

WHAT'S ON

May 2026

Club Hotel Dolphin, Waikkal



Enjoy an exclusive 40 percent off on stays at Club Hotel Dolphin for residents, valid until July 31, 2026 with promo code BROWNS40, bookable via the website or reservations: +94 77 372 0871. Throughout May, Sands hosts themed dining nights from 7pm–10pm, including BBQ (May 3), Italian (May 9), Mongolian (May 16), Carvery (May 23), and Sri Lankan (May 30), each featuring a welcome toast, group discounts, and celebration perks. Special highlights include the Mother's Day Day Outing at Sands on May 10 (10am–5pm), a High Tea Buffet at Aqua on 11 May (3:30–5:30), and a Ceylon Arrack Cocktail Night at Aqua on May 13 (6pm–10pm). A Vesak Day Outing takes place on May 30 at Sands (10am–5pm). Daily experiences include "Dolphin After Hours" happy hour at Aqua (6pm–7pm) and a Cocktail of the Month across all bars. Sunday-themed day outings at Sands (10am–5pm) feature rotating buffet experiences with pool access on weekdays and on weekends featuring Bamboo Biryani (May 5), Lellama Waikkal Seafood (May 12), Wok & Masala (May 19) and Surf & Turf buffet (May 26).

Best Western Elyon, Colombo

Enjoy vibrant evenings at the VU Rooftop Bar, Best Western Elyon Colombo, with exciting weekly offers—from Happy Hour (5pm–7pm, Monday to Thursday) and a relaxed BYOB experience, to Family Roast Nights. Unwind with live music every Friday, DJ nights on Saturdays, and Ladies' Night specials with a free cocktail every Wednesday. Plus, explore exclusive bottle deals and family dining packs, perfect for sharing great moments with loved ones.

Commons Coffee House, Colombo

Celebrate Mother's Day (Sun 10th) with special dishes in a cozy setting. Commons Gallery: featuring a special exhibition by Rebekah Pieris alongside a curated selection of works by emerging young artists. Commons Kotte — Favorite Roti and Hoppers with curry – ideal to drive up and enjoy.

Dickwella Resorts and Spa



Enjoy an exclusive 40 percent off on stays at Dickwella Resort and Spa for residents, valid until July 31, 2026 with promo code BROWNS40, bookable via the website or by WhatsApp +94 742 912 267. Throughout May, the resort hosts a series of curated dining experiences priced at USD 30 per person, set across scenic beachfront and poolside venues. Highlights include a Moonlight Dinner by the pool deck on May 3, a Sri Lankan Dinner with cultural dancing in the beach garden on May 7, a special Mother's Day BBQ seafood dinner on May 10, at the beachfront, a lively Beach BBQ seafood night on May 22, and a traditional Sri Lankan dinner experience on May 28, in the beach garden. Each event offers immersive ambiance, live cooking elements, and refined hospitality in a four-star setting. Guests can participate in a Baby Sea Turtle Release event on May 23.

Cinnamon Grand, Colombo

Celebrate special moments at Cinnamon Grand Colombo with a curated lineup of experiences: enjoy the Pink High Tea for Mum, a Mother's Day High Tea Buffet on May 9 and 10 May from 3pm to 6pm at the Tea Lounge, or indulge in A Special Brunch for Mom on May 10 from 12 noon to 3pm at Plates. For a cultural dining experience, immerse yourself in A Night Inspired by Our Ancestral Heritage on May 8 and 9 from 7pm to 11pm at Nuga Gama (Reservations: +94 11 243 7437 or WhatsApp +94 76 560 4972).

Cinnamon Life, Colombo

Discover a range of dining experiences across elegant venues: enjoy a refined High Tea at Sweet Lab from Thursday to Sunday, 3pm to 6pm; savor handcrafted Dragon Boat Festival Rice Dumplings at Sapphire Dragon from May 17 to June 21, 2026; and indulge in Dim Sum Haven at Sapphire Dragon (Level 24) every Sunday from 12pm to 3pm. For all-day indulgence, visit Quizine for an international buffet available daily (Reservations: +94 77 962 9132).

