history. Madhya Pradesh is home to several renowned museums that showcase the state's vibrant history and architectural marvels. Madhya Pradesh is often called the 'heart of India', not only because it is geographically located at the center of the country but also because it is epitomizing the historical, culture and natural variety as well as the sheer antiquity of this land. Some of the oldest human and animal fossil in the world have been excavated in the Narmada valley, and the state's many rock art shelters are rich preserves of our ancestor's imaginations.

In historical times, Madhya Pradesh has been ruled by many dynasties, who built temples, forts and palaces across their empires in the state.

Dozens of museums across the state are aiding the efforts to document and preserve the history of Madhya Pradesh as it has come down to us in art and sculptures, pottery and fossil, jewelry and weapons. Let's have a look at a few museums of Madhya Pradesh.

# MP Tribal Museum

The capital of Madhya Pradesh Bhopal, which is also known as the 'City of Lakes', has several museums which have a lot of unheard truth of bygone era in its folds. One of the biggest attractions here is Tribal museum. The colorful museum is being divided into six different galleries showcasing various tribes of Madhya Pradesh. The folklores, lifestyle, rituals and social customs of all seven indigenous tribes of MP- the Gonds, Bhils, Bharias, Sahariya, Korku, Kol, and Baiga are

showcased in the museum through a repository of traditional art. In fact, lives of the region's seven tribes are being celebrated here via their craft. The moment you step into the galleries inside the museum, you get a strong feel about not just witnessing the galleries but a strong feeling of entering straight into the lifestyles of the tribes of Madhya Pradesh.

is an opportune time to delve into the fascinating world of museums in Madhya Pradesh.

# Indira Gandhi Rashtriya Manav Sangrahalaya (IGRMS)

Any exploration of a museum is incomplete without a visit to the Indira Gandhi RashtriyaManavSangrahalaya (IGRMS), in Bhopal. On a sprawling land of over 200 acres, one can see the open-air exhibition of tribal habitats from all corners of India. These dwells are made by the tribes themselves using the indigenous raw material that depict the lifestyle of tribal in the villages. The open-air exhibitions include Himalayan Village, Medicinal Trail, Mythological Trails, Desert Village and Rock-Art Heritage that displays 36 rock shelters with stunning prehistoric paintings. The museum also exhibits a collection of traditional outfits, agricultural & household objects and other crafts showcasing the regime of the tribes!

# Maharaja Chhatrasal Museum, Dhubela

Situated at a distance of 62km from Khajuraho, Maharaja Chhatrasal Museum is located in Dhubela on the Chhatarpur-Nowgaon highway in Chhatarpur district of Madhya Pradesh. Popularly known as Dhubela Museum, the palace was built by Maharaja Chhatrasal on the

banks of Dhubela Lake. Established in 1955, the museum helps tourist to know the history of famous Bundela dynasty of Khajuraho. This museum has eight galleries, of which two galleries display inscriptions, copper plates, Sati pillars, lingas and inscribed images of the Gupta and Kalachuri period. The museum houses a wide range of sculptures of the Shakti cult. It has also a significant collection of Jaina images.

# Adivart Tribal and Folk Art Museum, Khajuraho

Situated within the Chandela Cultural Complex in Khajuraho, this museum is an ideal place for history lovers, as it possesses a rich collection of tribal and folk art and artifacts. The museum offers the visitors a peek into the history of customs and rituals of different tribes in Madhya Pradesh. It houses over 500 tribal antiques, folk paintings, jewellery, masks, terracotta objects, metal craft and bamboo items. One can also buy some original paintings and prints here. This museum also exhibits the evolution of centuries.

# Gujari Mahal Archeological Museum, Gwalior

GujariMahal is one of the most visited places in Gwalior. The palace was built by king Man Singh for his beloved queen Mrignayani who was born in Gurjar family. It is now known as the Archeological Survey of India's museum in Gwalior. The archaeological heritage displayed in the museum is comprised of stone sculptures, terracotta figures, stone inscriptions, copper plate inscriptions, coins, bronze sculptures, paintings, arms & weapons and excavated material.



# MADHYA PRADESH A SWIFT AND SUBTLE ADVENTURE TOURISM DESTINATION !

If you are really bored of those regular travel trips and are eager to try out some adventure activities, the heart of the country, Madhya Pradesh has a lot for you. The state offers many thrilling and soft adventure activities to tourists. From sky diving, scuba diving, rafting, trekking, jungle safaris, camping, and heritage walks to food walks, there is something for everyone.

Camping and adventure activities like trekking, group games, safaris, etc are enjoyed by adventure lovers. Tourists experience stargazing, bonfire, and dusk drive, swimming, riverside jungle trail with bird watching, and tribal cuisine with a barbeque in the jungles of Satpura. Apart from this, the travel bugs also enjoy various water sports activities in the heart of Incredible India.

### **Tiger Safari in Madhya Pradesh**

Encounter tigers and other animals on a wildlife safari tour in six tiger sanctuaries in Madhya Pradesh namely Kanha, Bandhavgarh, Satpura, Pench, Panna and Sanjay Duburi. The only place you could find Cheetah in India is at Kuno National Park in Sheopur district.

# **Sky Diving in Ujjain**

Every year in January, a sky diving festival is organised in Ujjain where visitors can sky dive from over 10,000 feet and enjoy the auspicious view of the 'religious capital of Madhya Pradesh'.

# Orchha river rafting

River rafting is another exciting sport that can be enjoyed by adventure seekers in Orchha's Betwa River. This activity not only gives you a thrill, but also offers a beautiful view of the royal Orchha-chatris on the exotic shores of the river. The best time to go rafting in Orchha is from August to February.

# Zip lining at Kerwa Dam in Bhopal

The Kerwa Dam in Bhopal is known for its diverse activities. The most popular is the flying fox zip lining. The zip line here is one of the longest double zip lines in India. So why wait? Experience the thrill.

### Ride the cable car in Bhedaghat

Viewing Marble Rocks and Dhuandhar Waterfall via Cable Ride from Bhedaghat is the most rewarding experience for any tourist. In addition to riding the cable car, you can also sail among the marble rocks for a closer look. The full moon makes sailing even more memorable as you witness the towering rocks naturally twinkle at night.

### **Bicycle Safari in Van Vihar**

Van Vihar National Park in the capital of Madhya Pradesh, Bhopal, is blessed with the densest forests and abundant wildlife. Bicycle safari in Bhopal's Van Vihar National Park gives you the chance to experience the state's rich biodiversity.

### **Enjoy Boating and Kayaking in Bhopal**

The best way to relax is on a boat surrounded by nature. Explore boating and cruising opportunities at Bhopal's Boat Club. Kayaking is another exciting water sport that requires a lot of skill to perform.

### Parasailing, paragliding and climbing on Pachmarhi Hills

Situated at the mounting height, Madhya

Pradesh's most verdant charm Pachmarhi also known as 'Satpura ki Rant rules the range of Satpura. Nestled in the hills and filled with scenic beauty all around, Pachmarhi not only has spiritual spots and gushing waterfalls but also have a lot of adventure. Parasailing and paragliding are exciting and adrenalinepumping sports. Other activities that fit into the landscape of Pachmarhi are rock climbing and trekking.

### Trekking trails in the woods There are numerous treks

developed for the tourists to enjoy camping in the nature including the Forsyth Trek and Jatashankar trek of Pachmarhi, the Chidikho trek in Narsinghgarh and the Janapav Trek in Indore. Other than these famous

treks, camping sites are also developed at Orchha, Panna, Pachmarhi, Kanha and Indore.

### **Adventurous Mega Festivals**

MP Tourism conducts annual mega festivals at Hanuwantiya (Jal Mahotsav), Gandhi Sagar (Gandhi Sagar Floating Festival) and Mandu (Mandu Utsav) where various adventure activates and recreational activities are organized including Hot Air ballooning. paramotoring, paragliding, parasailing, jet skiing, kayaking etc. for the visitors at the festivals. After the enormous success of these events MP Tourism is set to develop Orchha Kuno, Tamia, Ater, Bargi Dam and Chanderi for the conduction of these mega festivals in 2023-2024.

Get ready to discover some truly exciting and serene adventures to satiate your thirst in Madhya Pradesh!





ndonesia, renowned for its breathtaking natural landscapes and cultural heritage, becomes a playground for adventure enthusiasts during the monsoon season. The country offers an extraordinary setting for thrilling escapades. Here we discovered the hidden gems and remarkable experiences that await intrepid travelers in this tropical paradise.

The monsoon season in Indonesia usually occurs from September to April. As a country that has a monsoon season, Indonesia needs to offer a travel experience that goes along with it. Tourists can do several attractive adventure packages during the monsoon season in Indonesia: rafting, river tubing, ATV riding, and offroading. Luckily, several destinations in Indonesia have rivers that can be utilized for water tourism activities. Rafting and river tubing are recreational water sports that follow the river current by using rubber rafts. The rainy season makes these riverbased activities even more fun. The strong currents make the river water discharge higher, making it suitable for rafting and river tubing activities. Likewise, ATV riding and off-roading activities will be more exciting if done on muddy roads with plenty of mud splash to make it more fun.

Tanjung Puting National Park is a national park in Indonesia located in the southeastern part of Pangkalan Bun city in the province of Central Kalimantan - one of the Indonesian parts of Borneo island, the largest island in Asia. The national park is famous for its endangered orangutan conservation and is considered one of the

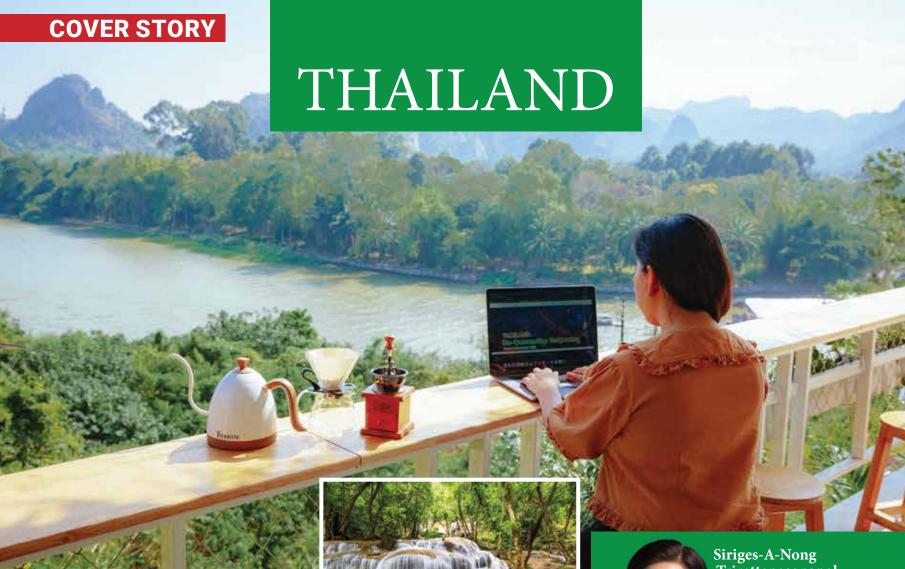
places that offer an exceptional monsoon experience. Here you will experience an unforgettable river cruising experience into the deep lust of Borneo's famous tropical rainforest. The river cruise would usually take two days on a riverboat as the transportation and also accommodation. The boat cabin is fully equipped with air conditioning and other guest facilities. Prepare your camera and smartphone to capture the exotic diversity of tropical wildlife in the rainforest. Here you will witness the majestic orangutans, proboscis monkeys (nasalis larvatus), an abundance of bird species, and other tropical wildlife in their amazing indigenous habitat while enjoying chilling in the cozy river boat and a little trekking through the rainforest. In Yogyakarta, in the southern central part of Java island, there are also exciting adventure activities during the monsoon. There is a Lava Tour Merapi tour package on the active volcano of Mount Merapi. Lava Tour Merapi is a tourist activity on the slopes of Mount Merapi using 4WD vehicles, including Jeeps, Land Rover, Land Cruisers, and several other 4WD models. Tourists will be taken on a breathtaking mountain ride journey along the slopes of Mount Merapi while stopping at several places of interest to take photos, mostly at historical volcanic eruption sites. The 4WD vehicles drivers will drive quite fast but in safety standards in some river areas just to make the river water splash on the tourists. Be ready to get your clothes a little soaked because that's where the real fun is.

Wisnu Sindhutrisno Director of Tourism Marketing for the Asia Pacific Region Ministry of Tourism and Creative Economy, Republic of Indonesia

> "All the legitimate tour operators in Indonesia are ready to provide excellent service for travelers at any time of the

year to all of Indonesia's popular tourist destinations. Just be sure to check their safety procedures and other related information. For example, Adventure Indonesia, as one of the Indonesia Tour Operators & DMC, always conducts a safety briefing procedure before any adventure activities during the monsoon season and explains what guests must do if unwanted things happen. They also provide raincoats, first aid kits, and medicine; prepare certified medical standby for groups of tourists; and also coordinate with the nearest clinic/hospital if carrying out tourism activities.'

While focusing on safety and security he added "Safety and security play a significant role during monsoon season. Tour operators and guides must conduct a safety briefing before any adventure activities, including during monsoon season. Tour operators must also carry out periodic checks and maintenance of all their equipment to ensure the security and safety of tourists. Tour operators also need to make a safety analysis of every activity and place tourists visit to know what to do if something unwanted happens, particularly in remote or less-developed areas. For example, knowing where the closest hospital/clinic is and the medical history of tourists is also essential. However, usually for remote and vulnerable areas, the government and local tourism managers will issue specific safety warnings so that tourists can be more vigilant during their trips."



hen it comes to Thailand, most people tend to think of popular destinations like Bangkok, Pattaya, and Phuket. However, these well-known areas are just a fraction of what Thailand has to offer. With 77 provinces in total, the country is brimming with unexplored gems waiting to be discovered. It is time for travelers to venture into new destinations, where they can truly experience the essence of Thailand through its nature, culture, and people. The upcoming monsoon season presents a fantastic opportunity to explore Thailand's diverse landscapes.

Many destinations in Thailand will provide spectacular experiences during the monsoon season from serene natural landscapes to captivating cultural encounters, travelers can immerse themselves in the beauty and authenticity of Thailand. It is an invitation to step off the beaten path and embrace the hidden treasures that await.

Kanchanaburi and Nakorn Ratchasima are two provinces that I would like to suggest. These are MUST-VISIT destinations for nature lovers, especially in the monsoon season. Kanchanaburi is accessible by road or rail, only two hours from Bangkok. It is a popular resort town. Picturesque and worthy of a visit in its own right, it is frequently visited as a base of operations for exploring the many cultural, natural, and historical attractions in the surrounding countryside. The town itself is a place to relax, watching the water from the banks of the river, inside a raft house, or from a riverside restaurant. Many visitors like

to rest along the river with a cold drink and a good book. While some visitors come here for just a couple of days, they end up staying for weeks to explore all the attractions, including spectacular waterfalls, lush forests, and three of Thailand's largest reservoirs. Popular activities for visitors include white water rafting, elephant trekking, and golfing. A new attraction that has just come up is the Skywalk Bridge, which offers a different angle view of Kanchanaburi to tourists. Nakorn Ratchasima, also known as Khorat, is the biggest province in Thailand in terms of space. It is home to the first Thailand World Natural Heritage Site and the most popular national park, "Khao Yai." This is the best option for mammal watching. Apart from Kui Buri National Park, Khao Yai is the next best park in the country where it is relatively easy to encounter elephants with a bit of luck. Some other often-seen mammals include northern pig-tailed macaques, barking deer, sambar deer, gibbons, porcupines, and civets. Other more elusive species seen from time to time are sun bears, Asian black bears, gaurs, otters, dholes, and jackals. Historically, Khorat province was an important area for thousands of years, first as the site of several ancient prehistoric communities and later as an important site of Hindu civilization in Thailand. Pimai Historical Park is also considered one of the spiritual homes of the Thai silk-weaving industry. Those interested in culture will enjoy shopping for some of the country's best cloth.

Trirattanasongpol,
Director, Tourism
Authority of Thailand
New Delhi Office

while focusing on ensuring a secure journey for adventurers in off-the-grid locations said "Thailand has been running its tourism industry for more than 60 years, and therefore, our

safety and security systems for tourists have been developed over the years. Normally, the tourist attractions in Thailand are under official supervision. We have tourist policies in most tourist areas, and service providers must also follow safety standards related to their services, which are regularly checked by relevant authorities. In the tourist areas, officials, tour guides, and local operators are well-trained in first aid and rescue, whether in popular destinations or remote areas. In case of serious incidents, Thailand has medical evacuation services available in all areas.

For adventurers, we recommend exploring our precious nature in National Parks, where officials will look after them and provide proper instructions. Under the supervision of our officials, we can rest assured that tourists will travel safely. The same rules apply to other natural attractions—following instructions, cautions, rules, and regulations will keep you safe from all risks, especially during the monsoon season."

# **COVER STORY**



hutan's monsoon season, a spectacle celebrated by adventure enthusiasts, captivates with its unique charm. This is a time of breathtaking landscapes and exhilarating experiences. Traverse vibrant forests, tread on less trodden trails, and embrace the allure of hidden gems like Bumthang, Punakha, Phobjikha Valley, and Haa Valley. In Bhutan, safety is paramount, with certified operators ensuring secure and aweinspiring journeys. Allow yourself to be enchanted by Bhutan's monsoon enchantment, where unforgettable memories await amidst nature's vibrant embrace.

The kingdom of Bhutan experiences changing seasons. Such diverse seasons yield unique and unparalleled experiences for visitors. In particular, the monsoon season, which lasts from June to September, presents uncommon experiences and opportunities for adventurous activities. Bhutan is a well-known destination for breathtaking trekking routes. The monsoon season adds even more beauty to the place. It revitalizes the forests' vibrant greenery and offers breathtaking sights. Hikers can witness wildflowers in bloom, gushing waterfalls, and mist-shrouded valleys. Adventurers have the chance to experience Bhutan's natural splendor during the monsoon season by embarking on well-known treks such as Snowman Trek, Jomolhari Trek, Drukpath Trek, and many other stunning treks in Bhutan. In addition to trekking activities, the monsoon season also makes Bhutan an ideal place and offers the perfect time for thrilling water-based activities, including rafting and kayaking along the stunning rivers of Bhutan. Pho Chhu and Mo Chhu rivers in Punakha are popular spots for these activities, where visitors can enjoy navigating and rafting through the river rapids surrounded by lush greenery and breathtaking landscapes.

