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ON THE OCCASION OF HIS MAJESTY’S 73RD BIRTHDAY

We would like to extend our heartfelt congratulations and best wishes to His Majesty Sultan Haji Hassanal Bolkiah Mu’izzaddin Waddaulah ibni Al-Marhum Sultan Haji Omar ‘Ali Saifuddien Sa’adul Khairi Waddien, Sultan and Yang Di-Pertuan of Brunei Darussalam.
Dear Guests,

Welcome aboard your flight today with Royal Brunei Airlines (RB). Our teams have worked meticulously behind the scenes to prepare your flight and to ensure you have a wonderful journey to your chosen destination. We invite you to sit back, relax and enjoy the warm Bruneian hospitality.

On 15 July, 2019, the nation celebrates the auspices of the 73rd birthday of His Majesty Sultan Haji Hassanal Bolkiah Mu’izzaddin Waddaulah, Sultan and Yang Di-Pertuan of Brunei Darussalam, and we are honoured to have a special feature in this edition of MUHIBAH. We would like to convey our warmest congratulations and best wishes to His Majesty on this joyous occasion. Daulat Kebawah Duli Tuan Patik.

We also have another reason to celebrate as the national carrier of Brunei Darussalam. On 18 June, 2019, RB achieved the number 66 spot in the esteemed Skytrax annual ranking of the ‘Top 100 Airlines of the World’, advancing 12 positions from the previous year. Introduced in 1999, ‘The World Airline Rating’ by Skytrax is recognised as a coveted accolade for the airline industry and a global benchmark of airline excellence. On behalf of the Board of Directors and Team RB, I extend our sincere appreciation to all our esteemed guests for the honour, privilege and continued support.

In other development, 10 July, 2019 marks a very special day for RB as we celebrate the re-launch of our scheduled services to the beautiful city of Brisbane. We continue to expand our route network in 2019 with new services and flights to Changsha and Tokyo that commenced earlier this year. We have further plans to expand our route network in China and the Borneo Island which will be announced soon. We are delighted to offer more flight options to our esteemed guests and look forward to welcoming you to/from any of our 25 destinations around the world.

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Last but not least, we are delighted to have recently opened our Collaboration Hub at RB Campus featuring the Heritage Gallery. Staff and visitors can walk down memory lane, browsing through RB’s proud 44 years of corporate existence, visit the Innovation Studio and various sized meeting rooms. Through the Collaboration Hub and other initiatives implemented at the RB Campus, we are confident our Teams will continue to innovate and improve on our products and services for you – our esteemed guests. As always, I conclude with a sincere word of thanks for flying with RB today, and, for our part, we will continue do our best to earn your support in the future.

Betterfly Royal Brunei.

With warm regards,
Karam Chand
Chief Executive Officer
More than 900 guests attended the Royal Brunei Airlines (RB) Aidilfitri celebration at the Indah Hall of Peak Performance Centre in Berakas. Government officials, ambassadors, and representatives from embassies, business partners, corporate clients, travel agents and colleagues enjoyed the traditional Hari Raya fare. The annual celebration aimed to foster and strengthen relationships between all parties.

Meanwhile, Aidilfitri events were also organised by RB Teams in Kuala Lumpur and Kota Kinabalu. Attended by business partners and travel agents, the events highlighted the cultural and traditional aspects of the Hari Raya festivities.

RB organised its annual Ramadhan 1140H/2019M Iftar (breaking of fast) and aid assistance programme on 29 May, 2019. Receiving the aid were 44 orphans from among former RB Staff. The donations were presented by Guest of Honour, Yang Mulia Dato Seri Paduka Awang Ahmaddin Hj Abdul Rahman, Deputy Chairman of Royal Brunei Airlines at the newly renovated Collaboration Hub at RB Campus.

In Singapore, an iftar gathering was also organised by the RB Singapore office with the Jamiyah Children’s Home (Darul Ma’wa) on 23 May, 2019. Jamiyah Children’s Home houses children from underprivileged families, single parent, parents serving prison sentence, abusive parents, as well as from guardians are not able to care for them. Present at the event was His Excellency Haji Saifulbahri bin Haji Awang Mansor, High Commissioner of Brunei Darussalam to Singapore.
Prophet Muhammad (peace and blessings of Allah be upon him) always reminded his ummah to continue praying for our leaders. The Prophet (peace and blessings of Allah be upon him) also encouraged his followers to make prayers for those that have left us, not in any particular month but every time that we pray for ourselves. RB held a recitation of the Surah Yassin and Tahlil for the late parents of His Majesty Sultan Haji Hassanal Bolkiah Mu’izzaddin Waddaulah, Sultan and Yang Di-Pertuan of Brunei Darussalam, Al-Marhum Sultan Haji Omar ‘Ali Saifuddien Sa’adul Khairi Waddien ibni Al-Marhum Sultan Muhammad Jamalul Alam and Al-Marhumah Duli Raja Isteri Pengiran Anak Damit binti Al-Marhum Pengiran Bendahara Pengiran Anak Abdul Rahman. Organised by the RB Welfare Committee—Religious Affairs, the delegation was led by Dato Seri Paduka Awang Ahmaddin bin Haji Abdul Rahman, Deputy Minister of Finance and Economy (Fiscal) as the Deputy Chairman of RB. Also present were Dr Awang Haji Abdul Manaf bin Haji Metussin, Deputy Minister of Finance and Economy (Economy) and Yang Mulia Awang Ahmad Jefri bin Abd Rahman, Head of Legal & Corporate Affairs at the Brunei Investment Agency, Ministry of Finance as members of RB Board of Directors accompanied by RB Senior Management and RB Staff. The recital was led by Imam Haji Muslim bin Haji Abdul Razak from Masjid Mohamed Bolkiah, Kampung Serusop.

RB ‘TAKE YOUR KIDS TO WORK’ DAY

What could be more exciting for a child than spending a day seeing what adults really do all day? On 25 June, 2019, RB hosted its first “Take Your Kids To Work” day. More than 70 children, ranging from four years to 16 years old spent a day at work with their parents. The observance of the day was designed to expose children to their parents’ workplaces and in so doing help emphasise the value of education and create an opportunity for the children to envision their future potential. The children were delighted to see the adults at work as they observe their parents’ daily tasks and experience a typical work environment.

ROYAL SKIES “DINE & FLY” CAMPAIGN

From 1 May to 30 June, 2019, Royal Skies members who dined in with BND30 or more in a single receipt at Excapade, Alter Ego Fusion or High Frequency Lifestyle Café stood a chance to win various prizes, including RB Economy Class tickets. A prize presentation for the campaign was held on 21 June, 2019, at Alter Ego Fusion and High Frequency Lifestyle Café. Javon Leong won one Economy Class ticket to Bangkok. A prize presentation was also held at Excapade in RB Plaza for Nurliza Abd Zabar and Noraniza Halawi who each won one Economy Award Saver ticket to Singapore and one Economy Class ticket to Kuching, respectively.

RB’S PEOPLE & PERFORMANCE DIVISION TEAM BUILDING

RB’s People & Performance Division held a successful team building activity recently at Muara Beach on 28 June, 2019. The activities were organised to foster better bonds between members and strengthen relationships with all stakeholders under the division. In addition to team building the group also held a beach clean-up activity and a mini Frisbee tournament.
His Majesty Sultan Haji Hassanal Bolkiah Mu’izzaddin Waddaulah ibni Al-Marhum Sultan Haji Omar ‘Ali Saifuddien Sa’adul Khairi Waddien, Sultan and Yang Di-Pertuan of Brunei Darussalam placing youths at the centre of Brunei’s vision.

Words JACQUELINE WM WONG Images INFORMATION DEPARTMENT BRUNEI

The Brunei Vision 2035 is the country’s aspiration to ensure that Brunei Darussalam not only possesses educated, highly skilled and accomplished people, but also has a high quality of life and a dynamic and sustainable economy.

In 2007, His Majesty highlighted the challenges Brunei will face and announced that the solution to overcome these challenges is through the national vision – Brunei Vision 2035. The Brunei Vision 2035 also represents His Majesty’s Government’s commitment on the priorities and development needed for its youth.

His Majesty has always believed that the youth are a vital resource for the country’s future development. In His Majesty’s titah in conjunction with the 35th National Day Celebration the monarch said, “Youth have shown achievements in entrepreneurship, economic and social fields … at the same time, government agencies must not lag behind providing infrastructure and supporting the youth, especially guiding those involved in entrepreneurship.”
A monarch who deeply cares for his subjects, His Majesty continues to underline the central role to be played by youths in the progress of Brunei’s tomorrow. The Brunei Vision 2035 stressed the need to have an educated, highly skilled and accomplished people to provide market-ready talents as Brunei meets the requirements of its changing economy.

