

## press release

### Celebrate Halloween with Spook-tastic Fun at Resorts World Sentosa

*Tuck into deliciously spooky bites and book a staycation while Illumination's Minion Monsters return to Universal Studios Singapore and S.E.A. Aquarium dares you to plunge into the Deep Boo Sea*

**SINGAPORE, 14 September 2020** – This Halloween season, gather your family, round up your best friends and bring your significant other to enjoy new, refreshed and exhilarating spook-tastic experiences as you eat, play and stay across Resorts World Sentosa (RWS). From exciting trick-or-treating activities and hunting down lost pearls, to the much-needed respite of a staycation and delectable Halloween-themed treats and cuisine, you will be spoilt for choice with exciting programmes and offerings.

As a SG Clean accredited destination resort, RWS ensures that all programmes and offerings are organised with enhanced safe management measures, including safe distancing rules and enhanced sanitisation and disinfection protocols, according to the Singapore Government's directives.

#### Halloween-themed bites at Pizzeria and Malaysian Food Street



*Pizzeria's Watcher tagliatelle*



*Pizzeria's Fiery Lick cocktail*



*Malaysian Food Street's Nasi Hantu fried rice*



*Malaysian Food Street's Spooky Cookies*

Whet your appetite for fright this Halloween at RWS' Malaysian Food Street and Pizzeria before heading over to Universal Studios Singapore and S.E.A. Aquarium.

Popular **Malaysian Food Street** beckons with mouth-watering scary eats boasting local flavours available from 17 September to 31 October 2020. The *Nasi Hantu* is a savoury kampung-style prawn fried rice complete with good “wok hei”, smoky chicken satay drizzled in peanut sauce and a fried egg shaped like a skull. Little ones would love the *Spooky Cookies*, a fun cheeky treat of five adorable “ghosties” cookies in four locally-inspired flavours – Gula Melaka, Chocolate Chip, Coconut Pandan and Vanilla Butter.

From 2 to 31 October 2020, our family-friendly **Pizzeria** will be whipping up Insta-worthy Halloween pizzas, pastas and cocktails that are scarily tasty. Begin with the *Watcher*, a fresh green spinach tagliatelle tucked underneath a rich and tantalising beef Bolognese sauce, topped with creamy mini mozzarella cheese with a drop of squid ink “eyeballs” staring back at you as you devour them. For an eerie dish that allows you to indulge in your zombie fantasies, go for *BRAAAINS!*, a squid ink dough pizza layered with piquant tomato sauce that resembles red gore and splatter, topped with black olives, buffalo mozzarella cheese and “brains” that are actually juicy beef meatballs.

Other deliciously spine-chilling creations include *Mummy Mia* – a crispy bruschetta topped with tomato sauce, mushrooms, olives and “wrapped” with provolone cheese, and *Web of Lies* – a sweet spider web pizza topped with blueberry compote, vanilla sauce, rainbow sprinkles and mini marshmallows. Don’t leave before firing up your spirit with *Fiery Lick*, a wicked drink made with jalapeños, vodka and cranberries.

Enjoy a special promotional price of S\$138++/ S\$119++ for RWS members (U.P. S\$161) when you order the **Family Fright Bundle** which includes *Mummy Mia*, *Watcher*, *BRAAAINS!*, *The Blob* – a soft and creamy dessert of a moss green mousse-like semifreddo, two beers and two sodas.

For reservations at Pizzeria, please call (65) 6577 6555 / 6688, email [dining@rwsentosa.com](mailto:dining@rwsentosa.com) or visit [www.rwsentosa.com/pizzeria](http://www.rwsentosa.com/pizzeria).

### **Stretch, Unwind and Indulge in a Halloween Sleepover**

Plan a Halloween sleepover at RWS with our popular staycation packages available until 16 October 2020. As affordable as S\$328, these attractive packages feature overnight stay in one of our thematic luxury hotels, complimentary breakfasts and parking, attraction passes and dining credits. Pick from Hotel Michael that exudes art-gallery ambience, eco-luxurious Equarius Hotel or Beach Villas set in a secluded tropical sanctuary. Beyond our staycation packages, for the epitome of indulgence, check into our lavish all-suite Crockfords Tower, Ocean Suites for the mesmerising underwater experience, or TreeTop Lofts tucked away in the canopy of native trees. There is no better time than now to stretch, unwind and indulge in a relaxing RWS getaway, just a hop away from the city. More information on RWS’ staycation packages can be found [here](#).

## Scary Good Times Await at Universal Studios Singapore's Halloween Fun for Everyone



*Embark on a trick-or-treat adventure around Universal Studios Singapore and enjoy meet-and-greet experiences with popular characters*

A top favourite that debuted last year, **Minion Monsters Tricky Treats** returns to Universal Studios Singapore with FrankenBob, Stuart Mummy, and Kevin Dracula taking centre stage with their eye-catching costumes. Fans of Illumination's irresistibly mischievous Minion Monsters will be able to commemorate the trio's once-a-year appearance with lots of wifies.

