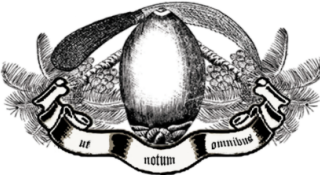

Free Penang Sheet



**Festivals, Theatre, Exhibitions,
Music and Other Events**

**FRIDAY
26 JUNE
9PM - 12AM**

**GOOD
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RM50 MIN SPEND
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MUSIC TO FIX YOUR
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**SATURDAY
27 JUNE
9PM - 12AM**

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HERE!**

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CHINA
HOUSE



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Opening - The Fantastic and the Mundane

Friday 26 June 6pm-8pm

A solo exhibition by German artist Ma Knut following her residency in Langkawi. Free of charge.

ChinaHouse, 153 Beach Street

Theatre - Under One Roof

Friday & Saturday 26-27 June 8pm,

Sunday 28 June, 3pm

An emotionally charged drama about family, loyalty, pride and generational conflict in a modern Malaysian Indian household. In English with some Tamil dialogue. Tickets from RM 45 and more information [here](#).

Auditorium A, Komtar





Comedy - Kavin Jay Live

Friday 26 June 9.45pm & Saturday 27 June 8.45pm

One of the country's most celebrated comedy voices takes the stage, with a full 60-minute live standup set of sharp observational humour and crowd interaction. Tickets start at RM 78, book [here](http://www.umi-umi.com).

Umi Umi, Jalan Penang

Music - Northern Blues Breaker
Saturday 27 June 4pm-late

The Northern Blues Breaker Showcase offers the finest blues vibes in the region.

Featuring: SourGroovy (Penang), CBS (Changlun), Bluesmind (Johor), Syakir & The Rombongan (Selangor), Gasmoney (Selangor) and The Marhain (Perlis). RM 35. Enquiries 0125510410.

Soundmaker Penang,
360 Jalan Penang



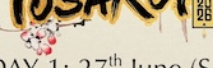
FREE consultation & campus tour at POWIIS, Malaysia's leading international secondary school! Explore our dedicated education pathway for students aged 11–19, from Year 7 through IGCSE to A Levels, and discover how we prepare students for top universities worldwide. We are now opening FREE consultation & campus tour sessions for interested families to experience our school in person. Sign up today to explore: Academic consultation, Boarding life & student support system, University & career guidance, Campus tour Reserve [here](#) — limited availability.

Festival - Penang Yosakoi Parade
Saturday 27 June, Sunday 28 June,
5pm

A Japan-inspired event and the only parade + dance competition in Malaysia. Includes Japanese volcaloid concert, J-pop concert, food fair and fireworks.

Free to attend. More info [here](#).

Esplanade



PENANG
Yosakoi
2026



27.28 JUNE
2025 (SATURDAY & SUNDAY)



ESPLANADE
PENANG

DAY 1: 27th June (Sat)

5:00 PM

8:00 PM

9:00 PM

10:30 PM

11:00 PM

MIZUKAKE MIKOSHI & CHARITY FOOD FAIR
A yummy and watery start to this year's exciting programme!

PARADE & STAGE DANCE START@ ESPLANADE
HATSUNE MIKU MMD CONCERT@ TOWN HALL

OFFICIAL LAUNCH
Festival Inauguration 2026 and Blue Santa at Main stage

GLANZ INTERNATIONAL
Debut Performance Japanese x Malaysia Yosakoi Team

FIREWORKS DISPLAY PART 1
Just a Teaser for the main

RESUME DANCE PARADE & MAIN STAGE
Engage guests with a fun activity

YOSAKOI AWARD CEREMONY
National winners of yosakoi to be crowned

FINALE PERFORMANCE
Yozakura with all the participants and guest!

FIREWORK DISPLAY MAIN STAGE
Look up to the sky in awe for the finale!