His Majesty’s compassion and commitment to improving the lives of young people is reflected in many of the monarch’s titahs. In Sydney last year, His Majesty again urged all students to use the opportunity provided by the government, not only for higher education but also to strengthen their values and self-identity. His Majesty also expressed hope for the young generation to be bolder in facing challenges, saying: “They need to come forward, give ideas and make efforts towards national development.”

In a country with a considerably young population, His Majesty has put a lot of emphasis on the youth-focused policies since announcing Brunei Vision 2035 to help young
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His Majesty during the celebrations to mark Brunei Darussalam’s 34th National Day on 23 February, 2018. It was on 1 January, 1984 Brunei achieved its sovereignty. On the joyous day, His Majesty stated: “We want to ensure that we continue to modernise our country as well as strengthen our faith in the principles of Islamic teachings that we have been following ... We are confident of the successes because of the guidance of our father, His Royal Highness Begawan Sultan General Haji Sir Omar ‘Ali Saifuddien Sa’adul Khairi Waddien, the 28th Sultan of Brunei Darussalam and the ‘Architect of Modern Brunei’.”
people lead the Sultanate to a better future. His Majesty has pioneered efforts by holding consultations to open up the economy to the world and encourage foreign direct investment (FDI) to the country, and encourage local entrepreneurs to grab business opportunities and expand their operations overseas. His Majesty also highlighted on the impact of the Fourth Industrial Revolution (4IR) and Bruneians’ readiness in facing it.

Brunei Vision 2035 stresses the need to have an educated, highly skilled and accomplished people to provide market-ready talents as Brunei meets the landscape of the ever-changing economy. Brunei’s education attainment had received recognition from the Sustainable Trade Index 2018. According to the survey results, Brunei is one of the countries recording marked improvements.

His Majesty’s continuous dialogue with the youths has resulted in a better learning environment. In a titah delivered during a meet-and-greet ceremony with Brunei citizens and residents in Malaysia on 5 March, 2019, His Majesty said that a total of 67 students under the Educational Loan Assistance has graduated from higher institutions in Malaysia. His Majesty advised all students to equip themselves with the knowledge and skills, in addition to gaining knowledge through experience and books as well as by emulating successful people.
The opening of a 500-hectare commercial rice field in Belait district last December 2018, for example, is a manifestation of His Majesty’s vision to invest in the youth towards agriculture. “Agriculture is a field that determines our survival as an independent nation. That is why there should not be any more excuses in developing the agriculture sector. Anyone can venture into farming,” said His Majesty in his titah at the Opening Ceremony of the Knowledge Convention last year.

His Majesty has always regarded the youths as the nation’s true asset. As the monarch continues to instruct the government and the various agencies to devise an integrated strategy to harness the potential of young people to accelerate development, His Majesty is also steering the nation towards further economic prosperity.

His Majesty called on the youths to reinforce their resolve in serving the country with emphasis on strong patriotic values while highlighting these admirable traits in a titah at the passing out parade ceremony for the 8th intake of the National Service Programme (PKBN) at the PKBN Training Camp in Kampong Batu Apoi, Temburong District on 14 March, 2019.

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Wawasan Brunei 2035 merupakan aspirasi Negara untuk memastikan Negara Brunei Darussalam dikenali sebagai sebuah negara yang mempunyai rakyat yang berpendidikan, ber kemahiran tinggi dan berjaya; tetapi juga mempunyai kualiti kehidupan yang tinggi dan ekonomi yang dinamik dan berdaya tahan.

Kebawah Duli Yang Maha Mulia sentiasa percaya bahawa generasi belia adalah sumber yang penting bagi pembangunan masa depan negara. Dalam titah Kebawah Duli Yang Maha Mulia sempena Sambutan Hari Kebangsaan Ke-35, Baginda bertitah, “Para belia telah menunjukkan pencapaian yang menggalakkan di bidang keusahawanan, ekonomi dan kemasyarakatan ... serentak itu, agensi Kerajaan juga tidak ketinggalan dalam menyediakan prasarana serta membantu para belia, khususnya dalam memberikan bimbingan kepada mereka yang berkecimpung di bidang keusahawanan.”

Sebagai seorang sultan yang menghargai rakyat Baginda, Kebawah Duli Yang Maha Mulia terus menggariskan peranan utama yang akan dimainkan oleh para belia dalam perkembangan masa depan Negara Brunei Darussalam. Wawasan Brunei 2035 menegaskan keperluan warganegara yang berpendidikan, kemahiran tinggi dan berjaya untuk menyediakan sebuah pasaran bakat seda ada bagi Negara Brunei Darussalam memenuhi keperluan ekonomi yang giat berkembang.

KDYMM sentiasa menegaskan bahawa golongan belia merupakan aset kepada pertumbuhan sebuah negara dan sumbangan mereka adalah penting untuk mencapai Wawasan Brunei 2035, iaitu rakyat berpendidikan, ber kemahiran tinggi dan berjaya, kualiti kehidupan rakyat dan ekonomi yang dinamik dan berdaya tahan.


Sebagai salah sebuah negara yang mempunyai populasi belia yang tinggi, Kebawah Duli Yang Maha Mulia telah memberi banyak penekanan kepada dasar yang diketengahkan oleh para belia sejak Baginda mengumumkan Wawasan Brunei 2035 dan untuk


membantu golongan belia menjadi pemimpin yang akan membawa negara ke arah masa depan yang lebih maju. Baginda telah merintis usaha dengan mengadakan konsultasi untuk membuka ekonomi negara dan menggalakkan pelaburan langsung asing (FDI).
THE INDIAN CULINARY JOURNEY

Riwaz cuisine has been inspired by the state banquets from the days of yore and from heirloom recipes from the kitchens of India. Each dish is crafted with attention to detail using traditional and nouvelle culinary techniques to ensure tastes remain authentic and awe-inspiring.

KDYMM memberi penekanan kepada dasar-dasar yang mengutamakan belia sejak Baginda mengumumkan Wawasan Brunei 2035. KDYMM, yang juga Canselor UBD telah berkenan berangkat mengurniakan sijil di Majlis Konvokesyen Universiti Brunei Darussalam (UBD) Ke-30 pada 29 Ogos, 2018. Sejak Pusat Pembelajaran Sepanjang Hayat ditubuhkan beberapa fakulti lain di UBD juga menawarkan program pembelajaran sepanjang hayat bagi memberi peluang dan pilihan kepada masyarakat secara keseluruhannya. UBD juga telah menawarkan program di luar negara berikutan penubuhan kampus luar negara UBD yang pertama iaitu Pusat Global UBD-FPT di Da Nang, Vietnam yang berkenan dirasmikan oleh KDYMM pada bulan November 2017. Setakat ini, seramai 35 orang pelajar asing dan negara ASEAN telah menerima biasiswa yang dikurniakan oleh KDYMM.
The best of Vietnam.

Vietnam is an incredible photogenic country. Boasting an extensive collection of natural wonders, colonial structures and a rich culture, Vietnam is undoubtedly a haven for photography enthusiasts. Here are 10 of Vietnam’s best landscapes that will have you reaching for your backpack and ready to go.
01 Mai Chau, a rural village where emerald green rice fields grow amid a mountainous landscape, is just three hours from Hanoi.

02 Tam Coc Ninh Bin is the best region to experience Vietnam’s bucolic countryside.
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Phu Quoc is one of Vietnam’s less developed islands with stunning beaches.

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Ho Chi Minh City boasts of a skyline that is changing at a dizzying pace.
Hoi An Ancient Town is an exceptionally well-preserved example of a Southeast Asian trading port dating from the 15th to the 19th century.

Cuc Phuong National Park is the oldest national park in Vietnam with an engaging cultural and wildlife heritage and enchanting scenery.
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Con Dao’s remote location and crystal clear waters make it Vietnam’s best diving spot.

08
Sapa’s terraced rice fields were once voted as one of the seven most beautiful and impressive sceneries in Asia.
09. Hanoi traffic is legendary and has to be experienced to be appreciated!

10. Halong Bay is home to hidden coves that house many floating villages, where the local people have lived for generations drifting on the sea.
Precincts

Melbourne’s neighbourhoods worth seeking.

Words EMMA RAMSAY  Images VISIT VICTORIA

While Melbourne has a boastful spread of creative endeavour throughout its many enclaves – these hoods have become known for particular forms of art.

ART
St Kilda

From the well-established Linden New Art gallery, Jackman Gallery, Brightspace and the artist collective, studio and gallery space Studio 106 – there can be no questioning St Kilda’s affinity with and appeal to artists. Its bayside aspect providing inspiration for many well-known artists of past and present, including the late Mirka Mora.

