



# BRITISH ASSOCIATION ACTIVITIES FOR MARCH

## BRUNCH

### Family & Eco-adventure Travel in Asia

by Theng Hwee

DATE: **Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> March**  
TIME: 10.00 am to 12.30 pm  
VENUE: The Tanglin Club,  
5 Stevens Road  
COST: \$35 Members / House  
Guests. \$40 Non-Members



CLOSING DATE: Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> March

Mr Chang Theng Hwee of Country Holidays Travel Pte Ltd in Singapore will be giving us some interesting tips and suggestions for travel in Asia.

Country Holidays was set up in 1993 by Theng Hwee since when they have been active in re-writing many aspects of travel in Singapore. The company concentrates on nature, adventure and exotic destinations and their vision for the future of the company is to bring people into close contact with pristine nature and unique cultures. They are rightly proud of their involvement in arrangements for the first Antarctic voyage from Singapore in 1995 and the first Ethiopia trip in 2003.

The main scope of the talk will be on family adventure holidays in Asia and Eco-adventure Travel. To many of us, a family vacation conjures up pictures of beaches and theme parks. However, for the intrepid, getting out of this comfort zone can be rewarded with experiences that both the adult and children will cherish for a long time. Just a short flight from Singapore many family adventure opportunities await. This talk aims to show you some of these adventure possibilities, from Vietnam & Myanmar to China & India where you will experience unique cultures, step back into history and enjoy stunningly varied geographical landscapes.

This promises to be a very interesting subject for both those wishing to travel with or without children and will give you an opportunity to ask questions about places you are interested in visiting.

**Please send booking slips and cheques (made payable to BAoS) to:**

Hilary Smart, 1 Taman Nakhoda, 02-02 Holland Gems, Singapore 257742

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# PANTRY AND BOOK SALE IN AID OF BA CHARITIES

Date: **Thursday 25th March**  
Time: 10.30am to 1pm  
Address: 8 Cable Road, Singapore

The Fund Raising Team is running a Pantry and 2nd Hand Book Sale in aid of BA charities. Julie Hulme, one of our members has kindly agreed to open her lovely home to us all. If you have any books to donate please contact Julie on 98802650.



Coffee, tea, cake and preserves (donated by members) will be available for sale together with goodies from Hediard Cafe and Boutique from Tanglin Road, Hubers the butcher at Dempsey Hill and Jones the grocer from Dempsey Hill.

Sandra Sanoner will also be selling French fashion jewellery and has agreed to donate some of her proceeds to us.

Our book sales are always popular with very reasonable prices for good quality books, so forget the diet just for one day and come along to support your BA charities.

## LUNCH

Date: **Wednesday 31st March**  
Time: 12.30pm  
Venue: Novus, National Museum of Singapore,  
93 Stamford Road #01-02.  
Price: \$42 Members/House Guests  
\$47 Non Members

Closing date: 20th March

Come and join us for a three course lunch at Novus which sits in the newly refurbished portals of the historical National Museum. European cuisine takes on a modern face and the dining experience is nothing short of sensational.

Please send booking forms and cheques (payable BAoS) to Tracy Ivinson, 34 Keppel Bay Drive, Caribbean at Keppel Bay, #02-73, Singapore, 098652. Email [mail@ivinson.com](mailto:mail@ivinson.com) Tel: 81893941



## COFFEES

By popular demand our first drop in coffee in March is at Prive bakery at Keppal bay marina on **Wednesday March 10th** at 10.30 am. We're not sure if it's the expensive boats or the Malted Malteser milk shake that makes this venue so popular. Then on **Monday 22nd of March** we are going back to another favourite: Dome at Dempsey road. Usual start time of 10.30am and just look out for the BA flag. If you need further directions then give Jo a ring on 98919300.

## **PUB NIGHT**

### **Friday 26th March at The Toucan 15 Duxton Hill**

THE TOUCAN Irish Pub set in Singapore's first Irish village at 15 Duxton Hill offers the complete Irish pub experience - from its dedication to the Guinness experience, the snug for ladies to gather, the Irish village green and Singapore's very first Irish wishing well. See you there at 7.30: look out for the BA flag. For more details please contact either Tracy Ivinson on 81893941 or Jackie Hopkins on 98213044

## **GIRLS' NIGHT OUT**

**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> March** at 7.30pm, Lagnaa Barefoot Dining, 2<sup>nd</sup> floor, 6 Upper Dickson Road (off Serangoon Road)

Come and join us for a great evening in Little India.

Lagnaa, a one-of-a-kind bistro, is a welcome refuge from the hustle and bustle of the city as you are invited to take off your shoes, sit on the floor, and enjoy the restaurant's 'Western Masala' cuisine. You will find North Indian Tandoori delights like Naan (bread) and oven-roasted meat dishes. If you are a vegetarian, or a fusion enthusiast there will be an abundance of choice. Please let me know if you are joining me as this is a small and intimate restaurant and booking is essential. Liz Smith 91720589 [lilibets@yahoo.com](mailto:lilibets@yahoo.com)

