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Captured an iconic image of Sri Lankan National Flower "Nil Manel" or Blue Water Lily

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AUTHENTIC HOSPITALITY



HARITHA VILLAS + SPA

Haritha Villas and Spa is a 9-Villa luxury boutique hotel which was conceptualised to blend modern chic design with Colonial style buildings . Offering exclusive experiences, wellness therapies and Ayurveda, yoga and meditation in a luxurious and completely private setting; in the southern coast, this resort offers the very best in unscripted dining with personalized Villa master service for a luxury and private stay. A truly unique and rewarding experience awaits you at Haritha Villas + Spa as you begin exploring the island of Sri Lanka be it cultural, historical or a truly unmatched culinary experience at the tropical paradise.

EXPERIENTIAL EPISODE

Lotus Tower for Entertainment Purposes



Lotus Tower Management Company (Pvt) Ltd entered into an agreement with Singapore-based renovation and interior design company Kreate Design Pte. Limited to lease out one floor of the Lotus tower for entertainment purposes. The investment includes a casino, conference and international shopping centers, water sports as well as several other entertainment options that will be developed at the Lotus Tower within the next six months.

EXCITING MOMENTS

Experience- Turtles watching in Sri Lanka



Turtles Watching in Sri Lanka...

All along that coast, there are hundreds of thousands of turtles that are born and that live on the shores close to land. Watching the Turtles is one of the best things to do in beautiful Sri Lanka, and there are so many great spots to do it. Hikkaduwa, Mirissa, Unawatuna, and Trincomalee are the areas where the greatest experiences are. Each place offers something unique experience.

Experience-Authentic Sri Lankan Pol Roti



Pol-Roti, as it is locally known, as coconut roti in English. It is served for breakfast, lunch, dinner or snacks. Pol-Roti is basically a rustic flatbread made with coconut. Sri Lankan pol roti is available at stand-alone carts or roadside eateries as street food or tea-time snack.

LATEST TRAVEL UPDATES



Tourist Visa charges were revised with effect from 01st December 2022.

Visit Visa	Tourist Purpose (Visit – Tourist)	Online	On arrival
For first 30 Days	South Asian Association for Regional Cooperation (SAARC) countries. (Electronic Travel Authorization - ETA) (For first 30 Days)	20	25
For first 30 Days	Any country other than a SAARC Country. (Electronic Travel Authorization - ETA) (For first 30 Days)	50	60

LATEST TRAVEL UPDATES



German Cruise ship “Mein Schiff 5” with 2030 passengers, a majority of them Europeans and 945 crew members, arrived in Sri Lanka on November 29 and at Hambantota Port on November 30, creating history as the first largest passenger ship to stay overnight at the Hambantota International Port.



The luxury passenger cruise ship “Viking Mars” has arrived in Sri Lanka with 900 tourists on board for a shore excursion in November. “Viking Mars” arrived at the Colombo port, commencing the winter season for cruise calls after the pandemic.



The monthly tourist arrivals to the country crossed the 50,000 mark for the first time since April, indicating that the country’s tourism industry is moving towards some form of revival, making Sri Lanka inches away from crossing the 600,000-arrival mark for the year.

PORTRAIT OF PARADISE

Mannar Fort



Mannar Fort is located on Mannar Island and Fort was of significant importance strategically and economically in the north. Mannar Fort offers stunning views over the ocean between itself and the mainland of Sri Lanka. Built with blocks of coral and brick in the year 1560 by the Portuguese and had been captured by the Dutch in 1658. The church within the fort is an interesting place with many ancient burial plaques with beautiful carvings and engravings. Huge ponds to collect fresh water and wells to supply the needs of the dwellers of the Fort are still found with significant levels of water.

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