The long-running Sunday St Kilda Esplanade Market offers local makers and artist a platform to sell their works. Visitors can also get a deep dive into the precinct’s arty history on a guided art walk visiting studios, galleries and meeting the artists with St Kilda Art Tours.
A little known fact about Melbourne is that it is one of the top four jewellery centres of the world in terms of makers. Creative hub Fitzroy is where many of them live and work. Marion Marshall Studios specialises in chunky gold and silversmithing with precious and semi-precious stones. Studio Ingot sells artist-made jewellery as well as offering custom made commissions. The delicate and beautiful designs of Lovehate are available for purchase at maker Geneine Honey’s Fitzroy workshop and store. Many other local jewellery designers can be found at Fitzroy’s Rose Street Market every weekend.
Elegant High Street Armadale has become synonymous with Melbourne fashion designers. Names along the hip strip include Scanlon Theodore, Thurley and Lisa Barron. New brands entering the competitive Melbourne scene tend to flock to the fashion forward precinct including Rebecca Vallance, who originally hails from Melbourne, opening her new flagship boutique in Armadale. Look out for stores that feature chic shoes for men and women, on-trend athletic gear or beautiful hand-crafted leather bags, pouches, clutches and accessories, with some stores offering the option to add personalised embellishments and monogramming. The neighbourhood is also well-renowned for its collection of elegant bridal boutiques and bridal service stores with brides-to-be travelling from far and wide to shop at the Armadale strip in preparation for the big day.
Melbourne’s western suburb has long been a working-class suburb and cultural melting pot, and is now slowly gentrifying into a hipster hot spot. The buzzing inner suburb balances the rich cultural history of international food stores, restaurants and markets, alongside modern and cool new eateries, cafes and shops. The famous Footscray Market is a Melbourne institution, with eager shoppers flocking Tuesday through Saturday to purchase fresh produce ranging from fruit and vegetables, meats, poultry, seafood and exotic Asian produce. Dining options in the heart of Footscray is more diverse than ever, with mainstay Vietnamese and African restaurants, including Afghan kebab shops and Ethiopian eateries such as Konjo Café. With African communities forming a large part of Footscray, some of Melbourne’s most authentic African cuisine can be found here including at Café Lalibela and African Taste, both specialising in traditional Ethiopian fare. The neighbourhood also hosts two African festivals: the Emerge in the West Festival (June) and the Ethiopian New Year Festival (September).
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Smørrebrød: a sandwich of Scandinavian sensibilities.

Words: SIMIANNE SKAARUP
Images: COPENHAGEN MEDIA CENTER
Bread is a very important part of the Scandinavian table. Based primarily on rugbrød, this sourdough rye bread is a dark, heavy bread that forms the basis of smørrebrød (pronounced smuhr-broht), the Danish open-faced sandwich. Smørrebrød dates back to the 19th century when, for many agricultural workers, lunch was the main meal of the day. It began when bread was used to wipe the plates clean of any remaining food; eventually the food was placed on the bread instead as topping.

Smørrebrød (literally “butter bread”), is a daily staple for many Danes, and a truly classic taste of the nation’s traditional cuisine. Considered a great way to use any leftovers in the fridge, smørrebrød can have an almost limitless number of different toppings. More recently, this nation’s traditional cuisine has been given a revival and become a trendy lunch, especially for young Danes today. While toppings can include anything from herring to raw beef to seafood and egg, the basics of making a great smørrebrød is four: rye bread, fats, Danish ingredients and savoury. And, making this unlike any other ordinary sandwich, smørrebrød is arranged with more detailed texture and contrast making it both pleasing to both the tastebud and the eye!

To make a smørrebrød, begin with Danish-style rye bread. This is a densed bread that tastes slightly malty with a sweet and sour tang, packed with seeds and cracked whole grains. The bread is primed with butter, animal fat or any other type of rich spread that helps prevent it from getting soggy once the toppings are added. The main ingredients are typical of the region, such as herring (pickled or fermented), boiled eggs and small shrimp. Thin slices of meats are also used as well as cheeses. The smørrebrød is then garnished with toppings that unify the whole experience. Think something with a crunch or a bit of sauce such as crunchy pickles, raw onion rings and watercress or mayonnaise mixed with peas.

Smørrebrød is eaten with utensils and, when sampling a smørrebrød, it is custom to begin with the herring, followed by seafood, then meats and finish off with cheese. It is not just about the Danish etiquette: eating in this sequence, with the acidic herring first, helps prime the tastebuds for the richer meats to follow. While there are hundreds of combinations and varieties of smørrebrød, they all share a common attribute – ingredients that reflect Scandinavian sensibilities of simple, honest and local.
For those wishing to taste a truly unique Danish food experience, the best time is at lunch when the unique smørrebrød is served. Smørrebrød has become very popular in the recent years, especially among young people as several restaurants and takeaways have reinvented the classic Danish lunch. Restaurant Schønnemann on Hauser Plads is a popular place for smørrebrød, which offers classic Danish lunch and vegetarian-friendly options. The restaurant, dating back to 1877, bakes its own rye bread, and there is still sand on the floor like there was in the 1800’s. Another great restaurant that has been around for a decade is Slotskælderen hos Gitte Kik, across from the Danish parliament building. Needless to say, this is popular with Danish politicians. Restaurant Ida Davidsen, next to Amalienborg Palace, has the world’s longest menu according to the Guinness Book of Records, and includes many classic and innovative varieties of smørrebrød. Some are named after famous Danes, such as Victor Borge (smoked salmon, shrimp, crayfish and lumpfish roe). For herring lovers, head to Nyhavn to find Nyhavn’s Færgekro housed in the 17th century classic Danish building along the waterfront. Specialties include mustard-cured herring, ‘rullemops’ and pickled herrings coated in rye. Everything is prepared according to tradition from fresh spring or autumn herring.
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Past well-known skyscrapers and shopping malls, Dubai still has a few surprises up her sleeves.

Words LAILA KUDO
Those who have visited Dubai will regale you with stories of how this city must be seen to be believed. Record-breaking architecture stands alongside traditional quarters, while man-made islands jut out of the coastline are a nod to man’s perseverance to defy the odds. It’s easy to tick off your sightseeing list when you’re in town, but sometimes it is also best to take the time to look past the obvious.

For instance, think about skipping the mega malls for a more intimate experience. The Parisian concept store Comptoir 102 takes on the vibe of a private home and houses beautifully curated selection of homewares, fashion, furniture, gifts, art books and jewellery. You can spend hours browsing through the shop but do not leave before settling down at its café. With a seasonal menu sourced from local organic farms that is also sugar- and dairy-free, this is a place to pacify your boho-chic spirit and inner health warrior. Not to be missed are the avocado crostini and vegan chocolate mousse.
For more of experiential shopping, consider Ripe. Dubai’s version of a farmer’s market. What started out as a few stalls selling organic vegetables has expanded into a genuine weekend destination with pop-ups around the city. Here is where you can shop for local, organic fruits and vegetables as well as goods from more than 100 local businesses selling specialty foods, clothes and jewellery. Keep up-to-date with Ripe’s latest destination by following them on social media.
Likewise, **Box Park** is fashioned to provide an alternative and unique hang out place for both locals and guests. The name was derived from the shipping containers stacked together to form the various stores and restaurants. Today, Box Park attracts the young and hip eager to explore the eclectic mix contained here. There are restaurants, art installations, pop-ups and niche little shops selling everything from bicycles to stationery. Check out the Box Park website before you go for special events and offers. And don’t forget Roxy Box Park. Touted as the region’s first boutique cinema experience, it boasts of luxurious touches such as hand-stitched Italian leather-trimmed seats and an old-school, retro vibe with cutting-edge, modern technology.
To discover another side of Dubai that is rarely seen, Frying Pan Adventures encourages you to join any of its food tours for a culinary exploration with a difference. Guests can opt for walking tours that will take them to wander along parts of the city few tourists visit while tasting dishes from Lebanese, Yemini and Palestinian cafés and restaurants, or they can hop aboard an air-conditioned coach and traverse across four Old Dubai neighbourhoods. Whichever the option, you are guaranteed to experience Dubai culture through its authentic flavours and stories. Founder Arva Ahmed aims to share her love for the older, more authentic and less extrovert part of the city, which has also led her to find the best falafel in Dubai. We’re not going to tell you – you just have to find out for yourself!

Finally, take yourself out to another world by seeking a spa in the city. Mixing ancient and New Age treatments, Dubai’s spas bring pampering to a whole new level. From steamy hammams to indulgent rose ghassoul clay body masks, there is no shortage of opulence to unwind with. At One & Only Residence & Spa, the traditional hammam is administered by genuine “Tayels” or “Tellaks” – masters of the craft. Beginning with the traditional black soap, this delicate skin treatment also includes exotic body wraps and facial massage that combines the richness of the Argan tree, the majesty of roses and the authenticity of almond flowers for an authentic and traditional experience.

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Bandar Seri Begawan proclaimed as Capital of Islamic Culture for the Asian Region 2019.

Images: BRUNEI MINISTRY OF CULTURE, YOUTH AND SPORTS
Brunei Darussalam is reputed to be the most ancient of Malay states in the Southeast Asian region. Since the first ruler of Brunei Darussalam, Awang Alak Betatar (Sultan Muhammad Shah), Islam has played, and still plays, a very central role in the history of the Sultanate. Its dynamic and ancient history, coupled with centuries-old practices of Malay culture, traditions, language, arts, crafts and an Islam-centric way of life, is today preserved and enshrined in the Sultanate’s national philosophy known as the Malay Islamic Monarchy, known in Malay as “Melayu Islam Beraja” (MIB).

