



SOFITEL PRESENTS A MAGNIFIQUE SPREAD THIS FESTIVE SEASON

Traditional classics with a contemporary touch this Christmas and New Year at Sofitel's repertoire of dining destinations Kwee Zeen, ilLido at the Cliff and Xperience



Baked herb crusted cod with Chorizo and Artichoke fondue by Xperience at SO Sofitel Singapore (Left) and Black Squid Ink Tonnarelli with Razor Clams and Amalfi Lemon by IlLido at the Cliff at Sofitel Singapore Sentosa Resort & Spa (Right)

SINGAPORE, 9 November 2017 – This festive season, ring in the Christmas cheer with a medley of epicurean delights across three acclaimed dining destinations – **Kwee Zeen** and **ilLido at the Cliff** at Sofitel Singapore Sentosa Resort & Spa and **Xperience** at SO Sofitel Singapore.

Led by Cluster Executive Chef Bertrand Valegeas, each restaurant will feature a blend of traditional holiday classics and contemporary creations through specially curated festive menus available on 24 and 25 December 2017 (Christmas menus); and 31 December 2017 (New Year's Eve menus). An exclusive festive set lunch special will also be available at Xperience from 1 to 31 December 2017.

Bust in the Christmas Spirit at Kwee Zeen and ilLido at the Cliff

On 24 and 25 December, a veritable feast for the senses awaits at **Kwee Zeen**, where joyous carolers and visits from Father Christmas will complement a magnificent spread of Christmas must-haves and international flavours promising a wondrous time for diners. Diners can expect to savour this season's finest produce, including *Homemade Grilled Foie Gras Terrine with Black Truffle, Slow-roasted Beef Tomahawk, Traditional Roasted Turkey* and *Baked Leg of Ham with Apple Sauce.*

Extending the wonder of Christmas beyond the table, diners can also look forward to enjoying a marvelous selection of sweet treats, pastries and confectionery beautifully adorning a whimsical Christmas village complete with a model train set for the quintessential Christmas touch at ilLido's Christmas Dessert Wonderland, open exclusively to Kwee Zeen and ilLido at the Cliff's diners on 24, 25 and 31 December only.





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For an unforgettable celebration, **ilLido at the Cliff's** exquisite festive selection is perfectly accentuated by breath-taking views of the South China Sea set amidst lush tropical greenery. Specially curated by Chef De Cuisine Simone Fraternali, the 5-course Christmas dinner menu features a selection of creative contemporary treats including the *Red Prawn Tartare with Sea Urchin Hollandaise and Caviar, Black Squid Ink Tonnarelli with Razor Clams and Amalfi Lemon* and *Turkey and Foie Gras Roll with Chestnut and Glazed Balsamic Shallot*.

Christmas Day brunch at ilLido at the Cliff is a family affair, featuring a selection of tantalizing appetizers to share including *Burrata Cheese with Avocado and Trout Caviar* and *Hokkaido Scallop with Butternut*, paired with delectable mains including *Squid Ink Strozzapreti with Crab and Sea Urchin Sauce* and *Pappardelle with Wagyu Beef Cheek Ragout*, finishing the experience with an assortment of decadent delights including the signature *ilLido Tiramisu*, *Chocolate and Hazelnut Mousse* and *Strawberry and Pistachio Tart*.

Come New Year's Eve, diners will be spoilt for choice as Kwee Zeen, ilLido at the Cliff and the hotel's chic LeBar come together to present a mega countdown brunch like no other. A gourmet wonderland spanning all three outlets, diners are invited to finish the year in unforgettable style as they indulge their palates with an ultra-extravagant feast, beginning *with Pan-fried Foie Gras* and *Herb-roasted Pig on a Spit* at Kwee Zeen, before taking the feast to ilLido to enjoy stellar Italian favorites including *Seafood Risotto with Vodka Cream and Black Truffle Pizza*. In between courses, diners can head over to LeBar to enjoy their favorite tipple, or choose to end the meal with a perfect pick from ilLido's Dessert Wonderland.

