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# A World of Festivals awaits at Marina Bay Sands

Multi-day spectaculars celebrate the wonders of food and wine, wellness and music



**Singapore** (17 April 2023) – Marina Bay Sands is reinventing the visitor experience through a series of back-to-back festivals that aim to inspire and deepen guest engagement through the celebrations of food, wellness, music and fashion.

Revolving around key festivals on Singapore's tourism calendar and marquee events taking place on property, the year-round series witnessed an eventful debut in January 2023 with 'Where Art Takes Shape', a 10-day celebration organised in tandem with the Singapore Art Week.

Come May, let gastronomical aspirations take flight through 'Where Your Senses Feast', a lively food and wine festival that will see the integrated resort's (IR) existing venues transform to give rise to experiential dining concepts featuring a Six Star Dinner, an unprecedented culinary experience at ArtScience Museum, and a French wine cave. In June, enter an urban wellness haven with 'Where Mind and Body Connect' to partake in a variety of rejuvenating workshops, before rounding off July with 'Where Music Takes Over', a revelling music-themed festival.

Paul Town, Chief Operating Officer at Marina Bay Sands, said, "We are excited to set the stage for the thematic festivities to come this year. Not only will we leverage our distinctive venues, but



we will also join hands with titans of industry to present compelling, never-seen-before activations for our guests."

Marina Bay Sands presents 'Where Your Senses Feast' – a tantalising food and wine extravaganza (15 – 28 May)



Come 15 to 28 May, Marina Bay Sands will present 'Where Your Senses Feast' – a two-week-long spirited gastronomic celebration featuring more than 30 dynamic events happening across the IR. From a first-ever Michelin-starred chef collaboration and an experiential dining affair set in Marquee Singapore, to a series of over 10 exciting in-restaurant specials, food lovers can excite their senses and fuel their curiosities at the gourmet escapade.

The festival kicks off with an unprecedented culinary experience at ArtScience Museum. *Dining in the World of teamLab,* hosted within the iconic exhibition, *Future World: Where Art Meets Science*, is set to launch on 17 May. Embark on a wondrous journey which begins with exquisite canapés inside the scintillating artwork, *Crystal Universe*, before continuing into the vibrant *Transcending Boundaries* gallery. This majestic installation space features a stunning six-metrehigh interactive waterfall that cascades down the wall and onto the floor. Here, relish in a sumptuous four-course menu by KOMA Japanese Restaurant and Sushi Bar, harmoniously matched with course-by-course sake and wine pairings. For reservations and queries, please email koma.reservations@marinabaysands.com.







Dining takes on innovative forms in 'Where Your Senses Feast' across dynamic venues at the IR



The epicurean journey continues on 19 and 20 May with an exceptional *Six Star Dinner*, jointly presented by guest Chef Stefan Stiller of Shanghainese fine dining restaurant Taian Table (three-star), culinary maestro Chef Tetsuya Wakuda of Waku Ghin (two-star), and Executive Chef Greg Bess of CUT by Wolfgang Puck (one-star). Available on two nights only, the dinner will combine the best of cuisines and entertainment, melding fashion-forward elements and contemporary performances with the impeccable prowess of the three culinary maestros. Staged in an innovative pop-up pavilion at the Event Plaza at Marina Bay Sands, the multisensorial dinner is set to raise the bar with state-of the art staging and audio-visual capabilities to deliver dynamic motion graphics and captivating projections.

Make a pit stop at various restaurants and bars across the IR, as over 10 establishments roll out unique experiences designed to indulge the palate and spark new discoveries for food and wine. Look forward to **AVENUE Lounge**'s ravishing makeover into a splendid French 'Wine Cave' (20 to 27 May) which invites viticulture enthusiasts and wine lovers to celebrate the finest wines and champagnes. Over at Marina Bay Sands' grand hotel lobby, look forward to a spectacular buffet experience like no other with **An Epicurean Journey at RISE** on 27 May, as four award-winning restaurants join forces to present their signature offerings. Savour the world's best cuisine at the one-day only culinary affair, featuring beef wellington and pecan pie by Bread Street Kitchen & Bar, homemade French charcuterie by db Bistro & Oyster Bar, exquisite dim sum by Mott 32 as well as a live pasta wheel station and gelato cart helmed by LAVO Italian Restaurant & Rooftop Bar and more.