Bandar Seri Begawan abounds with some of Southeast Asia’s most iconic architecture, collections of historical artefacts and cultural landmarks. Alongside the steadfast Islamic leadership of His Majesty the Sultan and Yang Di-Pertuan of Brunei Darussalam, Brunei’s MIB philosophy, its rich history and way of life in accordance to the concept of “Negara Zikir” (A Nation In Prayer), Brunei was recently chosen as Capital of Islamic Culture for the Asian Region, an initiative by the Islamic Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (ISESCO). With this honour, Bandar Seri Begawan now joins a long list of other cities in Africa, Middle East and Asia recognised by ISESCO annually since 2005 for enriching the culture of their regions.

The Capitals of Islamic Culture programme was incepted through an Organization of Islamic Cooperation (OIC) resolution in 2002. The main criterion for selection is outstanding contribution to both Islamic and universal culture, confirmed through the scientific, cultural, literary and artistic works of scholars. Makkah, Saudi Arabia was named the first capital for ISESCO’s inaugural programme that today continues in its aim to foster cultural enrichment, encourage dialogue between states and build global bridges. And, in tune with the resolution of the 10th Islamic Conference of Culture Ministers, ISESCO proclaimed 2019 as the year of heritage in the Islamic world.

Kicking off the year-long activities to celebrate its selection, an exhibition called the “Trail of Islamic Architecture” was launched in January at the Arrival Hall, Brunei International Airport. The exhibition showcased an illustration of Brunei’s Islamic leadership, way of life and history as well as the architectures and monuments of Islamic arts and designs in Bandar Seri Begawan as well as calligraphy works was displayed for a month to the
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public, guests and visitors to the country. Other activities planned for the year include the 2nd International Islamic Expo and Photography Exhibition on Al-Quds Al-Sharif. More information on the activities and celebratory events of Bandar Seri Begawan as the “Capital of Islamic Culture for the Asian Region 2019” will be on the website of the Ministry of Culture, Youth and Sports kkbs.gov.bn.

Joining Bandar Seri Begawan and Tunisia this year in recognition of their historical significance in the areas of culture, arts, social sciences and architecture are Al-Quds Al-Sharif and Guinea-Bissau’s capital, Bissau. Tunis was included as a fourth capital since it will host the 11th Islamic Conference of Culture Ministers from 17-19 December, 2019.

Visit bsbcic2019.gov.bn for more info.
Clean, smart and offering a wealth of driver assistance features, the Jaguar I-PACE delivers sports car performance, artificial intelligence (AI) enabled technologies and five-seat SUV practicality.

Designed and engineered in the UK, the I-PACE joins the growing family of Jaguar SUVs, alongside the all-new E-PACE and multiple award-winning F-PACE. “We set out with a clean sheet approach to harness new battery electric technology with an architecture engineered from the outset to optimize EV performance, aerodynamics and interior space. The result is the I-PACE – a true Jaguar and a truly driver-focused EV,” said Ian Hoban, Jaguar Vehicle Line Director.

With a 432 pouch cell, 90kWh, lithium-ion battery pack, the I-PACE delivers an estimated range of 240 miles. Owners will be able to achieve a 0-80 percent battery charge in around 40 minutes using publicly available 100kW DC rapid charging facilities. Home charging with a 230V/32A AC wall box (7kW) will achieve the same state of charge (0-80 percent) in just over ten hours – ideal for overnight charging.

A suite of smart range-optimising technologies includes a battery pre-conditioning system which allows the vehicle to warm or cool its battery, and cabin, to an optimal temperature while plugged in to power. By allowing the vehicle to do this while still connected to power, the system reduces the need for the vehicle to tap into its driving range to reach optimal operating temperature.

Two Jaguar-designed concentric electric motors – which feature driveshafts passing through the motors themselves for compactness – are placed at each axle, producing exceptional performance and all-wheel drive, multi-surface traction. The high torque density and high-energy efficiency characteristics of the motors combine to deliver sports car performance, launching the I-PACE from a standing start to 60mph in 4.5 seconds. This instantaneous performance is matched with exceptional ride comfort and engaging driving dynamics Jaguar customers have come to expect.

The aluminium architecture uses advanced riveting and bonding technology to deliver a light, stiff body structure. Together with the structural battery pack, it has a torsional rigidity of 36kNm/degree – the highest of any current Jaguar vehicle. The battery is placed centrally between the two axles, and as low as possible with a seal between the housing and the underfloor. This location enables a 50:50 weight distribution and a low center of gravity. Together with the advanced double wishbone front and an Integral Link rear suspension with standard Active Air Suspension and optional configurable Adaptive Dynamics, this packaging delivers agile handling and outstanding ride comfort.
The Jaguar I-PACE is designed and engineered to take full advantage of its smart electric powertrain, maximizing the potential of packaging benefits EVs inherently bring. Its sleek, coupe-like silhouette was influenced by the Jaguar C-X75 supercar concept; drawing inspiration for its short, low hood, aero-enhanced roof design and curved rear window from the concept. This cab-forward design contrasts with its squared-off rear, helping reduce the coefficient of drag to just 0.29Cd. To optimise the balance between cooling and aerodynamics, the I-PACE relies on Active Vanes in the grille which open when cooling is required and close when not needed; redirecting air through the integral hood scoop, further smoothing airflow around the vehicle.

Inside, customers will experience a spacious cabin highlighted by the Jaguar brand’s exquisite attention to detail and sophisticated materials – including the option of a premium textile Kvadrat interior. Although classed as a mid-sized SUV by its physical footprint, the cab forward design and packaging of the EV powertrain mean the I-PACE offers interior space comparable to a larger vehicle. The I-PACE affords a rear legroom space of 35.0-in (890mm) and a useful 0.43-cu. ft. (12.3-liter) central storage compartment in a space that would ordinarily be occupied by a transmission tunnel in a conventional internal combustion engine (ICE) vehicle. Also in the rear, tablet and laptop storage can be found beneath the seats; while the rear luggage compartment behind those seats offers a 25.3 cu. ft. capacity, a generous 51.0 cu. ft. is available with the second row seats folded flat.

The Jaguar I-PACE introduces the Jaguar InControl® Touch Pro Duo™ infotainment system to Jaguar. First debuting on the Range Rover Velar and later on the 2018 Range Rover and Range Rover Sport, Touch Pro Duo relies on a pair of innovative touchscreens which work in conjunction with capacitive sensors and tactile physical controls, to make the new system intuitive to use. A new EV navigation system built into Touch Pro Duo calculates personalised range and charging status to assist with driver confidence. To gather this data, the Touch Pro Duo system analyzes the topography of the selected route to the destination and aggregates that information with insights from previous journeys, including individual driving styles.

The advanced system uses ‘Smart Settings’ technology – driven by Artificial Intelligence (AI) algorithms – to identify individual driver preferences, and then tailors the vehicle’s driving and interior settings accordingly.

To ensure customers always have access to the latest infotainment, telematics and battery energy control software, the I-PACE will also be the first Jaguar to provide Software-Over-The-Air (SOTA) updates.
MasterChef Australia S10 Winner Sashi Cheliah shares his show experience and his new career path with MUHIBAH.

Congratulations on creating history as the first winner of MasterChef Australia to score the highest points in the competition. You joked about how you’re “old story” in Australia now since the win was in July 2018 and you were announced winner in December. Would it be fair to say that your story is just starting now?

You’re right. The journey has just started. I’ve done a fair bit of events and shows, trying to work a lot more with the industry and focusing on food now.

How have your former Singapore Police Force colleagues reacted to your win and being a chef now?

I keep in contact with a couple of mates in the police force. Once in awhile, they will joke about ‘Why not you come over and cook for us?’, but I haven’t gotten the chance to cook for any one of them yet. But they were surprised (with the win). Not many people knew that I was able to cook, mainly because when we were in the police force, we don’t have time to cook.

It’s a vast career switch, so yeah, it was a shock for them. But for the prison guys (in Adelaide), they knew I cooked a fair bit at home. I would share food with them on every Friday when we used to have breakfast in the morning with my colleagues, especially in my office.
When I put in the application for MasterChef, my partner was very upset because he was going to lose a man. If I win, it’s going to be worse, because I’m not going to come back to work anymore. So this is hard for them.

You were never a reality TV fan and it was through your wife’s encouragement that you signed up for the show. What lessons have you drawn from the experience? And does the experience change the way you move forward with both your life and also cooking?

Before the competition, I didn’t understand how people get inspired by reality TV. After I joined the competition and started being active on social media, I realised people get a lot of inspiration from these kind of reality TV shows. They feel very connected with the people; they feel you are a part of them. So that is something that I learned, or I understood.

