

THE PENINSULA

HONG KONG

5th November 2008

CHAMPAGNE CRUISING THIS WINTER

WITH THE “CRUISE AND DINE” PACKAGE AT THE PENINSULA

Two of Hong Kong’s oldest and best-loved icons, The Peninsula and The Star Ferry, team up again this winter for one of the final activities of the hotels’ year-long 80th anniversary celebrations – the “Cruise and Dine” package – a 45-minute Champagne harbour cruise followed by dinner in The Peninsula’s famous Lobby.

From 16th November 2008 to 12th March 2009* each evening at 5:45 pm, Peninsula guests and diners partaking of the package will travel in a 1960s open-top vintage bus to The Star Ferry’s exquisitely appointed *Shining Star* sightseeing boat for a 45-minute cruise around Victoria Harbour. Champagne will be served on board, followed by a three-course set dinner for two, including one glass of wine or one non-alcoholic drink per person, served in The Peninsula’s Lobby. As a special gift, each diner will also receive a HK\$ 300 gift certificate from The Peninsula Spa by ESPA, which may be used towards any treatments on any visit.

Cruise and Dine is HK\$ 988 for two persons with additional guests at HK\$ 498 per person (all prices subject to 10% service charge).

All guests staying at the hotel may enjoy the Champagne cruise with compliments of The Peninsula.

This “Cruise and Dine” package combines the timeless beauty of world famous Victoria Harbour with two classic icons of Hong Kong – The Peninsula and The Star Ferry. Ideal for a romantic treat during the holiday season, the cruise allows passengers to enjoy Hong Kong’s spectacular Christmas and Chinese New Year lighting displays on the harbour, as well as The Peninsula’s own stunning festive decorations.

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The *Shining Star* has been modified and refurbished by The “Star” Ferry Company Limited to recreate the look and feel of an earlier generation of Star Ferry vessels in service from the 1920s to the 1950s, while The Peninsula, which opened in December 1928, now celebrating its 80th anniversary, is Hong Kong’s oldest hotel.

The Peninsula Lobby provides one of the most elegant meeting places in Hong Kong with marble topped tables, plush chairs and exclusive Tiffany chinaware. The Peninsula Jazz Band performs nightly (except Sundays) from 7:00 pm to 11:45 pm to enhance an already exceptional dining experience.

Book The Peninsula’s “Cruise and Dine” package for a truly memorable dinner date. For enquiries or reservations, please call 2315 3220 or email: diningphk@peninsula.com.

Gift vouchers are available.

- * **Blackout dates:**
24th to 31st December 2008
1st, 16th, 26th and 27th January 2009
14th February 2009

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