Introducing Sathkara Stays by Thema Collection



A new approach to hospitality centered on essential comfort, thoughtful design, and a true sense of place. As an extension of Thema Collection, it offers authentic, well-crafted stays that are both welcoming and accessible. At its heart is Sathkara Jungle Beach Weligama, a laid-back coastal retreat where mornings begin with the rhythm of the ocean and simple, well-considered comforts. It offers a calm, scenic setting for an easy and immersive seaside escape.

Hilton Colombo

Celebrate the season with a curated lineup of dining experiences at Graze Kitchen and L.A.B.: indulge in a delightful Mother's Day Bubble Brunch or an elegant High Tea on May 10, then explore Seoulful Flavors of Graze from May 14–23, a special collaboration with guest chefs from Conrad Seoul showcasing vibrant Korean cuisine.

Harpo's Colombo Fort Café, Colombo

Celebrate Mother's Day on May 10 with special dishes. Open daily from 9am to 11pm, with extended hours till midnight from Friday to Sunday. Enjoy Happy Hour cocktails Monday to Friday from 5pm to 7pm. Special deals include 25 percent off when you buy a large pizza with a Lion pitcher, and on weekends, 25 percent off two large pizzas with a sangria pitcher.

Lords Restaurant Complex, Negombo

Experience beachside dining destination at Lords. Enjoy lunch (12 Noon–5pm), dinner (5pm–11pm), and all-day happy hour at The Batsman Outlet (12pm–11pm). Delight in live music entertainment every night from 7pm to 11pm, featuring top local talent in a vibrant tropical setting. Perfect for families, explore the Kids Passport to Sri Lanka and the interactive Little Mud Hut Experience, alongside fish spa, and art-filled spaces (Reservation: +94 772 853 190).

Sofia Colombo City Hotel



Step into a world of romance where flowers, candlelight, and breathtaking views set the stage for your perfect "yes." Sofia Colombo's exclusive packages bring glamour, intimacy, and unforgettable memories to every proposal, engagement, or celebration of love (Reservations: events@sofiacolombo.com, +94 76 410 8901)

NH Collection Colombo

Experience diverse dining with curated offerings across its signature venues. At AYU – All Day Dining, enjoy the International Dinner Buffet (Sunday to Wednesday, 7.00 p.m. – 10.30 p.m.), Sunday Brunch (12.00 noon – 3pm), an extended Sunday Brunch with BYOB + Pool Access (9am – 5pm) and a special Mother's Day Brunch on 10th May (12.00 noon – 3pm). At Thai Rasa, savor an authentic Thai Special Lunch Set Menu available throughout the month during lunch. Head to Vistas Rooftop Bar for Happy Hour (5pm – 7pm), a Mother's Day High Tea Buffet on May 10 (4pm – 6.30pm), and a Five Course Set Menu available daily at dinner. Indulge in rich Indian flavors at Adityaa with a Special Thali Promotion during lunch and Matka Dum Biryani served daily from 6pm – 10pm (Reservation: WhatsApp +94 76 4014 738, fbco.ncol@nhcollection.com)

NH Bentota Ceysands Resort

Escape for a perfect seaside getaway with two immersive experiences. Enjoy the Seaside Dinner Escape daily from 4pm to 10pm, featuring an international dinner buffet, pool and beach access, fun activities, and complimentary beers. Alternatively, unwind with the Coastal Day Retreat from 10am to 5pm, offering the same inclusions for a relaxing daytime experience by the ocean. (Reservations: ceysands@nhhotels.com, +94 34 227 5073).

MaRadha Colombo

Enjoy Jaffna food festival from 14 to 17 from 7pm onwards (Reservation: +94 70 654 3223).