The show taught me about choices. Going into the competition, I liked to memorise a few recipes. So when the judges throw in a task, or for example, a hero ingredient, we try to work around what we know. So my cinnamon ice cream with stewed apple – that’s actually a protein dish. So I knew the cinnamon and the apple was there and it can be utilised with a dessert option. (The competition) teaches you to think on your feet. We have to make changes quickly, and the one thing I learned is also the choices you make makes a lot of difference in your life. If you make one choice, make sure you stick with the choice and do the best with whatever choices you make. Don’t change in between 101 time – you’re going to mess up the whole thing.

After your win, you candidly spoke about how such a high profile show as the MasterChef, the fame that comes with it, and pursuing work as a full-time chef is a bit daunting to you. What did you mean by that?

I think the title “MasterChef” and when people call me the “King of Flavour”, it is very daunting. The expectations are very high, so I need to justify it. I’m very careful with all my food nowadays, whenever I produce, or whenever I design something, I make sure I do it justice for whatever event I’m doing.

You spoke passionately about working with the formerly incarcerated as a way of giving back to the community. Tell us how that plan is unfolding.

Definitely, that plan would be in my restaurant, but it will not happen immediately. First, I need to set up my restaurant, get my crew stabilised. Once that is ready, then I will work with some Australian prison department, corrections, depends on how many staff they are willing to give me at one time. Based on that, I will start training. If things go well, if I get the right passionate people to work, I might give them full time employment, or whatever comes by. And they have got amazing courses available in corrections. They have courses on food handling, food safety, food hygiene. All related to kitchen. So I know there are potential people who can really be of use in the kitchen environment. I would love to work with them.

You grew up in Singapore and obviously Malaysian food is predominant as well for you because you featured Malaysian food elements in some of your dishes. What is it about Singapore’s and Malaysia’s food that seem to give added nuance to the dishes you have plated and impressed the judges?

I think the flavours – we have robust, rich and very bold flavours. Nothing is subtle in our dishes, so that is something that the judges really loved, enjoyed. They like something that is punchy that just tickles their tastebuds. They are very well-versed with our food. They know exactly what and how the food tastes like. They travel around a fair bit. They understand a lot about our cuisine, or pretty much any cuisine, so they are very knowledgeable.

With Taste of Australia in Brunei, have you found any favourites and what can you say about Singapore-Malaysia-Brunei food – similarities or otherwise?

A lot of similarities. I’ve gone to a local market and restaurant here to try some food. Very similar. That you have your nasi lemak here, your mee soto, ayam soto, everything, it’s very similar. I don’t see any difference when I go to Malaysia, Singapore or Brunei. The only difference is everything’s halal, because you can get a lot of non-halal food in Singapore and Malaysia. But saying that, this morning I went to a dim sum place – totally halal but it was great. It tastes quite similar. It’s not authentic, but it’s similar.

What is waiting for you back in Australia?

Family. I haven’t seen them for more than two weeks. So I miss them. I travel a fair bit nowadays. But the good thing about that is that I’m able to experiment, understand new cultures, new food. Sadly, I don’t spend much time at home, but I’ve got a very supportive family. My wife and the kids are very supportive. They know that I’m travelling for work and that I’m doing this for our future.
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The Récital 26 Brainstorm Chapter One by Bovet is an all-transparent, sapphire, inclined case – a bold and complex technical feat given the asymmetric profile of the middle, which forms a single element with the crystal. The movement is regulated by a double-face flying tourbillon with a variable inertia balance that draws its energy from a single barrel which provides a power reserve of 10 days. Manual rewinding is made easier by a differential winding system that halves the number of turns of the crown required.

bovet.com

HAPPY FEET

The Penguin is a minimalistic, two-tone style footwear by Bared Shoes designed to frame the foot while holding you in. Streamlined and sophisticated, you’ll wear them right through the week and into the weekend. Features Bared’s unique removable biomechanical footbed making these beauties perfect for those that need orthotics!

bared.com.au

RIDE ON!

The legendary Vespa motorbike has been reimagined as a unique piece of office furniture. Created by Spanish studio Bel & Bel, the Scooter Chair uses original parts from the Italian vehicle to form a striking silhouette. The 1980s-style chassis has been cleverly upcycled as the seat back, with its unusual shape paying homage to the Vespa’s iconic design.

belybel.com
GREEN WITH ENVY
With Eau de Minthe, Diptyque uses mint to reinvent an emblematic olfactory family: the fougère (fern in English). In the very heart of the composition, the aromatic freshness of mint enhances the lively floral notes of geranium while patchouli softens this duo with its profound depths.
diptyqueparis.com

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evelom.com

SCALP SQUAD
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panpuri.com
SEE Take a short and leisurely cruise of the Sarawak River to see how Kuching has developed. Spot historical landmarks such as the Astana built in 1870, Brooke Dockyard (1912), Kuching State Mosque (1847), the Old Court House (1874), Square Tower (1879), Main Bazaar (1864), Chinese Museum (1912), Fort Margherita (1879) and the Malay villages of Kampung Boyan and Kampung Surabaya (1860). You’ll have plenty to share with the folks back home.

DO Make a day trip to Bako National Park to see the Proboscis monkeys. The national park is both the oldest and one of the smallest in Sarawak. Hike along 16 colour-coded trails through the jungle, visit the nearby outlaying islands for the unusual rock formations, and spot other wildlife than the pot-bellied residents. Or, head over to Sarawak Cultural Village, a living museum featuring traditional longhouses and dwellings of various ethnic groups. In July, the traditional ethnic houses turn venues to host events and workshops for the annual Rainforest World Music Festival.
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SHOP The Main Bazaar near the Waterfront is the street in the heart of Old Kuching. It stretches along the southern banks of the Sarawak River. Here, traditional Chinese shophouses dating back almost a century line the street. Some retain their original trades; others sell handicrafts. Shopping here is for all things traditional, arty and crafty.

STAY The Ranee is a romantic, 24-suite boutique hotel that makes the perfect base to discover the historic and multicultural charms of Kuching. Named after a wife of a Rajah, interiors take on period theme, with vintage suitcases, antiques and other vintage finds.

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www.vam.ac.uk

SINGAPORE

GUO PEI: CHINESE ART AND COUTURE
The exhibition Guo Pei: Chinese Art and Couture presents a dialogue between historical and contemporary Chinese design, juxtaposing 29 embroidered masterworks by China’s foremost couturière with 20 Chinese art masterpieces in the Asian Civilisations Museum’s collection. Guo Pei’s dramatic, sculptural gowns reflect influences from growing up in Beijing surrounded by Chinese imperial art and mythology.

www.acm.org.sg

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TERRACOTTA WARRIORS: GUARDIANS OF IMMORTALITY & CAI GUO-QIANG: THE TRANSIENT LANDSCAPE

In a dual presentation of Chinese art and culture past and present at the NGV in Melbourne, *Terracotta Warriors: Guardians of Immortality* is a large-scale presentation of the Qin Emperor’s Terracotta Warriors, which are regarded as one of the greatest archaeological finds of the 20th century. Presented in parallel, the exhibition features all new art works by international contemporary artist Cai Guo-Qiang inspired by his home country’s culture and its enduring philosophical traditions.

www.ngv.vic.gov.au

MALAYSIA

GEORGE TOWN HERITAGE CELEBRATIONS

Marking the 11th anniversary of George Town’s inscription as a UNESCO World Heritage Site, this year’s celebration’s theme is *Let’s Celebrate – Rituals and Festive Events*. Visitors will have the opportunity to experience firsthand Penang’s living traditions and gain an understanding of how multicultural traditions can coexist harmoniously.

gtwhi.com.my/gthc2019

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PIKACHU OUTBREAK
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As with every summer, more than 2,000 Pikachus of the Pokemon fame will be popping up at the Yokohama Minato Mirai area. During the week, there’ll be various shows and performances. For this year’s edition, the Pikachus will be taking over at night, with new performances using the latest LED technology, water and more!
www.pokemon.co.jp/ex/pika_event/en/

BRUNEI DARUSSALAM
HIS MAJESTY THE SULTAN’S 73RD BIRTHDAY CELEBRATIONS
Brunei is celebrating the annual and much anticipated joyous occasion of His Majesty’s birthday with fanfare. There will be parades, performances, night markets and other fun activities taking place in and around the capital of Bandar Seri Begawan as Brunei welcomes and invites all to join in the celebrations. His Majesty Sultan Haji Hassanal Bolkiah Mu’izzaddin Waddaulah, Sultan and Yang Di-Pertuan of Brunei Darussalam will travel to all four districts in the Sultanate for the meet-and-greet sessions to receive well wishes from the rakyat and visitors to Brunei.
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Selamat Datang means ‘Welcome’ in Malay, and your seamless journey begins here.