Wildlife and bird watching is yet another activity that visitors can enjoy during the monsoon season. It provides a unique opportunity for wildlife enthusiasts and bird watchers. The monsoon season brings rainfall, nourishing the forest and attracting a wide range of animal species. It's an excellent opportunity to observe wildlife in its natural setting. Furthermore, Bhutan is blessed with natural hot springs that are believed to have healing properties. The monsoon season adds a touch of serenity and tranquility to these hot springs. Visitors can relax and rejuvenate in these mineral-rich waters amidst the lush green surroundings while enjoying the gentle rainfall.

BHUTAN

Bhutan, a Himalayan Kingdom, has many locations and regions that provide distinctive monsoon adventure opportunities. All of Bhutan's regions and places of interest offer a variety of adventure activities to visitors, but during the monsoon season, a few famous locations stand out for their fascinating adventure activities. Bumthang is well known for its beautiful valley, temples, and monasteries. The best time to visit Bumthang is during the monsoon season due to its breathtaking valley, surrounded by apple orchards and lush vegetation, making it the ideal place to visit during this time.

Another location where visitors can enjoy tours and various activities during the monsoon season is Punakha. One can enjoy the stunning scenery of Punakha and the expansive, lush green paddy fields. Additionally, Punakha experiences moderate monsoon rainfall, resulting in lush vegetation and flowing rivers that provide a picturesque backdrop for kayaking and river rafting excursions.

The Phobjikha Valley, located in the Wangdue Phodrang district, is well-known for its breathtaking scenery and the critically endangered black-necked cranes that often migrate through during the monsoon season. Visitors can enjoy hiking and bird watching while also discovering the local culture in the gorgeous Phobjikha Valley. The scenic Haa Valley in western Bhutan is renowned for its unspoiled beauty and extensive cultural history. The area receives comparatively little precipitation during the monsoon, making it ideal for outdoor pursuits such as hiking, mountain biking, and visiting monasteries.

The charm and diversity of these destinations during the monsoon season present a unique opportunity for travelers to explore the lesstrodden paths and immerse themselves in the untamed beauty of nature. From exhilarating aqua escapades to unraveling verdant jungles and clandestine valleys, these havens bestow extraordinary encounters in awe-inspiring



Dorji Dhradul, Director General, Tourism Council Bhutan.

Mr. Dhradul shed light on ensuring a secure journey for adventurers and stated "While the monsoon season presents opportunities for uncommon adventure sports like trekking, hiking, rafting, and many other thrilling activities, Bhutan prioritizes the safety and security of visitors engaging in such sports. All service providers must be certified and licensed by the Department of Tourism (DOT) in Bhutan to offer these adventurous activities. The DOT ensures that they are thoroughly trained and knowledgeable about safety procedures, weather patterns, and geography. Additionally, a trekking permit is required for certain trekking routes, such as the Snowman Trek. This allows the relevant authorities to monitor individuals and their whereabouts more easily. The DOT also places a strong emphasis on providing consistent training and certification programs for tour guides, tour operators, and other stakeholders. Through these programs, participants in adventure activities can enhance their knowledge and skills, becoming better equipped to handle various challenges and emergencies. Furthermore, validated and licensed service providers in Bhutan must ensure that proper safety gear for adventure activities during the monsoon season is provided to guests engaging in these activities."

"A list of tour operators that are registered and certified by the Department of Tourism (DOT) is available on DOT Bhutan's official website."

# **ATM: Working Towards Net Zero**

Arabian Travel Market 2023 sees 29% year-on-year growth in attendees as Middle East's largest travel and tourism exhibition sets new record.



ore than 40,000 people - including 30,000 visitors - attended the 30th edition of Arabian Travel Market (ATM), which concluded last week in Dubai, UAE.

This not only represents a year-on-year increase of 29% in attendees compared to 2022, it also represents a 5% increase over 2019, establishing a new record for the show, demonstrating that the Middle East's travel and tourism sector is booming.

In line with ATM 2023's theme, 'Working Towards Net Zero', more than 2,100 exhibitors and representatives from over 150 countries gathered at Dubai World Trade Centre (DWTC) to explore how the industry can ensure sustainable travel for future generations.

Danielle Curtis, Exhibition Director ME, Arabian Travel Market, said: "My colleagues and I are thrilled that so many tourism professionals were able to join us in Dubai to celebrate the 30th edition of the show and shine a spotlight on our





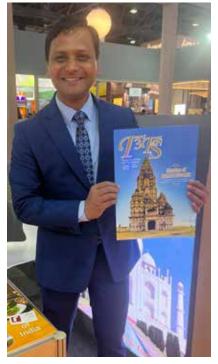




# TRADE EVENT















sector's ongoing journey to net zero. The fact that we witnessed record attendance at ATM 2023 is extremely encouraging and a strong indication that the Middle East's travel industry is once again in excellent shape."

To mark three decades of ATM, there were a number of special events on the agenda during the four-day exhibition. Hilton won the inaugural Sustainable Stand Award. Selected by an independent panel of judges, the hospitality brand was chosen for its decision to use a local supplier in the creation of its stand as well as its commitment to repurposing materials as much as possible over the coming three years. Hilton also used a carbon calculator to measure the carbon footprint associated with its involvement in the show and has taken steps to mitigate this output.

The prestigious Pearl Award was also created exclusively for the 30th edition of ATM and awarded to Colm McLoughlin, Executive Vice Chairman and CEO of Dubai Duty Free, for his outstanding contribution to the travel and tourism sector in the UAE. McLoughlin began his career at Dubai Duty Free in 1983 and has since helped to transform the organisation into a \$2 billion company.

Moderated by Eleni Giokos, Anchor and Correspondent CNN, the show's opening session delved into a climate change debate as tourism heads took to the Global Stage. The prestigious line-up of speakers included Sujit Mohanty, Regional Division for the Arab States, United Nations Office for Disaster Risk Reduction (UNDRR); Dr Abed Al Razzaq Arabiyat, Managing Director, Jordan Tourism Board; and HE Walid Nassar, Lebanon's Minister of Tourism.

ATM 2023 was held in conjunction with Dubai World Trade Centre, and its strategic partners include Dubai's Department of Economy and Tourism (DET) as the Destination Partner, Emirates as the Official Airline Partner, IHG Hotels & Resorts as the Official Hotel Partner and Al Rais Travel as the Official DMC Partner.



# AlUla's Jabal Ikmah Recognized for its Documentary Heritage

The Royal Commission for AlUla (RCU)'s efforts to conserve the region's documentary heritage have been acknowledged with the listing of Jabal Ikmah on UNESCO's Memory of the World Register.

he spectacular mountain and its sandstone canyons featuremore than 300 historically significant carved inscriptions, most of which date from the second half of the first millennium BCE. The site features the largest collection of inscriptions recording the ancient Dadanite Kingdom's religious rituals, daily activities, and relations with neighboring peoples.

As part of its role in delivering Saudi Arabia's Vision 2030, RCU is heavily investing in the study and conservation of sites such as Jabal Ikmah, an open-air library situated in the world's largest living museum. These efforts to enhance the world's understanding of Jabal Ikmah, while improving visitors' access in a sustainable way, have contributed to this public affirmation by UNESCO of the magnitude and international significance of AlUla's documentary heritage.

José Ignacio Gallego Revilla, Executive Director of the Kingdoms Institute, Archaeology, Heritage Research, and Conservation Department at the Royal Commission for AlUla, said: "The significance of Jabal Ikmah's inscriptions transcends regional boundaries to reach the level of global relevance, in particular as part of the evolution of Old Arabic languages and dialects. Their authenticity and integrity, both for the information preserved about ancient societies as well as the conservation of the site, bring together the essentials that make this place unique for the Memory of the World as the chronicle of a lost time through the largest number of inscriptions in an Ancient North Arabian script."

As a crossroads on the incense and pilgrimage routes, the AlUla oasis was a hub of commercial and cultural exchange. It hosted merchants of myrrh, frankincense, and other precious commodities. This cultural richness propelled the growth of settlements, including Dadan. The Dadanite Kingdom flourished and developed its own alphabet form of the South Semitic writing system. The Dadanites then recorded their history through petroglyphs carved into the sloping red and yellow sandstone rocks of AlUla. The greatest concentration of inscriptions is sheltered in the gorge of Jabal Ikmah, which is characteristic of AlUla's jagged landscape formed by tectonic movements that date to the opening of the Red

Sea 30 million years ago.

Many of Jabal Ikmah's inscriptions reflect a variety of subjects such as rituals, kings, animalsand agriculture, key to the story of AlUla's past. Conservation of such landmarks iscentral to RCU's vision for the future of AlUla, which emphasizes the region's cultural heritage as both a beacon for tourism and a springboard for innovation and economic benefits that raise the quality of life for the community.

The listing builds on RCU's existing partnership with UNESCO. RCU's global network of partners for culture, which also includes ICOMOS, the Louvre Museum and the French Agency for the Development of AlUla (Afalula), plays a vital role in the regeneration of AlUla County as a leading global destination for cultural and natural heritage.

RCU is establishing the Kingdoms Institute as a global hub for archaeology, heritage research and conservation. Currently active as a research organisation, the institute will have a permanent base in the Dadan district of AlUla, a site that by 2035 is expected to be a prime destination for two million visitors a year attracted largely by its rich heritage.



# Bahrain and **Qatar to** resume flights as of May 25

Qatar and Bahrain, two dynamic nations in the heart of the Arabian Gulf, are delighted to announce the long-awaited resumption of flights between the two countries starting as of 25th May 2023 in accordance with what was agreed upon between the concerned authorities in the two brotherly countries.

# Utah's Bryce Canyon to Host Special Centennial Ceremony

The month of June marks as Bryce Canyon National Park's 100th anniversary of being a protected national treasure. To celebrate its centennial of welcoming travelers from all over the world, the park is all geared up to host a series of astronomy, geology, and wildlife festivals and events throughout the month of June.



n June 08, Bryce Canyon will celebrate its 100th anniversary by reflecting on the changes that have taken place over the last century, "the rim of the Bryce Amphitheater has retreated an average of 22 inches, 18,000 freeze, and thaw cycles have shaped and toppled countless hoodoos, the sun has risen 36,889 times over Thor's Hammer." The park will also host a special centennial ceremony and a canyon rim performance by The Piano Guys, a beloved Utah music group.

The following week, June 14-17, is the annual Bryce Canyon Astronomy Festival. The event, which coincides with June's new moon, includes constellation tours and ranger-led evening programs to showcase the dark, star-filled skies Bryce Canyon National Park - Utah's fourth national park, and 13th location altogether, to receive dark sky certification from the International Dark-Sky Association. Attendees will enjoy a variety of astronomy-themed activities and programs offered both day and night.

# New Zealand's Hawke Bay: 12th Great Wine Capital of the World

Hawke's Bay was named a Great Wine Capital of the world, setting it alongside eleven other prestigious wine regions such as Bordeaux (France), Napa Valley (USA), Bilbao (Spain) and Adelaide (Australia)

he bid was led by Hawke's Bay Tourism, on behalf of a working group that also included Hawke's Bay Wine Growers, Hastings District Council, Napier City Council, Hawke's Bay Airport and EIT/TePūkenga.

Admission to the Great Wine Capitals programme, as the 12th Capital worldwide, comes after a stringent selection process that looks at a region's winegrowing industry, its history, its wine tourism, educational opportunities, business, and travel, as well as the cities and region itself.

In announcing the news, Hawke's Bay Tourism CEO, Hamish Saxton said the significance of being named a Great Wine Capital of the world is a remarkable milestone for the region.

"Hawke's Bay's inclusion as one of just 12 Great Wine Capitals of the world is of regional and national significance. It is recognition that Hawke's Bay wines are among the world's best, and that our nation's wine growing industry, while still young, offers quality to rival the world's oldest. We have long known that Hawke's Bay, as New Zealand's Food and Wine Country, stood out for its winemaking. This new achievement gives Hawke's Bay a unique positioning in New Zealand and the world. The climate, unique soils and the innovation of so many talented



individuals, have come together to deliver an accolade the region wholeheartedly deserves. It is a true legacy for the region and will continue to deliver benefits to industry, education, business and tourism for the years to come. Becoming a Great Wine Capital will also give a significant boost to the region's post-cyclone recovery, particularly with the wine industry already generating an estimated \$300 million direct revenue to the Hawke's Bay economy and contributing \$156m to GDP. The accolade will further increase Hawke's Bay's global recognition and will give it access to additional expertise, resources, and support from the best



of the global wine and tourism industries."

Hamish Saxton, Chief Executive of Hawke's Bay Tourism said: "Cyclone Gabrielle may have dealt us a blow, but this recognition shows that Hawke's Bay is still the top-quality wine destination it always was. The Great Wine Capitals Global Network is already providing fantastic support and information to those wineries impacted by the cyclone. Most of our wineries and cellar doors are now back open and keen to welcome manuhiri. So, whether you're a wine buff or just like a nice glass with your meal, Hawke's Bay is the spot for you."

Jo Collins, President of the Adelaide, South Australia Great Wine Capitals Steering Committee said: "To be a member of the Great Wine Capitals Global Network requires a Capital to possess something truly 'great'. Above average. Excellent in a global context. We are thrilled to welcome Hawke's Bay and the twin cities of Napier and Hastings to our esteemed network. The quality of the wines from this region, their international recognition and unwavering commitment to excellence in grape and wine production, sustainable tourism and education was evident and saw them unanimously voted in by our existing 11 network members. A key strength of the network is that members do not see themselves as competitors, but rather working together with a spirit of cooperation to support and learn from each other through common challenges and opportunities. And importantly continuing to lift the bar in terms of the global wine and

tourism offering. The arrival of this beautiful region of New Zealand will further enhance the quality and excellence of our network, and open new areas of co-operation. As the representative of Adelaide, South Australia to the network, I eagerly anticipate the opportunity to work together with Hawke's Bay to seize opportunities and address challenges within our respective wine sectors. I have personally witnessed the incredible outcomes that arise from the exchange of knowledge, ideas, and experiences, and I am excited about the potential for mutual growth and success. Becoming a Great Wine Capital is also welcome recognition for the people who work in the industry."

Hawke's Bay Wine Chair Sally Duncan said: "The passion and persistence of our wine community and this special place at the bottom of the world has propelled Hawke's Bay to sit alongside the best in the world."

Blessed with some of the best wine-growing soils and climates in the country, Hawke's Bay produces top quality wines that can stand tall with the greatest wine regions in the world, producing more than 40,000 tonnes of grapes and with more than 200 vineyards, 125 wine producers and more than 30 cellar doors.

The region also offers a wonderful tourism experience for those with a passion for the grape. Whether it's the allure of long vineyard lunches, bike tours between cellar doors or a chance to stock up your wine collection, Hawke's Bay has become a go to destination for domestic and international visitors alike.

# Saudi Launches **New Tourist** Attractions for Indian **Travellers**

Saudi Tourism Authority has leveraged its partnership with the TATA Indian Premier League (IPL) to launch bespoke promotional packages with leading travel agencies like Akbar Travels, SOTC, Make My Trip, Cleartrip, and Ease My Trip; promoting Saudi as the leading leisure destination for Indian travellers.

audi has also announced the opening of multiple VFS Tasheer Visa offices by the end of May. These offices will serve as the authorized visa partners for the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, providing applicants with efficient and secure administrative visa services.

As part of Saudi's tourism strategy, India represents immense potential as it is expected to be Saudi's largest tourism source market by 2030.Recently, IndiGo Airlines announced a new airline route from Ahmedabad to Jeddah, with daily direct flights starting August 11, 2023, which should further boost tourism from India.

With the aim of promoting its leisure and entertainment offerings to the world, Saudi is also excited to announce the opening of VIA Riyadh, scheduled for May 18. This event is set to attract a global audience and will showcase Saudi's latest luxury shopping and entertainment district. The new development will feature the luxurious The St. Regis hotel, 23 international brands, 17restaurants and seven cinemas. VIA Riyadh





will be home to severalinternational awardwinning restaurants including Gymkhana, Ferdi, Bianca, and Les Deux Magots. The new project is part of the initiative to develop Saudi's entertainment sector and help diversify the economy as part of the Saudi Vision 2030.

To attract more visitors, the country had also announced the Stopover Visa, allowing Indian passengers traveling with SAUDIA to spend up to 96 hours in Saudi Arabia and enjoy a complimentary hotel night. This move, along with Saudi Tourism Authority's partnerships with airlines, leading tour operators and IPL to promote Saudi's diverse offerings for Indian travelers demonstrates Saudi's commitment to developing its tourism sector and positioning itself as the new leisure tourism frontier.

As a country steeped in history, Saudi Arabia has many cultural treasures waiting to be discovered. Indian visitors can embrace Saudi's history and heritage at the Ushaiger Heritage Village in the

heart of the Najd region to get a glimpse into traditional Saudi life, as well as explore Diriyah, a UNESCO World Heritage Site and the birthplace of Arabia. The Saudi National Museum in Riyadh brings visitors on a journey through centuries of culture, art and history from prehistoric Arabia to the modernday kingdom, giving Indian travellers the opportunity to immerse themselves in the vibrant arts and culture scene of Saudi Arabia.

# The Mighty Oceans of the World

This World Ocean Day, spend some time in the marine world and pledge to celebrate its uniqueness. Dive deep to discover the corals, swim with the dolphins, save endangered Hawksbill turtles and learn about conserving their home.

# Swim with butterflyfish in Koh Tao, Thailand

Koh Tao Island is no less than a tropical haven, thanks to the profusion of spectacular beaches, dive sites, and a wealth of different activities to enjoy. Tanote Bay, located on the island's east coast, is perfect for travellers who wish to witness the Kingdom's marine life teeming with various species, such as

butterflyfish, angelfish, parrotfish, rabbitfish, and groupers.

The island encourages ethical and sustainable tourism by organising Spotlight Koh Tao, an annual event comprising workshops and exhibitions which inspire tourists to participate in activities such as coral reef rehabilitation, sea glass jewellery making, coco tie-dye making, and fish aggregation with locals, among other

initiatives that contribute towards marine conservation.

# Witness the largest aggregation of whale sharks in Qatar

As a peninsula surrounded by the Arabian Sea and blessed with year-round sunny weather, Qatar is famous for crystal-clear beaches,



waterparks, and marinas that invite everyone to try out activities and experiences.

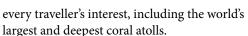
The country also serves as the perfect habitat for many aquatic species that thrive in warmer temperatures, such as the Hawksbill Turtles that feed on marine delicacies at Al Ghariyah Beach. In addition, Qatar is home to the largest aggregation of whale sharks that prefer the warm and shallow sea waters of the country's northeast coast, located about 145 km from Doha and reached by yacht. Qatar also accommodates the world's second-largest population of Dugongs at the Al Thakira mangrove forest. One can witness these underwater creatures in full glory from April to September by kayaking.