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2025 年，我有幸作為「沖繩國際音樂學」來到琉球大學。我帶著一箱不同於其他出發，原本只是想學沖繩三線，卻在這種流轉的日常裡，聽見了與過往極為不同的聲音。

我漸漸發現沖繩是座「歌之島」。當我在紀念碑前想起「てぃきとみ」，那一堆瓦礫與音樂是某種回憶。我想在日喀則和申，去買那部叫「島的風聲即自然法則」。雖然大家各自懷中藏著政治與歷史，但戰爭的餘燼其實無處不在。或許真有一種「無邊」的方式，去梳理從地緣到神話、從戰時到觀光地之間，那些逐漸失語的主體性。

命波風の匂い
も宝ら。

[檳城站]
Hearing Okinawa:
Okinawan Music Past and Present

聽見沖繩：
沖繩音樂的過去與現在

鮑沛蘭 PAO Pei-Lan

2026年
6月27日 8:30-10:30pm
COEX @Kilang Besi, Penang

視聽無料
免費入場 (歡迎「文化付費」支持獨立策展)
Free Admission (Donations welcome)

音樂演奏
Concert 9:30-10:30pm (feat. 聖捷 Sanjay)

音樂學夫婦的筆記 Notes from a Musicology Couple
Part of the "Tracing Silence" Research Exhibition | 20.06 - 20.07.2026 | NGO

有關沖繩

Music - Hearing Okinawa: Okinawan Music Past and Present
Saturday 27 June 8.30pm

A sharing session with traditional music from across the Ryukyu archipelago showcasing the unique scales and textures of Ryukyuan music. In Chinese but presentation slides will be translated to English. Free of charge, register [here](#).

Coex, 123 Jalan Timah.

Comedy - Saturday Night Laughs
Saturday 27 June 8.30pm

Stand-up comedy with Ming Yue, Marissa Wong and Vishnu.
Tickets RM 60 available [here](#).

Black Kettle, 105, Beach Street

just jokes!

Saturday Night Laughs!

Saturday 27 June 2026
8.30pm Showtime

Live at Georgetown Penang

VISHNU

MING YUE

MARISSA WONG

RM 60

save your seats now at
www.justjokesmy.com



Film - German Movie Night - Barbara
Tuesday 30 June, 7pm

A taut, slow-burning psychological thriller set in 1980 East Germany. It follows a skilled doctor exiled to a provincial hospital after requesting an exit visa. Masterfully explores totalitarian paranoia and ethical compromises. To RSVP phone [04-2296853](tel:04-2296853). More info [here](#).

Malaysian German Society, Air Itam



Music - Synthe6

Earlybird until Tuesday 30 June

Concert Saturday July 25 8pm

An evening of elegant French classical music featuring flute, oboe, clarinet, bassoon, french horn and piano. Performed by SYNTHE6, the programme showcases some of the most celebrated works written for winds and piano. Tickets RM 70 (earlybird RM 60) available [here](#).

Church of the Assumption



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BONIS, SUITE ORIENTALE
POULENC, SEXTET FOR PIANO AND WINDS

25 JULY 2026
SATURDAY
8:00 P.M. (DOOR OPENS: 7:30 P.M.)
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LEBUH FARQUHAR, PENANG

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AFPG MEMBERS RM 55
EARLY BIRD TO 30 JUNE RM 60

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New York Jazz Piano Lounge
Jacob Khalil
SUNDAY 26TH JULY, 5PM
RM100 PER PERSON
RM80 UNTIL 30 JUNE

Following a successful concert at The Blue Mansion, we are thrilled to welcome New York City's Jacob Khalil back to Penang for an intimate evening of timeless jazz classics and reimagined modern tunes.

For one evening only, Jacob's honeyed vocals, accompanied by the ivory keys, will drift across our storied courtyards.

