



NEWSLETTER

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Mingalabar!

Dear guests and friends of Myanmar,

At the beginning of every new year not only resolutions are made but also plans for annual holidays. Uniteam Tours & Travel (UTT) would be pleased to help you plan, whether you are interested in Myanmar's many sights, to celebrate New Year in the Country again or you wish to visit just for relaxation. Among our many offers one will certainly be the right selection for you.

With best regards,
Your UNITEAM TOURS & TRAVEL - Team

HOTEL NEWS:

New to the UTT Hotel-Portfolio

The Aureum Palace Group has announced the opening of the Dat Taw Gyaint Waterfall Resort in Pyin Oo Lwin in March 2011. The exclusive waterfall hill-side resort extends up to the cliff walls of Dat Taw Gyaint, offering a panoramic view of the famous falls. Built along the steep edges of the walls, the suites offer the best view of the area. Dat Taw Gyaint Waterfall Resort provides luxury accommodation, excellent dining experience against an amazing scenic backdrop. With location-inspired architecture, serene ambiance and upscale hotel amenities, you will enjoy a luxurious, full-service Aureum hotel experience.



Renovations at Serenity Resort, Inle Lake and Traders Hotel, Yangon

The Amata Hotel Group have announced that The Serenity Resort Inle Lake will be suspending its operation from 1st March 2011 for a major renovation & extension of the hotel. Approximate re-opening date will be in December 2011.

The Traders Hotel in Yangon is planning a major renovation from May to September 2011. The upgrading will cover all Deluxe Rooms, the Traders Cafe, the Lobby Lounge, the reception area and the ballroom. Therefore there will be no Deluxe Rooms available during the renovation period.

SAVOY HOTEL YANGON & BAYVIEW - THE BEACH RESORT

New General Manager for Savoy Hotel

As of February, Mr. Rupert Heinrich Haarhoff will welcome the guests of the Savoy Hotel as its new General Manager. He has profound knowledge of the hotel business and a long and multifaceted career in hotel management, which he pursued on four continents - the longest period in Asia.



We welcome Mr. Haarhoff in our team and wish him a successful start.

SAVOY and BAYVIEW - the beach resort on www.facebook.com

On both hotels' "fan pages" you will find current events, photos, news and more. You also have the opportunity to publish your personal comments.

Cooking event

Last December Bayview - the beach resort, surprised its guests with a culinary highlight, the "Bay of Bengal - Gourmet Excursion". We had the great pleasure to welcome Markus Grandel from Germany who works full time as a chef on a luxury yacht, as a visiting chef. Along with Bayview's kitchen staff he created a delicious 5-course gourmet dinner menu, which was highly popular with the guests. The cooks were given an intensive coaching. They learned to prepare new dishes, expanding their know-how in food processing & presentation.



New Arrangements

There are enough reasons to travel to Myanmar. But with these new "packages" a few more temptations are added.

Thingyan with the Savoy Hotel

Celebrate the famous Myanmar water festival in Yangon in April and experience New Year differently, with cheerful water fights, a picturesque Buddhist New Year's ceremony and the Savoy's pool party.



Sunpackage at Bayview - the beach resort

Escape the cold and gloomy days, snow and ice, to where the sun shines and to inviting and mesmerizing warm seas.



Packages details can be found on www.savoy-myanmar.com and www.bayview-myanmar.com

AIRLINE NEWS:

Air Mandalay Announces New Flight Routes

Starting from January 2011, Air Mandalay is flying with its three ATR72 aircrafts to some new destinations in Myanmar. Tachileik has been included as a new Air Mandalay destination and new routings like daily flights from Heho to Thandwe in the afternoon and daily flights from Mandalay to Bagan in the morning have been added to the new schedule.

A special "Discover Myanmar flight" has been added to the normal routing which according to Mr. Edwin Briels, the newly appointed Business Development Manager, offers "the perfect way for foreign tourists to see the best of Myanmar". Mr. Briels added that the new "Discover Myanmar flight" gives tourists the opportunity for direct flights between the main tourist destinations in Myanmar starting with Mandalay, continuing to Bagan and Heho and finishing with a direct flight to Ngapali Beach for some relaxation at the end of the holiday before returning to Yangon. The Yangon - Mandalay - Bagan - Inle Lake - Ngapali - Yangon flight is leaving daily from Yangon at 11:30am.

New Domestic Airline

Asia Wings Airways started operating at the end of January 2011. The new domestic airline operates flights with one ATR-72 500 airplane to Nyaung Oo (Bagan), Mandalay, Heho (Inle Lake), Tachileik and Kalemmyo. A second airplane is supposed to arrive during February 2011.

Myanmar Airways International with New Destinations

A spokesman of Myanmar Airways International (MAI) said that the airline will launch flights to four new destinations. Flights to Guangzhou are to begin in mid-February 2011, while flights to Siem Reap, Phnom Penh and Jakarta (via Singapore) are scheduled to start by the end of February 2011.