# Discover vibrant corals in the deepest atolls of Maldives

From heavenly beaches and lush palm trees to turquoise waters and diverse marine life, the Islands of Maldives embody everything perfect for a leisurely escapade. Designed in harmony with the natural environment, The Residence Maldives offers myriad activities catering to







The waters of the resort's GaafuAlifu atoll are home to over 1,200 species of corals, fish, sharks, green turtles, manta rays, and eagle rays. You can witness them by snorkelling and deepsea diving. The resort also largely contributes to marine conservation by being part of the Maldives Underwater Initiative promoted by the Maldivian Ministry of Tourism and the Protect Maldives Seagrass, an initiative launched by the Blue Marine Foundation.

# Save the endangered turtles in **Oman**

Nestled between the majestic mountains and glittering waters of the Gulf, Shangri-La Barr Al Jissah, Muscat, reflects the beauty of this Middle Eastern country. The sea around the resort is replete with rich marine life, such as turtles, rays, eels, fish, coral reefs, and shipwrecks that make beautiful underwater sights.

A fully equipped and professionally staffed Dive Centre arranges daily excursions and guided diving tours. A night-time expedition and three daily dives are available too. Marine experts guarantee that everyone makes the most of their aquatic adventure. Oman is home to five different species of turtles, and one of the nesting sites is Shangri-La Muscat's private beach. The Turtle Care Project aims to protect the



endangered hawksbill and green turtle species as a ranger looks after nests and protects them from potential threats. Between March and September, when hundreds of turtles return to the resort's beach to lay eggs, guests are invited to witness hatchings, help to protect their nests and attend Turtle Talks at the hotel's Eco Centre.

The Gulf of Oman is also home to hundreds of dolphins, sometimes seen together in pods of 250. Every morning, tours depart from the resort's marina, even as marine experts talk about conservation efforts and ways to contribute to them.

# Feel the adrenaline rush in Ko Pha-Ngan, Thailand

Akin to its sister islands, Koh Samui and Koh Tao, Ko Pha-Ngan is a paradise for thalassophiles and water sports enthusiasts. Travellers can indulge in water activities, such as snorkelling, scuba diving, wakeboarding, kitesurfing, parasailing, and kayaking.

COREsea, a marine research and conservation programme instituted on this island, has been educating people about Southeast Asia's marine biodiversity. They conduct independent research and experiments and even provide research vessels, diving equipment, and accommodations for those who wish to observe and volunteer in their marine conservation mission.





# Flydubai Cargo adopts **DG AutoCheck**

flydubai, the Dubai-based carrier, has become the first airline in the MENA region to adopt IATA's Dangerous Goods AutoCheck (DG AutoCheck) digital solution. This demonstrates the airline's ongoing commitment to invest in the latest technologies and innovative solutions across the business to enhance operational performance.

G AutoCheck is an IATA digital solution for the acceptance of dangerous goods shipments. The automated compliance solution will allow flydubai Cargo to optimise dangerous goods acceptance processes to ensure the highest level of safety.

Earlier this week flydubai participated at the DG AutoCheck Forum as part of the 35th International Air Transport Association (IATA) Ground Handling Conference (IGHC). At the IGHC, Mohamed Hassan, Senior Vice President of Airport Services & Cargo, received the IATA certification on flydubai's behalf.

# **Mohamed Hassan, Senior Vice President of Airport Services and Cargo**



We are pleased to be the first airline in the region to adopt DG AutoCheck. Since the launch of flydubai Cargo in 2012, we have

remained dedicated to investing in innovative solutions to optimise our cargo capabilities. The implementation of this digital solution for a commercial airline shows the highest level of commitment to adopting best-inclass practices in the industry. DG AutoCheck provides a digital solution to effectively manage the transport of dangerous goods by air for our customers while at the same time enhancing safety and compliance.

# **Nick Careen, IATA Senior Vice President of Operations, Safety** and Security



Digitalisation and improving safety are the industry's top priorities. DG AutoCheck achieves both in relation to the carriage of dangerous goods. Time-consuming manual procedures are eliminated and safety is enhanced through the reduction of human error during checking. flydubai's customers will benefit from greater efficiency, streamlined processes and enhanced safety. We have seen a doubling of the digital acceptance checks in 2022. This trend is expected to continue as more industry partners plan to roll out DG AutoCheck across their global networks.



# IndiGo Strengthens Regional Connectivity

IndiGo, India's leading carrier, has announced new flights from North Goa to Patna, Bhopal, Vadodara, and Dehradun, effective May 22, 2023.

The airline will connect North Goa to Ranchi via Patna, effective May 24, 2023. These flights are aimed at strengthening domestic connectivity and offering customers with increased flight options, to India's most popular tourist destination, Goa. The addition of these routes will take the tally of total 22 flights being operated from

Goa is one of India's most popular tourist destinations and is known for its pristine beaches and nightlife. It carries a vast spectrum of cultural practices. Portuguese, Maharashtrian and Konkani influences are evident in language, food, architecture, dress, and dance. People from all around the country and beyond visit Goa for its beaches, majestic carnivals, churches, amazing delicacies, and forts. Beaches like Baga, Candolim, Calangute, Morjim, Arambol, Anjuna, and churches including, Bom Jesus, Saint Cathedral, St Francis, Chapel of St. Catherine, and more, are visited by tourists from all around the country.

These flights are designed to cater to business and leisure travellers who are constantly on the lookout for new and affordable flying options to access destinations which help in building businesses and are known for their tourist attractions.

# Vinay Malhotra, Head Global Sales, IndiGo



As part of our mission to enhance accessibility, we are introducing further new flights from North Goa. With the

onset of the summer vacations, the number of holiday goers are rapidly rising especially to tourist destinations like Goa. A large percentage of this demand for travel is coming from within the country, and with these new domestic connections, we will provide more affordable options to our customers to travel to their favourite destinations that too from multiple online points in India. We will continue to offer new options and stay true to our promise of courteous, hassle-free, on-time and affordable travel experience across an unparalleled network.

# SAUDIA Group is all set for Hajj Season 2023

SAUDIA Group - Saudi Airlines, flyadeal, and Saudi Private Aviation - have announced its operational plan for Hajj season 2023, allocating over one million and 200 thousand seats for pilgrims from all over the world. The integrated plan includes optimizing the use of SAUDIA group's current fleet of 164 aircraft, with the provision of an additional fleet of 12 aircraft.

AUDIA group will be transporting pilgrims from more than 100 scheduled destinations and 14 seasonal destinations to 6 airports in the Kingdom located in Jeddah, Riyadh, Dammam, Medina, Taif, and Yanbu. The 8 thousand cockpit and cabin crew can speak a total of 42 different languages and willgraciously serve the guestsduring their trips; reflecting the generous nature of Saudi hospitality.

The plan ensures synergy from all SAUDIA Group subsidiaries, especially those concerned with providing services to pilgrims, specifically, Saudia Aerospace Engineering Industries (SAEI), Saudi Ground Services (SGS), and Saudi Airlines Catering Company (SACC), all of which will operate at full capacity and around the clock throughout the Hajj season. SAUDIA aims to provide the best air transport and logistic services, as well as other integrated services across all locations through digital platforms and qualified personnel to serve pilgrims upon arrival and departure.

Mr. Amer Alkhushail, Chief Hajj and Umrah Officer at SAUDIA Group, said: "Through our accumulated experience, capable employees, and our relentless pursuit to offer the best technical services that guarantee a smooth travel experience, SAUDIA Group is ready to implement a new Hajj plan. This operational plan is in line with the directives of the Supreme Hajj Committee, headed by His Royal Highness Prince Abdulaziz bin Saud bin Naif bin Abdulaziz, Minister of Interior; the Central Hajj Committee headed by His Royal Highness Prince Khaled Al-Faisal, Advisor to the Custodian of the Two Holy Mosques, Governor of Makkah Region; and in cooperation with the Ministry of Hajj and Umrah and the Pilgrim Experience Program."

Al Khushail also highlighted the importance of integrating performance with various government stakeholders at airports like the General Authority of Civil Aviation (GACA) along with all companies involved in organizing Hajj trips inside and outside the Kingdom. Al Khushail revealed that Prince Mohammad Bin Abdulaziz International Airport in Medina will receive the first flights arriving in the Kingdom on May 21.

Recently, SAUDIA Group has concluded a number of agreements with various authorities to serve pilgrims in many countries, as part of its endeavor to increase its operational



share and invest in its reputation by providing air transport services in a distinct spiritual atmosphere. In addition, SAUDIA Group aims to achieve operational efficiency while fully complying with safety standards, which are its top priorities. The company has mobilized its human and digital capabilities to provide the best services and implement the plan through various paths, including the performance monitoring team, the terminal operations centre team, as well as the team in charge of the follow-up and pre-coordination with all sectors and relevant authorities. All these teams work around the clock and with direct follow-up from SAUDIA's senior leadership.

SAUDIA Group provides pilgrims with many distinguished services, including issuance of boarding passes for the arrival and return flights from international departure and domestic terminals; staffing King Abdulaziz International Airport (KAIA) in Jeddah and Prince Mohammad Bin Abdulaziz International Airport (Madinah Airport) with navigators and employees fluent in the various languages; arranging the dispatch of Zamzam water bottles to various destinations; and providing additional flights for pilgrims wishing to travel to Medina by air. This is offered in addition to securing the operational requirements, including staff, labor and ground equipment, in proportion to the size of the operation. Therefore, SAUDIA Group has been working

to train all front-line employees in the areas of Hajj protocol, crowd management, dealing with crises and responding to emergency plans.

As part of its endeavor to provide pilgrims with comprehensive services and enrich their travel experience, SAUDIA has updated its in-flight Islamic content including religious programs, especially those dedicated to raising awareness of Hajj. The updates include more than 134 hours of various religious programs and 590 hours of Quran recitations, in addition to many Islamic programs available in several languages such as Arabic, English, Indonesian, Chinese and other languages spoken by pilgrims. Moreover, SAUDIA's Inflight Entertainment system offers a unique collection of educational e-books on how to perform Hajj and Umrah in more than 14 languages.

SAUDIA Group has also expanded its Hajj season plan activities to include sharing awareness messages to pilgrims in their languages through the official means in their countries, Hajj missions, Hajj organisations present in Makkah and Madinah, and across Hajj residences. In these messages, the company clarifies all matters related to the pilgrims' journey, including details related to baggage, its weights and sizes, as well as mechanisms for accepting it at airports upon departure after the end of the Hajj, in order to facilitate their procedures beyond expectations.

# Jazeera Airways: KD2.3 million net profit in first quarter 2023

Jazeera Airways has achieved a net profit of KD2.3 million for the first quarter (Q1) of 2023, compared to KD 3.8 million in the first quarter of 2022, when the strong demand post-pandemic was reflected in higher fares. Total revenue for the quarter reached KD48.3 million, up 35.2%, while operating profit was at KD3.62 million.

assenger traffic rose by 56.6% to 1.1 million in this quarter andload factor reached 82.1% with an increase of 6.9% compared to the Q1

Announcing the results, Marwan Boodai, Chairman, Jazeera Airways said: "2023 has started off on a positive note for Jazeera Airways. Despite fuel prices putting pressure on margins for the first quarter, a continued focus on operating costs enabled us to deliver profits in line with our aggressive growth targets and on the track to be a fantastic year. Load factor in this quarter reached 82.1%, the highest ever for Jazeera in any quarter, especially for Q1 which is typically not the strongest. This demonstrates the strength of our business model and sound validation from our customers."

# Financial and Operational Highlights

# Q1 2023 Highlights:

- Operating revenue: KD48.3 million, up 35.2% from Q1 2022
- Operating profit: KD3.62 million, down 31.3% from Q1 2022\*
- Net profit: KD2.3 million, down 39.7% from Q1 2022\*
- Passengers: 1.1 million, up 56.6% from Q1 2022
- Load factor: 82.1%, up 6.9%
- Yield: KD41.1, down 13.6%

# **First Quarter 2023 Review**

Jazeera Airwayslaunched direct flights in February fromKuwait to Moscow, the first airline to fly the route. In March, the airline also started flying to Samarkand, its third destination in Uzbekistan following Tashkent and Namangan. New destinations have been announced for Q2 includingLarnaca, Cyprus, Belgrade, Serbia and Tirana, Albania. In addition, the airline also announced the resumption of its flights to Prague, Czech Republic and Sarajevo, Bosnia and Herzegovina in the summer

The Jazeera T5 terminal, was under refurbishment with three new restaurants opening for travellers - two on landside and one airside, operational since February.

### 2023 Outlook

Over the next few months of this financial year, Jazeera will welcome four additional aircraft into its fleet. Following an "Approved Training Organization" certification from the Kuwait's Directorate General of Civil Aviation (DGCA) last year, Jazeera Airways placed an order for an Airbus simulator. Expected to be delivered by the end of 2023, this simulator will enable in-house pilot training and monitoring to ensure the highest levels of safety for both crew and passengers.

The airline also intends to collaborate with a European Union Aviation Safety Agency (EASA) approved training organization to launch our own Multi-Pilot License (MPL) program.

# VietJet expands its network in India

Vietnam's leading new-age carrier, VietJet officially welcomes Indian passengers on direct flights connecting Ho Chi Minh City (Vietnam) and Kochi (India) from August 12, 2023. Constantly expanding the flight network connecting India with Vietnam, the airline will operate with a frequency of four flights/week on every Monday, Wednesday, Friday, and Saturday.

Flight from Kochi will depart at 23:50 (local time) and land in Ho Chi Minh City at 06:40 (local time). Return flight will depart from Ho Chi Minh City at 19:20 (local time) and arrive in Kochi at 22:50 (local time).

Furthermore, VietJet expands its fleet to meet growing travel demand: Receives 6th A330 and Adds 3 A321 neo ACF Aircraft in May 2023. The new additions prioritize fuel savings, emission reduction, and environmental protection. These modern aircraft will replace older ones, enhancing operational efficiency, cost savings, and delivering exceptional flight experiences to passengers at affordable fares.

Additionally, the airline has also announced international route, connecting Hanoi (Vietnam) with Hiroshima (Japan)

Starting from July 19, 2022, the airline will launch a twice-weekly service between Hanoiand Hiroshima, with flights operating on



Wednesdays and Sundays: With a flight time of approximately 4.5 hours, passengers will depart NoiBai International Airport in Hanoi at 02:15 (local time) and land in HiroshimaInternational Airport at 08:45 (local time). The return flight will depart Hiroshima at 09:45 (local time) and arrive in Hanoi at 12:35 (local time).

VietJet's new direct link opens exciting opportunities for Indian travellers, expanding network connectivity. With strategic expansions in Mumbai, Delhi, Ahmedabad and Kochi, the airline has established a strong presence and

connectivity between Vietnam and India. The airline's modern fleet of A330 and A321 aircraft, constantly renewed, positions it as a global leader in cost-effective travel. Offering a wide range of destinations including Australia, Japan, Korea, Taiwan, Malaysia, Singapore, Kazakhstan and many more, VietJet provides attractive fares, convenient services, and meets diverse customer needs. As part of its global expansion plan, VietJet will continue to receive new aircraft, particularly large A330s, to further enhance its global network spanning five continents.

# IndiGo inducts its second widebody Boeing 777 aircraft

IndiGo, India's leading carrier has inducted its second Boeing 777 aircraft, on damp lease, which will operate to and from Mumbai- Istanbul route from May 17, 2023. The Boeing 777 aircraft has the seating capacity of 400 passengers in a dual class configuration with 24 business and 376 economy class.

IndiGo has been operating its first wide-body-Boeing 777 aircraft on the Delhi- Istanbul route, which had started from February 01, 2023. These aircraft have been introduced to cater to the rising demand for international travel from India.

The customers can pre-book hot meals and purchase alcohol for in-flight consumption. They



can pre-book Jain meal, Veg, or Non-Veg hot meals as per preference, choice of buying blankets and pillows as well as amenity kits on the flight. The hot-meals menu available to the customer on Mumbai-Istanbul-Mumbai will include Tomato Cheese Omelette with Potato Wedges and Veg Cutlet; Aloo Rasmissa with Palak Poori, Corn and Peas Cutlet; Chana masala with Lachha paratha and Stuffed tomato; Chicken tikka masala with Basmati rice saffron and Black lentils and more such options.

Through its codeshare arrangement with Turkish Airlines, IndiGo has been adding connections to European destinations over the last few months. These codeshare connections provide access to the countries including Bulgaria, Spain, the Netherlands, Greece, Belgium, Hungary, Denmark, the Republic of Ireland, the United Kingdom, Malta, France, the Czech Republic, Israel, Austria, Switzerland, Italy, Portugal, and Edinburgh.

# **Pieter Elbers, Chief Executive Officer.** IndiGo



We are pleased to induct our second Boeing 777 aircraft on damp lease, which will operate on the Mumbai-

Istanbul route. Through this addition, we are implementing our strategy and delivering on our promise to provide more convenient travel options for people looking to travel between India and Europe this summer. Istanbul being a key stop, is also connecting 33 European destinations via our codeshare connectivity. The new aircraft will not only increase capacity on the route but also help in keeping the fares affordable. We are continuously reassuring our customers by delivering on our commitment of being on-time, affordable, courteous, and providing a hassle-free connectivity across an unparalleled network.



# **Turkish Airlines** Introduces Flight Tracker **Digital Globe**

Turkish Airlines, the airline that flies to the more countries than any other in the world, made a new addition to its privileged services offered to guests in this rapidly evolving era of technology and digitalization where customer satisfaction has become

# increasingly important.

The flag carrier has introduced the Flight Tracker digital globe for use in its Business Lounge, emphasizing the diverse and enjoyable aspects of digital channels, modernized with a solution-oriented approach.

With the Flight Tracker digital globe, guests will be able to track real-time locations of Turkish Airlines aircraft, flown destinations, current weather conditions, and experience the use of many different features such as flight information and Miles & Smiles membership. This technology, which is a result of extensive market research and presented for passengers' appreciation, was launched with live flight information and destination data, along with a unique interface design exclusive to Turkish Airlines.

Turkish Airlines has raised the bar in its service approach by adding the Flight Tracker digital globe to its Business Lounge, where guests also enjoy spending time with the Hezarfen Flight Simulator, console games, a golf area and children's play areas.

# Ahmet Olmuştur, **Chief Marketing** Officer, Turkish **Airlines**



As Turkish Airlines, from the first day we were established. we have

working to provide our guests with a flawless travel experience, in addition to safety and comfort during their travels. With our new service, we offer our guests the opportunity to learn the weather of the destinations they will go to, and also the possibility to create a Miles&Smiles membership via QR code. We prepare and develop our solution alternatives according to the needs of our guests with the strength that the evolving and changing technology adds to our brand.