SCAN FOR TICKET PURCHASE

Music - New York Piano Lounge with Jacob Khalil

Earlybird until Tuesday 30 June

Concert Sunday July 26 5pm

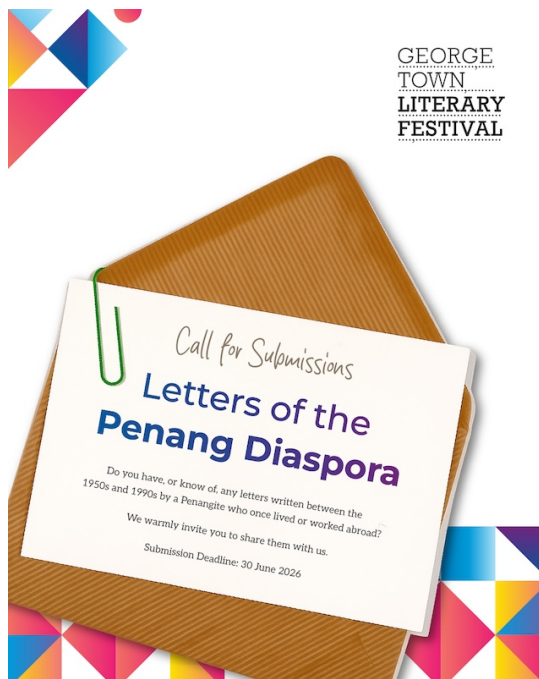
Following a thoroughly successful concert at the Blue Mansion last October, Jacob Khalil is back in Penang. An intimate evening with New York's own singer, pianist and songwriter, with timeless jazz classics and reimagined modern tunes, with Jacob on the keys and his honeyed vocals to accompany. Tickets RM 100 (RM 80 earlybird) [here](#).

Courtyard, Cheong Fatt Tze

Letters of the Penang Diaspora - George Town Literary Festival 2026

Submissions Deadline 30 June

Do you have, or know of, letters written by a Penangite who once lived or worked abroad? We are looking for handwritten or typewritten letters and greeting cards from the 1950s to 1990s - any language, any country. Selected letters will be read aloud at the Opening Ceremony of the GTLF 2026. To submit, [email](#) and see full details [here](#).



A poster for 'When Tango Calls, ANSWER.' featuring a couple dancing tango on a wooden pier over water. The text includes: 'Weekly Argentine Tango Classes for BEGINNERS in PENANG', 'REGISTER BY 28/6/26', 'WHATSAPP PY +6012 5521813', 'Embark on a Journey Organised by Penang Argentine Tango', and a list of details: 'Wednesdays 8:30pm-10:00 pm starting July 2026', 'RM160/ month (4 classes) per pax', 'Includes free practicas on Monday nights', 'Venue: Centrestage, Island Plaza', and 'Terms and conditions apply'. There is a small PAT logo at the bottom right.

Dance - When Tango Calls
Wednesday July 1, 8.30pm-10pm

Beginner tango lessons in July, RM 160 for 4 lessons, also includes Monday practica dance sessions. Contact 012-552 1813 to register.

Centrestage, Island Plaza

Talks - WiT Indie
Friday July 3, 8am-6pm

A conference to discuss the future of travel, with speakers from Asia's travel ecosystem, including online travel operators, hotels, tourism boards, creators and indie operators. RM 280, full details and registration [here](#).

Bangunan UAB, Gat Lebuh China

A poster for 'WiT Indie' by Northstar. It features a purple and orange background with a city skyline and a large stylized 'W'. The text includes: 'WiT Indie BY NORTHSTAR', 'The Event For Independent Travel', 'Bangunan UAB, Penang, Malaysia', 'Day 1: 2nd July : Curated Penang Experience', and 'Day 2: 3rd July : Conference + Learning Studio'.



Talks - Where Discipline Collides
Friday July 3, 9am-5pm

A cross-disciplinary creative symposium for students and aspiring creatives, bringing together leading industry practitioners from the fields of digital animation, graphic design, multimedia design, interior design, and illustration for discussions, knowledge sharing, and industry insights. RM 68 (RM 25 for students), register [here](#).

The One Academy, Straits Quay

Festival - Kongsu Cerita: Street Festival
Saturday July 4, 5pm-10pm

Explore over 40 workshops, performances, story telling, food and cultural activities.

Various locations within the George Town UNESCO World Heritage Site





Music - Live Hour

Saturday July 4, 5pm-7.30pm

Student musicians, rock bands, and dance groups from Penang's international schools showcase their talents. Free of charge, register [here](#).

Stag Kitchen & Sports Bar, MBf Tower, Jalan Sultan Ahmad Shah

Comedy - Single Fatherhood

Saturday July 4, 8.30pm

Rizal Van Geyzel is now a single father looking after three kids on his own. This comedian, once jailed for telling jokes about being Muslim in Malaysia, faces his toughest gig yet: Single Fatherhood. RM 98 tickets [here](#).