Radisson Hotel Colombo

Experience a vibrant dining escape at Dine restaurant, featuring a flavorful Mongolian Night every Saturday evening and a delightful High Tea in the afternoon—perfect for a relaxed indulgence (Reservations: +94 70 476 4134)

Radisson Blu Resort Galle

Enjoy a perfect coastal escape at Fusion Restaurant, with vibrant Indian Nights every Friday and a relaxing day outing package (Reservations: +94 70 732 5254).

Radisson Hotel Kandy

Unwind at Dine restaurant with a delightful High Tea experience and a refreshing day outing package—perfect for a relaxing getaway in the hills (Reservations: +94 70 421 1545).

Ramada Colombo

Gardenia Coffee Shop is offering a range of exciting dining experiences and specials starting from May. Enjoy daily Dum Biryani selections, a Japanese Tuna Set Bento, and traditional Lamprais lunches, all available for lunch and dinner. Celebrate Mother's Day on May 10 with brunch, high tea, and dinner events featuring special treats and giveaways. Indulge in monthly highlights like the Mint & Chocolate Cake, Strawberry Waffles from a live station, and Hajji Special Dessert Packs available on May 28. (Reservations: +94 777 864 864).

The Bayleaf, Colombo

Enjoy Italian starters, meats, and pasta specials, including May's featured Italian grills and pasta menu—freshly made pasta with authentic sauces, perfectly grilled meats with Italian herbs, and rich, creamy flavors. Mother's Day Special (May 10): Celebrate with Italian specials for lunch and dinner. Happy Hour: 5pm – 7pm and live piano entertainment at the Piano Bar. The Bayleaf Piano Bar & Music Room offers an exclusive piano bar experience with live entertainment (Fri–Sat, 8pm–11pm) and DJ music (Wed–Sat from 10 PM). Enjoy a tapas menu featuring signature cocktails and premium liquor. Daily offers: 5pm–7pm.

Shoulders by Harpo's, Colombo

A vibrant dining spot with lunch, dinner, a cocktail bar, and alfresco promenade seating. Enjoy daily happy hour from 5pm to 7pm, all-day beer deals, and extended weekend hours till midnight. Open daily from 11am (lunch 12pm–3pm). Reservations: +94 762 911 144.

Art

Till May 9

Tree of Life
Padrig Morin amalgamates symbols – Celtic from his native Brittany in France; Buddhist and Hindu from a lifetime living, working and researching in Sri Lanka. In recent years, his art has drawn parallels between ancient cultures across continents and histories. The Tree of Life is a universal symbol, but it occupied a central place in Celtic beliefs and worship. It symbolizes the connection between Heaven and Earth, mind and body, the physical and spiritual, the seen and the unseen.
Barefoot Gallery, The Loft, Monday to Saturday, 10am–6.30pm



Till May 9

Once Upon a Time
Unfolding as the second chapter of Sandatharaka Abeysinghe's underwater universe, 'Once Upon a Time' deepens the lore. The universe we are introduced to is one where the lines between the terrestrial and aquatic worlds coalesce into one another. Abeysinghe builds a magical world where the laws of nature that govern the world as we know it become insignificant.
Saskia Fernando Gallery, Monday to Sunday, 10am–6pm



Till May 13

Dharshana
According to artist Wasantha Namaskara: "Everything in life is transient. What we see in a painting evolves to suit our perception. In this fluid dance across forms and dimensions, we are drawn into a boundless sense of space. Everything is in flux. Change cannot be escaped or stilled; it can only be felt, observed, and understood—and this understanding can be reached only through deep meditation."
Paradise Road Galleries, Daily, 10am to Midnight



Art Gallery at Lords Restaurant Complex, Negombo

Discover vibrant sculptures and modern abstract artworks by Sri Lankan artist TVS Menaka. Open daily from 12 noon to 11pm.



