

OUT & ABOUT

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"Out & About", a ready reckoner for the events taking place on the island, is published from Friday to Tuesday. To be included, please use one of the following: outandabout@dt.bh, or call 38444680.

PEARL NIGHT

Date: Wednesday and Friday
Venue: Golden Tulip Bahrain Hotel,

Bahrain from the past was counting on the pearls until day has the famous pearls. Golden Tulip Bahrain is obliged to give an opportunity to try your luck on our Seafood night on Wednesday and on Friday Brunch to acquire a real pearl. Last week few guests from Saudi Aramco achieved real pearls on our Seafood Night and they were blissful. Golden Tulip Bahrain Hotel welcomes you to win a chance to try your luck.

WALKING TOUR OF MANAMA SOUQ

Date: 7 Dec at 9am
Venue: Manama

Join us for a walk through the Manama souq and discover its hidden gems. We will take you to the most interesting historic places and at the same time show you the traders while sampling the traditional food on offer. For more details and to sign up please email info@expatangelsbahrain.com

MATERIAL GESTURE BY ANNE HOLTROP

Date: 7 Dec at 7pm
Venue: Bahrain Fort Museum
Material Gesture, by Anne Holtrop, award winning Dutch architect & designer of the Bahrain pavilion at the Milan Expo 2015. There is something magical about the architecture of Anne Holtrop. Magical because what we see is not exactly what it appears to be, or what we think is there is not really there or simply has another form.

KOREAN CINEMA NIGHT 2016

Date: December 7,14,21&28
Venue: Seef 1 Cinema 13

HIGHLIGHT

THE DELONGHI BAHRAINI CHEF COMPETITION

Date: December 13&14.
Venue: The Ritz-Carlton, Bahrain.

Ready, Steady, Go! It's time to Cook! The Ritz-Carlton, Bahrain has the pleasure to announce the launch of The DeLonghi Bahraini Chef Competition, a dedicated two day cooking competition for Bahraini nationals, to take place on December 13th and 14th at The Ritz-Carlton, Bahrain.

As part of The Ritz-Carlton's Community Footprints program, the 'DeLonghi Bahraini Chef Competition' will take place during the celebrations of the Kingdom's national day with the aim to empower the aspiring Chefs of Bahrain and invest in nationals possessing outstanding culinary talent, allowing them to develop further in their field of choice.

Candidates who wish to apply are required to be a minimum of 18 years old and are to post a video of themselves making a dish of their choice on Instagram tagging @Bahrainichefcompetition



and using the hashtag #Bahrainichefcompetition. A panel of judges composed of 5 renowned chefs and food connoisseurs will review the videos and create a shortlist of candidates. The final line-up of 16 participants will battle it out over a two-day competition event, to be held at The Ritz-Carlton, Bahrain on December 13th and 14th, 2016. At the event, participants will perform a 2-hour cooking contest, with the judges selecting the final winner.

With its focus on developing local talent, The Ritz-Carlton, Bahrain and DeLonghi will award the winner an exclusive culinary experience and exposure with a Michelin star chef at one of The Ritz-Carlton properties in Europe. The winning dish will also be featured at one of the Ritz-Carlton, Bahrain's restaurants.

Commenting on the occasion, Mr. Christian Zandonella, General Manager of The Ritz-Carlton, Bahrain said: "We are thrilled to celebrate the Bahrain National Day with the creation of this event. We look forward to witnessing exceptional individual performances at The Ritz-Carlton, Bahrain during the event."

Don't forget that Korean Cinema Night 2016 is just around corner. Free admission on a first come, first served base. First movie: Ode to My Father on December 7. Ode to My Father is a 2014 South Korean drama film directed by Yoon Je-kyoon. Starring Hwang Jung-min and Yunjin Kim, it depicts modern Korean history from the 1950s to the present day through the life of an ordinary man, as he experiences events such as the Hungnam Evacuation of 1950 during the Korean War, the government's decision to dispatch nurses and miners to Germany in the 1960s, and the Vietnam War. It is currently the second highest-grossing film in the history of Korean cinema, with 14.2 million tickets sold.

FORT CAMP

Date: 8 - 9 December 2016, 4:00 - 9:00pm
Venue: Bahrain Fort Site Museum
As part of the celebrations for the

Bahrain National Day, Bahrain Fort Site Museum is organising a camp that includes many activities and workshops for adults and kids. Free admission.

CONCERT BY MOHAMMED ABDU

Date: 8 December 2016, 8:00pm
Venue: Bahrain National Theatre

Mohammed Abdu is a true living legend of Arabic music. Gifted with a distinctly powerful yet sweet voice from and incredible oud-playing ability, Abdu's talents were clear from an early age and was soon discovered while still a teenager in the early 1960's after singing on the local radio. Five decades on, "The Artist of the Arabs" as he is widely known is still going strong. The concert will feature some of the artist's most beloved songs which he released over his illustrious career, from early classics to more modern hits spanning the golden era of Arabic music of the 20th century to today.