ibox Theatre, 8-2-8, Sunny Point Complex, Jalan Batu Uban, Gelugor



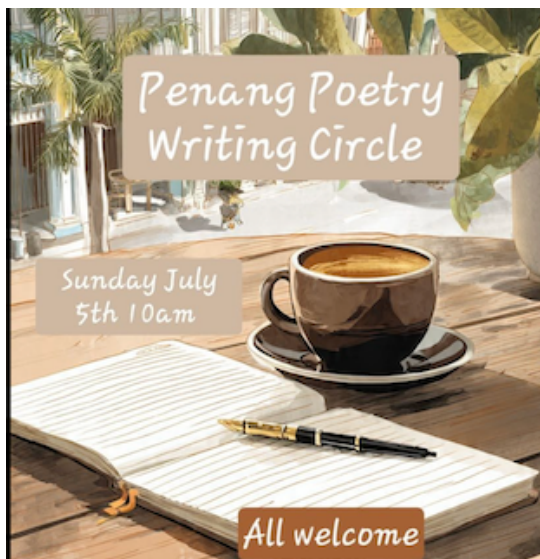
Walk - George Town Heritage Walk

Sunday July 5 7am

A walk through George Town to celebrate the 18th anniversary of its inscription as a UNESCO World Heritage Site. RM 38, register [here](#).

Town Hall, George Town

Various locations within the George
Town UNESCO World Heritage Site



Caro Caro Cafe,
22 Kampung Malabar

Various locations on Penang Hill.





Tour - Viaduct Trail
Friday July 17 8.30am-11.30am

A guided tour of Penang Hill's Viaduct Trail. RM 10 or RM 5 for children.
Register [here](#).

Start at Penang Hill Angsana Stage
(Near Dataran Bukit Bendera)

Tour - Moniot Trail
Saturday July 18 8.30am-11.30am

A guided tour of Penang Hill's Moniot Trail. RM 10 or RM 5 for children.
Register [here](#).

Start at Penang Hill Angsana Stage
(Near Dataran Bukit Bendera)



Festival - Bon Odori
Saturday July 18 5pm-11pm

Bon Odori dances, traditional performances, lively music, Japanese food and more. Free of charge.

The Esplanade



Tour - Night Exploration
Saturday July 18 7.30pm-10pm

A guided tour of the sights and sounds of the forest at night. RM 40 or RM 20 for children. Register [here](#).

Start at Penang Hill Angsana Stage
(Near Dataran Bukit Bendera)



Talk - Investigative Reporting in
Malaysia

Sunday July 19 10am-12pm

Veteran journalist and investigative reporter R. Nadeswaran discusses the challenges of uncovering the truth, holding power to account, and pursuing public-interest journalism in Malaysia. Free to attend, register [here](#).

Aliran, 103 Medan Penaga, Kampung
Batu Lanchang, Jelutong

Music - Music on the Hill, East Meets West

Sunday July 19 3.30pm-6.30pm

Groups of musicians perform music from both local and Western traditions, including Boria, traditional Indian, R&B and hard rock. Free of charge.

Bellevue Hotel, Penang Hill



Music - Concerto

Sunday July 19 5pm

Local orchestra Musica Sinfonietta presents a concert of concertos and other pieces for solo instrument and orchestra. Tickets RM 40 (RM 100 VIP) available by [email](mailto:musicasinfonietta@gmail.com).

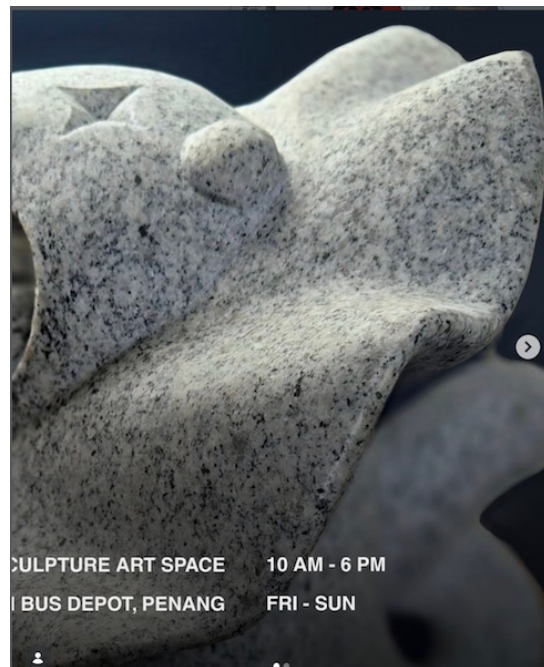
Penang Harmony Centre

EXHIBITIONS

Don't Hold Your Breath
Until 28 June

Solo Sculpture Exhibition by Ferdi B Dick. Through a playful yet thoughtful collection of sculptures, Ferdi B Dick presents a cast of animated characters caught somewhere between myth and mischief.