# **British Airways Unveils Five New Avios-Only** Flights, Including Easter Holiday Travel British Airways unveiled its next Avios-Only flights

today, opening up hundreds of additional reward seats over the 2024 Easter period.

The first Avios-Only flights were revealed last month, on which 100% of the seats are exclusively available to Executive Club Members as Reward Seats. The first two, to Sharm El Sheikh in November 2023 and Geneva in February 2024, were both snapped up by Members in less than 24 hours.

Following the success, British Airways has opened five more return journeys that will operate as Avios-Only flights in 2023 and 2024. Members will have the opportunity to travel on both Avios-Only flights or combine them with other available travel dates.

Route	Outbound date	Inbound date
London Gatwick to Las Palmas	15 November 2023	22 November 2023
London Gatwick to Lan- zarote	4 December 2023	11 December 2023
London Heathrow to <b>Barcelona</b>	29 March 2024	7 April 2024
London Heathrow to <b>Nice</b>	29 March 2024	7 April 2024
London Gatwick to <b>Tenerife</b>	29 March 2024	7 April 2024

Reward Seats are those that can be purchased using Avios at static rates. British Airways



guarantees a minimum of 12 and 14 Reward Seats on all other short and long-haul flights respectively as standard, whereas Avios-Only flights mean that every seat is available to purchase using Avios. Members booking the Avios-Only flight can do so in any cabin as they normally would through ba.com.

Customers with British Airways American Express Credit Cards will also be able to use their Companion Vouchers on the Avios-Only flights, entitling them to a second seat for just the taxes and charges, or half the amount of

# MAG Transfers Intra-Borneo Services to Firefly

Malaysia Aviation Group (MAG) is set to facilitate an Intra-Borneo services transfer from Malaysia Airlines to Firefly, effective 16 May 2023 as a result of continued demand recoveries across all markets.

Firefly will facilitate one-time daily return flights using the Boeing 737-800 between Kota Kinabalu (BKI) to Sandakan (SDK), Tawau (TWU), and Kuching (KCH), as well as a daily return service between Kuching (KCH) to Miri (MYY). This move is poised to offer passengers an unparalleled travel experience with comfort, convenience, and efficiency.

The initiative represents a significant milestone in the strategic route rationalisation plan of MAG and a continuous assessment of its business operations. In addition, customers can enjoy exceptional Malaysian Hospitality travel experience, superior value, enhanced flexibility, and unmatched convenience of services by

As part of this endeavor, Firefly is pleased to offer up to 20% off on base fares and pre-booked baggage allowance from RM30, available for booking from today until 12 April 2023. This promotion is valid for travel from 16 May 2023 to 31 July 2023 across all destinations above.

The flight will be operated using Firefly's newly retrofitted aircraft, boasting 189 seats in Economy class. Passengers can expect a refreshed, vibrant ambience and new features such as the new ergonomically designed seats with ample legroom, personal device holders and USB type A and C power outlets, enabling passengers to charge their devices conveniently



from each seat.

With the business model as value carrier services, customers can elevate their journey by adding value bundle services from Plus, Extra and Flex, which offer savings of up to 70% on items such as 20kg baggage allowance, in-flight hot meals, 2X flight changes, priority baggage, boarding & check-in, all seat selection, travel insurance and much more value.

Whether to plan for the upcoming festivities, school holidays, or the next holiday, book now via the official Firefly website, mobile app, or booking offices and travel agents.

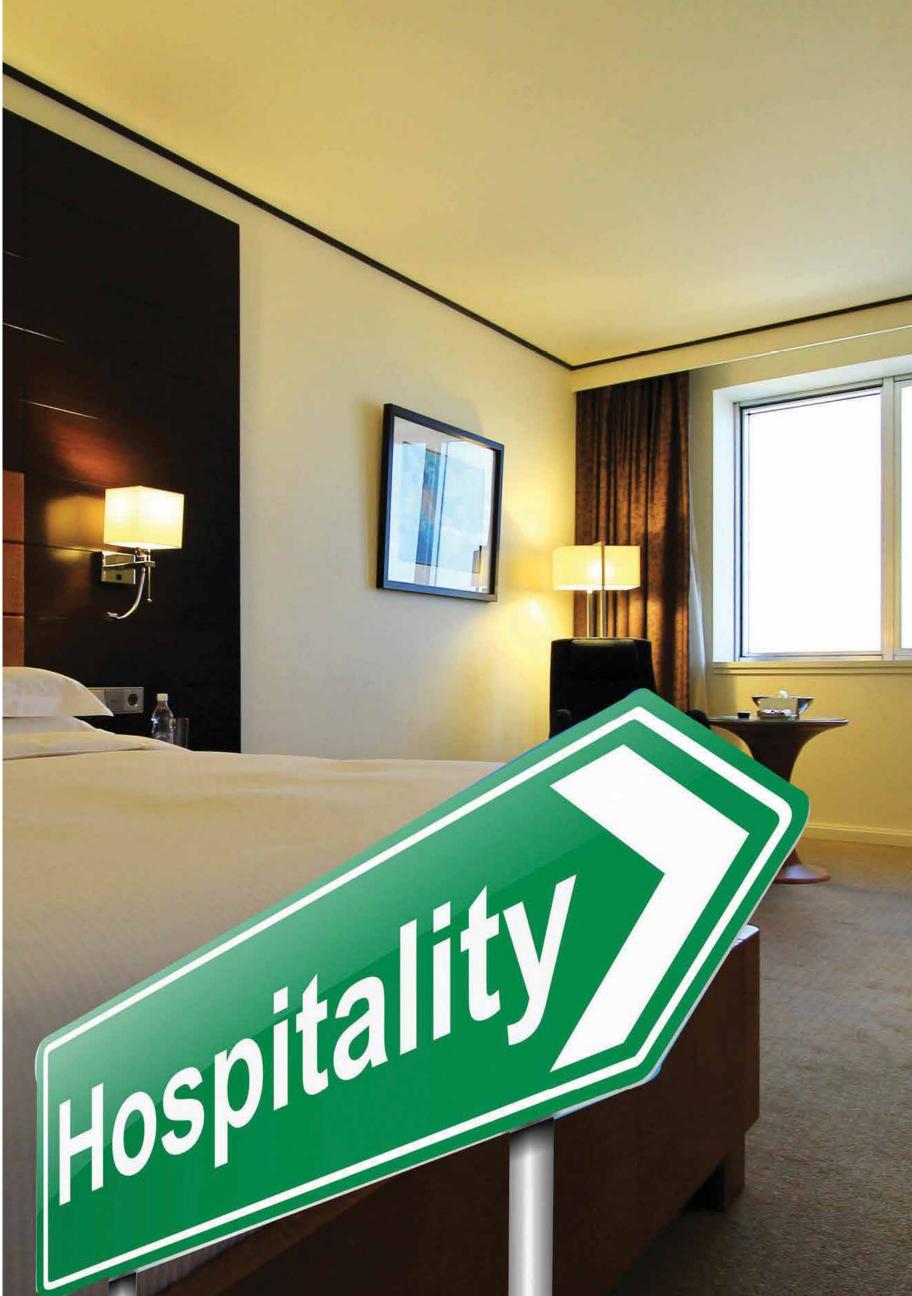
# **Chief Executive Officer of** Airlines (MAG), Ahmad Luqman Mohd Azmi

The implementation of this latest



initiative is a testament to MAG's continued efforts to refine and improve its network and product offerings. The

launch of Firefly's jet operations in 2022 has elicited a considerable response, particularly within the leisure travel sector. This continuous milestone reiterates MAG's unwavering commitment to remain responsive to the changing demands of its customers and leverage the prevailing market conditions. By prioritising the needs of market demand, MAG aims to unlock greater opportunities for growth and advancement while remaining true to its overarching objectives.





# HOSPITALITY







- City Country Package: Experience the natural beauty of Dhulikhel and immerse yourself in Kathmandu's vibrant cultural heritage.
- Yoga Package: Harmonize your mind, body, and soul with dedicated yoga sessions.
- Cleansing Package: Detoxify and invigorate your senses through a comprehensive wellness experience.
- Rejuvenation Package: Enhance overall well-being with a holistic approach to relaxation and revitalization.
- Revival & Relaxation Package: Unwind amidst tranquil surroundings and indulge in pure relaxation.

### **Captivating** Monsoon Views and **Scenic Spots:**

# **A Monsoon Retreat** at The Dwarika's: **Where Adventure Meets Tranquility**



Rene Vijay Shrestha Einhaus, **Executive Director** 

he Dwarika's, a renowned hotel group, invites guests to embark on a unique monsoon adventure in Nepal. With two stunning properties, The Dwarika's Hotel in Kathmandu and The Dwarika's Resort in Dhulikhel, guests can experience a perfect blend of cultural exploration and serene relaxation. Offering a range of exclusive activities, discounts, breathtaking views, and delectable local cuisine, The Dwarika's promises an unforgettable monsoon retreat.

### **Unique Monsoon Adventure Experiences:**

### Immerse in the Living Museum:

Known as the "Living Museum," The Dwarika's Hotel captivates guests with its elegant courtyards, buildings, and rooms, showcasing the traditional Newari architecture. Guests are encouraged to take a property tour, exploring the intricate wood carvings and striking brickwork. During the monsoon, the raindrops paint the buildings and courtyards, creating a tranquil historic atmosphere.

### **Wood Workshop Tour:**

Delve into the art of traditional wood carving by visiting the Heritage and Training Workshop. Witness the intricate carvings and repair work while also trying your hand at carving under the guidance of skilled artisans.

# The Dwarika's Resort, Dhulikhel: Serene Spa Retreat:

Indulge in rejuvenation at the resort's spa, offering a serene ambiance amidst the monsoon season. Guests can enjoy soothing spa treatments while immersing themselves in the beauty of rain-drenched nature.

### **Cooking Class and Farm Visit:**

Experience the art of Nepali cuisine through a cooking class, where guests can learn to prepare local favorites like momos and masala tea. Additionally, take a refreshing walk to the adjacent farm, handpick fresh vegetables, and enjoy a customized meal, showcasing the rustic way of life.

### Yoga, Meditation, Pottery, and Art:

Reconnect with mind and body through yoga and meditation classes offered at the resort. Engage in pottery sessions, allowing the clay to shape your creativity, and explore your artistic side with painting sessions. For holistic well-being, indulge in chakra therapy, harmonizing the body's energy centers.

# Monsoon-Specific Discounts and Packages:

The Dwarika presents exclusive discounted

rates tailored for the monsoon season. Guests can choose from various packages:

### The Dwarika's Hotel in Kathmandu:

Within the hotel's premises, guests can enjoy captivating monsoon views. The charming courtyards adorned with traditional architecture and meticulously maintained gardens come alive with vibrant colors during the rainy season. The hotel's restaurants and outdoor dining areas offer an immersive dining experience amidst the monsoon scenery.

### The Dwarika's Resort, Dhulikhel:

Nestled amidst lush greenery, the resort offers panoramic views of surrounding valleys and mountains. From the zero zone area, guests can witness mist-covered landscapes and rainwashed greenery. The resort's lush gardens provide a serene ambiance for strolling and embracing the beauty of the monsoon season.

### **Delightful Local Monsoon Cuisine:**

At The Dwarika's restaurants, guests can savor a delightful array of local monsoon delicacies. The must-try steaming hot momos, filled with savory ingredients and served with flavorful dipping sauces, provide a satisfying culinary experience. The aromatic masala tea infused with herbs and spices offers comfort during rainy days. Guests can also enjoy udon noodles, Nepali Thali Set, and innovative cocktails at the hotel's various dining options.

The Dwarika's Hotel and Resort offer a unique monsoon adventure where guests can immerse themselves in cultural experiences, relax amidst serene surroundings, indulge in nourishing cuisine, and enjoy captivating views. With a range of activities, discounted packages, and delightful amenities, The Dwarika's ensures a memorable and rejuvenating retreat during the enchanting monsoon season.



estled amidst the enchanting Golden Triangle region, where Thailand, Laos, and Myanmar converge, the Anantara Golden Triangle Elephant Camp & Resort offers an extraordinary escape into nature's embrace. With its breathtaking hilltop location, overlooking the convergence of three countries and accompanied by the graceful presence of elephants below, this world-renowned resort is a sanctuary like no other. Established in 2003, the resort's elephant camp and the Golden Triangle Asian Elephant Foundation (GTAEF) have been instrumental in rescuing and rehabilitating elephants from dire circumstances. Today, the resort stands as a testament to conservation and provides guests with a truly unforgettable travel experience.

# A Connection with Majestic Giants:

At Anantara Golden Triangle, guests have the rare opportunity to engage in unique elephant experiences. The "Walking With Giants" signature experience allows visitors to forge a deep emotional bond with these magnificent creatures, gaining insights into their lives while walking alongside them. In a groundbreaking move, the resort offers the world's first chance to spend the night in transparent Jungle Bubbles and Jungle Bubble Lodge, immersing guests in the natural habitat of Thailand's majestic elephants.

# **Indigenous Adventures:**

Beyond elephant encounters, the resort caters to the adventurously inclined. Hop aboard a traditional longtail boat and explore the mighty Mekong River, or unlock the secrets of authentic Thai cuisine with a cooking class that highlights regional flavors. For those seeking a more vigorous pursuit, a Muay Thai boxing class allows guests to delve into the world of

this ancient martial art. Additionally, the resort offers Royal Enfield Classic 500 sidecar tours, providing a unique perspective on the surrounding landscapes.

# Revitalizing Spa and Wellness:

Anantara Golden Triangle elevates the wellness experience with a range of unique and indigenous spa treatments. Indulge in the rejuvenating Gua Sha facial treatment, which combines nourishing plant extracts and traditional Thai ingredients to promote anti-aging, and wrinkle-smoothing effects and relax facial muscles. Experience the ancient Thai healing practice of Yam Khang fire therapy, utilizing heat, oils, and foot massages to restore balance and harmony to the body. Or, opt for the traditional Thai Ya-Pao detoxification therapy, designed to enhance circulation, relieve discomfort, and eliminate excess air from the

# **Culinary Delights:**

Sala Mae Nam restaurant at Anantara Golden Triangle serves up a delectable array of northern Thai cuisine, street food favorites from across the kingdom, and fresh organic ingredients sourced from the renowned Royal Projects. The restaurant's magnificent terrace, framed by dramatic panoramic views, offers a memorable dining experience. Among the chef's signature dishes is the legendary Khao Soi Gai, a tantalizing yellow noodle coconut curry with succulent chicken—a true delight for the taste buds.

# The Golden Triangle Luxury Explorer Package:

For a complete immersion in this captivating



destination, Anantara Golden Triangle offers the Golden Triangle Luxury Explorer Package. This all-inclusive package includes luxury accommodation, daily meals with non-alcoholic beverages at various dining venues, a wellstocked minibar, and a host of daily activities to choose from. Guests can select from an unforgettable range of experiences, such as an elephant encounter at the Elephant Camp, an immersive culinary journey at Spice Spoons cooking school, an exclusive spa treatment, or private yoga or Pilates classes. Additionally, the package includes admission to the Hall of Opium Museum and round-trip transfers to and from Chiang Rai Airport in a private limousine.

Anantara Golden Triangle Elephant Camp & Resort stands as a testament to the harmonious coexistence of luxury, wildlife conservation, and cultural immersion. With its picturesque location, captivating elephant experiences, indigenous adventures, rejuvenating spa treatments, and tantalizing culinary delights, this resort offers an unparalleled escape into the heart of the Golden Triangle. Immerse yourself in the wonders of nature, engage with majestic elephants, and create unforgettable memories at this extraordinary sanctuary.

# Monsoon Marvels at Taj Corbett Resort & **Spa: A Paradise for Adventure Seekers**

# Immerse Yourself in the Enchanting Delights of Corbett's Monsoon Season

estled amidst the awe-inspiring beauty of Corbett, Taj Corbett Resort & Spa offers a gateway to a world of unique monsoon adventures. We had the pleasure of speaking with Ajay Sharma, the General Manager of this exquisite resort, who shared insights into the captivating experiences and breathtaking landscapes that await travelers during the monsoon season.

# Himalayan Mountain Drive: A Majestic Journey

Embark on a thrilling 3-hour drive that takes you through the picturesque valleys of Corbett and reveals the awe-inspiring Himalayan panorama. As you ascend to approximately 5,000 feet, the monsoon season amplifies the adventure with verdant greenery and rejuvenated streams crossing your path. From the vantage point, you'll witness the sprawling Gangetic plains and enjoy a bird's eye view of the national park. On clear days, the Himalayan ranges adorn the horizon, leaving you in sheer awe of nature's grandeur.

# Kumaoni Village Experience: Immerse Yourself in Local Traditions

Delve into the authentic charm of a local village nestled alongside the Kosi River, accompanied by our knowledgeable naturalist. Explore the lush green farms adorned with paddy fields and local vegetables, while the pristine Kosi River offers a refreshing and exhilarating backdrop. During this immersive experience, you'll have the opportunity to interact with the villagers, gaining insights into their culture and traditions. Indulge in a delightful tea and pakoda session at a villager's house, savoring the flavors of local hospitality.

# Birding Trail along the Kosi: A Romantic Sojourn

Embrace the light rainfall as you embark on a birding walk through the enchanting greenery surrounding the Kosi River. Equipped with rain ponchos to keep you dry, this experience offers a romantic and enjoyable escapade. Immerse yourself in the symphony of nature's melodies while our expert guides unveil the secrets of the avian wonders that grace Corbett's monsoon

# Guided Bicycle Rides: Discover Nature's Treasures



Set off on an invigorating 8 -kilometer bicycle ride along metal roads and muddy paths, accompanied by our knowledgeable guide. As you pedal through the moderate temperatures and refreshing breezes, immerse yourself in the breathtaking flora and fauna that adorn Corbett's landscape. Let the beauty of nature rejuvenate your senses and leave you with memories to cherish.

# Unveiling Corbett's Monsoon Gem: Scenic Spots and Views

Corbett's monsoon season unveils hidden gems that captivate the heart. A mere 10 kilometers away from the resort lies the Kosi Barrage, where you can admire the mesmerising Kosi river basin and vast grassland patches. Witness the Shivalik range of the Himalayas adorned with captivating cloud cover, providing a picturesque backdrop as the river flows gracefully.

