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The circular-designed rattans on the ceiling of Peraya Homestay.



One of the magnificent views one can witness along the Kampung Peraya jungle trail.

Sarawak
More to Discover

IN a country abundantly blessed by nature, many of us have not taken the time to truly appreciate the gems right in our own backyard.

Rossalynn Ismail from the Sarawak Tourism Board shares her experience on a work trip that landed her at the main gateway into Kampung Peraya, Padawan – about a 30-minute drive from Kuching City.

“Kampung Peraya is home to villagers of the Bidayuh ethnicity, also known as Land Dayaks, that make up almost 10% of Sarawak’s population. The Bidayus are also the second biggest ethnic group in Sarawak after the Ibans.

Upon arrival at the Peraya Homestay at noon, its owner and also our guide Valentine Ritong welcomed us with a warm smile and proceeded to usher us to our ‘home’ for the night. Here comes the tricky part – you need to cross the Sirin River on a bamboo bridge to reach Valentine’s 10-room longhouse, which, surrounded by lush greenery, gives visitors a glimpse of how the Bidayus of the past lived their lives.

The circular rattan craftsmanship on the longhouse ceiling is somewhat like a visual metaphor for the Bidayuh tenacity. From an interior design perspective, the circular shapes of the rattan help create balance and harmony with the contrasting geometric lines of the longhouse. What is even more spectacular, according to Valentine, they were all made by hand.

After settling in, we were served with delectable vegetable and chicken dishes for lunch before heading out to start the jungle trekking adventure to Muan Tabi waterfall. Jungle trekking at Kampung Peraya is quite challenging for novice hikers. The trail’s unpredictable landscape takes you on a roller-coaster-like hiking experience.

Our journey took a little detour as Valentine brought us to a shed that housed a number of human skulls – their ‘enemies of the past’. Named as Pangah Jingga (Pangah House), it is a sacred site for the entire village.

The headhunting ritual in Sarawak came to a stop when Sir James Brooke, the first



The main gateway to Kampung Peraya.



A group posing to mark the end of their bamboo rafting journey.

White Rajah, put a ban on the practice in the 1800s.

For a non-hiker like me, the trekking indeed, pushed my physical limits. However, the sight of the secluded Muan Tabi waterfall was stunning – a glorious reward after an arduous trek.

It was gruelling for me, but looking back and thinking of the beautiful surroundings and breathtaking wonders of nature, all the weariness and fatigue disappeared. Nature is the best healer they say, and after the trek, I concur wholeheartedly.

My next experience was bamboo rafting along Sirin River – I was utterly nervous before but was assured by our tour guide Melintan Ina that it would be an unforgettable experience – and he was right.

When we arrived at the starting point, we were welcomed by the scenic beauty of the shallow yet incredibly calm river. The line of bamboo trees with branches full of leaves along the riverbank created a majestic canopy, shielding us from the glaring sun.

For the majority of the journey, the river is so serene and rafting so smooth that you feel

completely relaxed. With the soothing sounds of water hitting the rocks, added with the lush green surroundings, I let myself be totally immersed in the therapeutic ambience.

Due to the shallow waters, at certain points the raft gets stuck on big rocks so we had to get down from the raft and our paddlers pushed it on its rightful course again.

I watched all of this action closely and a thought crossed my mind – the entire bamboo rafting ride, ironically, is a reflection of life itself. Mostly we enjoy the good times, and when the going gets tough, we strive our very best to overcome the challenges that come our way.

As noon approached, of course lunch was on our minds. As part of the authentic Bidayuh village experience, Valentine and his team had a wonderful surprise for us. Without us realising, they had caught two fish and throughout the journey, had made several stops to gather bamboo shoots, daun ipis (leaves for cooking and eating), lemon-grass, tepus (local wild ginger), tapioca leaves and many other fresh ingredients to be used for cooking.

We were served an array of hot, succulent, delicately flavoured dishes, served in the Bidayuh traditional ‘tipakuoh’ (serving bowls made from sturdy sago fronds) on one of the bamboo rafts. The food was a sight to behold, and was matched by its immaculate taste. What is more important to note is that not a single drop of oil was used in the cooking. Enjoying the freshest and healthiest food while sitting on a bamboo raft surrounded by the lush beauty of Sarawak’s nature is truly something you must experience.