O Sculpture Studio, Jalan Gurdwara
10am-6pm Friday to Sunday



CULPTURE ART SPACE 10 AM - 6 PM
BUS DEPOT, PENANG FRI - SUN



The Silent Pulse
Until 30 June

“The Silent Pulse – Free the Rhythm Beneath the Silence”, a group art exhibition where diverse artistic voices come together to reveal the quiet rhythms beneath stillness.

Through different styles, mediums, and perspectives, each artist uncovers a unique pulse of creativity.

Ascott Gurney Hotel

Equatorial Art - Nanyang Breeze
Until 7 July

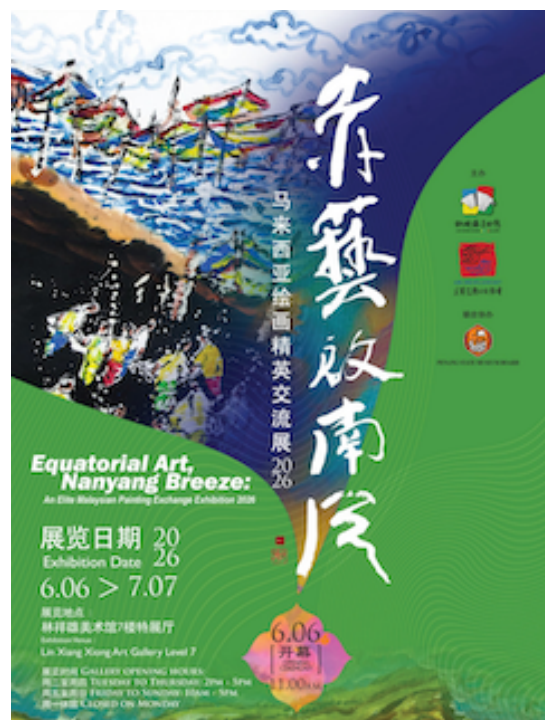
A showcase of 80 artworks by artists
from across Malaysia.

Tuesday–Thursday: 2:pm–5pm.

Friday–Sunday: 10am–5pm

Closed on Mondays

Lin Xiang Xiong Gallery,
9 Persiaran Pantai Sinaran, Gelugor



I'm a Mum?
Until 17 July

A solo exhibition by Red Hong Yi,
examining motherhood through the
lens of her recent lived experience.
She rejects the sanitised image of
motherhood, exposing its physical,
emotional, and invisible labour.

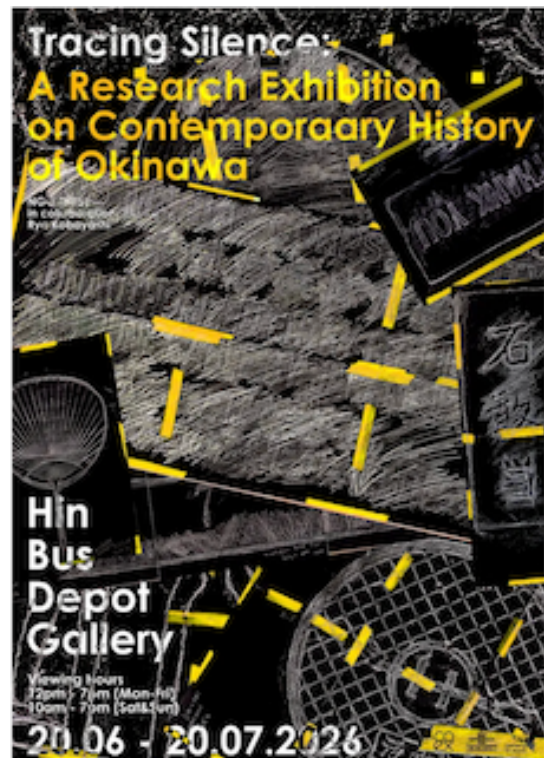
Friday to Sunday 12pm-7pm.

