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**THE PENINSULA HONG KONG UNWRAPS THE SEASON OF GIVING
WITH CHILDREN'S CHRISTMAS WONDERLAND**

The warm scent of gingerbread, exquisite decorations, and Yuletide goodies are all synonymous with the season, and this year The Peninsula Hong Kong welcomes young ones to share in the ageless tradition of Christmas with their families while experiencing our specially prepared Children's Afternoon Tea.

To cherish the joyous season of giving, children are invited to play host to their parents in an afternoon of Christmas fantasy, food, and fun. Children can dress up in their festive best as they treat the adults to cupcakes, mini scones and sandwiches – all served in a three-tiered platter, just like how the adults have it during a traditional Peninsula signature Afternoon Tea. The merriment will continue with story time, where children are invited to huddle together as they listen to traditional Christmas stories told by our very own Peninsula staff. Every child will also be presented a Peninsula Page Bear as a gift.

In the spirit of the season, Chef Florian Trento, our Executive Chef, and his team have built a gigantic gingerbread dream house outside of The Bar on the 1st Floor with delicious trimmings and heart-warming details, so get the cameras ready to capture a Christmas like no other!

Complete with a moving toy train and dazzling decorations, this beautifully designed house will be showcased from 1 through 31 December 2009. The chefs spent 700 hours building the gingerbread house's main structure, which stands 3 feet tall. Ingredients used to create the gingerbread house include 22 kg of sugar, 223.5 kg of gingerbread mix, 270 eggs and 15 kg of candies.

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Children and parents alike will have a wonderful time at the Children's Afternoon Tea, served daily from 1 to 21 December 2009 between 2:30 and 4:30 pm at The Bar and priced at HK\$ 188* per child or HK\$ 328* for two children (from ages 3 to 12). Afternoon Tea for an accompanying adult is priced at HK\$ 288* for one and HK\$ 428* for two. For reservations, please call (852) 2315 3220.

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