**BUSINESS CLASS**
RB B787 Dreamliner Business Class cabin features "Contour" seats that recline to a 180 degree flat bed for a peaceful rest, along with a plush duvet and pillows. Each seat is also equipped with a 15.4" touchscreen LCD Monitor powered by the Panasonic eX2 inflight entertainment system and in-seat power connector. The Business Class cabin lavatories are also fitted with bidets for guests’ convenience.

RB A320neo Business Class cabin features a spacious 43” seat pitch with in-seat power port. The seats are also fitted with an 11.6” touchscreen monitor with Thales Avant (Gen5) inflight entertainment system.

**ECONOMY CLASS COMFORT**
RB B787 and A320neo Economy Class cabin seats with semi-articulating recline, adjustable headrest and better legroom make for a more comfortable journey. Each seat is also fitted with a personal touchscreen monitor and in-seat USB charging port.

**RB IMPIAN INFLIGHT ENTERTAINMENT**
RB Impian Inflight Entertainment system offers 1,000 entertainment options throughout the flight. A library of hit movies, classic Hollywood films and TV and audio programmes for all ages are available on board. Refer to the Impian entertainment guide to make your entertainment selection. For Business Class seats, the audio jack and audio/video remote control are located in your seat armrest. Seatback-mounted personal screens are only available on our B787 and A320neo aircraft. Elsewhere, guests can avail our service, sit back and relax with our overhead movie screens.

**CUISINE**
RB serves a Halal menu that combines both Western and Asian flavours with ingredients that have been carefully chosen for freshness. Business Class guests on long-haul flights can now pre-select meal times. Our ‘Dine Upon Request’ service is available throughout the flight up until 90 minutes before landing. Guests on all classes can also enjoy our ‘Food Fit to Fly by’ service menu that features healthier and lighter meal options, complemented by our award-winning cabin service from our crew.

We also offer tasty culinary options to meet various dietary requirements. Special meals can be ordered when you make your reservation. Please confirm your request at least 24 hours before boarding your flight.

**ALCOHOL-FREE ENVIRONMENT POLICY**
Royal Brunei Airlines operates alcohol-free flights to all destinations.

**HAND LUGGAGE**
For your safety and comfort, you may store your hand luggage in the overhead lockers or under the seat in front of you. Please do not hesitate to ask our cabin crew for help in stowing your luggage properly. Be careful when opening the overhead luggage compartments, as items dislodged by aircraft movement may fall on you or fellow guests.
**LIQUIDS, AEROSOLS AND GELS (LAG)**
Various countries have implemented restrictions on the carriage of liquids, aerosols and gels in compliance with new guidelines set by the International Civil Aviation Organization (ICAO). Guests transiting through airports and carrying any liquids, pastes and gels in containers over 100ml may be asked to dispose the items at security checkpoints.

These restrictions may affect your ability to carry duty-free purchases on board the aircraft. Customers are advised to check with duty free personnel before making their purchases. All liquids, aerosols and gels must be carried in containers of no greater than 100ml/3.3oz capacity (approximately 100gm in weight) and placed in a transparent, resealable plastic bag. The plastic bag must be removed from the carry-on baggage and presented to security personnel at the checkpoint for inspection and separate x-ray screening.

Exceptions to the new regulations are medicines and dietary supplements needed during a flight, including baby food. Proof of need may be required.

**USE OF ELECTRONIC EQUIPMENT**
Electronic devices such as Citizen’s band (CB) radio, remote-controlled devices (such as radio controlled toys), and transmitting devices that emit radio frequencies are not to be used at any time during the flight. These devices may interfere with the aircraft’s electronic equipment, compromising aircraft safety and endangering the lives of guests and crew.

The following devices may be used on board, except during take-off, initial climb, approach and landing: mobile phones (which must be switched to flight mode), personal computers, FM receivers, calculators, electronic shavers, audio and video recorders, hand-held computer games, and playback devices.

**LITHIUM BATTERIES**
The abundant stored energy that makes lithium batteries practical also makes them dangerous when they are not packed and carried properly. RB follows the recommendations from ICAO and IATA Dangerous Goods Regulations in our efforts to mitigate these risks of the hazards.

Low and medium powered rechargeable batteries in equipment and limited quantity of spares are recommended as carry-on baggage. All spare units must be in the original packaging or have the exposed terminals taped over. Medium and large non-rechargeable must be carried as cargo/freight in accordance with current Dangerous Goods Regulations. High-Powered batteries are not permitted on board passenger aircraft.

Information of safe carriage of lithium batteries on board RB flights is also available at www.flyroyalbrunei.com.

**PORTABLE CHARGERS OR POWER BANKS**
In line with safety regulations on the carriage of lithium batteries, the following policy applies on the carriage and use of portable chargers or power banks on all RB flights:

- **In cabin baggage (carry-on)**
  RB allows for the carriage of portable chargers or power banks in carry-on baggage under the following guidelines:
  - device cannot be charged or used in flight at any time
  - device is switched off and placed in a sealed bag prior to the flight
BRUNEI INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT

Brunei International Airport’s computerised passenger and cargo handling facilities can handle 3 million guests and 50,000 tonnes of cargo a year. Among the facilities offered at the airport are the Airport Prayer Hall (Surau Lapangan Terbang Antarabangsa Brunei Darussalam), telephones and Free Wi-Fi services, restaurants and shower facilities for guests who want to rest or freshen up before their flight.

For guests’s comfort and convenience, RB Service Centre is located on the Departure Hall area. Guests can make reservations, ticket purchase, book tour packages and redeem Royal Skies miles. The Customer Service Centre at the Brunei International Airport operates 7 days a week, from 8am to 9pm Mondays to Saturdays, and 8am to 5pm on Sundays; except for Friday midday break from 12noon to 2pm.

Our Business Class and Royal Skies Elite guests can now enjoy the service of our RB porters at departure curb-side for baggage assistance and trolley service to the check-in counters. The premium check-in lounge offers our Business Class and Royal Skies Elite guests with a relaxed check-in experience.

RB Economy class guests and groups booking may proceed to RB check-in counter Row B.

Business Class guests and Royal Skies Gold members are invited to access the RB Business Class Lounge prior to their flights. Fitted with plush, comfortable interiors and furnishings designed to make guests feel at home, the lounge offers ample opportunity to relax and experience RB’s warm hospitality. Guests at the Business Class Lounge have access to executive meeting rooms and all the facilities offered at the Sky Lounge in addition to the coffee bar.

The RB Sky Lounge is open to Royal Skies Silver members, corporate guests, customer airline guests, Priority Pass customers and walk-in guests. The lounge can seat 120 guests and features buffet dining, a prayer room, a movie room, kids’ room, a family zone, a gaming area featuring PS4 and Xbox Kinect, as well as a Virtual Reality station. Other facilities include complimentary massage chairs, shower rooms, ablution areas and High Definition TVs.

Duty-free shops offer consumer goods at competitive prices. There are several outlets, including a money changer located at the departure/transit hall. On sale are portable electrical goods with international warranties, designer goods, perfumes and confectionery. Brunei International Airport is a smoke-free airport.

A mobile application app has been developed by the Department of Civil Aviation to help guests/visitors experience the newly refurbished Brunei International Airport seamlessly through the ‘iFLYBRUNEI’ app on the smartphone.

- device with lithium ion batteries and a watt-hour rating that does not exceed 100Wh is permitted up to a maximum of four batteries per person
- device with lithium ion batteries and a watt-hour that exceeds 160Wh is permitted with prior-approval from airline, up to a maximum of two batteries per person.

For checked baggage Portable chargers or power banks are strictly prohibited in checked baggage for all RB flights.

NON-SMOKING POLICY
Royal Brunei Airlines operates non-smoking flights to all destinations.

ONLINE BOOKING
Fly through the airport. You can now book online at www.flyroyalbrunei.com, check-in online and print your own electronic ticket (e-ticket). Online check-in is available 48 hours before flight departure and closes 60 minutes before departure time.

CHECK IN
Check-in counters at the Brunei International Airport are open three hours

before flight departure, and from 12 noon for evening flights. Guests are advised to check-in at least two hours before departure to allow for security and baggage checks. Check-in counters will be closed 45 minutes before departure, after which no boarding passes will be issued. Royal Brunei Airlines also advises its guests to reach the boarding gate 20 minutes before the flight departs to avoid missing their flights.

GUEST COMMENTS
Your comments and suggestions will help us enhance our services. Please e-mail us at: guestexperience@rba.com.bn.
**Visas**

Austrian, German, Malaysian, Singaporean, British nationals with the right of abode in the United Kingdom, The Netherlands and New Zealand nationals are exempted from the requirement to obtain a visa for visits not exceeding 30 days. American passport holders can enter Brunei Darussalam for three months without visas. For nationals of Belgium, Canada, Denmark, France, Indonesia, Italy, Japan, Luxembourg, Republic of Maldives, Norway, Oman, The Philippines, South Korea, Spain, Sweden, Switzerland, Thailand and The Principality of Liechtenstein — visas are waived for 14-day visits. Nationals of Australia are issued visas on arrival at the Brunei International Airport for visits not exceeding 30 days.

