



HOTEL FORT CANNING
SINGAPORE

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SONNETS OF LOVE

A CELEBRATION OF WORDS AND LOVE AT HOTEL FORT CANNING

Singapore, 22 January 2016

*“From the beginning of my life I have been looking for your face but today I have seen it”
- Rumi*

This Valentine’s Day, as Hotel Fort Canning marks the 90th anniversary of the colonial heritage building that was carefully restored and repurposed to its current 86-room award-winning luxury boutique hotel, step through the colonial arches and into the romantic era of whispered words and stolen glances, with this enchanting dame.

The Taste of Love 4-course Set Dinner



Begin with a lavish four-course dinner set comprising of tender Hokkaido King Scallops done three ways, cream of Wild Mushroom and Truffle oil served with foie gras, mango salsa and sun-dried tomato baguette, and choose from mains of sous vide Sakura Chicken Thigh with King Prawn and Sake Chilli Bonito Sauce, grass-fed confit of Beef Tenderloin with King Prawn and Sake Chilli Bonito Sauce and relish in a sweet ending of Tiramisu, Macaron and Banana, Wild Berries and Macadamia Nut Stew.

Dinner reservations will open from 22 January.



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Terms & Conditions:

- Available on 13 and 14 February 2016 only at \$168++
- Promotion is valid whilst stocks last
- Reservations will open from 22 January 2016
- For reservations and enquiries kindly call The Salon at 6559 6760 or email fnb@hfc singapore.com

Introducing This Valentine's His and Her Cocktails by Tisettanta Lounge



In celebration of love, don't miss the must-have tippie this Valentine's Day - The Tisettanta Lounge's matching his and her cocktails.

Whisper your declarations of love and eternity at the Tisettanta Lounge with Hotel Fort Canning's first ever his and her cocktails -Cupid's Mojito for him, and xoxo for her.

Cupid's Mojito and xoxo are available exclusively throughout the month of February at \$18++ each, in combinations of his and his, and hers and hers to celebrate love in all its forms.

Terms & Conditions:

- Available from 1 - 29 February 2016 only

For reservations and enquiries, please call The Tisettanta Lounge at 6799 8809 or email fnb@hfc singapore.com.



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Valentine's Kiss Room Package

Seal the kiss of night with a relaxing bubble bath complete with rose petals, Tattinger champagne in your room and a pair of souvenir Hotel Fort Canning Love Bears to bring home.

Wake up to a scrumptious breakfast buffet spread at The Salon, inclusive with your room package.

Guests who book the Valentine's Kiss package will also enjoy 15% off The Taste of Love 4-course set dinner.

Valentine's Kiss package is available from 12 - 14 February 2016.

Valentine's Kiss room package is available from \$438++ for Deluxe Rooms and is inclusive of:

- Buffet breakfast for two
- 1 bottle of Tattinger champagne
- 1 pair of Hotel Fort Canning Love Bears
- Flower petals and premium bubble bath
- 1 pair of towel swans

Terms & Conditions:

- Available for room stays from 12 - 14 February 2016 only
- Promotion is valid whilst stocks last
- Reservations will open from 22 January 2016
- For reservations and enquiries please contact Reservations at 6559 6769 or email reservations@hfcsingapore.com



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About Hotel Fort Canning

Hotel Fort Canning is a magnificent and award-winning conservation hotel tucked within 18 hectares of lush greenery of Fort Canning Park. The award-winning boutique hotel is luxurious and trendy, and it combines the romance of a grand colonial edifice with lush green parklands in the heart of the city. Hotel Fort Canning was styled by the award-winning DP Architects to incorporate the finest hospitality amenities, while retaining and conserving its old-style, colonial glamour. Today, the hotel serves as one of the finest boutique hotels Singapore has to offer. It straddles not only the Orchard Road shopping belt, the Clarke Quay entertainment hub, but also the Central Business District and the Civic District.

Hotel Fort Canning has been recently awarded the prestigious and highly-coveted BCA Green Mark GOLDPlus Award which recognises the hotel's commitment to best practices in environmental design and performance. This is amongst the highest awards ever given to a boutique hotel by the Building & Construction Authority (BCA) this year.

Hotel Fort Canning commemorates the award-winning heritage building's 90th anniversary this 2016.

TRIPADVISOR'S CERTIFICATE OF EXCELLENCE HALL OF FAME

Hotel Fort Canning is a five-time winner of TripAdvisor's highly coveted Certificate of Excellence award and has recently been inducted into the Certificate of Excellence Hall of Fame. This is a unique accolade that is granted only to those businesses that have won the prestigious recognition for five years in a row.

Accolades

- 2011** Winner of the "URA Architectural Heritage Award".
Hotel Fort Canning is listed in the Destinasian Luxe List of 2011
Top Signature Boutique Hotel / Resort, Hospitality Asia Platinum Awards

- 2012** Top 20 Trendiest Hotel in Singapore
TripAdvisor's Certificate of Excellence
TripAdvisor Traveller's Choice Award



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- 2013** TripAdvisor Traveller's Choice Award

- 2014** TripAdvisor's Certificate of Excellence,
AsiaOne's People's Choice Top 3 Boutique Hotels Award
HerWorld Brides Best Wedding Solemnisation Venue Award
World Luxury Hotel Award 2015

- 2015** BCA Green Mark (Platinum) Award
HerWorld Brides Best Wedding Solemnisation Venue Award
World Luxury Hotel Award 2015



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Heritage building

The iconic building was originally built in 1926, as the Administration Building of the British Far East Command HQ. The General-Officer-Commanding, Lieutenant-General Percival, had an office in this building. The building was occupied by the Japanese Military during the Occupation (1942-1945). After the war, the British Military took it back and used it as part of the British Military Administration. After independence in 1965, the building was taken over by the Singapore Armed Forces, and in 1970, the building was used by the Singapore Command & Staff College (SCSC). In 1976, the SCSC moved out of the building, and it remained unoccupied until 1995, where it housed Fort Canning Country Club.

In November 2002, the present owners took over the premises and launched a premium members-only town club called The Legends Fort Canning Park. The brand expansion of the company led to the conceptualization of a revolutionary luxury hospitality service. In July 2011, Hotel Fort Canning was introduced, along with the stunning Glass House.

Embracing the Environment, History and the Art

- Interior of Hotel Fort Canning designed to reflect elements of nature; such as in the choice of motifs and colours.
- Dishes at The Glass House Restaurant feature fresh local ingredients from the Spice Garden atop Fort Canning Park.
- Swimming pool water treated with minerals; an ecologically safe process using NASA technology for sanitation, to ensure that water is chlorine and chemical free.
- The hotel carries out numerous conservation initiatives such as environmentally-friendly work practices
- Singapore's only hotel to carry out a "Plant-A-Tree" program
- Singapore's only hotel to showcase an Archaeological Pit with actual 14th (*featuring some items from the royal households of the Majapahit kings who ruled Temasek - old name for Singapore*) and 19th (*heralding the arrival of Sir Stamford Raffles and the British, and the Chinese of the late Qing Dynasty*) Century artefacts unearthed by Dr John N Miksic (Resident Archaeologist at Fort Canning Park and Associate Professor of the NUS Southeast Asian Studies Programme). Showcased in four pits, the artefacts trace the history of the inhabitants of the Park, and highlight the ancient glory of this once "Forbidden Hill" and exclusive address of many of Singapore's ancient rulers and colonial leaders.
- Lobby art gallery exhibits art pieces to aid appreciation and to facilitate sales

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