After lunch we proceeded to make our way back to Peraya Homestay. Knowing the voyage was about to end, we were more attuned to our surroundings, focusing more on the wonders of nature engulfing us.

Finally, we arrived at our homestay, marking the end of our bamboo rafting experience, and also our stay at Kampung Peraya. This journey has indeed taught me that happiness and joy is not always in malls or other urban dwellings, but may come in abundance when you become one with nature. Thanks to Valentine, his team and Melintan, we have learned to appreciate that the simplest things can be the key to the richest of experiences. So, for those seeking a moment of tranquillity and healing, I highly recommend Kampung Peraya as your destination of choice.”

■ Find out more about Kampung Peraya and the gems Sarawak has to offer in the advertisement in this *StarSpecial* and check out Sarawak Tourism Board’s booths this upcoming MATTA Fair.

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2D1N Discover Sungai Lembing With Rainbow Waterfall Experience & Stay at Unique Capsule Room with BBQ Dinner *For 2 Adults	448
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WITH the country's borders reopening, life gradually returns to what it was before the pandemic and travel-related businesses are also committed to tourism recovery plans.

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Apple Vacations group managing director Datuk Seri Koh Yock Heng disclosed that the outbound travel market is more inclined to small groups or group tours as travellers are still concerned about the uncertainties and travel restrictions.

Koh said that the pandemic affected the ecological and supply chains of tourism. For example, airlines reduced flights resulting in a 30% to 50% increase in airfares, while group tour rates have increased by about 20% to 30%.

Koh said that Apple Vacations focused on three major aspects at the travel fair, which are: (1) Europe such as Finland, Switzerland, Spain, Italy, France, Hungary, Czech Republic, Balkans (four countries), Turkey and the Middle East region in Dubai/Abu Dhabi and more; (2) Japan, Korea, and Vietnam; and (3) Leesan series, such as the In-Depth Tour of Hokkaido and Tunisia. Apple Vacations group executive chairman, Datuk Seri Lee Ee Hoe JP, is better known among his peers as Leesan.

In addition, Apple Vacations' highlights include the ever-popular and exclusive "Apple Charter Flight to Hokkaido" tour, with early-bird



Switzerland rail in Europe.



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discounts between RM600 and RM1,000 (terms and conditions apply).

Koh reminded the public to be vigilant and cautious when purchasing tour packages from travel agencies. Recently, unscrupulous people have been using Apple Vacations advertisements, travel packages, photos and information to sell on online platforms, including Facebook and Instagram.

■ Apple Vacations has a total of 16 booths at the MATTA Fair. The travel fair will be held from Sept 2-4 at World Trade Centre, Kuala Lumpur. Exhibition booth numbers (3233-3238, 3052-3053, 3245-3250, 3066-3067).



Apple Vacations group managing director, Datuk Seri Koh Yock Heng.



Mount Fuji in Japan.

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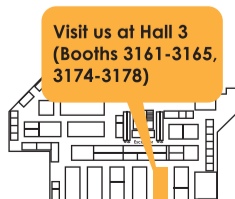
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Spooky adventures are back

SUNWAY Lagoon is excited to announce that Nights of Fright will be returning this year! Touted to be Malaysia's most notorious and highly anticipated horror fest, it will emerge from its two year hiatus with many spine-tingling exclusives.

Attendees can expect up to 15 nights of unspeakable terror as they navigate themselves through its scare zones, ghastly creatures, terrifying attractions and many more.

Along with its well-known Sharknado haunted house, this year's visitors will be welcomed by a rush of ominous attractions like "Zombie Hunter", "The Hotel Deville", "Lucha Libre in UV3D", "The Harvest" and "Bloodshed 2".

Here's what you can expect:

- > **Zombie Hunter:** a horde of hungry, flesh-eating zombies that will stop at nothing for a taste of the human flesh. You'd better run!
- > **The Hotel DeVille:** a dilapidated ruin where evil awaits. The night dwellers who live inside have an aversion to strangers, so watch your back!
- > **Lucha Libre in UV3D:** a covert wrestling ground where veteran wrestlers abound. Rey Mysterio Jr, El Santo and Dr Wagner will be making their debut, so wrestling enthusiasts are advised to keep an eye out.
- > **The Harvest:** humans are ruthlessly harvested for their organs in an unforgiving wasteland. But the



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last batch was completely destroyed and only the scarecrows remain. What will happen now? Come find out!