May 2–23

Memories of Yaalpanam

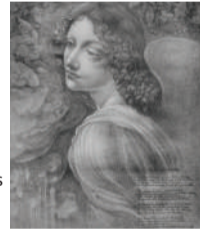
A deeply personal body of work that reflects on Jaffna before and after the war, capturing its transformation through memory and emotion by artist Catharina Danial. Blending collage and mixed media, the artist reconstructs landscapes, cultural symbols, and everyday life—highlighting both loss and resilience.
Barefoot Gallery, Monday to Saturday, 10am–6.30pm



May and June

Rinascimento Verde (Green Renaissance)

A contemplative exhibition of graphite studies by Susil Gunasiri Dixon, curated by Sadev Wittachy. Inspired by Renaissance techniques and a modern search for stillness, the works blend light, shadow, and form to explore the connection between anatomy and spirit.
The Bayleaf Art Gallery, Daily from 11am to 10pm



May 29 and 30

Art & Jazz Festival by Fairway Colombo

The festival features 2 days of live jazz music, paintings and crafts, food and beverages. Enjoy weekly highlights, including a lively Cultural Show every Thursday and Ladies' Night every Wednesday, for a complete entertainment experience.
Fairway Colombo, Hospital Street, Colombo 1, from 10am to 10pm.



Culture

May 9

The Flavor of Korea

Experience a vibrant Korean Food Tasting Event at the The Flavor of Korea event. Enjoy authentic Korean cuisine, fun activities, and special giveaways in a lively cultural setting, presented by the Embassy of the Republic of Korea in Sri Lanka.
Venue: Saturday Good Market, Nuga Tree Car Park (Colombo Racecourse). Time: 11am–3pm. Free entrance.



Dance

May 17

Hadathala

Enjoy a captivating show where stories come to life through rhythm, expression, and movement, presented by the Dancing Society of the University of Moratuwa.
Venue: Bishops College Auditorium, Colombo 3. Time: 4pm–8pm. Tickets: Rs.2,000, Rs.1,500, Rs.1,000



Drama

May 2–3

Poison

A theater production by Mind Adventures Theatre Company, written by Lot Vekemans, translated by Rina Vergano, and directed by Tehani Chitty. Starring Ashan Dias and Tehani Chitty.
Venue: Geoffrey Bawa Space, Colombo 7. Time: 6:30pm. Tickets: Rs.3,500.



May 8

Ru Ranga

A Sinhala stage drama festival set for powerful stories and unforgettable performances organized by Trinity College Drama Association.
Venue: Trinity College Main Hall, Kandy. Time: 6:30pm



May 8, 9 and 10

Love, Lies and Wildlife

In Indu Dharmasena's comedy at the Wildlife Lodge, the real wildlife isn't in the jungle—it's the guests.
Venue: Lionel Wendt, Colombo 7. Time: 7:30pm. Tickets: Rs.5,000, Rs.4,000, Rs.3,500, Rs.2,000, Rs.1,500



May 22

Kolam Ratak

A popular Sinhala stage comedy, featuring a talented ensemble cast.
Venue: Elphinstone Theater, Maradana. Time: 3.30pm, 7pm. Tickets: Rs.2,000, Rs.1,500, Rs.1,000



May 23

Pandora

A Sinhala comedy stage drama featuring a star-studded cast, bringing humor and lively performances to the audience.
Venue: Elphinstone Theater, Maradana. Time: 3.30pm, 6.30pm.



Music

May 3

Tharana Sigiri Opera

Presented by Opera de Ceylon, it is a musical production inspired by the legend of Sigiriya. Featuring music by Sagara Wijesinghe and choreography by Nilan Maligaspe.
Venue: Lionel Wendt Theatre, Colombo 7. Time: 6:30pm. Tickets: Rs.7,500, Rs.5,000, Rs.4,000, Rs.3,000, Rs.2,000



May 19

The De Lanerolle Brothers Live in Concert

An exciting live concert by The De Lanerolle Brothers featuring Ishan and Rohan.
Venue: Nelum Pokuna Indoor Theater. Time: 7:30pm. Tickets: Rs.10,000, Rs.7,500, Rs.5,000, Rs.3,500, Rs.2,500, Rs.1,500, Rs.1,000



Festivals

May 21–30

Festival of Thiruketheeswaram Temple, Mannar

The annual festival of Thiruketheeswaram temple begins with the flag hoisting on May 21, followed by daily pujas, and the chariot procession on May 29, and concludes with the theertham on May 30, marking Vaikasi Visakam—the birth of Lord Murugan.