Embark on a trick-or-treat adventure around the park and enjoy a series of **meet-and-greet experiences with popular characters** from iconic movies including classic Universal Monsters: Dracula, Frankenstein and Bride of Frankenstein; Gru and his family from Illumination's Despicable Me and Minions films; the DreamWorks Animation cast of characters from the Madagascar films and, Puss In Boots, including Kitty Softpaws; Sesame Street friends, a ferocious Jurassic World Velociraptor and more. Keeping in theme with Halloween festivities, all characters will be decked out in Halloween costumes, perfect for the 'Gram. During the meet-and-greets, look out for our **Candy Ambassadors**, donned with distinctive orange aprons or pumpkin hats, who will hand you a delightful assortment of **free candies, gummies, and chocolates**.

Those waiting to sink their teeth into delicious food can get their fix with exclusive themed refreshments such as the Halloween Monster Burger and Mummified Corn Dog, available at selected food and beverage outlets. The ravenous can quench their insatiable thirst with the Shimmery Halloween Quencher, available at Loui's NY Pizza Parlor.

More information on Universal Studios Singapore's Halloween Fun for Everyone (17 September to 1 November 2020) can be found [here](#).

## Dive into the Deep Boo Sea at S.E.A. Aquarium

This Halloween, scares come from the deep as S.E.A. Aquarium dares you to take a plunge into the **Deep Boo Sea**. Meet some of nature's scariest-looking marine animals and search for lost pearls in a fun treasure photo hunt. Families will come face-to-face with animals such as the **Japanese warbonnet**, recognised by the prominent Indian chieftain's headdress-like cirri on top of its head, and the menacing **wolf eel**, known for its voracious appetite which can rival the mythical "werewolf".



*Come face to face with sea monsters of the Deep Boo Sea and search for missing pearls in S.E.A. Aquarium*

Treasure hunters can keep their eyes peeled and go on a photo ***Hunt for the Lost Pearls*** hidden within five habitats in the aquarium. Intrepid guests can solve riddles and uncover the lost pearls to win a mystery gift. As you dive deeper to hunt for the lost pearls, get “entangled” in the tentacles of Kai the Kraken at a photo wall display and snap a selfie.

More information on S.E.A. Aquarium’s Deep Boo Sea (19 September to 1 November 2020) can be found [here](#).

### **Dress to Impress and Win Prizes, or Go Trick-or-Treating with Free Pumpkin Bucket**

For the first time at both attractions, guests can flaunt their creativity and join in the Halloween tradition by dressing up in their spookiest. The most creatively-dressed will stand to win weekly prizes when they post on Instagram, a photo of themselves in their costume taken at Universal Studios Singapore, S.E.A. Aquarium or Resorts World Sentosa, tag and follow @RWSentosa, and include the hash-tag #HalloweenFunatRWS. One best dressed adult and child will also be spotted and selected each day at Universal Studios Singapore and awarded attractive prizes on the spot.

Getting everyone in the mood for trick-or-treating at both Universal Studios Singapore and S.E.A. Aquarium, all adult and child ticket purchases to both attractions will respectively receive an exclusive and complimentary Halloween face mask and pumpkin bucket. Get ready to fill the bright orange bucket with delectable treats and sweets from Candy Ambassadors at the various meet-and-greets points along the ***Trail of Treats*** in Universal Studios Singapore and designated photo points in S.E.A. Aquarium.

***Editor’s Note:*** *Universal Studios Singapore has made the difficult decision not to hold Halloween Horror Nights this year in order to focus on operations and events during our regular hours.*

### **Staying Safe While Having Fun at Resorts World Sentosa**

Ensuring everyone has a safe and enjoyable time at Universal Studios Singapore and S.E.A. Aquarium, both attractions have implemented a suite of stringent safe management measures anchored on our three principles of Safe Entry, Safe Experience and Safe Environment.

At Universal Studios Singapore, guests are required to adhere to safe distancing floor markers and maintain a distance of 2.5 metres apart when standing in line for character meet-and-greet. When taking selfies, guests will keep 1 metre or more away from the characters. At S.E.A. Aquarium, prominent queue markers are placed in front of all habitats to ensure safe distancing. All viewing panels, photo walls and railings are wiped down and disinfected hourly. At both parks, Candy Ambassadors will wear gloves and masks, and hand out individually-packed candies to guests using claw grabbers, while maintaining a safe distance from guests.

Roving Safe Distancing Ambassadors are deployed at both attractions to enforce the safe management measures. Antimicrobial coating, effective in eliminating viruses and bacteria, is extensively applied at all high-touch points in both attractions such as turnstiles, queue lines, seats and harnesses of all ride vehicles. This is supplemented with hourly wipe-downs using industrial grade disinfectant to provide guests with assurance and peace of mind.