All other visitors entering Brunei Darussalam must have visas obtainable from any Brunei Darussalam diplomatic mission abroad. These visas are normally issued for a two-week stay but can be renewed in Brunei. Visitors must hold onward tickets and sufficient funds to support themselves while in the country.

**N.B.** For more details, please contact your nearest Brunei Embassy or diplomatic representative.

**Currency Bearer Negotiation Instrument Declaration**

Guests entering or leaving Brunei who carry physical currency or bearer negotiable instruments valued at BND15,000 or more are required to complete a declaration form and submit it to a customs officer (if arriving in Brunei) or an immigration officer (if departing Brunei).

**Duty-free Allowance**

The import of the following products is subject to restrictions imposed by Brunei’s Customs and Excise Department.

**Cigarettes**

Effective 1 April, 2017, guests will be charged duty on cigarettes at the following rates:

- per stick: $0.50
- for each 20 sticks pack: $10
- for each carton of 10 packs: $100

Please refer the new charges imposed by Royal Customs and Excise Department.

**Alcohol**

Non-Muslim guests may bring in two bottles of liquor plus 12 cans of beer for personal consumption only, and a reasonable quantity of perfumes.

**Transportation**

Brunei International Airport is about 11km from the capital. Car rental, public buses and registered taxis are available at the arrivals. The Land transport department strongly advise visitors to only use regulated and insured taxis. For more info on registered taxis you may visit – www.mincom.gov.bn/brunitaxifare or contact +6737181643.

**Currency**

The Brunei dollar is on a par with the Singapore dollar, which is also accepted in Brunei. Banks, hotels and many department stores will cash traveller’s cheques.

**Language**

Malay is the official language but English is widely used. Other languages include Chinese and its dialect variants and other indigenous dialects. Although the official religion is Islam, other faiths including Christianity and Buddhism are practised.

**Clothing**

Light clothing is advisable as the climate is generally warm and humid. Women are requested to dress modestly in keeping with local customs.

**Health**

Doctors provide private medical services for a nominal charge. There are a number of state health clinics and hospitals.

**Credit Cards**

Hotels, department stores and other major establishments generally accept all internationally known credit cards.

**Tipping**

Optional. Some hotels add a 10 per cent service charge to their room rates.

**Telephones**

Overseas calls can be made from hotel rooms through the operator, or via international direct dialling (IDD). There are also coin and phonecard operated public telephones.

**Utilities**

Power supply is 220 - 240v, 50 cycles. The PAL and NTSC systems are used by local television. Tap water is generally safe to drink although some take the precaution of boiling it.

**Media**

Radio Television Brunei has nightly news bulletins and a range of popular entertainment in both English and Malay. Cable network and Malaysian television programmes can also be received. There are two local daily newspapers namely: Borneo Bulletin (English) and Media Permata (Malay). Other regional and international publications are also available at newstands.

**Food**

For the adventurous, the food stalls offer Malay favourites, such as satay (barbecued meat on a skewer) and local dishes prepared with curry or coconut milk. Chinese, European and Indian cuisines are also available. All F&B businesses, including hotel restaurants, close for Friday prayer 12pm to 2pm. For hotel guests, room service dining operates as usual.

**Hotels**

Accommodation in the capital ranges from international standard to middle range hotels. Service apartments are also available at reasonable rates.

**Shopping**

Department stores and shops offer goods ranging from cosmetics and stereo to local handicrafts such as the keris (an ornamental dagger), miniature brass cannons, and kain tenunan, a cloth offer goods ranging from cosmetics and stereo to local handicrafts such as the keris (an ornamental dagger), miniature brass cannons, and kain tenunan, a cloth offer goods ranging from cosmetics and stereo to local handicrafts such as the keris (an ornamental dagger), miniature brass cannons, and kain tenunan, a cloth offer goods ranging from cosmetics and stereo to local handicrafts such as the keris (an ornamental dagger), miniature brass cannons, and kain tenunan, a cloth offer goods ranging from cosmetics and stereo to local handicrafts such as the keris (an ornamental dagger), miniature brass cannons, and kain tenunan, a cloth offer goods ranging from cosmetics and stereo to local handicrafts such as the keris (an ornamental dagger), miniature brass cannons, and kain tenunan, a cloth offer goods ranging from cosmetics and stereo to local handicrafts such as the keris (an ornamental dagger), miniature brass cannons, and kain tenunan, a cloth offer goods ranging from cosmetics and stereo to local handicrafts such as the keris (an ornamental dagger), miniature brass cannons, and kain tenunan, a cloth offer goods ranging from cosmetics and stereo to local handicrafts such as the keris (an ornamental dagger), miniature brass cannons, and kain tenunan, a cloth offer goods ranging from cosmetics and stereo to local handicrafts such as the keris (an ornamental dagger), miniature brass cannons, and kain tenunan, a cloth offer goods ranging from cosmetics and stereo to local handicrafts such as the keris (an ornamental dagger), miniature brass cannons, and kain tenunan, a cloth offer goods ranging from cosmetics and stereo to local handicrafts such as the keris (an ornamental dagger), miniature brass cannons, and kain tenunan, a cloth offer goods ranging from cosmetics and stereo to local handicrafts such as the keris (an ornamental dagger), miniature brass cannons, and kain tenunan, a cloth offer goods ranging from cosmetics and stereo to local handicrafts such as the keris (an ornamental dagger), miniature brass cannons, and kain tenunan, a cloth offer goods ranging from cosmetics and stereo to local handicrafts such as the keris (an ornamental dagger), miniature brass cannons, and kain tenunan, a cloth offer goods ranging from cosmetics and stereo to local handicrafts such as the keris (an ornamental dagger), miniature brass cannons, and kain tenunan, a cloth offer goods ranging from cosmetics and stereo to local handicrafts such as the keris (an ornamental dagger), miniature brass cannons, and kain tenunan, a cloth offer goods ranging from cosmetics and stereo to local handicrafts such as the keris (an ornamental dagger), miniature brass cannons, and kain tenunan, a cloth.

**Festivals and Celebrations**

National Day, 23 February, Hari Raya, the end of the Muslim fasting month, and His Majesty The Sultan’s birthday, 15 July. Other public holidays include Chinese Lunar New Year and Christmas.

**Customs and Courtesy**

- In mosques, visitors should remove their shoes and should not pass in front of people at prayer. A woman should ensure that her head, knees and arms are covered before entering mosques. Robes are provided at the entrance to the mosque.
- A Bruneian shakes hands lightly and brings his hands to his chest. Members of the opposite sex do not shake hands.
- It is impolite to point with the index finger (use the right thumb instead) or to beckon someone with fingers and palm facing upwards. Instead the whole hand should be waved with palm facing downwards. The right fist should never be smacked into the left palm.
- Gifts, particularly food, are passed with the right hand.

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*The visa and duty-free allowances are provided as a guideline and may change without notice.*
Welcome onboard

Route Map & Destinations

Interline Partners

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- Emirates
- Flydubai
- Virgin Australia
- Air New Zealand
- Qantas
- Thai Airways
- Bangkok Airways
- Jet Airways
- Biman Bangladesh Airlines
- Malaysia Airlines

London and Beyond

Dubai/ Bangkok/ Kuala Lumpur and Beyond

Melbourne and Beyond
AVIATION

AUSTRALIA

MELBOURNE (MEL) TULLAMARINE INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT Airport-City 22 kms Approx. Fare from Airport to City • Bus BND25 • Taxi BND50 Airport Tax AUD17 Others: BND20

CARGO CONTACT DETAILS Level 1, Mendi Global, 510 Nicker Road, 1 Apic Drive, Tullamarine, VIC 3043. Tel: +61 3 9334 2623 E: leyla@tulka.com.au

BRUNEI DARUSSALAM

BANDAR SERI BEGAWAN (BWN) INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT Airport-City 15 kms Approx. Fare from Airport to City • Bus BND20 • Taxi BND50 Airport Tax BND17 Others: BND20

CARGO CONTACT DETAILS Suite #3, Lobby Level, Kuta Perindustrian Subang, USJ1, 47600 Subang Jaya, Selangor Darul Ehsan, Malaysia. Tel: +60 13 41410 4195 E: angelhu@megacap.com.cn F: eric.hu@megacap.com.cn

CHINA

HONG KONG (HKG) CHEK LAP KOK AIRPORT Airport-City 25 kms Approx. Fare from Airport to City • Bus $20 • Taxi $40 Airport Tax Hong Kong Dollar ($HKD) 20 Other: $20

CARGO CONTACT DETAILS AIRI. 2FL, TCS Cargo Terminal, PO Box 15454, Jeddah 21401, Saudi Arabia. Tel: +966 2111 7750 / 6628 E: melrba@rba.com.bn