Cultprint, 35 Lebuh Melayu

Tracing Silence: A Research
Exhibition on Contemporary History of
Okinawa
Until 20 July

12pm-7pm Monday-Friday
10am-7pm Saturday & Sunday

Hin Bus Depot, 31a Jalan Gurdwara



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**Tous ensemble avec les
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Photo exhibition of the French national team in the
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June 20th - July 20th
Tuesday-Friday: 11am-6pm
Saturday: 9:30am-4pm
46, Jalan Phuah Hin Leong, George Town
Free Entry

Tous Ensemble Avec Les Bleus
Until 20 July

Discover the story of the French
football team through a collection of
iconic archival photographs.

Alliance Française, Jalan Phua

Post Digital Colours Anthology
Until 26 July

Core Design Gallery in collaboration
with ChinaHouse presents a new
exhibition.

ChinaHouse, 153 Beach Street

11am-7pm daily



The Fantastic and the Mundane
26 June until 26 July

A solo exhibition by German artist Ma
Knut following her residency in
Langkawi. Free of charge.

ChinaHouse, 153 Beach Street

11am-7pm daily

Involuntary Writing
Until 2 August

This project by Tao G. Vrhovec Sambolec highlights unintentional ink stains that occur while writing by hand. The artist turns attention to these unintended marks, treating them as visual forms in their own right.

12pm-7pm Thursday to Monday
Blank Canvas, 85 Lorong Soo Hong

Involuntary Writing

06.06 – 02.08.2026

Solo Exhibition by
Tao G. Vrhovec Sambolec



Thursday–Monday, 12pm–7pm
85, Lorong Soo Hong, 10200 George Town, Penang, Malaysia
Website: blankcanvas.my | WhatsApp: +6016-246 6874

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Julia Volchkova Solo Exhibition
Until 13 August

A solo exhibition by internationally acclaimed artist Julia Volchkova. From the poetic realities of Asian life to the futuristic protagonists of Cyber Girls, the exhibition brings together two distinct worlds shaped by one artist's vision. 11am-10pm daily.

Avantx Art, Level 3, Sunshine Central,
Jalan Thean Tek, Bandar Baru Air
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Penang Art Open
Until 30 September

Information [here](#).

Penang State Museum, 57 Jalan
Macalisterer

9am-5pm daily, except Friday



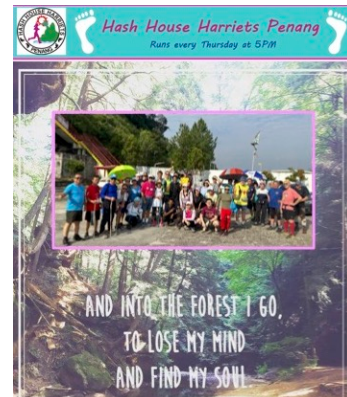
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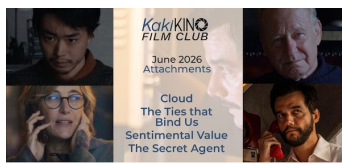
Hin Market takes place every Friday 12pm-7pm, and Saturday and Sunday 11am to 5pm. Arts, crafts, souvenirs and food for sale in a relaxed open-air environment. Hin Bus Depot, Jalan Gurdwara.



Bi-weekly afternoon of board games at the Alliance Française, Jalan Phuah Hin Leong. 1.20pm-4.30pm, free of charge. Age 10+

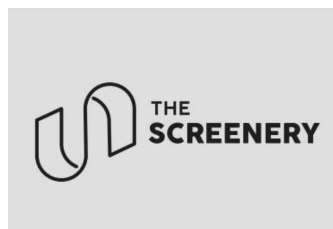


Hash House Harriets, every Thursday 5pm. Run or hike weekly with like-minded thrill-seekers and nature-lovers. Join the whatsapp group [here](#).

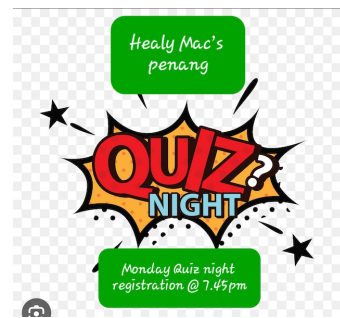


Kaki Kino film club in June is showing award-nominated films with the theme "Attachments".