Bonakal, situated at an elevation of approximately 5,000 feet, offers a breathtaking drive through lush greenery and rejuvenated streams. The monsoon transforms the landscape, offering crystal-clear views and enhanced visibility. Gaze upon the Gangetic plains from above, granting you a panoramic vista of the national park. On clear days, the magnificent Himalayan ranges steal the show, leaving you enchanted by their majestic

# Indulge in Uttarakhand's Monsoon Gastronomy

Taj Corbett Resort & Spa takes pride in its culinary prowess, offering a delectable array of traditional dishes that showcase the vibrant flavours of Uttarakhand's monsoon season. Immerse yourself in the region's culinary heritage and savor the essence of local delicacies. Here are some must-try monsoon

treats available at the resort's restaurant: Kappa (Buckwheat Pancakes), Chainsoo (The rich and earthy flavours of

Anil Sharma General Manager

Chains make it a comforting and satisfying dish during the monsoon), Phaanu, Aloo ke Gutke (Sautéed boiled potatoes seasoned with a blend of spices), Bhang Ki Chutney, Garhwali Kebabs.

# Immerse Yourself in Monsoon Bliss at Taj Corbett Resort & Spa

Taj Corbett Resort & Spa provides an ideal sanctuary for adventure seekers and nature enthusiasts during Corbett's magical monsoon season. From thrilling mountain drives and birding trails to authentic village experiences and guided bicycle rides, the resort ensures an unforgettable stay in the lap of nature. Indulge in Uttarakhand's culinary delights, allowing the vibrant flavours of the monsoon to tantalise your taste buds.

Whether you're seeking thrilling adventures or tranquil moments amidst nature's splendour, Taj Corbett Resort & Spa invites you to experience the mesmerising beauty and unique offerings of Corbett's monsoon season. Let the rain-kissed landscapes and captivating experiences create lasting memories that will stay with you long after your departure.

The 'Rainy Season Rendezvous' offers unique and unforgettable experiences for adventure seekers, nature enthusiasts, and those seeking tranquility. From cultural immersion to wildlife encounters, these destinations provide a blend of adventure, serenity, and culinary delights. Pack your bags and embark on a journey filled with unmatched hospitality and enchanting experiences. The rainy season awaits, ready

# HOLIDAYS

# Priceless Treasures and Wondrous Pleasures

Family holiday with kids? These family friendly luxury hotels belong on your bucket list.

### • Tarsh Sharma





organic treatments specially curated for the VIP Prince and Princess. The menu also includes a massage for minis and Fairy Nails polish. Teens will appreciate their specially devised spa with skin cleanse and shoulder destress. Make it top to toe, with a new French hair do! Chateau Saint-Martin & Spa is also the place to inspire your children's artistic instincts. They can view extraordinary collections by Picasso, Matisse and Renoir, then bring to life their own interpretations guided by the creative team at the Kids Club and inspired by the same sunlight as the masters.

The Château is set in 34 acres of spectacular

Its summer vacation and time for that incredible family holiday again! Here is a roundup of five amazing family friendly hotels and resorts that will ensure your family moments and memories last for life. These luxury destinations offer activities and services ranging from island excursions, treasure hunts, to specially curated spa menu for the kids, while also allowing parent and elders to take delight in some unparalleled luxury experiences.

# Chateau Saint-Martin & Spa, French Riviera

erched in the hilltops of Vence, with a splendid panorama of the Riviera hinterland, Château Saint-Martin & Spa is a secluded hideaway of priceless treasures and wondrous pleasures. Children love the Château's history and gardens, this is a family haven immersed in nature. There is leisure for all from tennis to children's Spa, while the Kids Club flourishes with happy energy. The villas here are a popular option for families preferring

Chateau Saint-Martin & Spa's Kids Club is a delightful Riviera rendezvous for Junior travellers, together new friends play amidst



nature's beauty, discovering circus arts, floral workshops, balloon sculptures, pictures atelier, team sports, Olympic games. Programmes are devised according to the age of children and their personal enthusiasms.

The property offers a very special spa for your little ones. Kids can choose from 100% natural beauty, and the surrounding countryside offers a range of recreational activities including magical walks through the hills. At the Château, guests have Spa Saint-Martin by La Prairie, a luxuriously therapeutic sanctuary, fitness facilities, two tennis courts, an Eden Being boutique and a truly majestic infinity pool.



stay at Zulal is different from anything you've experienced before because it's the first destination to offer a meaningful wellness experience for the entire family. You may have individual health goals, yet the resort also encourages you to come together to bond, develop, learn and be happy as a family unit.

Zulal Discovery follows Zulal's exclusive "Family Wellness" philosophy, based on the belief that individual wellness is intricately linked to fulfilling family life and the ability to build meaningful relationships, thriving to enhance them via special activities and practices. Facilities have been designed by child and family specialists to bring families together. Accommodation is offered in a range of set-ups across 120 rooms and suites.

Wellness at Zulal Discovery, is centered around wellness for the whole family, teaching children the value of a healthy and sustainable lifestyle with age-appropriate activities. While younger children are encouraged to explore, with nature-based outings, arts and crafts, older children can spend their time being active, with kayaking, dancing, and personal training. Retreats are divided by age groups, with four programs for the children, and separate ones for parents and grandparents.









atoll and will be reactivated by the child each time he or she passes. For teenagers, Le Paddock offers exciting island excursions, various learning activities and many other activities for the entire group including yoga and stargazing. This teens' club is equipped with a media lounge, foosball table and ping-pong table. Its proximity to the Watersports Centre also makes it an ideal place for teenagers to socialise and enjoy an exciting range of aquatic, thrill-seeking experiences.

to the firmament of one's childhood dreams. On another wall, an interactive screen allows children to create their own virtual fish, which evolves among the corals and lagoons of the

Meanwhile, elders can enjoy the outdoors and a bit of a mental challenge - with a lifesized giant chess game or a traditional pétanque set-up. Enjoy an unforgettable moment on board Cheval Blanc Randheli's bespoke seaplane with your entire family. Fly into the Maldivian sky and witness the turquoise beauty from the sky in an extraordinary 15-minute flight. Dress up for the occasion with your very own pilot hat and pilot's wings and meet the captain

and the crew at the cockpit before take off for a pre-flight briefing! Then, take a seat in the cabin and watch the pilots during their takeoff maneuvers. Snap as many photos of the lagoon where the water meets the sky for your memories. At the end, little ones receive their Cheval Blanc Seaplane pilot's license and a special mini-seaplane gift to take home.



reate cherished memories with loved ones as you embark on exciting dadventures. Immerse in tranquility amidst 30 acres of lush greenery, while the little ones revel in endless family fun. At the heart of Capella Singapore's Sentosa Island escape are two restored Tanah Merah colonial bungalows dating back to the 1880s, from which the hotel extends into gardens and grounds framed by the sea. At the heart of Capella philosophy is its visionary curation of culture and experiences. A series of enriching programmes and rituals that celebrate heritage, arts, gastronomy and wellness, each tailored to provide you with unique Capella moments will ensure a dream vacation with your family.

Every moment together counts, and nothing is more important than creating memorable family moments. Make the most of family time with carefully curated activities such as Breakfast with Peacocks, Sustainable Art and Craft Workshops, Scavenger Hunt, Little Stars Culinary Workshop, Dimsum Masterclass and Lunch, and Shrinky Dink Charm Making.

Discover the rich heritage and colourful cuisine of the Peranakans, and how they have influenced Singapore as we know today with Capella Curates' A Peranakan Way Of Life. Retrace the steps of early Peranakans as they develop their roots in Singapore, and explore different facets of this unique heritage

intricately interwoven by both Malay and Chinese influences - from the timeless food, fashion, lifestyle, and their various past times.

Capella Singapore also brings to us a perfect Family Escapade this summer with a unique package including \$150 resort credits (SGD) and complimentary entry to Universal Studios Singapore and more! Offering accommodation type of your choice, daily breakfasts for two adults and two children, complimentary admission tickets to Universal Studios Singapore for two adults and two children, including two-way shuttle bus transfer, and complimentary children's amenities, including one teepee tent throughout your stay.







n art immersive luxury island resort, JOALI Maldives is nestled on Muravandhoo Island in Raa Atoll in the northern reaches of the Maldives. This summer, JOALI Maldives is set to take kids on a journey of learning and joy.

At Muramas Kids Club, young guests will have the chance to discover marine life, practice sustainability, spark their creativity, and try out different forms of fitness. Each new day brings new possibilities – from sessions with our Marine Biologist to composting workshops in the garden, from tennis clinics to cooking classes, from treasure hunts to arts & crafts.

JOALI Maldives offers a range of exciting activities, especially crafted for children between 4-12 years. Young guests are invited to explore positive new experiences in the areas of culture, oceanography, cookery, and the creative arts. All its activities are complimentary, everything so that its dear littlest guests leaves with childhood memories which they will cherish for life.

Discover engaging activities that combine playtime with learning at Muramas Kids Club. Little ones can nurture their creativity at the art & craft room, and learn basic yoga at the Kids Spa. Facilities include a rainbow stairs room, a game platform, and an outdoor pool area. Kids

can indulge in fun activities such as treasure hunt and native storytelling.

Designed as a luxurious art-immersive island retreat, JOALI Maldives focuses on sustainable glamour. This experiential destination has been created in collaboration with world-renowned artists and local artisans. The resort's revival of Maldivian craftsmanship also supports the local community. Incredible artworks unfold across the landscape, taking you on an inspiring journey of discovery. Seemingly ordinary moments set the stage for transformation, opening the door to new perspectives and everlasting memories here.



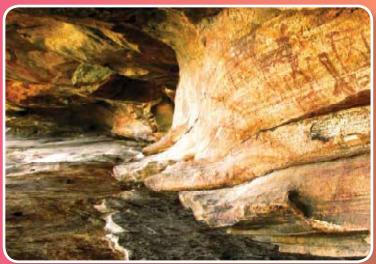




# Rock Painting

Earliest attempt by human beings to depict their natural world symbolically









### Directorate of Tourism, UP PARYATAN BHAWAN

C-13, Vipin Khand, Gomti Nagar Lucknow- 226010 Tel.: +91-5222308916 | Email: upstdc@up-tourism.com Website: www.up-tourism.com

### Bakstage Gourmet Elevates World Cuisine with a Grand Twist

Just as flowers bloom, so do new ventures. Inspired by tropical and Indian flowers, especially the Lotus, which represents purity, rebirth, and strength, Bakstage as we all knew it, has made a comeback! With an all new fresh and exciting vibe and an eclectic menu, Bakstage is now 'Bakstage Gourmet'.







he fine dining restaurant has recently

reopened its doors on 10th February

up world cuisine with a grand twist. The place

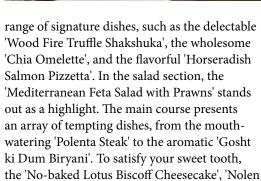
covers an area of 7500 sq. ft. with a seating

2023 in the City of Joy (Kolkata), serving



The restaurant's concept of an enchanted garden aims to attract a cosmopolitan crowd by bringing life to the wooden interiors. Through skilful use of lighting, furniture, decor, and colour schemes, the ambiance is thoughtfully executed. The integration of natural light, hanging baskets, herb gardens, and potted plants create a stunning atmosphere that evokes the feeling of being surrounded by nature. This approach provides an aesthetically pleasing indoor space, which is complemented by a natural and organic environment.

Bakstage Gourmet's menu offers a diverse



Additionally, they have a specially curated Kids' Menu, which includes a range of dishes with interesting names based on what kids usually say - such as 'I don't care', 'I don't want anything', 'I'm not hungry', 'Whatever', and more. By using kids' favorite phrases, the menu offers a playful approach to attract younger

Gur', and 'Truffle Panna Cotta' are exceptional



The drink section boasts an impressive array of beverages, including a variety of coffee options like 'Cafe Latte', 'Cafe Americano', 'Café Mocha', 'Cappuccino Double Espresso', and 'Espresso'. The Healing Elixir range of drinks include the refreshing 'Sobolo Spiced Hibiscus and Hippocras' and the invigorating 'Iced Raspberry Espresso Tonic'. House special gourmet signature cocktails, such as the classic 'Elderflower Martini' and the innovative 'Nostalgic Bakstage', are not to be missed. The drinks menu also includes an extensive selection of craft beers, single malts, scotch whiskeys, Japanese whiskeys, and more.

On Wednesdays, Fridays, and Saturdays, the establishment hosts themed dinners that feature special cuisines paired with music, including Oriental, Mediterranean, and Indian options.

capacity of 117.



In fine weather, this vibrant rooftop transforms into Le Jardin, a restaurant dedicated to exciting culinary experiences. An urban paradise where tomatoes and strawberries take pride of place under the direction of Executive Chef William Béquin, working in tandem with Arnaud Donckele.

#### A VIBRANT DECOR

In this 650 square-meter sky garden, chic, warm shades of red dance with white in a custom-made decor designed to celebrate refinement and the French art de vivre.

Walkways lend a bucolic air, trimmed with greenery, Crocosmia flowers that flutter in the breeze, the delicate corollas of Hummingbird Fuchsia and refined purplehued Kadora shrub roses... In a delightful surprise, an herb garden with multiple varieties of thyme (wild, lemon), coriander and fragrant basil keep company with tomato vines and strawberry plants.

A spirited decor that blends into the gastronomic experience.

#### AN ODE TO FRESHNESS

Green Zebra, Pineapple, Black Krim, Olivette, Roma... heirloom tomato varieties of exceptional quality are grown in southwestern France by Christophe Latour and, more surprisingly, in the capital by the market gardener Plantation Paris, two producers who are committed to respectful and sustainable agriculture. Freshness and refinement are on the menu and the Chefs' recipes charm with their creativity: "tuna tataki with yellowtail, coeur de pigeon cherry tomatoes, mint and shiso" or a "colourful cherry tomato tart with pineapple tomato and basil sorbet", a must-try recipe with an exquisite blend of textures. Some other main courses play it a little wild, for example "stuffed cocktail tomatoes with chicken and confit lemons, olives and marjoram" or "French toast, grilled and caramelized with tomato and Iberian bellota, served with Green Zebra and fennel sorbet".

Strawberries, too, make an unexpected appearance in chilled "Marmande tomato soup served tableside with strawberries, watermelon and burrata", but it is on the dessert menu that their rich flavours and suaveness come into their own. Created by Pastry Chef Maxime Frédéric and his team, these treats are exquisitely light. Among them: strawberry tart, vacherin and creamy Italian ice-creams served in refreshing coupes for a moment of pure gourmet delight.

An enchanted Jardin that promises blue skies, sunshine and happiness all the way.



### Best of Bengali Cuisine

Hilton Goa Resort presented "Kolkata Kalling," an authentic Bengali food fiesta at their modern and chic all-day dining outlet, @Saipe from 25th May to 27th May. From the rich, aromatic, and flavorful curries that awaken the senses to the delectable sweets that melt in your mouth, this culinary extravaganza delighted all your senses.







he expertly crafted menu showcased a vibrant array of Bengal's most beloved dishes alongside some lesser-known yet delicious and authentic delights. Guests enjoyed the delicacies like Kasundi Paneer Tikka, Gondraj Fish Tikka, Murgir Kabiraji Cutlet, Bhapa Mach, Kosha Murgir, Basanti Pulao, Murshidabadi Chicken Biryani, Luchi, to name a few. In addition to the buffet, guests experienced the live

counters offered an assortment of Bengali street food favorites including Puchka, Jalmudi, Aloo Kabli, Churmur, Mughlai Parathas and more. And, of course, no Bengali feast is complete without a delightful assortment of iconic Bengali sweets, including Rasgulla, Malai Cham Cham, Rasmalai, Mishti Doi, Kheer Kadam, and various other delectable options that satisfy any sweet cravings.







■ mbracing the spirit of celebrating different festivals, presents two extraordinary menus: "50 Shades of Red" at Zeta and "Aromas of Himalayas" at Pune 14. Additionally, guests can savour the flavours of fruity cocktails at Single Malts during the promotion period from 15th to 31st May 2023.

50 Shades of Red isa Gastronomic Adventure at Zeta Embark on a tantalizing voyage of flavours with the "50 Shades of Red" menu, available from 19th to 28th May 2023 at Zeta. Indulge in a thoughtfully crafted a la carte selection that showcases the vibrant hues and exquisite tastes of redthemed dishes. Whether you prefer salads, appetizers, pasta, risotto, or delectable mains, this menu promises to delight your taste buds.

Start your culinary journey with refreshing salads such as the Roma tomato burrata salad, featuring the perfect combination of tomatoes and creamy burrata. For appetizers, savour the char-grilled prawn with chunky tomato sauce or the chicken parmigiana with bocconcini and basil leaves. The pasta and risotto offerings include the Zeta famous 60 yolk dough homemade linguini infused with beetroot, and the saffron risotto topped with char-

### Indulge in Gastronomic Delights

The culinary journey at Hyatt Regency, Pune continues to delight food enthusiasts with its diverse offerings and unique experiences.

grilled lobster.

The main course presents an array of irresistible options, including tomato-baked chicken, grilled salmon with saffron béarnaise, and grilled lamb chops with ratatouille. Conclude your culinary experience on a sweet note with the luscious red velvet tiramisu or the refreshing berry panna cotta.

Aromas of Himalayas - A Himalayan Gastronomic Feast at Pune 14 Immerse yourself in the enchanting flavours of the Himalayas with the "Aromas of Himalayas" buffet spread rotation, exclusively available for dinner at Pune 14 from 19th to 28th May 2023. Delight in the rich culinary heritage of the Himalayan region,

showcasing a fusion of flavours and traditional delicacies.

Begin your culinary expedition with mouth-watering appetizers such as palak ke kebab, aloo dal pakora, and Gadwal ki murgh kebab. The soup selection includes the flavourful chawal ka shorba, a soothing rice soup. The extensive main course buffet offers both vegetarian and non-vegetarian delights. Relish the Khatajimikand, a tangy yam preparation from Himachal, or the authentic Kashmiri-style Gosht roganjosh. The menu also features other Himalayan delights like Pahari murgh and Nadrubhey.

Complementing the main course, indulge in Gharwal kha fannah, a slow-cooked black lentil dish finished with desi ghee, and Tudkiyabhat, a spiced khichadi. The dessert island awaits with delightful treats such as lauki ka halwa and babroo, adding a sweet conclusion to your Himalayan

Fruity Cocktails Promotion at Single Malts Hyatt Regency Pune invites guests to savour the essence of summer with a promotion on fruity cocktails at Single Malts from 15th to 31st May 2023.

Celebrate the season with a wide selection of vibrant and refreshing cocktails meticulously crafted with the freshest fruits.

### M.I.T.R.O.N: A Perfect Spot of Friendship

We rarely have time to meet with family or friends because of our busy schedules. However, there aren't any actual reasons stopping us from having a quick meeting with them, so here's Mitron and their new branch in Navi Mumbai.







