

# OUT AND ABOUT IN HONG KONG

### THE LANGHAM, HONG KONG AT A GLANCE

Pre-eminent among Hong Kong hotels, The Langham, Hong Kong presents a refined European-style haven in the heart of Tsimshatsui's bustling shopping and tourism district. With its fashionable location, service with poise, luxurious and innovative design, along with a wide range of gourmet choices, The Langham, Hong Kong allows guests to take a break from the buzz of Hong Kong by providing an oasis of tranquility. It is these characteristics which have distinguished The Langham, Hong Kong, ultimately leading to a spate of recent awards including Travel + Leisure's 2013 World's Best Awards (Top 30 City Hotels in Asia) and Certificates of Excellence from Tripadvisor.

#### THE LANGHAM, HONG KONG NEIGHBOURHOOD

Step outside the door and you will find yourself in a fashionista paradise within one of the world's most exclusive shopping districts. Flagship stores of luxury brands dot the streets along Canton Road and an unrivalled shopping experience at Harbour City awaits with the added bonus of knowing you can return to your hotel room within two minutes, drop your bags, freshen up and get back out there.

For Art's sake visit The Hong Kong Museum of Art which features more than 14,000 art pieces including calligraphy, antique Chinese treasures, paintings of historical significance and works by local artists. Stroll down to the harbour for a free show every evening with A Symphony of Lights named as the 'World's Largest Permanent Light and Sound Show' by Guinness World Records featuring more laser beams and coloured neon than Star Wars and Studio 54 put together. This will allow you to enjoy the world's most spectacular city skylines in a stunning and magnificent way.

# **GETTING AROUND HONG KONG**

Hong Kong has an excellent public transport system, consisting of the MTR (an underground and over ground railway system), trams (northern coast of Hong Kong Island), buses, and ferries. There is no shortage of taxis which are reasonably priced and efficient.



#### **EVENTS IN HONG KONG**

## Hong Kong ArtWalk in March

Hong Kong ArtWalk is Hong Kong's biggest charity art event with 60 galleries in Central, SoHo, Wan Chai, Happy Valley and Aberdeen, serving complimentary drinks and leading restaurants sponsoring food served in each gallery. Proceeds will benefit the Society for Community Organization (SoCO).

For more details, please visit http://hongkongartwalk.com/

## Hong Kong Art Fair

ART HK welcomed 266 galleries from 38 countries, attracting some of the best galleries from around the globe. ART HK has built a solid reputation for its outstanding quality and extraordinary variety showcasing the best international galleries alongside emerging artists and galleries from across Asia and the globe. Throughout the event, there are also numerous gallery openings, talks, tours and debates.

For more details, please visit http://www.hongkongartfair.com/

### Le French May

Dedicated to the promotion of the French arts and cuisine, in order to facilitate the cultural exchanges between Hong Kong and France, Le French May presents the widest choice of artistic disciplines, from visual arts to opera, classical and contemporary dance, music and theatre, as well as circus and cinema, with more than 500 events each year.

For more details, please visit http://www.frenchmay.com/

# Hong Kong Lesbian & Gay Film Festival

Since 1989, Hong Kong Lesbian & Gay Film Festival is being held every year, lasting for two weeks.

For details, please visit http://hklgff.hk/eng/index.html.

# **BEACHES**

## Middle Bay Beach (Hong Kong Island)

Middle Bay Beach is a popular gay beach in Hong Kong attracting both locals and visitors. As it is not directly accessible by public transport, visitors have to walk from Repulse Bay to Middle Bay Beach.

## South Bay Beach (Hong Kong Island)

Less busy than Middle Bay Beach, South Bay Beach is still popular with tourists and locals. There is no direct public transport to South Bay Beach so visitors have to walk from Repulse Bay.

# Cheung Sha Beach (Lantau Island)

Located on the south coast of Lantau Island, Cheung Sha Beach is one of Hong Kong's longest and most beautiful beaches, splitting into two sections by a rocky outcrop. \*Nude sunbathing is illegal in Hong Kong.



#### **TAILOR-MADE TOURS**

## **Hong Kong Island Orientation**

A colourful kaleidoscope evolving constantly; Hong Kong Island is an intensely concentrated urban jungle sprinkled with glitters of the past colonial era and colourful ancient traditions. Ride through the urban landscape to the more relaxing southern shore, experience the magic and the essence of the Pearl of the Orient in half a day.

#### **Kowloon & New Territories**

Beyond the rolling hills of Kowloon lay the lush green plains of the New Territories. Unspoiled forests with natural habitats, centuries' old walled villages, ancient temples, duck farms and fish ponds survive the test of time despite extensive urbanisation. This half-day tour is a delightful smorgasbord of cultural and historical adventures.

#### **Come Horseracing**

Experience the thrill and adrenaline-pumping atmosphere of Hong Kong horse racing with COME HORSERACING TOUR! Races are held on most Wednesday evenings and Saturdays/Sundays throughout the September to July season. Lucky punters aren't the only winners. The Hong Kong Jockey Club donates its net proceeds to help community and charitable projects. So try your luck, it's a win-win situation for everyone!

#### **Dolphin Watch**

Come and meet the official mascot of the 1997 handover ceremony. These adorable bubble-gum pink dolphins are also known as "Chinese white dolphins". The Dolphin Watch cruises offer you a precious opportunity to watch the endangered dolphins play and swim freely in their natural habitat at the western end of Lantau Island. All dolphin-watches follow a strict code of conduct, which aids in minimizing disturbances to the dolphin's existing lifestyles.

## FOR MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT OUR CONCIERGE DESK.

## **BAR & CLUB**

# Zoo Bar

Address: G/F, 33 Jervois Street, Sheung Wan

Tel: (852) 3583 1200

Opening Hours: 7:00pm-3:30am (Mon-Thu), 6:30pm-3:30am (Fri), 7:00pm-3:30am(Sat), 7:00pm-2:30am(Sun)

# **Volume BEAT**

Address: G/F, 62 Jervois St., Sheung Wan, Hong Kong

Tel: (852) 2857 7683

Opening hour: 7:00pm-2:00am(Mon-Thu), 7:00pm-4:00am(Fri-Sat), 7:00pm-2:00am(Sun)

#### Propaganda

Address: Basement, 1 Hollywood Road, Central, Hong Kong

Tel: (852) 2868 1316

Opening hours: 9:00pm-4:00am (closed on Sunday)

# T:ME (Time Bar)

Address: Basement Floor, 65, Hollywood Road, Central

Tel: (852) 2332 6565

Opening hours: 6:30pm-2:00am (Mon-Fri), 6:30pm-1:00am (Sat), closed on Sunday