> **Bloodshed 2:** the monsters are back. Bad news? They're scarier and bloodier than ever! Officials have also found three new buildings in this *Wolf Creek*-inspired attraction. Are you brave enough to step inside? And do you have what it takes to survive the legend?

Meanwhile, Sunway Lost World of Tambun Screamfest is also returning for the first time since the two-year pandemic. This spine-chilling event will run over

two periods beginning from Oct 21-26 and Oct 28-31, respectively.

This year's event includes four spooky attractions, six captivating performances and many hair-raising activities:

> **Dukun of The Kepura Cave:** Millions of years have passed since the caves were formed, but the witch and crawlers of the night who inhabit the area have been here way longer. You are surrounded by a vast area of darkness as you face the witch – legs trembling, stomach churning.

Fragments of the moonlight slashes across her face to reveal a sinister smile as she offers you a



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trinket. Right outside, the cave crawlers are beginning to grow restless as you steel yourself for a bloody escape. What will you do?

> **Haunted Chambers:** Hold your breath as you enter the Haunted Chambers, a lair blanketed by a flurry of screams, strange beings and the echoes of your worst dreams. Will you be able to evade the dead who vie for your soul, or will you be trapped and forced to spend an eternity lost in Tambun?

> **Luminous Trick o' Treat:** There was something ominously captivating about this house. It felt like the pumpkins would smile at you when you walked past, and there

was a tall shadowy figure giving out bright-coloured candies when you mention a certain phrase. Come drop by with your little ones as they indulge in a range of Halloween activities like a parade and trick or treating!

> **Devil's Manor:** Off a hidden path in the Malayana Rainfortress, lays the Devil's Manor – where fear and regret await. Do you have what it takes to negotiate your way through a labyrinth of terror and remorse as The Grim Reaper confronts you for your misdeed?

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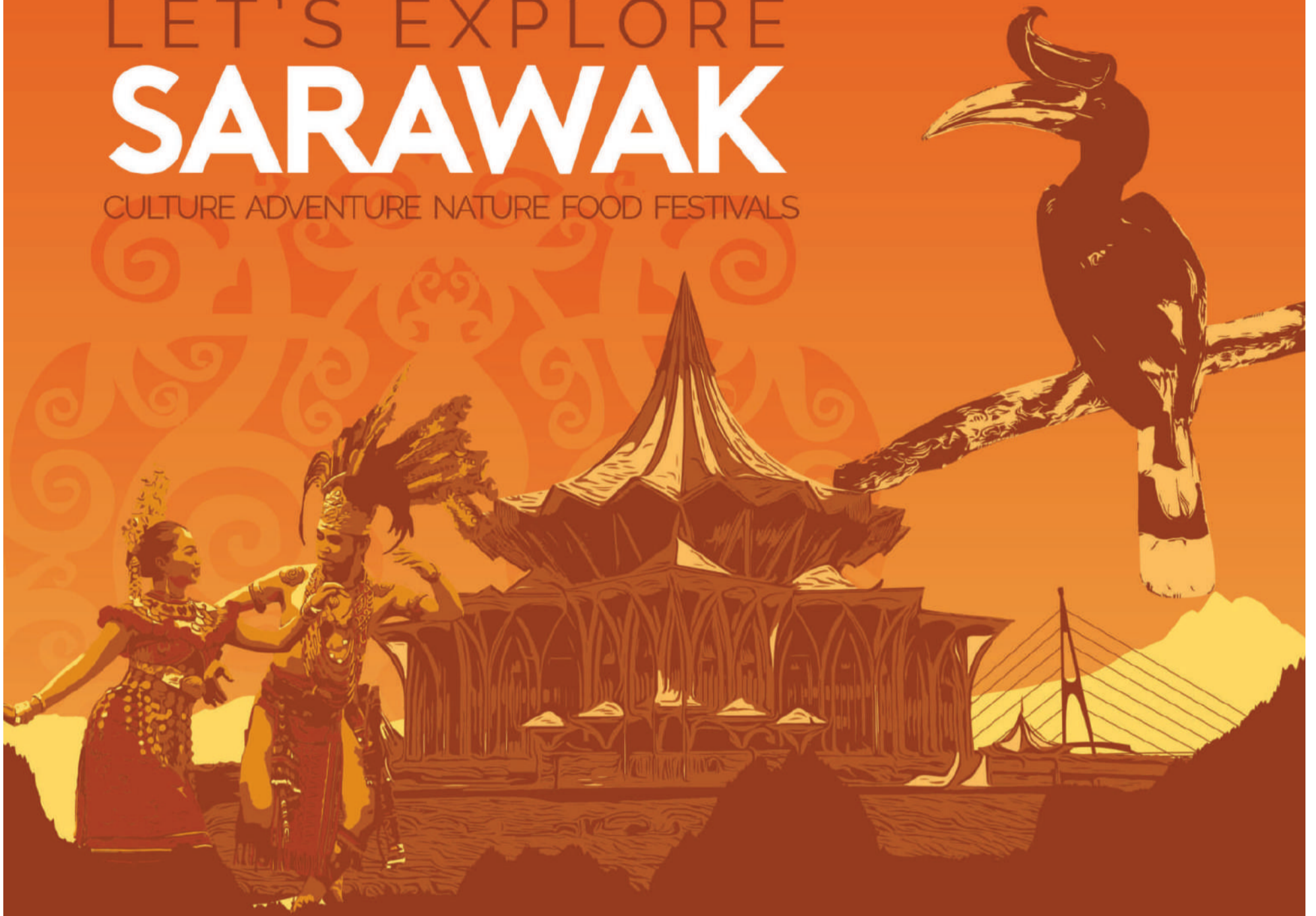
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Europe's most loved destinations