May 28

Id-UI-Alha

Id-UI-Alha, the Festival of Sacrifice, honors Prophet Ibrahim's devotion and is marked by prayers, charity, and sharing food with others.



May 30

Vesak



Vesak Full Moon Poya falls on May 30, and May 31 has been declared a public holiday in line with the 2026 State Vesak Festival, which takes place from May 27 to June 2. Vesak is one of the most important religious festivals for Buddhists, commemorating the birth, enlightenment, and passing away of Lord Buddha. It is celebrated with beautifully illuminated lanterns, colorful pandals, devotional activities, and acts of generosity such as dansal, where free food and drinks are offered to the public.

Events

Till May Sri Pada Season

Sri Pada season runs from December to May, when thousands of pilgrims climb the sacred mountain to witness the sunrise and pay homage.



Events

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Sports

Till May 31

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Where to Shop, Where to Go & Where to Stay

AMBALANGODA

WHERE TO GO
Ambalangoda is the cultural heart of southern Sri Lanka, famed for its traditional devil masks and serving as a hub for Southern dance forms, including devil dances and Kalam Netum, a satirical theater with elaborate costumes and headgear.

WHERE TO STAY



Hotel J in Ambalangoda
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AHANGAMA

WHERE TO GO
Surfing spots
A popular surf destination on Sri Lanka's south coast, known for its consistent reef breaks and variety of waves suited to intermediate and advanced surfers, with a few spots friendly to confident beginners. Set against palm-lined beaches and iconic stilt fishermen, Ahangama offers powerful waves, uncrowded lineups, and a relaxed surf-town vibe that appeals to surfers seeking both quality breaks and coastal charm.

AMPARA

WHERE TO GO
Ampara has several important historical and religious sites including Buddhangala Forest Monastery, Maha Oya Hot Springs, Magul Maha Viharaya, Nuwaragala, Deegavapi Maha Stupa, Galmaduwa Raja Maha Viharaya, Girihandu Seya, Samangala Forest Hermitage, and Muhudu Maha Vihara, which are known for their ancient Buddhist heritage, meditation sites, natural attractions, and archaeological significance.

Kumana National Park
The park is home to elephants, leopards, wild boar, crocodiles, and many migratory water birds that nest in its wetlands.

Lahugala Kitulana National Park
Lahugala is famous for its large gatherings of elephants and rich birdlife around its reservoirs.

Maduru Oya National Park
Created under the Mahaweli Development Project to protect wildlife habitats.

ANURADHAPURA

WHERE TO GO
The first ancient capital of Sri Lanka, it is one of the country's most significant historical and religious centers, flourishing from around the 4th century BCE.

ARUGAMBAY

WHERE TO GO
Arugambay, on Sri Lanka's east coast, is a popular destination known for its beautiful beaches, relaxed vibe, and world-class surfing. Key attractions include Main Point for surfing, Whiskey Point for beginners and sunrise views, Pottuvil Lagoon for wildlife, and Kumana National Park for birdwatching. Visitors can also explore Muhudu Maha Viharaya and Elephant Rock. Activities include surfing, lagoon safaris, wildlife tours, yoga, beach relaxation, and enjoying fresh seafood.

Surfing spots
Arugambay Main Point
The most popular and iconic surf break in Arugambay. Renowned for its consistent, powerful waves, it attracts surfers from around the world. The waves here are typically large, fast, and strong, making the spot best suited for experienced surfers who are comfortable handling bigger swells and longer rides.