.I.T.R.O.N is here to bring to you a perfect spot of friendship, fun, and frolic with its wide array of mixology and culinary offerings.

The brand, which debuted in 2018, is quickly growing and has gained popularity. It recently opened its sixth location in Navi Mumbai.

Situated in a prime location, the new Mitron Cafe outlet will span an expansive area of 6000 square feet, providing ample space for guests to relax and enjoy their dining experience. Be it friendship or finance, handling bonds with care and trust remains at the core of their ideology and this inspired Mitron to take the liberty of creating a space that fosters bonding and friendship in all its glory. The cafe aims to create a welcoming atmosphere for food enthusiasts, offering a blend of indoor and outdoor seating arrangements.

One of the key highlights of Mitron Cafe is its commitment to serving an array of flavors from around the world. As a multicuisine restaurant, the menu features a diverse range of culinary delights- Truffle Fetuchini, Mitron

Turnover, Mongolian Hot Pot Lamb, veg and non Veg platter, and many more, satisfying the cravings of guests with varied tastes and preferences. An interactive live station of your favourite Sushi, Dimsums and Pizzas, where you can choose your favourite add-on or how would you like it steamed, fried, or hand toasted to heighten the adventure of your gastronomic journey. From delectable Indian delicacies to savory Chinese dishes and more, Mitron Cafe promises an unforgettable gastronomic journey for its patrons.

According to Mr. Gaurav Shetty, Director of Peninsula Hospitality, "We sell happiness sealed in exclusive bottles, at discounted prices, all day, every day, throughout the year!" We are looking forward to building even more valued memories with our customers with the opening of our new branch in Navi Mumbai. We place a strong emphasis on the value of bonding and enjoying exciting things at Mitrons with their "mitrons."

Mitron emphasizes liquor shop offers and a 15% Corporate discount for all patrons to take full advantage of their menu.

Mitron has DJ nights and Bollywood nights to keep their guests occupied with a great ambiance along with lip-smacking cocktails, and cuisine. They also have Sunday brunches to make the weekend more happening and fulfilling.

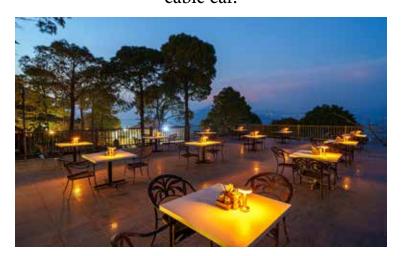
In order to have the best dining experience, exquisite food, and make wonderful memories with your friends and family, we are now inviting all Navi Mumbaikars to the newly opened branch of Mitron Cafe.

Mitron Cafe, all-day dining invites everyone to join in the celebration of its newest outlet and experience the magic of its multicuisine delicacies. Whether you're a resident of Navi Mumbai or visiting the city, Mitron Cafe promises to be a destination that will satisfy your taste buds and create memorable dining

Experience the cafe's offerings firsthand and enjoy an evening filled with tantalizing tastes, warm hospitality, and a vibrant ambiance that reflects the spirit of Navi Mumbai.

### Pines and Cones: Oldworld Charm

Moksha Himalaya Spa Resort, located in Parwanoo, Himachal Pradesh, has announced the launch of its new restaurant, Pines and Cones. This unique mountain café-inspired restaurant offers family-friendly food and scenic hill views, creating a welcoming space for all guests, including in-house visitors and day visitors arriving via the Swiss Gandola/ cable car.









ith its diverse menu and beautiful surroundings, Pines and Cones is the perfect dining destination for anyone looking to enjoy a memorable meal in the heart of the Himalayas.

Owned by Asia Hotels Pvt Ltd, which also owns other hospitality brands like Timber Trails, Moksha Himalaya Spa Resort has always been committed to providing its guests with the best possible experience. With the addition of Pines and Cones, visitors can now enjoy dining in style and comfort. Previously, only guests staying at the resort could make use of the dining facilities.

'The addition of Pines and Cones to Moksha

Himalaya Spa Resort is an excellent way to provide a unique mountain café-inspired dining experience that attracts both in-house guests and visitors. With the launch of Pines and Cones, we hope to invite the residents of Chandigarh and those traveling to Shimla to stop by, relax, and indulge in delicious food while taking in the breathtaking views of the hills. We are excited to share our property with a wider audience and believe that Pines and Cones will be the perfect addition to their visit," said Akash Garg, CMD at Moksha Himalaya Spa Resort during the launch.

Pines and Cones offers a menu mainly comprising of finger foods, with the wood-fired oven being a standout feature. The open kitchen concept also adds charm and openness to the restaurant's interior. The alfresco seating area provides unending valley views and is located near the adventure/indoor activity area, making it a favorite spot for everyone visiting the property.

Sustainably built with ash bricks and stone, Pines and Cones has an old-world charm with its wood-clad exteriors. With its unique theme, stunning views, and family-friendly menu, the new restaurant is a great addition to Moksha Himalaya Spa Resort. It offers a fantastic opportunity for guests to enjoy the stunning surroundings while indulging in delicious food.



### The Aamazing Mango Affair

Is it even summer without Mangoes? Novotel Vijayawada Varun is all set to celebrate the king of fruits with The AAM Theory - A Mango Fiesta at their artisanal lobby bar, Gourmet Bar. From May 26th to June 4th, 2023, this exquisite event will showcase an array of mango-themed desserts, tantalizing the taste buds of mango lovers.

he delectable extravaganza promises to transport guests into a world of indulgence and delight, capturing the essence of the summer season. The menu features an exclusive selection of cakes, pastries, fresh bakes, and handcrafted chocolates, each showcasing the rich and unique flavors of various mango varieties.

Guests can savor the Ratnagiri Fresh Mango Gateaux, Baked Mango Cheesecake, Basil And Raspuri Mango Entremets, Alphonso Mango Bavarian, and Baiganpalli Mango Chocolate Cake from the cake section. The pastry options include Alphonso and Vanilla Pastry, Fresh Mango & Pistachio Tart, Raspuri Mango & Coconut Petit Gâteaux, Mango Creme Profiterole, Mango Chocolate Slice, Mango Mascarpone Delight, and Mango Cupcake.

For those craving freshly baked treats, the fiesta offers Alphonso Mango Danish and Home Made Mango & Rosemary Jam Berliner. And to complete the mango extravaganza, guests can relish the exquisite flavors of handcrafted chocolates such as Sinduri Mango and Wasabi, and Mango and Longum.

Indulge in the rich flavors of mango in a



celebration that showcases its versatility and allure through a range of delectable creations. The Mango Fiesta at Gourmet Bar promises to be an unforgettable culinary experience which cannot be missed.







### Step into the nightlife of Kolkata

Kolkata's nightlife just got an upgrade with the launch of the new luxury nightclub, Space Bar and Kitchen.

ituated on the first floor of Trinity Tower in Topsia, the 4,460 sq ft property it is lavish with bling as their theme along with rose gold metallic tones, glossy flooring, onyx tables, luxury Chester-style sofas and custom-made matrix lights running throughout the club. The seating arrangement can comfortably accommodate 145 people, including the VIP deck, high tables, and PDR section.

The club's heart and soul lies in its music with DJ Raunak as the resident DJ, keeping the party going all night long. Space Bar and Kitchen offers a variety of cocktails, including Space Out, Cranberry Gin Sour, Gold City, Olivoda Love, Dutch Rule, Moodswing Crush Can and Monongahela Mule.

The club provides an experience that Kolkata has never seen before, offering a feeling of extravagance to guests. With the unmatched db Sound and the pioneering shisha involvement in India, Space Bar and Kitchen is set to give Kolkata a glimpse of global nightlife.

"An experience the city has never had before is to be had at Space Bar and Kitchen. We have the most perfect dolby surround sound system to give you that luxurious night club feel. It's time to give Kolkata an international club feel. From the music to the drinks and even shisha, it will all be top notch. We're bringing a one-of-a-kind shisha experience, which will be the first one in all of India, so watch out for Space Bar and Kitchen!" says Imran Hossain, Operator of the new lounge.

Aside from great music and drinks, Space Bar and Kitchen also offers delectable food options, including Cheese Dragon Roll, Black Charcoal Burger, Papdi with Kasha Mangsho, Cream Cheese Mushroom Dimsum, Chicken Banjara Tikka,









Turkish Style Chicken Pizza, and Gulab Jamun Cheesecake.

The owners of Space Bar and Kitchen have bigger plans for the brand, with intentions to expand it all over India and internationally.

"We endeavor to provide the city with a sensation that they have not encountered previously, and offer a feeling of extravagance to our guests. With the unmatched db Sound and the pioneering shisha involvement in India, we intend to present the Kolkata crowd with a glimpse of global nightlife."

The club is set to launch in Bombay shortly, offering a similar luxurious experience to partygoers in the city. With its extravagant interiors, exceptional music, and delectable food and drinks, it is set to become the go-to destination for those who want to experience the best of Kolkata's nightlife.



## How to stay chic even when it is pouring outside

As the monsoon season approaches, it's time to revamp our fashion and makeup choices to look effortlessly stylish even when the rain is pouring outside.

onsoon fashion is all about finding the perfect balance between practicality and fashion-forwardness, ensuring you stay dry while turning heads with your impeccable style. We will delve into the world of monsoon fashion and makeup, exploring the latest trends, brand recommendations, and effective techniques to achieve a chic look regardless of the weather conditions.

#### **Monsoon Fashion Trends:**

Waterproof Outerwear: Investing in highquality waterproof outerwear is a must during the monsoon season. A stylish raincoat, trench coat, or jacket made from waterproof materials like nylon or polyester is essential to keep you dry. Look for designs that not only offer protection from the rain but also add a touch of sophistication to your overall look. Brands like Hunter, Rains, and The North Face are known for their stylish and functional waterproof outerwear options.

Vibrant Rain Boots: Say goodbye to dull rain boots and embrace vibrant and colorful options. A pair of stylish rain boots can add a fun and playful element to your monsoon outfits. Look for brands like Hunter, Joules, or

Burberry for their wide range of fashionable rain boot collections. Opt for designs with sturdy soles and excellent traction to ensure stability on wet surfaces. Don't be afraid to experiment with bold prints and patterns to make a fashion statement even in the rain.

Lightweight Fabrics: When it comes to monsoon fashion, lightweight and breathable fabrics are your best friends. Opt for materials like cotton, linen, or chiffon that dry quickly and keep you comfortable in the humid weather. These fabrics allow for better airflow and prevent you from feeling sticky and sweaty. Brands like Zara, H&M, and Mango offer a plethora of trendy clothing options made from lightweight fabrics, ensuring you stay stylish and comfortable during the monsoon season.

**Playful Prints:** Gloomy rainy days call for a pop of color





prints. Embrace bold and vibrant prints to uplift your mood and add an element of excitement to your outfits. Floral, tropical, or geometric patterns are excellent choices to inject some vibrancy into your monsoon wardrobe. Look for brands such as ASOS, Topshop, and Forever 21 for a wide selection of playful prints. Incorporate printed tops, dresses, or skirts into your ensemble to create a captivating and eyecatching look.

Stylish Umbrellas: Accessorizing with a stylish umbrella is both practical and fashionable during the monsoon season. Opt for umbrellas with sturdy frames and windresistant features to withstand gusty winds. Don't be afraid to explore unique prints, patterns, or even transparent designs that add a touch of flair to your overall look. Brands like Kate Spade, Fulton, and ShedRain offer a variety of fashionable and functional umbrella options







that can complement your outfit and protect you from the rain.

Monochrome and Neutrals: Monsoon fashion doesn't always have to be about vibrant colors and bold prints. Embrace the elegance of monochrome and neutrals to create sophisticated and timeless looks. Opting for shades like black, white, gray, or beige allows for versatility and easy mix-and-match options. A monochrome outfit paired with statement accessories or a colorful umbrella can create a stylish and polished appearance even on rainy days.

Layering with Light Fabrics: Layering is a great way to add depth and dimension to your outfits during the monsoon season. However, it's essential to choose lightweight fabrics to prevent feeling weighed down. Opt for sheer cardigans, lightweight jackets, or oversized scarves made from breathable materials to create stylish layers that won't add bulk. Layering not only adds visual interest to your look but also allows for easy adjustment to changing weather conditions.

Monsoon Makeup: Enhance Your Natural Beauty in Rainy Weather

Rain-Proof Beauty: Essential Tips for Flawless Monsoon

#### Makeup:

The monsoon season brings with it refreshing showers and a cool breeze, but it can also pose challenges for your makeup routine. With the increased humidity and occasional rain showers, it's important to adapt your beauty routine to ensure your makeup stays intact and you look your best. In this article, we'll explore some essential tips and tricks to help you achieve a flawless and long-lasting monsoon makeup look.

#### Prep Your Skin:

Before applying any makeup, it's crucial to prepare your skin to withstand the humidity and potential moisture from the rain. Start by cleansing your face with a gentle cleanser to remove any dirt or excess oil. Follow it up with a lightweight, oil-free moisturizer that provides hydration without clogging your pores. This step will create a smooth canvas for your makeup application and help it last longer.

#### Lightweight Base:

In monsoon, it's best to opt for a lightweight base to avoid a heavy and cakey look. Instead of a full-coverage foundation, consider using a tinted moisturizer, BB cream, or a lightweight

foundation with a natural finish. These products provide a lighter coverage, allowing your skin to breathe while still evening out your skin tone. Remember to choose formulas that are oilfree and long-lasting to combat the humidity. Blend it well using a damp makeup sponge or a foundation brush for a seamless finish.

#### Waterproof Formulas:

One of the key aspects of monsoon makeup is investing in waterproof products. Look for waterproof mascaras, eyeliners, and eyebrow products that can withstand moisture and rain showers. These formulas are designed to resist smudging and smearing, ensuring your eye makeup stays intact. Popular brands like Maybelline, Urban Decay, and Stila offer a wide range of waterproof makeup options that deliver both performance and style.

#### Minimalist Eye Makeup:

In monsoon, it's best to keep your eye makeup minimal and focus on enhancing your natural features. Opt for neutral and earthy tones like browns, taupes, and bronzes for a soft and natural look. Avoid heavy and elaborate eye shadow looks that can easily smudge in humid conditions. Instead, opt for a simple wash of color on the eyelids or define your eyes with a



waterproof eyeliner along the lash line. Finish with a waterproof mascara that adds volume and length to your lashes.

#### Long-lasting Lips:

When it comes to monsoon makeup, longlasting lip products are a game-changer. Swap your creamy and glossy lipsticks for matte or long-wearing lip stains. These formulas adhere to your lips and have a better chance of staying put throughout the day, even with rain and humidity. You can also try lip tints or lip stains that provide a subtle wash of color while being resistant to smudging. Remember to moisturize your lips before applying any lip product to keep them hydrated and prevent dryness.

#### Set Your Makeup:

To ensure your makeup lasts through the day, it's essential to set it with a setting powder or spray. Opt for a lightweight and translucent setting powder that helps control shine without adding extra weight to your makeup. Gently dust it over your T-zone and other areas prone to oiliness. Additionally, consider using a setting spray that helps lock in your makeup and adds a dewy finish. Look for a setting spray that specifically mentions long-lasting or waterproof properties.

#### **Blotting Papers:**

During the monsoon season, excess oil and sweat can make your skin look shiny. Keep a pack of blotting papers handy to absorb any excess oil throughout the day. Simply press the

While a subtle highlight can add a beautiful glow to your face, it's best to keep it minimal during the monsoon season.

Opt for a powder highlighter instead of creamy formulas to avoid any potential smudging or melting. Apply a small amount to the high points of your face, such as the cheekbones, bridge of the nose, and Cupid's bow, for a natural and radiant look.

blotting paper onto your skin, focusing on areas like the forehead, nose, and chin. This will help freshen up your makeup and reduce unwanted shine without disturbing your foundation or concealer.

#### Minimal Powder Highlighter:

While a subtle highlight can add a beautiful glow to your face, it's best to keep it minimal during the monsoon season. Opt for a powder highlighter instead of creamy formulas to avoid



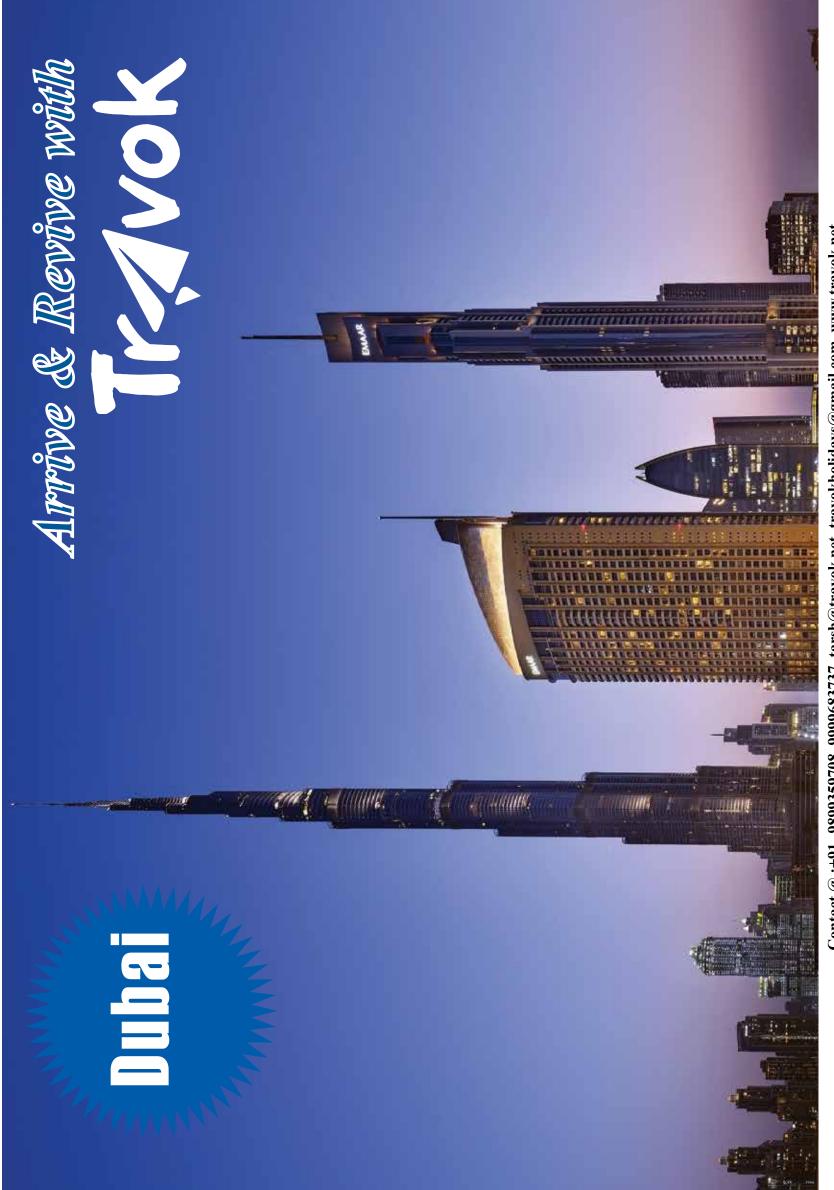
any potential smudging or melting. Apply a small amount to the high points of your face, such as the cheekbones, bridge of the nose, and Cupid's bow, for a natural and radiant look.

