



## WELCOME ABOARD SUNSET CRUISE



The iconic Lexis Hibiscus Port Dickson is proud to introduce another attraction to its guests. With the commencement of the operation of its Sunset Cruise ride, guest will have a chance to enjoy the lull of Port Dickson's sea breeze as they take the trimaran along the waters of the Straits of Malacca. Relish and experience the tranquility and vastness of the open sea, onboard dining and activities such as karaoke, salt water Jacuzzi and BBQ grilling is available for your enjoyment.

Cruise ride is available daily from 6.00pm to 7.30pm. Promotion rate at RM88 per adult, RM 55 per child (below 13 years old), advance reservation required.



## COASTAL CLEAN-UP WITH THE BODY SHOP !

In conjunction with the Ocean Conservancy's 33rd International Coastal Clean-Up, The Body Shop Malaysia collaborated with Lexis Hibiscus Port Dickson to curb the presence and influx of marine litter at the Teluk Kemang beach, bordering Lexis Hibiscus Port Dickson. The resort had the honor to have been selected as the official venue sponsor for The Body Shop's 24th annual Beach Cleanup event .

A total of 500 volunteers from Maxis, Green Ocean Movement, Art Matrix and German Malaysia Institute attended the beach clean-up to spruce up the coastal line of Port Dickson. There was encouraging response from the management as well as the staff. A total of 50 volunteers from various departments: Executive Office, Front Office, F&B, Engineering, Sports & Recreation and Housekeeping joined in the event.

To add to the excitement, a contest was held which allowed top 3 groups with heaviest trash collected to win prizes from The Body Shop Malaysia. Volunteers managed to collect a whopping 1,939.5kg of trash consisting of materials harmful to the aquatic life such as ropes, abandoned fishing nets, plastic bottles, and bits of Styrofoam. The activity ended with a group photography session with volunteers followed by a scrumptious lunch at Horizon Deck, Level 2.





## YOUNG BAKER @ LEXIS HIBISCUS



Lexis Hibiscus Port Dickson had the privilege to host Danish Harraz Abd Hafiz, a young baker and self-taught chef. At just 11 years old, Danish is also a popular food influencer and runs a successful online baking business called Danish's Red kitchen, where 10 per cent of his earnings are used to help the sick and needy. Danish was in Lexis Hibiscus for a recent TV Program shoot called "Famous 2 Famous". Among the featured locations were Lighthouse Bar, Coralz Bistro and Games Room.

## POOL DECK RESURFACING

The swimming pool deck at Lexis Hibiscus Port Dickson has undergone refurbishment exercise for one a duration of month. We have spruced up the adult and children pools with stunning 'Balau Timber Wooden Deck' and new sleek chairs for guests' relaxation.

Guests are welcome to make a splash in the pool and enjoy idyllic view of the sea.



Before



After

## VICTORIOUS CELEBRATION

Datuk Seri Anwar Ibrahim secured a huge win in the Port Dickson parliamentary by-election recently. The jubilant new MP was congratulated by several supporters, he expressed his gratitude and appreciation for the smooth process of the by election.

Celebratory dinner was held and among the Pakatan leaders who were present was the Deputy Prime Minister, Dato' Seri Dr Wan Azizah binti Wan Ismail.



## GRAND LEXIS PORT DICKSON WELCOMES DEPUTY PRIME MINISTER



The Deputy Prime Minister of Malaysia and the Minister of Women, Family and Community Development, Dato' Seri Dr Wan Azizah binti Dr Wan Ismail paid us a visit recently. Lexis Hotel Group President Ms Mandy Chew together with heads of department greeted our Deputy Prime Minister with cheers. It was an exciting moment to meet our first female Deputy Prime Minister in person!

## LANDSCAPE ENHANCEMENT PROJECT

Grand Lexis Port Dickson continue with its ongoing upgrading project aiming to provide guest with a pleasant stay experience. The walls and walkways around Garden Pool Villa is enhanced with Balinese mini garden consist of flowers and shrubs.



Before



After

## STARWALK PENANG 2018

In line with promoting a healthy lifestyle and work life balance, a total of 14 staffs led by General Manager, Mr. Ben Ho from Lexis Suites Penang participated in the Starwalk Penang 2018 at Gurney Paragon, Penang. They were seen to be in jovial mood and good spirits as they geared up for the walk. This is indeed an enjoyable day for all those who were involved.



## MOTAC 'GOTONG ROYONG' SESSION



As part of the continuous effort to contribute back to the community, Ministry of Tourism and Culture Malaysia (MOTAC) held a 'gotong royong' session at Lexis Suites Penang's beachfront. They cleaned, swept and collected rubbish within the vicinity of the area. This was held in conjunction with their World Tourism Day for their program 'Visit My Kampung'. General Manager, Mr. Ben Ho participated in the 'gotong royong' and was spearheaded by YBhg Tuan Jonathan, the director of MOTAC Penang.

## ENTREPRENEURIAL EXCELLENCE



The Lexis Hotel Group has received yet another recognition of excellence through its president, Mandy Chew Siok Cheng. At the 2018 Asia Pacific Entrepreneurship Awards (APEA), the region's most prestigious awards ceremony showcasing entrepreneurial excellence, Enterprise Asia named Mandy Chew as the most outstanding business leader in the Hospitality, Food Services & Tourism Industry.

In August 2017, Mandy won the Asia Pacific Entrepreneurship Awards in the Hospitality and Tourism Industry, marking her second consecutive win for this prestigious awards by Enterprise Asia, the region's foremost association and think-tank for entrepreneurship.

The Awards are presented to a select handful of entrepreneurs across Asia Pacific each year. The Awards is often compared to the Olympics for the stringent entry criteria and highly competitive judging parameters. The nomination is by-invitation only with each nominee subjected to a rigorous judging process, including financial verification by an appointed audit firm and mandatory physical site audit and interview.





## UTILISATION OF TECHNOLOGY TO DRIVE LOCAL TOURISM INDUSTRY

Source: The Star Online, 1 October 2018

At the first Sibru MATTA (Malaysian Association of Tour and Travel Agents) Fair, Sarawak chapter chairman Dayang Azidah Abg Zainuddin said, MATTA will develop the tourism industry and increase tourist arrivals through technology. She explained that discussions with ride sharing service, Grab are ongoing to integrate its members' vehicles into their app.

She added that other efforts to be taken include exploring amendments to the Tourism Industry Act 1992, providing incentives and funding for

travel agents, capacity building for the tourism workforce and introduction of luxury tourism vehicles for high-spending visitors to increase tourism receipts.

She also shared that MATTA is looking into aggressive overseas promotion as well as hosting overseas travel agents and online marketing influencers for familiarisation trips to push Malaysia as a preferred tourist destination.





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