Other restaurant highlights include: **Black Tap**'s local craft beers on tap alongside its limited-time wagyu hot dog; **Bread Street Kitchen & Bar**'s 'Gordon Ramsay Wine Club' featuring a selection of wine bottles for sale; **CUT**'s exclusive red and white wines by Wolfgang Puck; **db Bistro & Oyster Bar**'s 'Double Magnum Delight' by the glass; **KOMA**'s 'World of Wagyu' trio starring the best cuts of Australia, Japan and USA; **LAVO Party Brunch** 'FESTA del VINO' edition (27 May); **Renku Bar & Lounge**'s 'An Artisanal Journey at Renku' celebrating craft cheeses, curated wines and house made breads; **Spago Bar & Lounge**'s afternoon rosé specials; **The Bar at Waku Ghin**'s five-course 'Raising the Bar' set menu paired with handcrafted Japanese-style cocktails, wines and premium sakes; **WAKUDA**'s 12-year Japanese whiskey flights; and **Yardbird**'s premium bourbon highballs and lemonades.

For more details and exciting updates on 'Where Your Senses Feast', visit this website. Join in the conversations on social @marinabaysands via Instagram, Facebook, #whereyoursensesfeast and #foodnwinefestival.

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> The Wine Cave is available for private event bookings. For more information, visit this website.



## **Upcoming in June and July: Wellness and Music**

From 17 June to 9 July, Marina Bay Sands will be introducing 'Where Mind and Body Connect', an ultimate journey of relaxation and rejuvenation as the IR celebrates wellness. Held in conjunction with Wellness Festival Singapore 2023, the celebration aims to offer holistically immersive experiences for the public to recharge by participating in an invigorating series of 60-minute early morning weekend classes. From the high-impact Muay Thai Boxing, therapeutic and restorative meditative sessions connecting the body and mind to partake in routines that optimise the body's energy and strengthening the core, these classes draw on the best of both Eastern and Western philosophies of exercise.







'Where Mind and Body Connect' features a strong line-up of instructors who will be conducting various workshops, ranging from high-energy workouts to exploration of sound, movement and meditation, from 17 June to 9 July.

Ease into a deep state of calm with a zen Sound Bath Meditation led by Marina Bay Sands' Director of Wellness and Recreation Karunanithi M. at ArtScience Museum's artistic Rain Oculus. Over at The Shoppes at Marina Bay Sands, Rain Oculus (Level 1, Outdoor), take in the sights and sounds of the city while energising in high-intensity Muay Thai Boxing led by accredited instructor and fitness educator Vinz Low or synchronising breathwork and movement through Vinyasa Yoga with Sammantha Yue. Experience Digital Light Canvas by teamLab in a brandnew way by discovering the powerful movement of *Pilates Matwork* with Amelia Stanley, and learn more about its muscle strengthening exercises that will improve flexibility and posture. Dancer, choreographer and voga teacher Xenres Kirishima will be conducting a Tai Chi & **Qigong** class that blends both traditional gigong and martial arts elements to encourage visitors to open their flow of energy. Sky-high wellness experience, Way of the Water, also awaits at the world's largest rooftop infinity pool as movement artist and choreographer Adelene Stanley helps reconnect the mind and body using water to unleash creativity in movement. Marina Bay Sands' signature SkyPark Yoga by Virgin Active sessions will also be conducted from Thursdays to Sundays through the festival, inviting all yoga enthusiasts to an unmatched yoga experience from 56 storeys above.

Curated to enhance mental and physical wellbeing, the festival invites visitors to tune in to the sounds, move to the dynamic flow and immerse in the ambience as they connect to the present



right in the heart of the city. Tickets to the various sessions are on sale now. For more details on the event schedule, visit this <u>website</u> and stay tuned on <u>Instagram</u> and <u>Facebook</u>.

From 15 to 23 July, Marina Bay Sands will set the stage for 'Where Music Takes Over', a weeklong celebration of live entertainment and music with a stellar line-up of performances across the IR. The property will liven up with a plethora of music acts across different venues and spanning presentation styles and music genres. The week-long affair will feature a phenomenal line-up of international and local acts, which will be announced soon.

For more updates on Marina Bay Sands' upcoming festivities and programmes, visit <u>marinabaysands.com/see-and-do.html#festival</u>. Join in the conversation on social @marinabaysands via <u>Instagram</u> and <u>Facebook</u>.

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Marina Bay Sands is Asia's leading business, leisure and entertainment destination. The integrated resort features Singapore's largest hotel with over 2,200 luxurious rooms and suites, crowned by the spectacular Sands SkyPark and iconic infinity pool. Its stunning architecture and compelling programming, including state-of-the-art convention and exhibition facilities, Asia's best luxury shopping mall, world-class dining and entertainment, as well as cutting-edge exhibitions at ArtScience Museum, have transformed the country's skyline and tourism landscape since it opened in 2010.

Marina Bay Sands is dedicated to being a good corporate citizen to serve its people, communities and environment. As one of the largest players in hospitality, it employs over 10,000 Team Members across the property. It drives social impact through its community engagement programme, Sands Cares, and leads environmental stewardship through its global sustainability programme, Sands ECO360.

For more information, please visit www.marinabaysands.com.

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