INDONESIA

BALI NUSA DUA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT Approx. Fare from Airport to City $20 • Taxi $30 Tel: +62 361 572 6662 E: dpbro@iap.co.id

MALAYSIA

KULAI LUMPUR (KUL) GATEWAY INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT Airport-City 46 kms Approx. Fare from Airport to City • Bus MYR25 • Taxi MYR75 Others: MYR25

CARGO CONTACT DETAILS AVS GSA SERVICES (M) SDN BHD #15-01 Liat Tower, 1 Jalan Tuan Syed Putra, U6, Subang Jaya, Selangor Darul Ehsan, Malaysia. Tel: +60 12 278 1299 E: soban@rba.com.bn

SAUDI ARABIA

JEDDAH (JED) KING ABUL AZIZ INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT Airport-City 25 kms Approx. Fare from Airport to City • Bus SAR25 • Taxi SAR75

CARGO CONTACT DETAILS AVS CONTAINER SERVICES (SA) GENERAL SALES AGENT 4F-1, No. 194, Zhouzi St., Neihu District, Taipei City, Taiwan Republic of China. Tel: +886 2 867 7756 E: gladys@avs-gsa.com

THAILAND

BANGKOK (BKK) DON MUANG INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT Airport-City 25 kms Approx. Fare from Airport to City • Bus THB100 • Taxi THB200-250

CARGO CONTACT DETAILS AVS CONTAINER SERVICES (THAILAND) GENERAL SALES AGENT 14F-1, 109 Soi Suvarnabhumi, 5TH Floor, Building D, Krungthep Kreetha Center, Bangna, Bangkok 10240, Thailand. Tel: +66 2 2658 0255 Ext. 306 E: Edith@avs-gsa.com

VIETNAM

HANOI (HAN) NOVA INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT Airport-City 11 kms Approx. Fare from Airport to City • Bus VND50000 • Taxi VND100000 Others: VND400000

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ABODE OF PEACE

Brunei Darussalam is a country rich in culture and heritage. It is a small, peaceful, prosperous kingdom on the northern shore of the ecologically-rich island of Borneo. Come and discover Brunei, a Kingdom of Unexpected Treasures.

Brunei is arguably best known today as an oil producing country. The nation became independent in 1984 and, thanks to its large reserves of oil and gas, now has one of the highest standards of living in the world. Its population of just over 408,000 is made up of two-thirds ethnic Malay, with the remaining being Chinese, Indian and other indigenous groups. The Sultanate has four districts: Brunei-Muara (which includes the capital Bandar Seri Begawan), Temburong, Tutong and Belait. ‘Darussalam’, the Arabic word for ‘Abode of Peace’ describes Brunei’s Islamic history that dates back some 1,500 years. Today, Brunei remains the world’s only Malay Islamic Monarchy with an unbroken royal lineage that has ruled the nation for the past 600 years.

www.bruneitourism.travel
For more information on Brunei, email: info@bruneitourism.travel
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MUSLIM PRAYER TIMES in Brunei Darussalam

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July 2019

CAPITAL ATTRACTIONS
Small in size but big in attractions, Brunei’s capital has lots to offer.

1. **THE OMAR ALI SAIFUDDIEN MOSQUE**
   - Brunei Darussalam’s iconic landmark, the mosque was completed in 1958 and is named after the 28th Sultan, the late Sultan Omar Ali Saifuddien, who is referred to as the Architect of Modern Brunei.

2. **ISTANA NURUL IMAN**
   - The official residence of His Majesty Sultan Haji Hassanal Bolkiah Mu’izzaddin Waddaulah, Sultan and Yang Di-Pertuan of Brunei Darussalam. Although not open to public, except during Hari Raya Aidil Fitri, its golden domes and vaulted roof can be viewed from Kampong Ayer.

3. **LAPAU AND DEWAN MAJLIS**
   - The Royal Ceremonial Hall features an exquisite golden dome and hosts all of the Sultanate’s traditional royal ceremonies.
### THE ROYAL REGALIA BUILDING

The museum is home to a collection of royal regalia, including the royal chanot, gold and silver ceremonial armoury, the jewel encrusted crowns used during the coronation and a replica of the throne, which is used by the Sultan on state occasions.

### ISTANA DARUSSALAM

Located on Jalan Sumbiling, this wooden palace captures the architectural heritage of old Malay palaces. Visitors may view only from outside.

### THE SULTAN HAJI HASSANAL BOLKIAH FOUNDATION COMPLEX

The capital's most popular shopping venues, it combines both traditional Malay and modern architecture.

### BRUNEI MUSEUM

Brunei’s national museum spotlights Brunei’s role in Southeast Asia’s history. The Islamic Art Gallery has historical pieces of Islamic art and a commendable Quran collection.

### BRUNEI ARTS AND HANDICRAFTS CENTRE

Brunei’s ancient and traditional arts and crafts – kain tenunun, silver & brass ware, wood carving and basketry – are showcased in this centre, aimed to preserve its rich legacy.

### TAMU KIANGGEH

The Tamu, or open air market, on the banks of the Kianggeh River is a popular local market for traditional dishes, fruits, vegetables, flowers and handicrafts.

### KAMPONG AYER

The world’s largest water village that is home to more than 30,000 people living on unique wooden houses on stilts over the Brunei River.

### OFF THE BEATEN TRACK

#### Temburong

**JULU TEMBURONG NATIONAL PARK**

Explore Brunei’s lush virgin forest through lofty canopy walkways, scenic hiking trails and a thrilling river ride to the park on the Temburong River.

**TASEK MERIMBUN**

Brunei’s largest lake that curves in an ‘S’ has an island in the centre accessible via a wooden walkway and various facilities for picnics and recreation.

**Belait**

**OIL & GAS DISCOVERY CENTRE**

An entertainment facility, this interactive science centre aims to make science exciting and accessible to all with more than 100 hands-on exhibits in themed areas to explore.
RAFFIE AND SIMPOR WILD ADVENTURES
Stephanie Straatman, Ruud Straatman, Redy Prio and Alessandro Loi

Raffie, Simpor and their parents return to Brunei after spending four years abroad. Staying with their grandparents who live near the forest, they encounter all kinds of animals which initially made them think were escapees from the zoo! Transitioning from their city life to that of Brunei's bucolic environment, Raffie and Simpor will soon learn of the many wildlife that remains in Brunei while navigating the rich local culture and way of life. Every page is accompanied with animal fact sheets that will help young readers gain an in-depth knowledge of Brunei's flora and fauna. The comic book was created by a group of people, from various backgrounds, who call themselves the Brunei Wildlife Warriors.

CARI MORA
Thomas Harris

From the creator of Hannibal Lecter and The Silence of the Lambs comes a story of evil, greed and the consequences of dark obsession. Twenty-five million dollars in cartel gold lies hidden beneath a mansion on the Miami Beach waterfront. Ruthless men have tracked it for years. Leading the pack is Hans-Peter Schneider. Driven by unspeakable appetites, he makes a living fleshing out the violent fantasies of other, richer men. Cari Mora, caretaker of the house, has escaped from the violence in her native country. She stays in Miami on a wobbly Temporary Protected Status, subject to the iron whim of ICE. She works at many jobs to survive. Beautiful, marked by war, Cari catches the eye of Hans-Peter as he closes in on the treasure. But Cari Mora has surprising skills, and her will to survive has been tested before. Monsters lurk in the crevices between male desire and female survival. No other writer in the last century has conjured those monsters with more terrifying brilliance than Thomas Harris.

UNDERLAND
Robert Macfarlane

"The way into the underworld is through the riven trunk of an old ash tree" starts Macfarlane’s extraordinary adventure into the worlds beneath our feet. From the invisible city underneath the pavements of Paris, to the laboratory half a mile below the Yorkshire Moors seeking the universe’s hidden secrets, there is so much to explore, celebrate and learn from each labyrinth. Macfarlane traces a voyage through the worlds beneath our feet. He reaches back into the deep history of the planet, through the layers of rock and ancient buried objects, and forward to the future, the legacy of the anthropocene and the world we bequeath our descendants. Underland is Macfarlane at his dazzling best – the lyrical, the political and the philosophical come together in this profound exploration of the relationship between landscape and the human heart.

ANXIOUS KIDS: HOW CHILDREN CAN TURN THEIR ANXIETY INTO RESILIENCE
Michael Grose, Jodi Richardson

It’s easy to feel overwhelmed when your child suffers from anxiety, but there are many things you can do to help. Anxious Kids offers parents a new perspective on their children’s anxiety, encouraging them to view each episode as an opportunity to empower their kids with the skills to manage anxiety, and thrive. Bestselling parenting author Michael Grose and wellbeing expert Dr Jodi Richardson explain why more children than ever before experience anxiety. In plain language that can be shared with children, they outline the origins and biology of anxiety to make sense of it – key knowledge such as why it happens, the flood of physical symptoms that comes with it, how to calm it down and why each strategy works.
In Brisbane, the sun rises over the coast

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