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Here are just some of the top trending destinations and trips for Europe:

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Explore a traditional Christmas Market in the historic centre of Frankfurt.

Europe boasts some of the most amazing Christmas markets from Germany to Switzerland, Austria and France and from Prague to Croatia. You'll feel like you've stepped into a fairy-tale on the Christmas Markets trips such as the 8D Christmas Markets of Germany, 8D Christmas Markets of Croatia, Slovenia and Austria and 8D Christmas Markets of Poland, Prague and Germany.

Northern Europe

Think Northern Europe, think Northern Lights, fjords and lively sophisticated cities. New for 2022 winter is Trafalgar's 9D Scandinavian Northern Lights trip covering Finland and Sweden.

On this trip, you will learn about Sami culture, meet a Sami reindeer herder family for insights into their way of life and as the highlight, hunt for the dancing lights of the Aurora Borealis or catch the light show from the comfort of an amazing glass igloo stay.

If Iceland is your choice of destination, Trafalgar offers a 6D Iceland including Blue Lagoon trip where you spend time exploring Iceland's Viking culture, seeing Mother Nature at its best and taking a soak in the world-famous Blue Lagoon, which steaming turquoise waters are said to have healing powers.

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WHEN it comes to honeymoon destinations, Maldives is definitely at the top for most couples. Just one glance at any image of this paradise on earth will transport you away to its pristine beaches, clear blue waters and a private villa escape all to yourself.

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Oblu Select Lobigili also houses the largest underwater restaurant, Only Blu, which offers a fine dining experience of modern gourmet fare and decadent desserts with a pairing of recommended beverages.

Another resort you can consider for your honeymoon holiday is Movenpick Resort Kuredhivaru Maldives. Not only will you be

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Awesome moments for the best day

MALAYSIA and international tourists alike are familiar with the wonders that Sunway Theme Parks behold: Sunway Lagoon and Sunway Lost World Of Tambun. Albeit different by nature, these two water parks and theme parks are undoubtedly some of the finest attractions in Malaysia, and have evolved into a popular tourist destination over time; and ultimately, a source of pride for the country.

Sunway Theme Parks is dedicated to letting guests experience "Awesome Moments" and their "Best Day Ever," so tourists can find many exhilarating rides in one convenient place throughout the day.

Sunway Lagoon

The abundance of water rides at Sunway Lagoon, which are ideal for both children and adults, consistently brings excitement to visitors. The "Vuvuzuela," also known as the "World's Largest Vortex Ride", is one of the most well-known rides. Standing at 11 storeys high, dare-devils can plunge themselves through turbulent waters with twists and turns with their screams echoing in the air!

Aside from that, the park is also brimming with other fun attractions such as the Pirate's Revenge, Surf Beach (World's Largest Surf Pool), Tiger Land, Monsoon 360 and many more.

To give visitors new and unique experiences, Sunway Lagoon is also constantly pursuing new expansions. One of their most recent initiatives is the themed dinner, where guests can select from one of three settings:

- Pirate-themed dinner
- Shanghai-themed dinner
- Spooky-themed dinner

The other package that has been selling like hotcakes would be the "Barbecue Dinner by The Beach".

