HAVE THAT CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY WITH A DIFFERENCE

Travel Page

Territory travellers who might be thinking of spending a Christmas holiday with a difference are being offered a choice of overseas group tours.

Two excellent air tours are scheduled to leave Dar- win on 24th December.

The Christmas Asia tour is a 19-day tour which leaves Darwin on 16th November and returns on 4th December.

The Hong Kong Caper tour is also a 19-day tour and leaves Darwin on 17th December.

For the traveller who wishes to spend a Christmas and New Year overseas the Asian tour starts when the BOAC aircraft leaves Darwin at 9.30 pm and arrives in Hong Kong at 9.15 pm on Christmas Eve.

Christmas Day is free with all meals and accommodation booked at the hotel.

The next two days are spent visiting local sights with a visit to Ayutthaya where one highlight would be a visit to the well-known Temple of Ayutthaya.

These include a visit to the Temple of the Emerald Buddha, the world's largest genius cut in stone, and the private Voon Orchid collection.

Temple

In Bangkok there are also tours around so that the traveller can see some of the famous temples and the well-known trip along the Khlongs to see the floating markets and Royal Barges.

There is also free time for shopping before joining a Cathay Pacific aircraft for Hong Kong. More details are included in the trip to see the famous Temple of the Emerald Buddha and other tourist sights.

Raffles

The next day is a visit to the Temple of the Emerald Buddha and a tour visiting the Grand Palace. The following day, Thai International Airlines fly the tour to Singapore with accommodation at the famous Raffles Hotel.

In Singapore there is some more interesting tours and free time for shopping before catching a BOAC aircraft back to Darwin.

More time

The Hong Kong Caper allows the traveller more free time in Hong Kong and the BOAC aircraft leaves Darwin on 22 December as scheduled and there is a tour by hydrofoil from Hong Kong to Macao.

January 10 is the last day of this Asian holiday, the tour and the return trip gives the traveller a two-hour stopover in Singapore before finally boarding the BOAC jet for Darwin.

Christmas Asian Holiday

The tours are fully conducted and every passenger can expect the VIP treatment.

There is always a representative of the organizing company on hand to assist the traveller; in fact the only thing they ask the traveller to do is to go and enjoy themselves.

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CHRISTMAS ASIAN HOLIDAY

What plans have you made for your holidays in December?

How about joining us on a 19-day tour — Departing Darwin on 24th December.

Features: 4 days Singapore; 3 days Kuala Lumpur; 4 days Bangkok; 7 days Hong Kong including exclusion to MACAO.

Cost: Absolutely all-inclusive: $670.

For further information:

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SAILINGS TO EUROPE, 1968

FEBRUARY

AURLIA

ELLINIS — via Panama.

ORCADES — from Brisbane Feb. 7th via Panama.

GALILEO

ORSOVA — via South Africa, Rio De Janeiro, Dakar, Casablanca, Lisbon, Southampton.

ACHILLE LAURO

IBERIA — via Hong Kong and Singapore.

TAHITIEN — via Panama.

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