#### Quick Touch-ups:

Carry a small makeup bag with essential touch-up products for quick fixes on the go. Include items like a compact powder, a travelsized mascara, a lip balm or lip color, and a small pack of blotting papers. These items will come in handy to refresh your makeup throughout the day and ensure you look your best, rain or shine.

In conclusion, monsoon makeup requires a light and long-lasting approach. Prep your skin, opt for lightweight and waterproof products, and focus on enhancing your natural features. Remember to set your makeup, carry blotting papers for touch-ups, and keep your look minimal yet radiant. With these tips, you'll be able to achieve a flawless and resilient makeup look that can withstand the challenges of the monsoon season. Embrace the rain with confidence, knowing that your makeup will stay intact and enhance your natural beauty.

Don't let the rain dampen your fashion spirit. Embrace monsoon fashion and makeup to look chic even when it's pouring outside. From waterproof outerwear to vibrant rain boots, there are numerous trends and brands to explore. Remember to choose lightweight and waterproof makeup products, while keeping your look minimal and fresh. Monsoon fashion and makeup allow you to celebrate the beauty of nature and showcase your adaptability and resilience. So, step out confidently and make a splash in the world of fashion, rain or shine!



Contact @:+91- 9899359708, 9999683737, tarsh@travok.net, travokholidays@gmail.com, www.travok.net

## Nexa Jimny **Dominate the Off-Road**

Unleash Your Adventure with Maruti Suzuki's All-New 5-Door Off-Roader

#### • T3FS Team



orn in 1970, the Jimny has embarked on a remarkable and enduring journey down the evolutionary road of automotive excellence. Selected by nature for its ability to thrive in the harshest conditions, the Jimny has witnessed and triumphed over the harshest of conditions. With each passing year, it has grown tougher, wiser, and more resilient, honing its skills and gaining experience as its greatest teacher. This indomitable spirit has inspired generations of adventurers, urging them to embark on their quests and create stories that will be remembered for ages.

Jimny's design is rooted in the purity of function. Its ability to power through the roughest terrains-it is embedded in its very DNA. With a simplicity that is purposeful and deliberate, the Jimny has become the driving force behind extraordinary journeys and legends that have stood the test of time.

Step outside, and you will be greeted by a captivating exterior that commands attention and respect. The Jimny's iconic LED headlamps, accompanied by washers, pierce through the darkness, illuminating the path ahead even in the most challenging and treacherous environments. Whether it's sand, mud, dirt, or snow, each adventure becomes a thrilling

chapter in Jimny's story. The bold gun-metal alloys and robust design contribute to its rugged appearance, making you feel one with the terrain as you don the hat of an intrepid off-roader. The vertical slit grille, adorned with 5-slot chrome plated openings in a striking shade, pays homage to the Jimny's rich offroading legacy—a testament to its enduring spirit and unyielding commitment to adventure. The upright A-pillars and flat clamshell bonnet structure provide a wide-angle view of the world that lies ahead, ensuring you are always ready for every twist and turn along the trail. With optimized bumpers featuring angled edges, the Jimny increases clearance at the wheels, allowing you to navigate through obstacles with ease. And when the adventure draws to a close, the practical drip rail running along the side and rear edges allows for flexible installation of roof carriers while keeping you dry as you enter and exit the vehicle.

As you step into Jimny's cabin, you will discover an interior that strikes the perfect balance between practicality and comfort. The Jimny understands the needs of adventurers, and its design reflects that understanding. The rugged exterior seamlessly transitions to the interior, creating an immersive environment

that complements your off-roading experience. Every element is designed with intention and purpose, ensuring that you can fully focus on the journey ahead. From the intuitive placement of controls to thoughtful storage solutions, the Jimny caters to your every need. The cabin provides ample space for both passengers and cargo, allowing you to bring along everything you require for your epic adventures.

But its commitment to your well-being goes beyond its design and aesthetics. It prioritizes your safety on every terrain, providing you with the confidence to conquer any challenge. Hill hold assist empowers you to climb steep roads with the agility of a mountain goat, while hill descent control allows you to maintain control even on the most treacherous descents. Brake LSD ensures that no terrain is too stubborn for your unstoppable progress. With six strategically positioned airbags, the Jimny surrounds you with a protective shield, ensuring that the thrill of the ride is always accompanied by the utmost safety.

When it comes to performance, Jimny is unrivaled. It is engineered to conquer any fear, no matter how daunting. The proven ALLGRIP PRO 4x4 technology, combined with the low-range transfer gear, provides you with

maximum torque and traction, allowing you to conquer the toughest and most unforgiving terrains with ease

. The ladder frame chassis delivers the necessary torsional rigidity to overcome any challenge, ensuring that the Jimny remains steadfast and unyielding in the face of adversity. The 3-link rigid axle suspension with coil springs guarantees increased tire contact with the surface, offering enhanced stability and grip, even on deceptively slippery terrains. The Jimny's 1.5L K15B engine is a testament to its commitment to unparalleled off-roading performance. With a wide RPM range and impressive power output, this engine unleashes a new level of capability, propelling you to new heights and empowering you to conquer any obstacle that comes your way.

Jimny's design and engineering ensure that you can defy the odds and take outdoor exploration to a whole new degree. With ample





body angles and generous ground clearance, the Jimny allows you to traverse even the most challenging landscapes, defying the limitations of conventional vehicles. Its exceptional departure and approach angles ensure that no obstacle is insurmountable, and the harshest terrains will bow before your unwavering determination and indomitable spirit.

#### A STORY PASSED DOWN FOUR **GENERATIONS:-**

THE 1ST GENERATION 1970: Born Tough The Jimny emerged as a tough contender among large off-roaders, defying stereotypes and captivating the hearts of adrenaline-seeking enthusiasts who dared to explore the uncharted. It set a new standard with its robustness and ventured where others wouldn't.

THE 2ND GENERATION 1981: Iconic Gypsy The second-generation Jimny, known as the Gypsy, became an icon of the 80s. With its striking design, it conquered both city streets and rugged wilderness. People and animals alike couldn't help but be captivated by its presence.

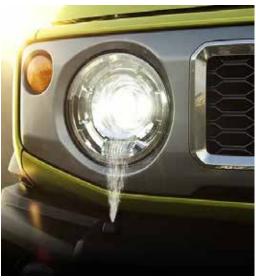
THE 3RD GENERATION 1998: Comfort and Performance Building on its roughand-tough spirit, the third-generation Jimny

prioritized comfort without compromising on capability. Its sleek aerodynamic design, extended wheelbase, and refined suspension brought a new level of refinement and maintained its dominance for two decades.

THE 4TH GENERATION 2018: Conquering New Frontiers The fourth-generation Jimny took the legacy of its predecessors to new heights. With its flawless design and unrivaled performance, it fearlessly conquered treacherous terrains, setting new off-roading benchmarks worldwide.

Born for Off-Roading: A Companion for the Untrodden Path: The all-new 5-door Jimny is more than just a vehicle; it's a partner that shares your thirst for adventure. With offroading in its veins, this remarkable vehicle is ready to take you further than ever before. Leave no stone unturned as you push the boundaries of exploration, venturing into the unknown with unwavering determination and an indomitable spirit.

Unyielding Performance: Conquer Any Fear with Ease:The Jimny is purpose-built to conquer the most challenging terrains nature has to offer. No matter the obstacle, this rugged machine is relentless in its pursuit of daredevil stories. From jagged rocks to treacherous passes and strong currents, the Jimny's off-road prowess



knows no bounds. Its off-road performance is unmatched, making every adventure a thrilling experience that will be etched in your memory forever.

#### **Ample Body Angles and Clearance: Defy the Limits of Conventional Vehicles**

Experience outdoor exploration on a whole new level with Jimny's ample departure and approach angles. Climb steep slopes with confidence, while the wide ramp break-over angle and high ground clearance allow you to conquer every obstacle in your path. This remarkable vehicle defies the limitations of conventional vehicles, empowering you to explore even the most challenging landscapes.

#### **Unstoppable Power: Engineered** for Off-Roading Excellence

Under the hood, the responsive 1.5L K15B engine of the Jimny unleashes its power as you set forth into the unknown. Designed specifically for off-roading, this engine generates strong torque throughout a wide RPM range, ensuring unstoppable performance in any situation. Engage the ALLGRIP PRO's low-

#### **AUTOMOBILE**

range transfer gear and experience a new level of off-roading capability. With maximum torque and traction, the Jimny effortlessly conquers every terrain, transforming the harshest landscapes into joyous playgrounds.

Tough and Resilient: Built to Overcome Any Challenge: The Jimny's 3-link rigid axle suspension with coil springs and ladder frame chassis provides the necessary toughness and resilience to overcome any challenge. With full-width rigid axles in the front and rear, this vehicle maintains stability and traction on even the roughest terrains. The combination of these features ensures increased tire contact with the surface, offering enhanced grip and stability. From rough roads to impassable tracks, Jimny's design and engineering will never let you down.

### Commanding View and Uncompromised Design: Conquer with Confidence

A commanding view is essential when tackling tough terrains, and the Jimny delivers exactly that. With its upright A-pillars and flat clamshell bonnet structure, you'll have a wide and unobstructed view of the path ahead, allowing you to navigate with precision. Optimized bumpers with angled edges increase clearance at the wheels, enabling you to dodge obstacles effortlessly. The practical drip rail running along the side and rear edges ensures flexible installation of roof carriers and keeps you dry during vehicle entry and exit. LED

headlamps with washers pierce through the darkness, making sure you never lose sight of your next adventure.

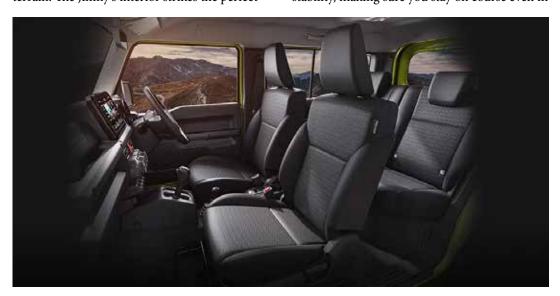
### Intuitive Design and Comfortable Interior: Focus on the Journey Ahead

Inside the Jimny, you'll find a thoughtfully designed cabin that prioritizes your comfort and convenience. Intuitively placed controls, including switches, dials, and touchscreen controls, ensure easy operation even while tackling rough terrains or wearing gloves. The comfortable seat design absorbs shocks, ensuring a memorable drive regardless of the terrain. The Jimny's interior strikes the perfect

balance between ruggedness and refinement, providing you with an immersive experience that complements your off-ro adding endeavors.

### Safety First: A Reliable Companion on Every Terrain

While embarking on thrilling adventures, safety is paramount. The Jimny is equipped with NEXA's safety shield, ensuring your peace of mind on every track you tread. Standard across all variants, the Jimny is equipped with six airbags to safeguard you against any eventuality. Additional safety features such as Hill Descent Control, Hill Hold Assist, and Brake Limited Slip Differential provide enhanced control and stability, making sure you stay on course even in







the most challenging conditions.

#### **Unplug and Connect: Tech to Enhance Your Journey**

Escape the distractions of the modern world and connect with the essence of adventure. The Jimny keeps you connected to the technology that matters, without compromising your off-grid experience. The intuitively designed SmartPlay Pro+ infotainment system, available in 22.86cm (9") or 17.78cm (7") variants, pairs wirelessly with your smartphone via Android Auto# and Apple CarPlay#. Surround Sense with ARKAMYS takes your audio experience to new heights, offering signature ambiances that suit your every mood.

#### **Space to Unleash Your Alter Ego: Ready for Anything**

Jimny understands your need for freedom and self-expression. With ample storage space in the large boot, wider rear opening, hook screws, and a luggage box, you can securely store your tools and belongings. The front seats can be adjusted all the way back, transforming into comfortable beds when needed. The Jimny offers space to secure your phone and bottle, along with a floor console for additional storage. Whether you're a light packer or embarking on an extended journey, the Jimny provides the versatility you need to script your own adventure.

#### **Choose Your Style: Make a Statement**

The Jimny comes in a variety of colors, each designed with function in mind. From



conspicuous body colors to low-visibility options, there's a shade for every taste. The iconic Kinetic Yellow, inspired by adventure safety jackets, stands out as a symbol of adrenaline-fueled exploration. Additional colors like NEXA Blue and Pearl Arctic White, among others, offer a range of choices to suit your preferences. Regardless of the color you choose, the Jimny looks its best covered in dust and mud, a testament to the adventures it has conquered.

#### **Embrace the Conqueror's Steed: Embody the Spirit of Adventure**

The Jimny isn't just a car; it's a symbol of conquest and exploration. With its unmatched capability, timeless design, and unwavering reliability, it empowers you to push the boundaries and create extraordinary stories. Embrace the conqueror's steed and embark on a journey that will redefine your limits and unlock a world of adventure.

#### **Maruti Suzuki Jimny: Potential Choice for Indian Armed Forces**

It is also worth noting that Shashank

Srivastava, the Senior Executive Director of Marketing and Sales at Maruti Suzuki India Ltd., has announced that the Indian armed forces have shown interest in the Jimny, and the company is considering their request after the official launch of the vehicle in the market.

The all-new 5-door Jimny is not just a vehicle; it's a gateway to thrilling adventures and boundless exploration. With its offroad prowess, unyielding performance, and unstoppable power, the Jimny is built to conquer any challenge that comes your way. Its tough and resilient design, coupled with a commanding view and intuitive interior, provides the perfect balance of functionality and comfort. With safety features that prioritize your well-being and technology that enhances your journey without disconnecting you from the essence of adventure, the Jimny is a reliable companion on every terrain. Offering ample space for your gear and a variety of stylish colors to choose from, the Jimny allows you to make a statement and embrace the spirit of adventure. So, unleash your adventurous spirit, embody the conqueror's steed, and let the all-new 5-door Jimny take you on unforgettable journeys, where limits are surpassed, and the thrill of exploration knows no bounds.

#### SMART STUFF

### eyga Organics Anti Aging Serum The Deyga Anti-Aging Serum is a powerful,



all-natural solution to combat the signs of aging. This serum is formulated with a blend of nutrient-rich oils and antioxidants to hydrate, firm, and rejuvenate your skin.

#### Foot Butter

The Deyga Foot Butter is a luxurious and nourishing foot cream that deeply moisturizes and softens your feet. This 100% natural and vegan product is formulated with a blend of nourishing oils and butters that work together to hydrate, repair, and soothe dry and cracked skin

#### **Baby Care Combo**

The Deyga Baby Care Combo is a bundle of

100% natural and safe products that are specially designed to take care of your baby's delicate skin. This combo includes three essential products: Baby Soap, Baby Butter, and Baby Massage Oil. Each product is made with gentle, nourishing, and toxin-free ingredients that are suitable for your baby's sensitive skin.

#### Pre-mature Greying Oil

The Deyga Pre-Mature Greying Oil is a natural and effective solution for premature greying of hair. This hair oil is formulated with a blend of nourishing and potent herbs and oils that help to nourish and strengthen your hair from the roots, prevent hair fall, and delay premature greying.

Products are available at deyga.in

#### osmoderma esearch entre

Rating: 8/10



Comment: Formulating skin, hair, and body care products suited best for Indian skin types.

#### Soap-free Daily Gentle Skin

The The first and foremost part of any skincare routine starts with cleansing. It's a multi-purpose face cleanser crafted with a unique formula providing an oil-free glow to the skin. Price: INR 460 providing an oilfree glow to the skin. Protects skin from sun damage by 24/7 hydration. It's dermatologically tested and enriched with saponins by exfoliating the skin. Price:

#### Next Gen Hair Shampoo for Hair

A unique hair fall shampoo formulation for stronger, healthier, and smooth hair. Kosmoderma HairGen Shampoo for hair growth and thickness helps in combating hair fall and reducing hair damage. Price: INR 890

#### Hyaluronic Acid Hydra Boost Gel

Kosmoderma's Hydra Boost Gel is an ultrahydrating and nourishing gel that is specially formulated to provide intense hydration to the skin. Price: INR 1320

#### Hydrating Skin Care Combo

The combo contains hydrating products that hold moisture on the upper layer of skin (epidermis). Price: INR 3931

#### Hair Care Combo for Hair

Kosmoderma's Hair Care Routine Combo is an all-in-one hair care solution that is specially designed to help you achieve healthy, lustrous, and voluminous hair. Price: INR 4800

Available at https://shop.kosmoderma.com/

# Comment: Ayurvedic treatment for your hair Rating: 8/10

### Shoonyaakar

Bhumija hair oil is a 100% natural ayurvedic hair oil, comprising 30 natural herbs and cold-pressed oils. The infusion of ayurvedic herbs works wonderfully on stimulating hair growth and regulating hair fall & dandruff. The presence of ingredients such as mulethi, amla, bhringraj, ashwagandha, and much more, are brought to you in the purest form. This natural oil deeply conditions the scalp and reduces dryness and breakage. The natural properties of the oil makes it the best ayurvedic hair oil for hair growth. Formulated through traditional ways, this chemical-free hair oil is completely safe to use. Using this oil at least twice or thrice a week will enhance your hair quality by making it stronger and healthier. The oil is ideal for people of all ages and hair types. Price: 699/-

#### Phases







Phases is a new generation natural skincare brand that is dedicated to providing safe, clean, and effective skincare products for tweens and teens. Phases was born out of the desire to create a natural skincare range that is specially formulated for the delicate skin of young tweens & teens.

Phases is a brand with a purpose, dedicated to changing the skincare industry by phasing out harmful ingredients and empowering tweens and teens to be their confident selves by creating plant-based, innovative skincare products that are gentle on skin, easy to use, and have sustainability at its core. The brand is committed to giving back to the community by donating 1% of its earnings towards planting trees and making the earth a better place for future generations.

Phases' skincare products are formulated with ingredients that are plant-based and backed by science, toxic chemical-free, synthetic fragrance-free, vegan, cruelty-free, and sustainable. The brand is plastic-neutral, making it an eco-conscious choice for consumers who want to make a positive impact on the environment.