After a long day of fun, guests can eat by a gorgeously decorated beachside, which also comes with a complimentary Flowrider session.

Sunway Lost World Of Tambun

Sunway Lost World Of Tambun, in contrast to Sunway Lagoon, is a family-oriented theme park set away in a lush green forest. Families come here in droves to unwind



Flaming Percussion Show.

and refresh in the renowned 100% natural Hot Springs. For those who wish to splurge a little more, there is also the Crystal Spa, where they can pay a small fee to receive body therapy. The spa offers head and shoulder massages and aromatherapy daily from 12pm till 11pm.

The trip to Sunway Lost World Of Tambun would not be complete without a stroll along Ipoh Street, a pleasant replica of old Ipoh town with a myriad of delicious local favourites. From Dim Sum to keropok lekor, curry mee and tau foo fa, guests will definitely be spoiled for choice.

For those seeking something a little more "fiery", they can also get ready for the Flaming Percussion Show, which begins at 9pm every night on the main stage. This is a fun performance that combines skilled percussionists with fire eaters that will blow your mind.

Visitors will also have access to the Luminous Forest, where the Malayana tribe resides. Children can experience a world of colourful flowers, enormous magical creatures, and more in this wonderful haven.

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Portugal

One of the last few countries to open its doors to international tourists in 2022, Portugal has proven to be a hot destination. From its hip and colourful cities to dramatic coastlines, vineyard-clad hills and architectural wonders, Portugal is also a great destination to consider for its milder winter.

Explore Portugal in-depth on a mono country trip starting from seven days or combine this colourful destination with Spain and even Morocco.

Britain and Ireland

The city of London needs no further introduction. On the 8D Britain and Ireland Delight trip on Cost saver, London serves as the launchpad to discover not only

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Landscapes that inspired poetry, medieval monuments and stone fortresses, Celtic tales and fairy-tale castles are the order of the week on this adventure across Britain and Ireland.

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OVER the course of the pandemic, most of us have gotten used to the ease and convenience of online transactions and cashless payments. In fact, many people nowadays don't carry much cash around, as cashless payments have become so commonplace.

Now with international borders gradually opening up, the ease of cashless transactions can also be extended to travelling for a hassle-free and convenient vacation.

Travelling in the new normal, you no longer need to concern yourself with carrying cash around in a foreign country, which also gives you peace of mind while enjoying your well-deserved getaway. All you need to do to complete your vacation plans and ensure a smooth and hassle-free holiday is to get the Merchtrade Money Card.

The perfect travelling companion, this Visa-enabled card not only enables travellers to conduct financial transactions digitally, it allows withdrawals from any ATM in the world.

It also offers a host of other travel-friendly transactions via the Merchtrade Money mobile app.

For one, you can buy, keep and sell up to 20 currencies in the app at zero charge, which means you need not run around looking for money changers when your local currency runs low. It also locks in exchange rates at the time you purchase foreign currencies, without being affected by the fluctuation of



Merchtrade Money Card offers a host of travel benefits and added peace of mind.

foreign currency exchange rates.

Apart from that, the multi-currency e-wallet function gives you the ease of payment no matter where you are. The multi-currency wallet supports 20 different currencies including US Dollar, Singapore Dollar, British Pound, Australian Dollar, Indonesian Rupiah, Euro, Thai Baht, Japanese Yen, Saudi Riyal, China Renminbi, Hong Kong Dollar, South Korean Won and Indian Rupee, among others.

You can also perform online money transfers or card-to-card transfers, check your card balance, top up prepaid mobile airtime

(domestic and international), and buy micro insurance.

For added security, you can manage your card settings at any time, as well as track your expenses via e-statement.

A leading fintech company, Merchtrade is Malaysia's leading home-grown non-bank financial service, fintech and MVNO player, largest money services business operator and a fast-growing e-money issuer.

With a reputable track record, Merchtrade is back as the official money changer partner for the seventh time since 2017 at the upcoming MATTA Fair at the World



Lock in exchange rates at time of purchase with the multi-currency feature.

Trade Centre KL from Sept 2-4.

You can visit its booth to immerse yourself in a digital experience and find out firsthand how convenient your travels can be traveling with this e-wallet & Visa prepaid card.