## NOTE TO EDITORS

1. Photos can be downloaded from <https://app.box.com/s/gokpzyqq8mxwbftfmpcql61511r6x60n>
2. All photos are to be attributed to **Resorts World Sentosa**

## ABOUT UNIVERSAL PARKS & RESORTS

Universal Parks & Resorts, a unit of Comcast NBCUniversal, offers guests around the globe today's most relevant and popular entertainment experiences. With three-time Academy Award® winner Steven Spielberg as creative consultant, its theme parks are known for immersive experiences that feature some of the world's most thrilling and technologically advanced film- and television-based attractions. Comcast NBCUniversal wholly owns Universal Studios Hollywood, which includes Universal CityWalk Hollywood. It also owns Universal Orlando Resort, a destination resort with three theme parks (Universal Studios Florida, Universal's Islands of Adventure and the new water theme park, Universal's Volcano Bay), five resort hotels, and Universal CityWalk Orlando. In addition, Comcast NBCUniversal owns Universal Studios Japan, in Osaka and has a license agreement with Universal Studios Singapore at Resorts World Sentosa, Singapore. The company is also developing a theme park destination in Beijing called Universal Beijing Resort.

## ABOUT S.E.A. AQUARIUM

Opened in November 2012, South East Asia Aquarium (S.E.A. Aquarium) at Resorts World Sentosa is one of the world's largest aquariums home to more than 100,000 marine animals representing 1,000 species. Featuring more than 45 diverse habitats, S.E.A. Aquarium exhibits close to 80 threatened species including the manta ray, Napoleon wrasse and a variety of beautiful corals that mirror a pristine aquatic environment. Through interactive programmes, up-close animal encounters and immersive learning journeys, S.E.A. Aquarium aims to inspire visitors to protect the world's oceans.

S.E.A. Aquarium collaborates with local and regional partners in marine conservation projects and is accredited by the Association of Zoos & Aquariums (AZA) and is a member of World Association of Zoos and Aquariums (WAZA).

## ABOUT RESORTS WORLD SENTOSA

Resorts World Sentosa (RWS), Asia's premium lifestyle destination resort, is located on Singapore's resort island of Sentosa. Spanning 49 hectares, RWS is home to world-class attractions including Universal Studios Singapore, S.E.A. Aquarium, Dolphin Island and Adventure Cove Waterpark. Complementing the adventure and adrenaline of its theme parks and attractions are six unique luxury hotels, the world-class Resorts World Convention Centre and a casino. RWS offers award-winning dining experiences and exciting cuisines from around the world across its many renowned celebrity chef restaurants, establishing itself as a key player in Singapore's vibrant and diverse dining scene and a leading gourmet destination in Asia for epicureans. The integrated resort also offers world-class entertainment, from original resident productions to concerts. RWS has been named "Best Integrated Resort" since 2011 for nine consecutive years at the TTG Travel Awards which recognises the best of Asia-Pacific's travel industry.

RWS is wholly owned by Genting Singapore, a company of the Genting Group. For more information, please visit [www.rwsentosa.com](http://www.rwsentosa.com).

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**Annex A**

<p><b>Universal Studios Singapore</b> <b><i>Halloween Fun for Everyone</i></b></p>	<p><b>S.E.A. Aquarium</b> <b><i>Deep Boo Sea</i></b></p>
<p><u>Halloween Celebrations:</u> 17 September to 1 November 2020</p>	<p><u>Halloween Celebrations:</u> 19 September to 1 November 2020</p>
<p><u>Ticket price:</u> Adult – S\$66 Child – S\$58</p> <p>Includes limited edition Halloween-themed face mask and pumpkin bucket respectively for each Adult and Child ticket purchased via the Resorts World Sentosa website. Available while stocks last. Not applicable for Annual Passholders or tickets purchased from other channels.</p>	<p><u>Ticket price:</u> Adult – S\$32* / S\$35 Child – S\$27 <i>*Applicable only for Monday and Tuesday (all day); and weekends and public holidays (early entry from 9:00am to 11:00am)</i></p> <p>Includes limited edition Halloween-themed face mask and pumpkin bucket respectively for each Adult and Child ticket purchased via the Resorts World Sentosa website. Available while stocks last. Not applicable for Annual Passholders or tickets purchased from other channels.</p>
<p><u>Opening Days:</u> Thursdays to Sundays</p> <p><u>Opening Hours:</u> 2:00pm to 9:00pm <i>All Singapore Resident One-Day Ticket includes early entry to the park from 12:00 pm to 2:00 pm. Use this time to enjoy exclusive meet-and-greet sessions, an early lunch, and be the first in queue when rides start at 2pm.</i></p>	<p><u>Opening Days:</u> Saturdays to Tuesdays</p> <p><u>Opening Hours:</u> Monday and Tuesday: 10:00am to 5:00pm Saturday, Sunday and Public Holiday: 9:00am to 5:00pm** <i>**From 19 September 2020</i></p>