MEDIA UPDATE

RENOWNED AMERICAN RAPPER LIL JON TO PERFORM AT MARQUEE AS PART OF NATIONAL DAY CELEBRATIONS AT MARINA BAY SANDS



Party with Lil Jon (above) at MARQUEE Singapore on the eve of National Day

Singapore (Thursday, 11 July) – Grammy Award-winning American rapper, Lil Jon, best known for popularizing the crunk music genre in the 2000s and hit singles including *Get Low*, *Yeah!* with R&B icon Usher, and *Turn Down For What* with DJ Snake, is set to helm the decks of Singapore's hottest nightclub Marquee on Thursday, 8 August.

His performance will kick off the National Day weekend festivities at MARQUEE, which will be followed by *MARQUEE Academy* on Friday, 9 August, featuring a line-up of homegrown DJs helming the decks, including DJs Jade Rasif, Mix Mischiefs, Krumbs, up and coming local DJ VII, and MARQUEE resident DJs Mass and Tang. The party continues on Saturday 10 August, with trance act Orjan Nilsen; and Sunday, 11 August with the Bangkok Invaders. Limited tickets for all four nights are available online, priced at S\$38 excluding booking fee via www.marqueesingapore.com from today. Tickets will also be made available at the door on the night, subject to availability.





View of the National Day fireworks from LAVO Singapore's outdoor bar and terrace lounge and LAVO Singapore's **Singa-star** cocktail

At TAO Group's *LAVO Italian Restaurant & Rooftop Bar*, a special gin-based cocktail, *Singastar* (S\$25++) will be offered for the month of August. Made with Monkey 47 gin, Cinzano Bianco vermouth, blueberry merlot tea infused with grapefruit, watermelon and mint syrups, pink grapefruit juice, topped with soda and garnished with starfruit, the cocktail is an ode to Singapura.

Boasting one of the best views of Singapore's majestic city skyline from 57-storeys high, LAVO Singapore will offer guests a bird's eye view of the amazing fireworks display that takes place everySaturday in the lead up to National Day. Guests can opt for a premium view of the August 9 fireworks by booking an outdoor table. For dinner reservations or table packages, contact +65 6688 8591 or e-mail lavo.reservations@MarinaBaySands.com.



Enjoy one-for-one cocktails at **AVENUE Lounge** on August 8 from 7pm-9pm

Relax, unwind and enjoy bespoke cocktails on the eve of National Day (8 August) at **AVENUE Lounge**, the latest concept from TAO Group in collaboration with Marina Bay Sands, as the bar will be offering one-for-one cocktails house pours, beer and house wines. The promotion runs from 7pm to 9pm as part of AVENUE's on-going Happy Hour promotion every Thursday. Giving a nod to the Little Red Dot, AVENUE has also introduced the cocktail *Sunny Island* (S\$22++) as part of its new cocktail menu, made with Barsol pisco, St. Germain Elderflower liqueur, lemon, egg white and angostura bitters. For reservations, contact +65 6688 8680 or e-mail avenue.reservations@marinabaysands.com.

Elsewhere across Marina Bay Sands, celebrity chef and signature restaurants will raise the Singapore flag high as it salutes the Republic in August, with National Day offerings that celebrate quintessentially Singaporean flavours.



Black Tap's Singapore-exclusive The Straits Shake makes a return this National Day

From 9 to 11 August, **Black Tap Craft Burgers and Beer** brings its locally-inspired *The Straits Shake* (S\$22++) back to its CrazyShakes line-up. Savour the sweet nuances of *gula melaka* and coconut cream in the vanilla-based milkshake, and relieve the summer heat with the tropical pineapple popsicle atop the milkshake. This nostalgic treat also features old-school confectionaries such as pineapple jam biscuits, coconut butter biscuits and chocolate gems. For reservations, please email BlackTap@MarinaBaySands.com or call +65 6688 9957.



Satiate your durian cravings with db Bistro's signature durian "royale" souffle

An ode to Singaporeans' love for the King of Fruits, **db Bistro & Oyster Bar** will be serving its signature *durian "royale" soufflé* (S\$18++) in celebrations of National Day. The light and fluffy soufflé filled with premium mao shan wang durian puree is served with a scoop of refreshing mangosteen sorbet. Guests can also sip on the classic *Singapore sling* (S\$28++), an enticing gin-based tipple best paired with the restaurant's signature seafood offerings. For reservations, email dbreservations@marinabaysands.com or call +65 6688 8525.