Visitors to the booth can enjoy special rates and packages, as well as enjoy promotions and free gifts when they register for their very own Merchtrade Money Card at the fair.

There will also be a live money-changing service with the best competitive exchange rates and travel insurance available.

You can also participate in the Spin and Win Games and stand a chance to win attractive vouchers.

For a smooth and easy application process, there will be an onboarding facility for visitors to register for the Merchtrade Money Card at the fair.

Merchtrade founder and managing director Ramasamy K Veeran said the return of MATTA Fair is timely given the revival of leisure travel around the world.

"We are happy to participate in the biggest travel fair once more. With the reopening of the economy and international borders, travellers are now starting to plan their dream holidays. Often, the planning stage is the first step to having a great travel experience.

"We aim to be part of that stage where we provide them with the best competitive exchange rates and payment convenience anywhere, anytime. We will be a valuable companion to travellers through our Merchtrade Money Card, which offers a host of travel benefits and added peace of mind," he said.

Merchtrade's booth will be located at Hall 3 Foyer, Booth F1-F4. For more information, check out the Merchtrade Money website (<https://bit.ly/3AttBKz>), Merchtrade Insure website (<https://bit.ly/3weyys6>), Merchtrade Facebook (<https://bit.ly/3KkLChu>) and Merchtrade website (<https://bit.ly/3c6bSzB>).



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Busan night view of the Fireworks Festival.



Yongpyong Ski Resort.

Much to see and do in South Korea

KOREA Tourism Organization Malaysia Office (KTO Malaysia) will participate in the upcoming MATTA Fair KL, Malaysia's biggest travel fair, at World Trade Centre (WTC) from Sept 2-4. With the popularity of the Korean wave or also known as "Hallyu", KTO welcomes all Malaysian travellers to enjoy Korea with its beautiful mountains and oceans, colourful cities and night-scapes, dynamic culture, and delicious K-Food.

KTO Malaysia will be highlighting tourism destinations for the winter season. There will be 10 exhibitors consisting of regional tourism provinces from Korea that will participate in the travel fair to promote Korea as a tourist destination as well as to interact with the MATTA Fair visitors.

A visit to the KTO booth will be a rewarding one as visitors can get key information regarding the latest travel safety guidelines, the 100 top places to visit in Korea for 2022, Muslim-friendly travel news, Hallyu destinations and enjoy many activities at the booth with plenty of gifts to be won.

Visitors who purchase Korea packages from the Travel Agency Partners can also redeem gift redemptions from KTO booth and stand a chance to win RM200 Touch 'n Go vouchers. There will be gift redemption for customers who purchase on site (while stocks last and terms and conditions apply):

- > With purchase of Korea tour package (Full/Ground): Canvas tote bag with pouch set

- > With purchase of Korea tour package inclusive of Jeju (minimum two nights' stay): Jeju tangerine hat

- > With purchase of Korea tour package inclusive of Gangwon (minimum two nights' stay): Gangwon pouch

Activities at the event include Korea travel information booths, gift redemption for customers who purchase Korea tour packages at the venue, official KTO mascot appearances and photo sessions, complimentary Hanbok experience and VR Winter Zone.

There will also be exhibitors consisting of regional tourism provinces that will provide travel information, quiz activities and travel presentation:

- > Busan Tourism Organization
- > Gangwon Province
- > Gyeonggi Tourism Organization



Vivaldi Park.

- > Gyeongnam Tourism Organization (GNTO)
- > Gyeongsangbuk-do
- > Gyeongsangbuk-do Culture & Tourism Organization (GCTO)
- > Jeju Special Self-Governing Province
- > Jeju Tourism Organization
- > Jeollabuk-do
- > Seoul Tourism Organization

Destination highlights include ski resorts to spend an exciting winter in Korea.

Korea is gifted with mountain terrains and the perks of winter. In particular, Gangwon-do and the outskirt regions of Seoul are great places to enjoy winter sports such as skiing and snowboarding as they receive the most annual snowfall. Ski resorts in Korea offer slopes for a variety of skill levels, from absolute beginners to experts. Many resorts also offer night-time skiing for a full day of fun.

Yongpyong Ski Resort, Pyeongchang, Gangwon-do

The first ski resort to open in Korea, the resort's accommodations are located nearest to the ski slopes, which make it a popular venue amongst skiers. The resort has 28 slopes to suit skiers of all levels and 14 lifts. With the resort's high amount of annual snowfall, visitors can enjoy both an exciting ski trip and a beautiful winter getaway. Yongpyong Ski Resort hosted the alpine competitions for the PyeongChang 2018 Winter Olympic Games.

