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A MONTHLY NEWSLETTER PREPARED BY THE CONCIERGE TEAM OF THE MAJESTIC HOTEL KUALA LUMPUR.

Welcome to The Majestic Hotel Kuala Lumpur!

The Concierge Recommends is published for the purpose of information sharing - to share what's happening in and around town for the current month of publication. It is divided into 3 main categories: Events (covering major events, conferences and exhibitions around the city); Arts & Entertainment (concerts, theatre, plays and shows) and Places (highlights places of interests, historical sites and etc).

We hope this little newsletter will give you an insight of what to do or where to go whilst in our beautiful city, Kuala Lumpur.

IF YOU REQUIRE ANY FURTHER ASSISTANCE, PLEASE DO NOT HESITATE TO DROP BY THE CONCIERGE DESK ON LEVEL I, OR SIMPLY DIAL 'I' FROM YOUR ROOM.

The Concierge Team.

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### ARTS & ENTERTAINMENT

### BOYZONE "IN CELEBRATION OF THEIR 25TH ANNIVERSARY" TOUR LIVE IN MALAYSIA DATE: Friday, 24. August 2018 TIME: 08:30pm VENUE: Axiata Arena TICKETS: MYR198 to MYR688

NINETIES IRISH BOY BAND BOYZONE UNVEILED THEIR NEW WORLD TOUR TO CELEBRATE 25 YEARS AS BAND. AND FOR THE FIRST TIME EVER, THE FOUR-SOME WILL STEP FOOT IN MALAYSIA TO PERFORM A FULL CONCERT! THE FOURSOME NAMELY RONAN KEATING, MIKEY GRAHAM, SHANE LYNCH AND KEITH DUFFY REVEALED THAT THE DECISION TO PART WAY WAS AGONIZING BUT THEY WILL REMAIN AS CLOSE FRIENDS AND SUPPORT EACH OTHER'S SOLO ACTIVI-TIES. THE NEWS IS SURELY SENTIMENTAL FOR LOYAL FANS BUT IT IS ALSO BEING SAID THAT THE FINAL TOUR IS A SHOW NOT TO MISS.





UNBEATABLE - KALEIDOSCOPE 5 HANDS INTERNATIONAL DRUMMING FESTIVAL 2018 DATE: Thursday, O2. Aug. - Sunday, O5. Aug. 2018 #Show 1 : 2nd August 2018 @ 8:30 PM #Show 2 : 3rd August 2018 @ 8:30 PM #Show 3 : 4th August 2018 @ 8:30 PM #Show 4 : 5th August 2018 @ 8:30 PM #Show 5 : 5th August 2018 @ 3:00 PM VENUE: Pentas I, The Kuala Lumpur Performing Arts Centre TICKETS: MYRIO8 to MYR228

THE 5TH HANDS INTERNATIONAL DRUMMING FESTIVAL, KALEIDOSCOPE 5 UNITES AN ENSEMBLE OF DRUMMERS, PERCUSSIONISTS, MUSICIANS AND ARTISTS ALL OF WHOM ARE DRIVEN BY AN ENDURING

PASSION FOR WHAT THEY DO. IF NOT FOR THIS DESIRE TO EXPLORE AND CREATE ABOVE AND BEYOND WHAT IS TRADITIONAL, THEY WOULD NOT EVOLVE INTO THE PEOPLE THERE ARE TODAY. ACCORDINGLY THE TITLE FOR K5, UNBEATABLE DESCRIBES A SPIRIT WHICH MANY OF US SHOULD WANT TO CARRY TO MAKE OUR WAY THROUGH THE UNCHARTED PATHS WE JOURNEY ON IN OUR LIVES. EACH OF THE FESTIVAL'S PRODUCTION HAS ACHIEVED ITS INTENTION TO SERVE AS A PLATFORM TO PROMOTE PERCUSSION, MUSIC AND CULTURE AS IT CONTINUES TO BRING THE BEST OF THE WORLD'S PERCUSSION TO ÁSIA.

#### DATARAN MERDEKA

In conjunction with Malaysia's 61st year of independence this year, we would like to share with you, the venue where it all began, the Dataran Merdeka.

DATARAN MERDEKA OR INDEPENDENCE SQUARE WAS FORMERLY KNOWN AS THE 'PADANG' AND IT WAS ORIGINALLY THE CRICKET GREEN FOR THE SELANGOR CLUB (NOW ROYAL SELANGOR CLUB). IT WAS HERE TOO THAT THE UNION JACK WAS LOWERED AND THE MALAYSIAN FLAG, THE JALUR GEMILANG, WAS HOISETED AT THE STROKE OF MIDNIGHT ON 31ST AUGUST 1957, SIGNIFYING THE BIRTH OF A NEW, INDEPENDENT NATION.

SURROUNDING THE SQUARE ARE SOME NOTABLE HISTORICAL BUIDLINGS AND ATTRACTIONS AND SOME OF THEM ARE AS FOLLOWS:

The Sultan Abdul Samad Building, which was built in the 1890s was designed by Mr AC Norman and was originally used as the British administrative offices. It now houses the Malaysian High Courts.

The KL city Gallery, which is located beside the square, marked prominently with the 'I Love KL' sign in front of it, is a must visit for first time visitors to our city.

The tallest flag pole which is located to the south of the square, stands 95 meters tall!

The ST Mary's Church One of the oldest churches in the City. It houses a pipe organ that was built by the same people who built the organ in the ST Paul Cathedral in London.

As per tradition, on the 31st August this year, do expect a colorful national day parade passing through the Dataran Merdeka. It will be indeed a day of merriment, with marching bands, colorful formations, military display and performances by school children - all to celebrate our 61st year of independence!



# EVENTS

### MID VALLEY TRADE CENTRE

MITM TRAVEL FAIR 03 - 05 August 2018

CARSIFU Cars, Bikes And Auto Lifestyle '18 22 - 26 August 2018

#### KUALA LUMPUR CONVENTION CENTRE

Malaysia International Jewellery Fair 03 - 06 August 2018

Landscape Asia Expo & Conference 2018 27 - 29 August 2018

#### MALAYSIAN PHILHARMONIC ORCHESTRA

GALA CONCERT: MPO 20TH ANNIVERSARY FRI 17 AUG 2018 8:30PM RM94 - RM188 BRAHMS' DOUBLE & BEETHOVEN'S FIFTH SAT 25 AUG 2018 8:30PM SUN 26 AUG 2018 3:00PM RM56 - RM141

## MAJESTIC EVENT



Treat yourself to The Celebrated Majestic Afternoon Tea on The Lawn facing the charming original Majestic Wing and overlooking the historical mile of Kuala Lumpur.

Experience nature in all its fullness with our innovative "Tea-Tales" specially curated for your enjoyment every Saturday and Sunday. Reserve your table by calling us at O3-2785 8000. #Majesticteaonlawn