Month-long festive feasting at Xperience

At Xperience Restaurant at SO Sofitel Singapore, culinary artistry at its finest await diners, as the restaurant presents an array of gourmet masterpieces in its Christmas lunch and dinner menus available on 24 and 25 December – featuring festive favorites such as *Beef Wellington, Grilled Christmas Pork Shoulder Ham* and *Roasted Herb-crusted Dorper Lamb Rack*, complete with Xperience's signature *Christmas Log Cake* and *Warm Christmas Pudding*.

In addition, from 1 to 31 December (excluding 24 and 25 December), a special festive set menu will be made available at lunch, with diners offered the option of an express 2-course or executive 3-course meal, for an afternoon touch of the festive season all through December. Dishes to look forward to include *Angus Ribeye with Duck Fat-roasted Baby Potato, Breaded Portobello stuffed with Chestnut, Gouda Cheese, Wild Rocket and Aged Balsamic*, and *Warm Christmas Pudding with Brandy Custard*.

Spread the Festive Joy with exclusive Christmas hampers by Sofitel

Share the joy of Christmas this season with a thoughtful selection of the finest homemade treats and festive favorites, specially curated by the talented culinary team of chefs and chocolatiers at Sofitel Singapore Sentosa and SO Sofitel Singapore. Nestled lovingly within a delightful hamper, indulge friends and families with classic Christmas goodies including Christmas fruit cake, pudding and cookies,





scrumptious Santa chocolate figurines and Ginger Bread Men, and a box of handcrafted pralines, amongst many others. Hampers come paired with a bottle of French red wine or champagne, and are priced at \$188 and \$388 before GST respectively.

For more information and dining reservations at **Kwee Zeen** and **ilLido at the Cliff**, please contact 6708 8310 or email <u>h9474@sofitel.com</u>. Kindly follow Sofitel Singapore Sentosa Resort & Spa on <u>Facebook</u>, <u>Instagram</u> and <u>Twitter</u> or visit <u>http://www.sofitel-singapore-sentosa.com/</u> for the latest news and updates.

For more information and dining reservations at **Xperience Restaurant & Bar**, please contact 6701 6800 or email <u>H8655@sofitel.com</u>. Kindly follow SO Sofitel Singapore on <u>Facebook</u> and <u>Instagram</u> or visit <u>http://www.sofitel-so-singapore.com/</u> for the latest news and updates.

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Editor's Note:

- 1. High resolution photos can be downloaded from link: <u>https://spaces.hightail.com/space/wV7IndwPvH</u>
- 2. Photos for Kwee Zeen and ilLido at the Cliff to be credited to 'Sofitel Singapore Sentosa Resort & Spa'
- 3. Photos for Xperience to be credited to 'SO Sofitel Singapore'
- 4. All prices reflected in the release and annexes exclude prevailing government taxes, including 10% service charge and 7% Goods & Services Tax