Vivaldi Park Ski World, Hongcheon, Gangwon-do

For those who are new to winter sports, Vivaldi Park Ski World,

located in Hongcheon in Gangwon Province, is only an hour plus from Seoul. Vivaldi Park provides the perfect setting to safely enjoy skiing and snowboarding. There are a variety of slopes with different inclines and distances to give new snow sport enthusiasts the perfect chance to gradually work their way up from the bunny slopes to the more advanced courses.

Vivaldi Park also has halal food and prayer room facilities, making it a Muslim-friendly accommodation.

Alpensia Ski Resort, Pyeongchang, Gangwon-do

Tucked away in the mountains at about 700m above sea level, the resort is known for its excellent snow. The resort offers six slopes with various courses for beginner, intermediate and advanced skiers and can accommodate up to 3,000 people at the same time.

Snowboarding slopes and a long-distance sledding slope are specially designed for snowboarders and visitors with family.

In particular, Foxtrot, a slope for advanced skiers, is famous for seeing exotic vista.

As the main venue for the PyeongChang 2018 Winter Olympic Games, Alpensia Ski Resort hosted many competition events, including but not limited to ski jumping, cross-country skiing, and bobsled.

Moreover, there are many annual festivals. Here are some of the autumn and winter festivals that take place across the country:

Lighting Festival at The Garden of Morning Calm, Gyeonggi-do

Held at the Garden of Morning Calm, the Lighting Festival was the



Alpensia Resort was the main venue for the PyeongChang 2018 Winter Olympic Games.

first light festival in Korea to combine the natural surroundings with lights, covering 330,000sq m.

Held from December to March, the environmental-friendly LED lights shine throughout the garden.

Busan Fireworks Festival

Busan Fireworks Festival takes place every autumn along Gwangalli Beach.

The festival's diverse programmes of cultural events, high-tech laser light shows, and myriad of unique and colourful fireworks make this one of the area's most popular festivals, drawing crowds of over one million visitors each year. The 17th Busan Fireworks Festival will light up the night skies of Gwangalli Beach in Busan on Nov 5.

Busan One Asia Festival

Busan One Asia Festival (BOF) is a festival in Busan where world-class K-pop stars gather. It is a party where everyone can enjoy exciting Korean music performed by famous Korean singers in the beautiful autumn evening.

The festival stage is packed with an audience looking forward to music and their favourite stars.

Aiming to be the best K-pop concert, BOF offers top performances of K-pop singers to ignite the shouts and cheers of the audience.

The City of Busan has announced that the 2022 Busan One Asia Festival will take place from Oct 27 to 30 at the Busan Asiad Main Stadium, Busan Citizens Park and around the North Port. The first lineup announcement for the 2022 Busan One Asia Festival on Aug 1,

2022 included four K-pop groups. The first lineup list includes Brave Girls, AB6IX, Golden Child and Le Sserafim.

Seongsan Sunrise Festival, Jeju-do

For every Korean, greeting the first sunrise of the year is a significant event and to start a year properly, there is no better place than Jeju. Seongsan Sunrise Peak, one of the Unesco New 7 Wonders of Nature, is a place where you want to be on the last day of this year and the next morning.

The last day of the year is marked by various music performances, light shows, and fireworks. The fun is going on all night long.

Just before the sunrise, be sure to secure a good spot for the greeting of the first sun of the year.

A thousand years ago, a general was so impressed by the sunrise he saw, he named the geological formation "Sunrise Peak". A thousand years later, you can enjoy the same magnificent view he saw then.

After seeing the first sun, you can complete your list of things to do when the New Year starts by making your first climb to the top of Sunrise Peak.

It's an easy 20-minute one way hike but the view from the top is not less than the view from the top of the Hallasan itself.

■ For more information on South Korea, visit KTO that will be located at booths 4052-4057 and 4064-4069, Hall 4, at MATTA Fair from Sept 2-4 at WTC in Kuala Lumpur, from 10am to 9pm.

Winter getaway deals await

FOR travellers eagerly anticipating their next holiday, Holiday Tours and Travel Sdn Bhd (Holiday Tours) will be partnering with Trafalgar and Cost saver to offer some exclusive deals for the winter holidays at MATTA Fair KL this September.

