



## Merdeka Palace promises unforgettable Christmas celebration

**KUCHING:** Merdeka Palace Hotel & Suites will have special feasts and promotions for an unforgettable Christmas season.

At Aurora Court, the Christmas Eve International Buffet Dinner will be from 6.30pm to 10pm featuring New Zealand Mussels Marinated with Mango and Tomato Salsa, salads, prawns, and rock crabs, Prawn Bisque and Cream of Cauliflower as well as live cooking stations.

There will also be Roasted Beef Strip Loin, Roasted Lamb Leg, and Roasted Chicken, Irish Lamb Stew, Sauteed Garlic Prawn, Roasted Sweet Potatoes with Honey and Herbs, Christmas desserts as

well as ice cream priced at RM110 nett for adults (includes party packs).

On Christmas Day, the Aurora Court buffet brunch runs from 11.30am to 3pm with dishes such as Cream of Potato Soup, Rojak Sarawak, Roasted Beef Strip Loin with Mushroom Sauce and Breaded Fish Fillet with Tartar Sauce.

There will also be chicken rice, lamb leg, duck, Belacan Bee Hoon and Sarawak Laksa along with Ais Kacang, Christmas Fruit Cake, Christmas pudding with Vanilla Sauce, Christmas Yule Log, Christmas Stollen, Walnut Pie and Christmas Cookies priced at RM70 nett.

Between Dec 24 and 31, the Aurora Signature Roasted Duck is available at RM88 nett including homemade pickle, duck sauce and

plum sauce, with orders to be made 72 hours in advance.

Beccari will host a Christmas Italian Buffet Dinner on Dec 24 from 6.30pm to 10pm with Tender Smoked Beef and Roasted Whole Lamb Leg, Cream of Mushroom and Minestrone soup, Risotto Al Funghi, Beef Lasagna, Oven Stewed Lamb Shank, Baked Jumbo XL Prawn with Mozzarella Cheese and Garlic Butter, as well as fresh pasta and wood fired oven pizzas.

There will also be Christmas pudding with Vanilla Sauce, Christmas Yule Log, Christmas Stollen, Christmas Cookies, cheesecakes, ice cream and Beccari Tiramisu all for RM116 nett.

Children aged five to 12 get 50 per cent off all buffets. Until Dec 26, Seattle Coffee &

Tea also has takeaways such as Gingerbread House, Yule Log Cake, Christmas Fruit Cake, and Chocolate Santa Miniature.

The Roasted Beef Strip Loin and Roasted Lamb Leg are priced from RM145 nett per kg and RM135 nett per kg respectively, while the Whole Roasted Chicken is priced at RM46 nett per kg.

Orders must be made at least 72 hours in advance.

For further inquiries contact 082-258000 extension 8061 (Aurora Court); extension 8080 (Ristorante Beccari); extension 8087 (Seattle Coffee & Tea); or the Food and Beverage office at extension 8004 from 8.30am to 5pm.

Go to [www.merdekapalace.com](http://www.merdekapalace.com) or look for MPHS Kuching, Ristorante Beccari or SeattleCoffeeAndTea on Facebook.

# 7-Eleven launches latest loyalty programme

**KUCHING:** 7-Eleven Malaysia launched its latest loyalty programme - Justice League Supahiro Bear Collection - recently.

A press statement said the Justice League Supahiro Bear Collection consists of 11 different characters including Superman, Batman, Flash, and Wonder Woman along with villains such as The Joker and Catwoman.

Each of these highly exclusive and first of its kind collectibles will come in individual blind packs to add to the element of fun and surprise.

To further enhance collectability, there is also a limited edition mystery character.

"We're having back to back collectible fever at 7-Eleven, following up on our successful Swarovski Crystals Charm campaign and as we always listen to what our customer wants, we believe this exclusive loyalty programme will satisfy our customers' expectations," said 7-Eleven Malaysia chief executive officer Gary Brown.

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Superman and Batman while its exclusivity and being a DC Comics licensed product is making it the must-have collectible of the year. I'm sure our customers will want to collect as many different ones as possible."

He said collectors can also do their part for a good cause.

"We'll be contributing RM1 towards Children's Wish Society of Malaysia efforts in fulfilling the wishes of terminally ill children when an image of a Supahiro Bear is shared via Facebook or



Children's Wish Society of Malaysia president Tan Sri Dr Ramon Navaratnam (left) and Brown (right) are seen with recipients at the launching.

Instagram with the hashtags, #7ElevinMY as part of 7-Eleven's Malaysia corporate philosophy of

giving back to the community it operates in." Brown said.

"The more people who collect and share their cuddly Supahiro Bear images, the more our contribution would be, so begin collecting today and be a 'Supahiro' to these children."

Customers can collect these adorable and exclusive items at any 7-Eleven Malaysia store until Feb 1, 2016.