ANNEX A

Festive offerings by Kwee Zeen Sofitel Singapore Sentosa Resort & Spa	
Christmas Dinner Buffet	 24 and 25 December 2017, 6.00pm to 9.00pm Adult: \$188++ (includes complimentary flow of wine) Adult: \$158++ (includes complimentary flow of juices and soft drinks) Child: \$79++ (includes complimentary flow of juices and soft drinks)
Christmas Day Brunch Buffet	 25 December 2017, 12.30pm to 3.30pm Adult: \$268++ (includes complimentary flow of wine) Adult: \$238++ (includes complimentary flow of juices and soft drinks) Child: \$119++ (includes complimentary flow of juices and soft drinks)
New Year's Day Brunch Buffet	 1 January 2018, 12.30pm to 3.30pm Adult: \$168++ (includes complimentary flow of wine) Adult: \$138++ (includes complimentary flow of juices and soft drinks) Child: \$58++ (includes complimentary flow of juices and soft drinks)
For more information and reservations	Tel: 6708 8310 Email: <u>h9474@sofitel.com</u> Web: <u>http://www.sofitel-singapore-</u> <u>sentosa.com/dining/kwee-zeen/</u>
Festive offerings by LeBar Sofitel Singapore Sentosa Resort & Spa	
Christmas Afternoon Tea Set	1-31 December 2017, 12.00pm to 5.30pm \$98++ (includes complimentary flow of artisanal tea)
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Festive offerings by ilLido at the Cliff Sofitel Singapore Sentosa Resort & Spa	
Christmas Eve and Christmas Day Dinner	 24 and 25 December 2017, 6.00pm to 9.00pm Adult: \$138++ (includes complimentary flow of Prosecco & wine Adult: \$118++ (includes complimentary flow of juices and soft drinks) Child: \$59++ (includes complimentary flow of juices and soft drinks) Note: Set Menu include Starter and Main Course and Dessert Buffet
New Year's Day Prosecco Brunch Buffet	 1 January 2018, 12.00pm to 2.30pm Adult: \$98++ (includes complimentary flow of Prosecco & wine Adult: \$78++ (includes complimentary flow of juices and soft drinks) Child: \$39++ (includes complimentary flow of juices and soft drinks)
For more information and reservations	Tel: 6708 8310 Email: <u>h9474@sofitel.com</u> Web: <u>http://www.sofitel-singapore-</u> <u>sentosa.com/dining/illido-at-the-cliff/</u>

Mega Countdown Dinner Buffet by Kwee Zeen, IlLido at the Cliff and LeBar Sofitel Singapore Sentosa Resort & Spa	
Mega Countdown Dinner Buffet	 31 December 2017, 6.30pm to 1.00am Adult: \$288++ (includes complimentary flow of Taittinger champagne & wine from 6.30pm - 11pm) Adult: \$258++ (includes complimentary flow of juices and soft drinks) Child: \$134++ (includes complimentary flow of juices and soft drinks)
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Festive offerings by Xperience Restaurant & Bar		
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Christmas Eve and Christmas Day 3- course Set Lunch	 24 and 25 December 2017, 11.30am to 3.30pm Adult: \$78++ (includes complimentary flow of Prosecco & wine) Adult: \$48++ (includes complimentary flow of juices and soft drinks) Child: \$24++ (includes complimentary flow of juices and soft drinks) 	
Christmas Eve and Christmas Day 4- course Set Dinner	 24 and 25 December 2017, 5.30pm to 10.30pm (last order 9.30pm) Adult: \$98++ (includes complimentary flow of Prosecco & wine) Adult: \$68++ (includes complimentary flow of juices and soft drinks) Child: \$34++ (includes complimentary flow of juices and soft drinks) 	
December Festive-themed Set Lunch	soft drinks) 1-31 December 2017 (excl. 24 and 25 December)	
	 11.30am – 3.00pm on Weekday 12.00pm – 2.00pm on Weekend 2-course set lunch: \$28++ 3-course set lunch: \$32++ 	
New Year's Eve 5-course Set Dinner	 31 December 2017, 6.00pm to 11.00pm Adult: \$118++ (includes complimentary flow of Prosecco & wine) Adult: \$98++ (includes complimentary flow of juices and soft drinks) Child: \$49++ (includes complimentary flow of juices and soft drinks) 	
For more information and reservations	Tel: 6701 6800 Email: <u>H8655@sofitel.com</u> Web: <u>http://www.sofitel-so-singapore.com/wine-</u> <u>dine/xperience-restaurant/</u>	





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Christmas holiday hampers by Sofitel	
Pricing	Items included
From S\$188++	Christmas Fruit Cake
	Christmas pudding
	Santa Claus Chocolate Figuring
	Panettone
	Christmas Cookies
	Ginger Man Bread
	Stollen
	Chocolate Praline
	Macaroon
	French Red Wine
From \$\$388++	Christmas Fruit Cake
	Christmas pudding
	Santa Claus Chocolate Figuring
	Christmas Cookies
	Ginger Man Bread
	Panettone
	Mince Pie
	Ginger Bread House
	Stollen
	Macaroon
	Mixed Fruit Mostarda
	Chocolate Praline Box
	Champagne
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