The travel industry has rapidly turned around after two very turbulent years.

As travel restrictions have been mostly lifted, MATTA Fair KL in September, is expected to be a highly anticipated event among holidaymakers who are raring to travel again.

Holiday Tours will be showcasing its best deals for flight tickets, cruise holidays and also tour packages by Trafalgar and Cost saver.

A partnership that has been established for decades, Holiday Tours and Trafalgar will be joining hands to provide travel experiences with the best value for Malaysian travellers.

Since the travel industry has resumed most services, Holiday Tours is anticipating a high turnout at this year's fair.

Colleen Lim, Marketing, Technology, Content and Customer Experience senior vice-president, noted, "We are very excited for the upcoming MATTA Fair to cater to demands that have skyrocketed since borders have fully opened. Destinations such as Italy, Switzerland, and the UK have become highly sought-after."

Travellers looking forward to exploring Europe after the pan-



Holiday Tours and Trafalgar will be joining hands to provide travel experiences with the best value for Malaysian travellers.

demical hiatus are in for a real treat.

For the upcoming winter season, Trafalgar and Cost saver are offering tour packages to popular European destinations such as Italy, Switzerland and Scandinavian countries.

For travellers who want to get into the spirit of the festive season, Trafalgar also offers a Christmas Market tour covering Austria, Germany and Switzerland.

Exclusively for MATTA Fair KL, Trafalgar will be offering up to 20% discount on tours booked through Holiday Tours.

HSBC cardholders will also be entitled to RM1,000 flight rebate when they book selected Trafalgar tours.

These deals are limited to the terms and conditions that are set by Holiday Tours and Trafalgar. MATTA Fair KL will be taking

place in the World Trade Centre from Sept 2-4, Friday to Sunday, 10am to 9pm.

Holiday Tours' booth will be located in Hall 4.

For more information on Holiday Tours, visit <https://www.holidaytourstravel.com/> or its Facebook: <https://www.facebook.com/holidaytoursmalaysia/> and Instagram: holidaytoursmy

Tips for your holiday workouts

A HEALTHY, active lifestyle doesn't need to take a break when you go on holiday. By no means do you need to hit pause on your morning jog or pilates routine during a beach getaway.

But health scientists warn that there's also the strong risk of putting your body under too much strain with holiday workouts.

After all, the aim of the holiday is to recharge your batteries, says Birgit Frank, a university lecturer in training science and health management. While a few moderate workouts can help your body slow down, the temptation to overload yourself with some bumper holiday workouts is the opposite of giving your body the break it needs, she says.

Frank therefore recommends moderate endurance training rather than intensive exercise. If jogging on holiday, for example, try running a little less and a little slower than you would at home.

This is especially true if it's significantly warmer where you're on holiday, in which case the best time for a running workout is the early morning hours.

In addition, long-distance travellers should give their body some time to get used to high temperatures or a different time zone.

Research shows that even with a two-hour time difference, it takes the body at least a day to adjust and become fully functional again. — dpa

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The three-day fiesta will run

from Sept 2-4 at the World Trade Centre Kuala Lumpur, where travellers can snap up the best deals, from RM888 per guest.

More information on the cruise offerings will be available at the participating Royal Caribbean's Preferred Sales Representative booths during the KL MATTA fair:

> Asia Cathay Travel [booth 3228-3232]

> Grand Holidays Travel & Tours [booth 3042-3045]

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"Recovery of the cruise industry is in full swing, and we're thrilled



Holidaymakers will have no shortage of options to choose from with a sensational line-up of itineraries on Spectrum of the Sea.

to be titled the favourite cruise line at this year's 2022 KL MATTA Fair," said Royal Caribbean International Regional Director of Sales (Asia-Pacific) Kenneth Yeo.

"We have received more than 10,000 bookings since Singapore-Malaysia borders reopened earlier this year as cruises continue to be great value for money with incredible dining, Broadway-style theatre performances and world-class attractions all included in one ticket fare.

"With longer itineraries onboard Spectrum of the Seas covering even more destinations around Asia, the ROI on our guests' vacation dollar has only gone up and we're excited

to bring more Malaysians on adventures around the region," he said.

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■ For more information on Royal Caribbean's newly announced 2023-2024 year-round cruises from Singapore, visit www.RoyalCaribbean.com

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