Gather your friends and family to enjoy a bountiful feast at Rise

Over at the grand lobby of Marina Bay Sands hotel, international buffet restaurant **Rise** will be serving a medley of Singapore delights in addition to its regular sumptuous spread. From 1 to 8 August, guests can enjoy dinner buffet at \$\$54++ per adult (original price: \$\$72++), in celebration of Singapore's 54th birthday. The special menu will include local favourites, such as a *fried carrot cake* live station, *Singapore chili crab, chicken murtabak,* and *chicken and beef satay with ketupat.* Round up the meal on a sweet note with a bowl of nostalgic *warm pulut hitam* and the crispy *goreng pisang with coconut ice-cream and gula melaka*.

On National Day (9 August), Rise will be offering two dinner seatings^[1] (\$\$88++ per adult, \$\$38++ per child) — perfect for those visiting the integrated resort to catch the fireworks display. Families can bond over deluxe offerings such as the *iberico pork shoulder char siew*, aromatic saffron infused mutton biryani, and the traditional *ikan bawal kasturi*, a fresh silver pomfret with citrus calamansi. Other highlights include the hearty *Singapore bak kut teh*, a majestic whole steamed barramundi with sambal carving station, as well as live stations serving *Singapore oyster omelet* and *kong bak bao*. For reservations, email Rise@MarinaBaySands.com or call +65 6688 5525.



Celebrate National Day with a local feast at Renku with dishes such as the Singapore style hokkien mee

^[1] On 9 August, Rise's first seating is from 5.30pm to 8pm, while the second seating is from 8pm to 11.30pm.

From 1 to 9 August (12pm – 2pm), Marina Bay Sands' premium bar and lounge **Renku** will be serving lunch sets featuring an array of Singapore's local favourites. Diners can look forward to Renku's signature *Singapore style hokkien mee*, *char kway teow*, and limited time specials such as the *traditional nasi lemak* set. The dish features fragrant pandan coconut rice served with mackerel stuffed otak-otak and Renku's homemade sambal chilli. Each lunch set (S\$18 nett) includes a slice of traditional *nyonya kueh* and a glass of *teh tarik* or *grass jelly with soya milk*. For reservations, please email Renku.Lounge@MarinaBaySands.com or call +65 6688 5535.

Adrift by David Myers presents Chef's Table Series: Wagyu and Whisky (25 July) and Adrift: Friday Night Live (5 July onwards)



Adrift will present a curated Waqyu & Whisky dinner on 25 July

Adrift's signature *Chef's Table Series* is making a return on 25 July (7pm) with a whisky-pairing dinner titled *Wagyu and Whisky*. Diners can look forward to a decadent five-course menu, featuring dishes such as the succulent *60-day dry-aged striploin*, *Norwegian langoustine with brown butter*, and *soy marinated beef tartare with koji crème and nashi pear*. Each course is paired with a glass of whisky from contemporary whisky label Compass Box, most renowned for its range of innovative blends. The dinner is priced at \$\$268++ per pax.

This July, guests can look forward to jazz up their dinner or bar experience with the brand new *Adrift: Friday Night Live* series, featuring live music performances from 8pm every Friday. Groove to snazzy beats by live bands and sing along to familiar tunes over handcrafted cocktails and fun bites. For more information, visit marinabaysands.com/Adrift. For reservations, email Adrift:Reservations@MarinaBaySands.com or call +65 6688 5657.

Black Tap rolls out black and brie wagyu burger salad this July



Black Tap takes its salad game up a notch with a brand new premium black and brie wagyu burger salad

This July, Black Tap Singapore is offering a refreshing twist to its line-up of monthly burger specials with a new *black and brie wagyu burger salad* (S\$28++). Skip the carbs and opt for the flavourful burger salad, served with blue cheese vinaigrette dressing. Creamy brie cheese slices, feta cheese crumbles and a thick slice of smoky-charred wagyu patty sit atop a generous serving of baby arugula leaves, cucumbers, cherry tomatoes and red onion jam. Enjoy the salad with a glass of chilled craft beer or a towering CrazyShake to complete the meal. For enquiries, please email BlackTap@MarinaBaySands.com or call +65 6688 9957.

Yardbird Southern Table & Bar turns two with a special burger and brew set



Enjoy the timeless pairing of beer and **The Great American Burger** at Yardbird Southern Table & Bar

Classic American restaurant Yardbird Southern Table and Bar will be celebrating its second anniversary with a *burger and brew* set (S\$35++), available for the whole month of July. Diners can opt for the *Impossible burger* or Yardbird's signature *the great American burger*, featuring

house-smoked pork belly, a short rib, brisket and chuck blend meat patty and American cheese. Each burger is paired with a glass of *Pabst Blue Ribbon Draught beer*. For reservations, please email YardBird.Reservations@marinabaysands.com or call +65 6688 9959.

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