Overall, Phases is a brand with heart and a vision to become the go-to skincare brand for teens and tweens. With its commitment to providing safe, clean, and effective skincare products that are gentle on the skin and the environment, Phases is poised to make a positive impact in the skincare industry and the world.



Comment: Baby's junction

Rating: 9/10

### R for Rabbit



The remarkable All-in-One Sample Kit, specifically designed to provide unparalleled care for your little one. This package has curated selection of infant care essentials that ensure your child receives the utmost attention. The kit includes Baby Soap (25gm), Baby Shampoo (20 ml), Baby Body Wash (20 ml), Baby Cream (20 ml), Baby Lotion (20 ml), and two variations of Baby Oil (20 ml each,

featuring Sesame + Almond and Coconut Oil + Almond). This comprehensive assortment covers all your child's needs, promoting their overall well-being.

Pure & Beyond products are enriched with the goodness of oatmeal and lavender, which offers soothing treatment for your baby's delicate skin. Not only do they moisturize the skin effectively, but they also have a calming effect on your little one's senses. With this inclusive package, you'll have everything required for gentle cleansing and nourishing from start to finish.

R for Rabbit doesn't just cater to your baby's care needs; we also offer the perfect companion for their outdoor adventures. The Road Runner Racer, a trendy and secure 3-wheeled scooter, is BIS Safety Certified to guarantee your child's safety at all times. Its adjustable T-bar can accommodate your growing child's height, with up to 4 levels of adjustment. Witness the joy as they effortlessly navigate their surroundings.

Equipped with high-quality PU Wheels, the Road Runner Racer leaves no traces behind while gleaming brilliantly as the speed increases, providing an exhilarating experience. It ensures a comfortable and delightful ride, prioritizing both enjoyment and safety for your child.

With the Pure And Beyond All-In-One Sample Kit for delicate and efficient infant care and the Road Runner Racer for thrilling outdoor activities, you can offer your child the best of both worlds. Embrace the joy and tranquillity that comes from providing your child with exceptional care and amusement, all in one package.

# Scuzo Ice

As a kid, chasing the Icecream-Man on the dusty roads of his colony, Gagan Anand's chase towards the dream of opening his own Ice Cream Company comes true through Scuzo Ice 'O' Magic in September 2020. But what's so unique about it? Well, Mr. Anand's Scuzo Ice 'O' Magic is the fountainhead of Live Popsicles in India. With an unwavering spirit to work hard, Gagan has built a team that equally believes in perseverance and giving their best to the customers.



Rating: 8/10

Scuzo Ice 'O' Magic, is thus, the materialization of Gagan's dream of an ideal Live Popsicle that would keep the spirit of the age-old barf-ka gola or chuski alive and would definitely be the best Summer treat. This dessert cafe aims at providing a platform for all the age groups to engage in lively and fun-filled sweet moments without worrying about the sugar content and any side effects on health. Scuzo Ice 'O' Magic is special because it is probably the only dessert company in India that uses pure, healthy, and natural fruits and nuts for preparing its hand-made gelatos, waffles, sundaes, ice cream cakes and much more without adding oils or cream. It offers a refreshingly wide range of live-making popsicles, with a smooth blend of national and international flavors with in-house secret recipes topped with exotic fruits and nuts to accentuate the naturally fresh flavors under one roof.



The summer season brings fun and enjoyment, but it can also be harsh on our skin and hair.

Acne Spot Corrector

Acne Spot Corrector is made with pure wild organic cinnamon extract of the finest quality which fights with pimples, acne, acne scars and blemishes and fades them away from within. Price INR: 549

Anti-Pigmentation Kit

The Anti-Pigmentation Kit's Ayurvedic herb enriched formula works generously on stubborn blemishes & scars, leaving you with much healthier-looking skin. Price INR: 1,868

Exotic Face Glow Mask

The Exotic Face Glow Mask is a unique luxurious blend of pure Indian ingredients like Marigold, Chironji, Red Sandalwood, Rose and Khus Khus. Price: INR 899

### The Tribe Concepts

Face Brightening Daily Cleanser Face Brightening Daily Cleanser is made with 12 organic tribal forest sourced ingredients which are amazing for skin care. Price: INR 549

Ubtan Body Cleanser

The Ubtan Body Cleanser makes your skin bright, radiant, and smooth. It helps to get rid of body tan (Best used in combination with The Tribe Concepts Extra Virgin Coconut Oil. Price INR: 549

Onion Hair Growth Oil

The Tribe Concepts Onion Hair Growth Oil gives your hair an intensive hair treatment to stimulate hair follicles with the power of red onions. Price INR: 799

Products are available at www. thetribeconcepts.com



#### **ARIES**

People who belong to the Aries zodiac sign will experience mixed outcomes in this month as per the June horoscope. This month will be dull for couples based on the love horoscope. On the other hand, it can also be a dynamic and interactive month based on how the couple perceives it. The couple will get to spend more time together as per the June horoscope and there will be problems because of some misunderstandings. If a couple lets the misunderstanding stand in their way, then it will be a dull month for them. On the other hand, discussing the problems will help them have an interactive month. Single people also have the chance to meet their soulmates. Aries's finance horoscope states that this month is not beneficial for the Aries zodiac to sign people. You should maintain your current investments without making any changes or new investments. This will help you save your wealth. The career horoscope of Aries predicts that you will advance in your career with the help of your colleagues and seniors. You shouldn't make any hasty decisions as they might affect your career in a short period. There might also be some travelling needed, as per your June horoscope. Aries's June month health horoscope states that you will lead this month in excellent health condition. You might be affected by seasonal flu. Apart from that you will lead a healthy and stress-free life this month.

Tip for June you should follow - You have the potential to achieve great things, but you need to remember that patience and persistence are a must for long-term success. Important Dates - 13, 15, and 29

#### **TAURUS**

June's horoscope for the Taurus zodiac sign states that you will have good progress in your life day by day. The love horoscope predicts that the couple will have a great time together in the second half of this month. The first half of June will be challenging because of disagreements between you and your partner. The couple will eventually overcome this in the second half as per their June horoscope. Taurus's finance horoscope states that you need to be careful while investing in stock since a small miscalculation might bring a huge loss. Don't make changes in your investments to secure your wealth. The career horoscope of the Taurus zodiac sign doesn't promise great things for them. You have to maintain your routine work during this month to avoid insecurities because of some disturbances you face in your work. It is better to stay silent in problematic situations to avoid stress in your work. As per the June horoscope of Taurus people, you might encounter chronic related problems this month which should be taken care of immediately. Taurus's health horoscope states that you need to practise meditation and yoga to avoid stress and anxiety. Tip for June you should follow - You will face problems but you can overcome them with proper planning. So always write down your problems and plans.

Important Dates - 4, 8, 24, and 28

#### **GEMINI**

June horoscope for Gemini zodiac sign people shows that you will have a great personal life this month. The love horoscope of Gemini for June shows that the couple will have a spark in their relationship. But you have to wait till the second half of this month to witness excitement and enjoyment in their love life.

June is a good month for Geminis as per their finance horoscope, because you will face unexpected cash flow this month. The investments that are made based on speculations will bring profits. You will also have a good return on investment from your ventures. According to the June monthly horoscope, it is a beneficial month for Gemini zodiac sign people.

The career horoscope of Gemini states that you will face hurdles in your professional life which might lead to stress. You will also face problems in executing the ideas because of your improper communication in the workplace. You might also look for a job change but you need to be careful while making such a huge decision.

Gemini's health horoscope predicts that they will have an excellent month without any health-related issues. The treatments will show some improvement in your health. There will also be no stress-related problems for Gemini zodiac sign people.

Tip for June you should follow - Meet the people you love and communicate with them properly. This might help you in unexpected situations.

Important Dates - 6, 8, 21, and 24

#### **CANCER**

The life of Cancer zodiac sign people will be filled with peace and harmony, but they take time to realise. The love horoscope of Cancer states that the couple will have time together in the first half of this month. But with the change in priorities, the couple will have some problems in the second half. They can also overcome this by being affectionate towards each other. The June horoscope of Cancer states that these people will encounter some excellent cash flow and growth in their wealth. This is mainly because of changes in the position of the celestial bodies. The investments will bring good profits and relationships with your partners/ colleagues will give a push to your income. According to the monthly horoscope of Cancer, you can also consider business expansion or new ventures in this month. The career horoscope of the Cancer zodiac sign predicts that you have a great prospect for growth in your professional life. You will also make good relationships with your colleagues and seniors which will also help in your career growth. If you are looking for a change, then you need to start applying for jobs this month. The June horoscope of Gemini predicts that you won't face any chronic related health issues. But you will face anxiety-related issues which can be avoided through meditation. In addition, you should also stick to your routine exercise to keep you healthy. Consider checking your health horoscope with an astrologer for more information. Tip for June you should follow - You have good qualities and you don't have to prove it to anyone.

Important Dates - 3, 13, and 27

#### **LEO**

The monthly horoscope of Leo zodiac sign states that you will face a lot of ups and downs in June. The presence of the planets Mars and Venus will make you impulsive in creating love relationships. This relationship will be enduring and volatile at the same time as per the love horoscope. Meanwhile, the married couple will enjoy their time together by becoming more compatible with each other. This is the perfect time for the Leos to meet their partner. The finance horoscope predicts that you will have an excellent time in terms of finance. The risks that you took will turn into good profits. Your relationship with the partners and investments will also show a good profit. It is also the right time for you to expand your social network to make more money. Leo's career horoscope tells that you will have problems in your career because of differences of opinion with the management. You should also remember that irrespective of the hurdles you should move forward to see good results. In addition, you should also make good relationships with people at work to achieve your goals. Finally, your health horoscope of Leos predicts that you will lead a healthy lifestyle this month. You might face some small problems which can be cured in a day or two. You should also follow your exercise and diet routine to maintain good health for a long time. Check your monthly with an astrologer to get further information. Tip for June you should follow - You will be successful and it is high time for you to stay calm to avoid unnecessary problems in your personal and professional life.

Important Dates - 4, 6, 10, and 24

#### **VIRGO**

June horoscope for the Virgo zodiac sign provides them with great opportunities where they can showcase their talents. The love horoscope predicts that you will see improvements in your wedding life. The emotional connection between the couples will improve and single people will also spend more time with their partners. The finance horoscope of Virgo for June will bring more profits to these individuals. You will gain more profits from your investments and the risky ventures you made previously. You should also think about improving your social network which will help you secure more gains in the future. The monthly horoscope of Virgo states that you might face problems in your career when you start doubting yourself. In addition to this, the problems will increase when you don't have a smooth relationship with your colleagues and seniors at work. According to the career horoscope, you need to believe in yourself and maintain a cordial relationship with your colleagues at work to excel in your career. Finally, your health horoscope predicts that you will have a tremendous life this month. All your chronic and other health issues will stop bothering you this month. It means you can execute all your outdoor and adventurous plans you had for

Tip for June you should follow - Step out of your comfort zone and learn to make friends to move to the next step in your life.

Important Dates - 18, 23, and 24

#### **LIBRA**

The monthly horoscope of Libra for June will bring more opportunities to help you understand your talents. Your love horoscope will help you fulfil your expectations in your wedding life. You will also have a fun-filled month with your partner and it is the right time to plan for a vacation to understand each other properly.

Single people will also find their potential partners in unexpected situations. The finance horoscope of Libra states that you will face hardships in your financial aspects of life this month. You need to think twice before making any risky investments. Maintain the current investments even if it doesn't bring any profits, as it will help you secure your wealth.

Your career horoscope says that you will have an excellent month in terms of your career. You will complete the projects with help from your colleagues. You can also expect promotions and incentives at work. But you should never give up your hard work and dreams which will help you excel in your career.

The health horoscope of the Libra zodiac sign promises excellent health conditions this month. This month ensures that you won't have any chronic related issues hereafter. But you need to maintain your exercise and diet routine to keep your physical fitness. Meanwhile, meditation and yoga will help you stay stress-free.

Tip for June you should follow - You have potential in you, but you have to believe in yourself and find the courage to do it.

Important Dates - 6, 20, 28, and 30

#### **SCORPIO**

June horoscope of the Scorpio zodiac sign assures that you will have a luxurious life and can also expect some fabulous things this month. June love horoscope month brings more romance for the couple. This might be the complete opposite of your nature but you have to adapt to the changes to make life more beautiful. Single people will get the chance to meet their life partners and should make use of the opportunities they get. June month's finance horoscope doesn't promise good things in terms of your finances. You will get unexpected expenses that might be hard to cover with your investment.

You should also reconsider your decisions about your risky investments and ventures this month, as you might end up losing your wealth. Your career horoscope states that this is a favourable time for your career. People working in the creative field will excel in their careers and gain in terms of finances. Your hard work will help you complete the projects on time which makes you the best employee at your work. If you are thinking about making a change in your career, this might be the right time for the change. Finally, your health horoscope predicts that you will face problems because of the negative aspects of the planet. You will feel tired, anxious, and stressed which might affect your overall health. So, you have to avoid things that put you in an anxious or stressful situation. Practice meditation and yoga to maintain good health.

Tip for June you should follow - Trust your intuitions and take the necessary steps to bring the changes you want in your life.

Important Dates - 4, 13, 18, and 20

#### **SAGITTARIUS**

June horoscope for Sagittarius will bring more opportunities and changes in your life which will help you reach your objectives. You have a strong influence on Saturn which will impact your relationship. You have to encounter problems that will be rectified with the help of other planets, as per your love horoscope. Plan a vacation to avoid those unexpected problems with your partner. Single people will meet their soulmates who will bring happiness to their life. The finance horoscope of the Sagittarius zodiac sign states that you will face problems regarding your finances. Your investments won't bring in many profits which could affect your cash flow. You need to think thrice before making any risky investments or ventures this month, as the planets are not in your favour this month. You need to be careful regarding your finances to avoid losing your wealth. In terms of career, you will feel desperate at your work because of your performance. You will also face problems with your colleagues and seniors, as per your career horoscope. You can avoid this by finding the right solutions with a calm mind, as this will help you maintain a smooth relationship with your colleagues. If you want to change your job, then you should seriously think about it. When it comes to your health, you will have a great month without any problems, as per your health horoscope. You should follow a strict exercise and diet routine to maintain your good health. Minor health issues might arise which can be taken care of with proper medication.

Tip for June you should follow - This month you will get the opportunity to drift away from the routine but you have to be careful while taking such an opportunity.

#### **CAPRICORN**

The monthly horoscope of Capricorn for June is in your favour as you will achieve your goals or you will start to see the signs. The first week of June is not a great time for the couple as you might face some difficulties. But eventually, you will overcome this and put in the effort to build a healthy relationship. You can also improve your relationship by paying attention to your partner and following the right actions. Singles have a huge scope in finding the right partner. The finance horoscope of the Capricorn zodiac sign states that you will face problems in your financial aspects. You need to postpone the financial affairs to avoid problems and losses. Even if you put in more work and effort, it won't promise a successful outcome. You need to stop your plans regarding new ventures, as you might face problems legally and financially. Your career horoscope for this month was in your favour as you might experience growth in your career. The planetary positions are in your favour which will help you complete your projects in time with the help of your colleagues and seniors. Because of your hard work and dedication, you will get promotions and incentives. You will also get unexpected help from your social network. Finally, in terms of your health, you will have a great time this month because of the beneficiary planetary positions. You won't have any chronic or mental related problems, but you need to take care of your health by following your routine exercise and diet. This will help you in the long term and you can also go for the outdoor activities that you are interested in.

Tip for June you should follow - Let go of the things that are holding you back from attaining peace and growth.

Important Dates - 2, 16, and 20

#### **AQUARIUS**

The monthly horoscope of Aquarius predicts that you will face hurdles this month because of the bad placement of the planets. Your love horoscope will take you on a rollercoaster ride in your relationship this month. This is mainly due to the presence of the planets Mars and Venus. Because when Venus creates delightful moments in the relationship, Mars will be there to bring some problems. You have to be careful when dealing with important things with your partner to avoid uncertain endings. June horoscope of the Aquarius zodiac sign indicates that your financial aspects will have problems this month. You will encounter unexpected expenses and your investments won't be good enough to cover them. You need to stop all your expansion and risky investment plans to secure your wealth. You can also consult with an astrologer to find the right time for investment and venture expansion to get good profits. When looking at your career horoscope, it is advised to remain calm and continue working, even if you don't see an appreciation or promotion. Because the negative influence of planets is strong and it will affect your career growth if you take risks. In this situation, it is better to continue your work and hope that the coming months will bring benefits. Your health horoscope advises you to pay attention and consult a doctor for minor inconveniences. This will help avoid major problems in the future and also lead a healthy life. If you don't follow a strict exercise and diet routine you will face many health problems this month. Practice meditation and yoga to keep your mental health balanced. Tip for June you should follow - Belief in yourself and everything will come into place at the right time.

Important Dates - 4, 6, 18, and 22

#### **PISCES**

People who belong to the Pisces zodiac sign will get immense support from people which will help them achieve their goals. The love horoscope for this month states that you will have a gradual improvement in your relationship throughout this month. You might also get some help from others if there is any problem but you will take care of things on your own.

Single people will also get outside help to find a perfect partner. Your finance horoscope doesn't promise good things this month. You might get expenses that will put a dent in your savings. There will also be a dip in your investments and you should also stop your plans for new ventures and investments.

The career horoscope of Pisces zodiac sign also brings bad news regarding your career. You will face struggles in your professional life which might hinder your growth. You might lag in achieving your targets because of disputes with your colleagues and seniors. The best you can do is be sincere in your work and you will reap the benefits sooner. Your health horoscope has some good things about your health. You can enjoy your favourite outdoor activities as your physical health will improve. In addition, your mental health will also be in a good condition. You can also check with astrologers to find out more about your health.

Tip for June you should follow - Take time to find the right people as it will help you maintain the balance you are looking for in life.

Important Dates - 6, 10, 19, and 20





Book a luxurious stay with exotic cuisines, desert adventures and amazing cultural performances.







300 years of Old Elegant Fortified Palace Hotel Luxury Heritage Hotel

It revives the gracious lifestyle of princes of Rajasthan and the heritage of India.



**Destination Wedding** 



Leisure Stay



Film-Shoot



#### CHOMU PALACE HOTEL

Chomu, Distt: Jaipur (Rajasthan)

Tel: +91-1423 300 300 Fax: +91-1423 300 400, Mobile: +91-9001094081, 9782056789, info@chomupalacehhotel.com

# A COMPLETE SOLUTION OF BUSINESS AND VACATION

We are here to help you Take care of visa process, flight tickets, airport transportation, car rental, hotel booking, local tours, meeting and event.

Give us chance to make your vacation and event indelible.

travokholidays@gmail.com, www.travok.net