PATRIOTIC POEMS

Date: 8 December 2016, 8:00pm
Venue: Bahrain Fort Site Museum

Open invitation . As part of the celebrations for the Bahrain National Day, Bahrain Fort Site Museum is organising Poetry night with Ahmed Albado, Munira Alsubaie and Mohammed Al mudhi.

VIBES PRESENTS: DANCING QUEENS

Date: 8 Dec at 8pm
Venue: Imari Japanese Restaurant at the Domain Hotel

Vibes returns for its last event of 2016! Dancing Queens. For our last event of 2016 Vibes is always proud to have all our friends and we would like to thank you for your endless support in each and every event we host. Hence we are hosting a gathering for our friends in the stunning Domain Hotel. With 4 DJs spinning the tunes you want to hear and a beautiful crowd this should be a legendary night for all.

HERITAGE TALE IN THE FORT TENT

Date: 8 - 9 December 2016, 5:30pm
Venue: Bahrain Fort Museum, fort Camp

"Who ate alfalfa?" storytelling of a heritage tale that will teach the kids lessons of morals and wisdoms. The characters of the tale will be present! Free admission. 6-11 years.

NOVOTEL FAMILY DAY

Date: 9 Dec at 1pm
Venue: Novotel Bahrain Al Dana Resort

It's Family Time, join our amazing kids and family beach party with brunch and many kids activities, take advantage of the charming weather and beautiful shows: Magic show; Solo fire dance; Host fun & games.

MARK YOUR Calendar

KHALED FOUAD AND DALIA AT NATIONAL DAY FESTIVAL

Date: December 14 to 17
Venue: Bahrain International Circuit



Fouad Dalia

Bahrain International Circuit (BIC) announced the first two artists who will be performing live as part of its National Day celebrations from December 14 to 17.

One mega artist will be taking to the stage on each night of the BIC National Day Festival, which is being organised by "The Home of Motorsport in the Middle East" for the fourth successive year. The artist performing on opening night on Wednesday will be popular Bahraini singer Khaled Fouad. The following evening, another well-loved Bahraini singer in Dalia will be entertaining the crowd in Sakhir.

The four-day event is being held with the support of HRH Prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, Crown Prince, Deputy Supreme Commander and First Deputy Prime Minister.

Doors will be open on each day from 4pm until 10pm. Tickets cost only 500 fils and they can be purchased at the gate.

Khaled Fouad and Dalia are only two of the artists who have been announced by BIC for the National Day Festival. The others will be revealed soon.

Follow us on our Instagram account @BIC_NATIONALDAY to get updates on the event.

Aside from the concerts, also set to be a part of the festivities are a full shopping experience, corporate exhibition space, children's activities and a play area, cultural shows, food and beverage outlets, and so much more.

With so much to offer, the festival is a perfect platform to showcase what the business community has to offer in a social atmosphere.

For more information on the BIC National Day Festival, visit the circuit's official website www.bahraingp.com or call the BIC Hotline on +973-17-450000.

HIGHLIGHT

CHRISTMAS TREE LIGHTING

Date: December 8th 2016 at 5.30pm
Venue: Downtown Rotana

With the much-anticipated festive season soon approaching, Downtown Rotana, the stylish luxury hotel located in the heart of Bahrain's capital, is gearing up to host its first Christmas Tree Lighting on Thursday, December 8th 2016, and has put together an exciting agenda that promises an unforgettable evening for guests and visitors of all ages.

The biggest attraction will be an enormous gingerbread house that will stand tall at the main hotel lobby. Expected to reach 4 metres in height and 6 metres in width, created using over 380kg of gingerbread dough, the hotel aims to take the lead for building one of the largest gingerbread houses in the Kingdom of Bahrain.

The evening will also include an appearance by Santa where children will get the opportunity to meet him and receive token gifts, and will conclude with the



customary lighting of the Christmas Tree which traditionally marks the official start of the festive season. A key highlight of the evening will be the choir which will consist of people of different ages, as well as Downtown Rotana's choir which will consist of 19 of staff members.

Speaking on the event, Mr. Patrice Cornee, General Manager of Downtown Rotana said: "This year we will be celebrating Downtown Rotana's first festive season and inaugural Christmas Tree Lighting; we want it to be memorable. We have put together an exciting program for the evening and we hope our guests are mesmerized. The festive season is a very important time for the hotel, we are anticipating many guests coming into town and we want them to feel like they are at home away from home."

Downtown Rotana's Christmas Tree Lighting will take place at the hotel lobby on December 8th 2016 at 5.30pm; festive canapés and beverages being served throughout.