









Sentosa HarbourFront Bedazzles This Christmas

Five precinct partners light up in synchrony on 24 November, with a brilliant line-up of family entertainment to match!

Singapore, 22 November 2012 – This festive season, Sentosa HarbourFront precinct comes to life with a stunning spectacular of Christmas lights and a fun array of activities for the whole family!

With the picturesque harbour as its backdrop, the Sentosa HarbourFront precinct will be set aglow in synchrony with over 100,000 shimmering lights on **24 November at 8pm**. Stretching from Sentosa and Resorts World Sentosa, to VivoCity and HarbourFront Centre, and up to Mount Faber (via Singapore Cable Car), the iconic precinct for waterfront and hilltop dining, entertainment, retail and leisure will be resplendent in unique Christmas displays that offer endless photo opportunities.

Christmas trees, for example, are bigger and bolder than ever! VivoCity's Christmas tree will tower at a whopping 106 feet (32.3 metres) at the rooftop Sky Park, while Sentosa will feature a fun and unusual PLAYMOBIL-themed Christmas tree that is made up of 800 figurines in glistening "snow globes" and accompanied by life-size PLAYMOBIL figurines of Santa and his reindeers. Guests to Universal Studios Singapore® will also see the theme park's 40-metre-tall Christmas tree come to life and experience "snowfall" in the New York zone.

Other decorations also include the "Garden of Bells" with 10,000 illuminated bells at The Jewel Box atop Mount Faber, the World's First Angry BirdsTM Christmas-themed Cable Car on Singapore Cable Car and HarbourFront Centre's Royal Christmas Adventure backdrop that will delight guests of all ages.

"We look forward to seeing the Sentosa HarbourFront precinct come alive with lights, spreading the spirit of festive holiday cheer through a mesmerising display of sparkling Christmas decorations for all to enjoy. With a series of exciting events lined up this year, merry-makers can usher in the precinct's unique identity, creating holiday memories for time to remember," said Chang Yeng Cheong, spokesperson for the Sentosa HarbourFront precinct.

Aside from bedazzling guests with iridescent Christmas lights, the precinct also has **roving acts** every weekend from 24 November to 23 December, and a splendid array of <u>activities that are not to be missed</u>:

Sentosa

Big fun awaits little ones this festive season! From 24 November to 30 December, life-size PLAYMOBIL displays will offer hours of fun and great photo opportunities to guests of all sizes – yes, pint-sized guests included! Guests will be greeted by the iconic PLAYMOBIL mascot and huge figurines of knights, pirates, angels and even elves at Palawan Beach and Merlion Plaza. PLAYMOBIL fans will be especially delighted at the special collectors' corner, which features figurine collections that date back to 1974!

Resorts World Sentosa

Visitors to Resorts World Sentosa (RWS) can expect a bedazzling line-up of events and offerings in the lead up to the New Year including the resort's grand opening celebrations on 7 December, with public performances and a firework spectacular. RWS will also open the world's largest oceanarium, Marine Life Park, as well as Incanto, an original theatrical magic spectacular featuring top illusionist and three-time Merlin winner Joe Labero. Gastronomes will also delight in the the indulgent festive feasts available at RWS and the novel Christmas creations that Joël Robuchon Restaurant has launched for the first time.

VivoCity

From the spectacular display of fireworks by award -winning German choreographer Markus Katterle on 6 December, to the specially commissioned musical extravaganza 'ILLUMINATE! The Light of Christmas Comes to VivoCity' from 7 – 14 December*, VivoCity is not to be missed this Christmas season! From 9 November till the end of the year, shoppers and visitors will be treated to a magical holiday experience, in addition to shopping privileges and discounts at Singapore's largest retail and lifestyle destination.

*Except 10 December

HarbourFront Centre

Amazing lucky draw prizes and a Royal Christmas Ball await shoppers at HarbourFront Centre! From 16 November to 30 December, with every \$50 spent, shoppers can expect to win a trip to London for four worth more than \$9,000. What's more, six lucky shoppers will stand to receive \$700 shopping vouchers and a 20" luggage worth \$199 in weekly draws. Parents who spend \$20 in a single receipt can also register their children for the Royal Christmas Ball, where kids don costumes, decorate cupcakes and create their own crowns.

Singapore Cable Car

Enjoy a squawkin' good Christmas with your family and be transported into the feathered world of Angry Birds as Mount Faber transforms into an Angry Birds Christmas wonderland complete with Christmas photo points, Angry Birds iPad Christmas game and other exciting activities. From 1 December to 6 January, enjoy a time of family fun at the Angry Birds Christmas themed 'live' game stations on the weekends!