Customers will be rewarded with one programme sticker for every RM5 of selected purchases, while a bonus programme sticker will be rewarded for items from the preferred partners' product list. Once all 24 stickers are collected, customers will be able to redeem a Justice League Supahiro Bear.

In conjunction with the programme, 7-Eleven Malaysia is also seeking to be a superhero with the 'Let us be a Supahiro' Facebook contest whereby customers can pose with their redeemed Supahiro bear in a creative way along with a wish in not more than 20 words shared on 7-Eleven Malaysia's official Facebook page.

The most creative entries will have their wishes fulfilled.

To learn more go to [www.7eleven.com.my](http://www.7eleven.com.my). 7-Eleven Malaysia's official Facebook page or follow 7-Eleven Malaysia on LINE.

## Popular holds Christmas Gift Bank Charity Campaign

**KUCHING:** Popular is holding its Christmas Gift Bank Charity Campaign to enable the public to purchase gifts for orphans in need.

It is in conjunction with the Popular Mega Bookfair @ CityOne Megamall from tomorrow (Dec 18) until Dec 27.

In support of local orphanages, Popular has placed Christmas trees at the entrances of all outlets here with wish cards.

Gifts worth at least RM15 can be purchased from Popular outlets or at the Popular Mega Bookfair @ CityOne Megamall.

Donors will receive an RM10 promotional voucher for every RM15 worth of gifts donated.

The donation period will be until Christmas Eve (Dec 24) at any Popular outlet in Kuching, and from tomorrow (Dec 18) until Christmas Eve (Dec 24) at the Popular Mega Bookfair.

On Christmas Day, Popular will send the donations to the Salvation Army Children's Home, Salvation Army Boy's Home and Sarawak Orphans Welfare Organisation.

For more information, contact Sweet Mun (03-91796154) or go to [www.popular.com.my](http://www.popular.com.my) or look for Popular Malaysia on Facebook.



The Christmas Gift Bank Charity Campaign is now running at all Popular Kuching outlets.

## Specialties at Premier Hotel to usher in year 2016

**SIBU:** Premier Hotel here has lined up an exciting programme and festive menus for the New Year's Eve to usher in the New Year 2016 in style.

Among the programme is the Bamboo's New Year's Eve International Buffet Dinner which serves a magnificent potpourri of popular international flavours and local favourites amidst a cozy and family ambience with music recital by resident musicians.

Also in the pipeline is the hotel's popular barbecue wagons and live stations.

For the late party goes on New Year's Eve and the early 2015 birds, tempt yourself to the Bamboo House's Oriental Set Porridge which hosts a sumptuous serving of popular hot dishes and condiments.

It is served on Dec 31 from 10.30pm well into 1.30am of the first morning of the new year.



Photo shows some of the delights available for Christmas at Premier Hotel.

## Premier Hotel serves up joyful Christmas treats

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On Christmas Eve, there will be an international buffet dinner in a cosy and elegant candle-lit ambience accompanied by music from the resident musicians at Bamboo House.

The buffet will feature all the favourite prime cuts with trimmings, salads, hors d'oeuvre and irresistible desserts, along with popular barbecue wagons and live stations from 6.30pm to 9.30pm.

Santa Claus will make an appearance with Santarina to give presents to all the children.

For late diners and night owls, Bamboo House's Oriental Set Porridge will come with sumptuous servings of popular hot dishes and condiments from 10.30pm to 1.30am.

On Christmas Day, Bamboo House will serve a five-course Christmas set lunch with the season's traditional specialties.

Santa Claus and Santarina will again be handing out presents to all children.

In the evening, Bamboo House will present a stunning spread of Christmas favourites with roasts, barbecue wagons, live stations and delicious assortments of salads, hors d'oeuvre and desserts for the Christmas international buffet dinner.

There will again be presents for children thanks to Santa Claus and Santarina. The resident musicians will also serenade diners.

On Dec 24-25, there will also be festive season takeaways for roast turkey with stuffing, roast leg of lamb, roast prime beef sirloin, roast chicken, zucchini and brussel sprouts.

## Wisdon Trading Company holding Quasa Christmas promotion

**MIRI:** Come to Wisdon Trading Company if you are searching for the right tools for the right jobs.

Located at Lot 263, Jalan Pujut 4 here, the company will be holding its four-day Christmas promotion from Dec 21 to 24 which showcases an array of Quasa power tools and light machinery.

From power drills and battery operated screwdrivers to high pressure cleaners, commercial vacuum cleaners, chainsaws, air compressors, generators and welding equipment, many are priced to suit your budget. Whether for home improvement or industrial use, Quasa has it all covered.

As a Malaysian homegrown brand, prices of equipment are lower than branded ones but equal in built and quality.

For enquiries, call 085-636555. Apart from power tools and light machinery, Wisdon Trading Company specialises in home and building materials like hardware, wooden doors, roofing, flooring, paints, bathroom and plumbing accessories, and lighting and electrical products.



Array of light machinery and power tools on display at Wisdon Trading Company.