Hikayat, 226 Beach Street, Tuesday & Wednesday 6.00pm, Thursday at 6.30pm. Screening and refreshments RM 15. [Email](#) to book a seat.

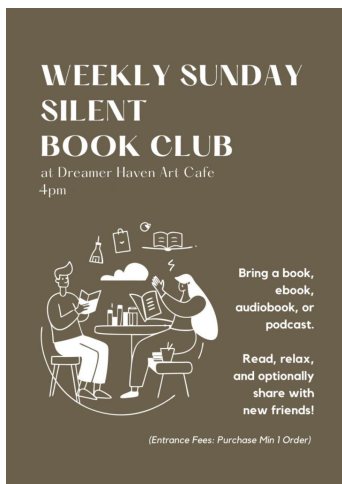


Film club based in Midlands Mall, Lot G-41, Pulau Tikus, 7pm, showing classics, indie and art films for educational purposes. June's themes are "Dancing" & "Todd Haynes". Join the [FB group](#) for more information.



Quiz Night. Every Monday at 8pm. Free to enter. 8 Booze prizes up for grabs. Guest quiz master each week and definitely NOT a British quiz.

Healy Mac's, Straits Quay.



Silent Book Club every Sunday at 4pm. Bring your own reading material then chat with your fellow readers. More info on [Facebook](#). Dreamer Haven Art Cafe, 251, Lebuhr Kimberley.



The Urban Sketchers Penang is a group of sketchers and water colour painters who meet at different outdoor locations around Penang on Sunday mornings to draw and paint on location. More information [here](#).



Daily guided walks on Penang Hill, 9.30am Nature Walk, 11.30am Heritage walk. Free of charge, or RM 10 for audio guide system. Registration at the Upper Station Information Kiosk 30mins prior.



Live music every
Wednesday,
Thursday, Friday and
Saturday from 7pm
under the mango
tree on the grounds
of the iconic Blue
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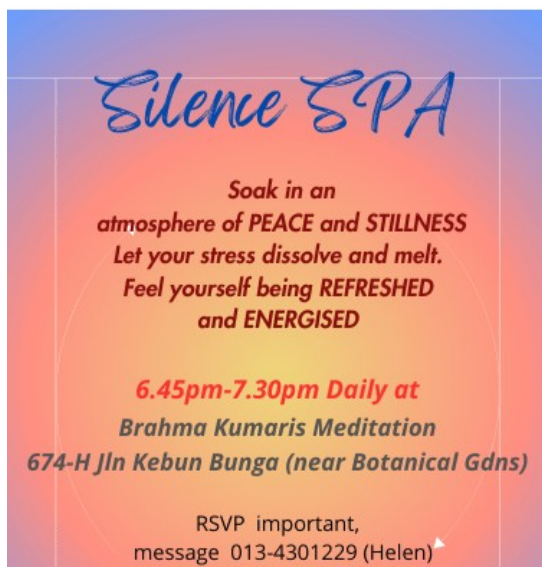
Daily live music at the
Canteen, China House.
9pm until midnight.



Music or vinyl DJs
Wednesday + Friday to
Sunday. 9pm until
midnight. Kool Kongs
Vinyl Cocktail Bar. 61 JI
Argyll.



Live bands and/or DJs
every night at Chulia
Court, Chulia Street.
Times vary, check
schedule for details!



Free meditation 6.45pm daily.
Brahma Kumaris, 674-H Jalan Kebun Bunga. More information on the [website](#). Whatsapp 0134301229 to book.



Guided tours of Cheong Fatt Tze, the Blue Mansion. Explore the historical grandeur of Cheong Fatt Tze's Penang home, learn about life in those times, and about the enormous renovation project that took place in the 1990s. Daily 11am & 3.30pm. RM 25 per adult, RM 12.50 per child. To book click [here](#).



Penang Coffee and Chat
Every Monday from 10am-12pm

Meet up with old friends and make new friends, no need to register.
Daily Coffee Signature,
188 Jalan Burma, Pulau Tikus.
Contact Denise McNamara
WhatsApp +61411735011 or [email](#)



Every Friday Friends Meet Up
10am - 12pm

Please feel free to join for friendly chat, meet new and familiar faces and introduce new friends to this warm welcoming group. WhatsApp Siew 01136043357.

Winter Warmers, Straits Quay



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