For more information about the Sentosa HarbourFront precinct light-up, the public can visit www.mountfaber.com.sg/precinctlightup.

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ABOUT SENTOSA ISLAND

Sentosa is Asia's leading leisure destination and Singapore's premier island resort getaway, located within 15 minutes from the central business and shopping districts. The island resort is managed by Sentosa Development Corporation, which works with various stakeholders in overseeing property investments, attractions development, operation of the various leisure offerings and management of the residential precinct on the island. The Corporation also manages the Southern Islands, and owns Mount Faber Leisure Group which runs Singapore's only cable car service.

The 500-hectare island resort is home to an exciting array of themed attractions, award-winning spa retreats, lush rainforests, golden sandy beaches, resort accommodations, world-renowned golf courses, a deep-water yachting marina and luxurious residences - making Sentosa a vibrant island resort for business and leisure. Making Sentosa its home, too, is Singapore's first integrated resort, Resorts World Sentosa, which operates South East Asia's first Universal Studios theme park.

Situated on the eastern end of Sentosa Island is Sentosa Cove, an exclusive residential enclave. By 2014, it will be bustling with some 2,000 homes, romantic quayside restaurants, retail and specialty shops. Offering Singapore's only truly oceanfront residences, Sentosa Cove is fast becoming the world's most desirable address.

The Island is also proud to be home to Sentosa Golf Club and its two acclaimed golf courses, The Serapong and The Tanjong. Since 2006, Asia's richest national open, the annual Barclays Singapore Open, has teed off on The Serapong with star-studded line-ups featuring international players and golf professionals from Asia, Europe and the USA playing to nail-biting finishes.

Welcoming a growing number of local and international guests every year, Sentosa is an integral part of Singapore's goal to be a global destination to work, live and play. For more information, please visit www.sentosa.com.sg.

ABOUT RESORTS WORLD SENTOSA

Resorts World Sentosa (RWS), Singapore's first integrated resort is located on the resort island of Sentosa. Spanning 49 hectares, the resort opened in January 2010 and welcomed over 30 million visitors in its first two years of opening. RWS is home to the region's first-and-only Universal Studios theme park, the Maritime Experiential Museum, a casino, luxurious accommodation in six unique hotels, the Resorts World Convention Centre, celebrity chef restaurants, a world-class destination spa as well as specialty retail outlets. The resort also offers entertainment including public attractions such as the Crane Dance and the Lake of Dreams. Coming soon is the world's largest oceanarium - the Marine Life Park. Resorts World Sentosa is wholly owned by Genting Singapore, a company of the Genting Group. For more information, please www.rwsentosa.com.

About VivoCity

With over 1 million square feet of lettable floor space attracting a diverse mix of over 300 retailers, large event spaces, including an outdoor amphitheatre, a 20,000sf open plaza and a 300metre-long waterfront Promenade, VivoCity is Singapore's largest and most diverse retail and lifestyle destination. Designed by world-renowned architect Toyo Ito, VivoCity is the centre-piece of Singapore's newest lifestyle hub at the HarbourFront, which also includes Sentosa and Resorts World Sentosa, Mt Faber, the Singapore Cruise Centre and St James Power Station. VivoCity is a Mapletree Commercial Trust property. For more information, please visit www.vivocity.com.sg.

About Mount Faber Leisure Group

Established in 1974, Mount Faber Leisure Group is a leading player in the tourism and leisure industry. Its key businesses encompass attraction management, food and beverage, coach services, tours and retail, enabling its transformation from a cable car station to a world-class destination of its own. Mount Faber Leisure Group constantly strives with a vision to turn Mount Faber into a world-renowned destination of a highly differentiated lifestyle experience with topnotch customer service quality. For more information, please visit www.mountfaber.com.sg.

About HarbourFront Centre

HarbourFront Centre is a shopping mall in the heart of the 24-ha HarbourFront Precinct, an area bursting with vitality. Its three-storey retail podium offers a wide array of fashion, food and beverage, electronic goods, sporting equipment and more, serving tourists and shoppers of all ages as well as the office crowd. HarbourFront Centre, which also houses ten levels of offices and an international cruise centre, is linked to Singapore's largest retail and lifestyle destination, VivoCity, via walkways (Level 1) and two link-bridges (Level 2). For more information, please visit www.harbourfrontcentre.com.sg.