Whisky Point, Pottuvil
A scenic, beginner-friendly surf spot near Pottuvil with gentle whitecaps and forgiving waves, perfect for building confidence, while still offering fun, playful swells for experienced surfers.

Peanut Farm Point
Peanut Farm Point is a serene and less crowded surf spot located just south of Arugambay. Nestled between shrub forests and a nearby lagoon, it offers a peaceful, natural setting that appeals to both surfers and nature enthusiasts.

Pottuvil Point
Rarely breaking surf spot, active mainly in July and August, known for powerful waves that attract experienced surfers.

Panama Point
Panama Point is a quiet coastal spot near Arugambay, known for its scenic beaches, lagoons, and rich wildlife, offering a peaceful escape with opportunities for birdwatching and nature exploration.

Panagala Point
Panagala Point surf break on east coast, is known for its scenic access and quiet waves for adventurous surfers.

WHERE TO STAY



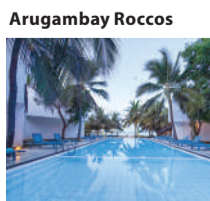
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Arugambay Roccas
A modern cube-style hotel featuring 22 air-conditioned cubes with

balconies or verandahs. The upstairs restaurant, The Square and The Space, offers panoramic views of the Water Cube and the Indian Ocean. Conveniently located close to popular surf points, it is an ideal choice for surfers and travelers seeking accessibility and a comfortable, modern retreat by the sea. Main Street, Arugambay, Pottuvil; +94 718 10 99 99; arugambayroccas.lk



Arugambay PodBay
A novel concept that comprises compact Convertainers (NapPods) in pastel hues, HomePods, and Bay rooms. The seaside hotel has a swimming pool (WaterPod), and a restaurant (PotPod). You can visit the surfing spots, national parks and other historical sites in Main Street, Arugambay, Pottuvil; +94 718 10 99 99; arugambaypodbay.lk

Transport Services
Colombo to Arugambay Semi-luxury buses leaving from Maradana, Colombo to Arugambay; from 7pm onwards daily (prior bookings are essential) +94 767 980 024

AVISSAWELLA

WHERE TO GO
Seethawaka Wet Zone Botanical Gardens
Serves as a research and conservation area for threatened endemic plant species from the Sinhara Rain Forest region. Thummodara -Puwakpitiya Road, Avissawella. Opening hours: 7.30am-5pm.

BANDARAWELA

WHERE TO SHOP
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BENTOTA
WHERE TO GO
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WHERE TO STAY
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WHERE TO GO

Bolgoda Lake Watersports
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BERUWALA

WHERE TO STAY
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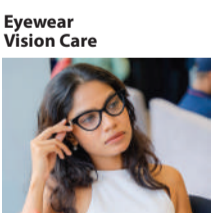
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WHERE TO SHOP
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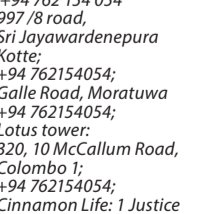


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Bellagio Casino
The Bellagio brand aims to provide exceptional service to high-end clients. 430, R A De Mel Mawatha, Colombo 3; +94 77 088 6688/+94 75 588 6688; marketing@bellagiolcolombo.com

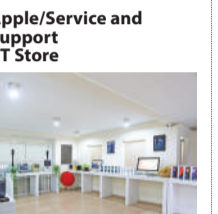


Casino Marina
Casino Marina stands as an internationally recognized name, with a presence spanning 11 casinos in six countries. 30, Marine Drive, Colombo 3; +94 11 421 9988, casinomarina.com, marina888.com

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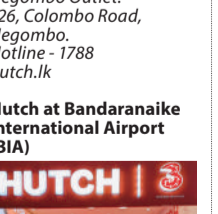
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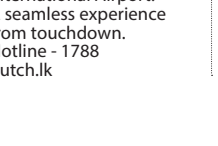
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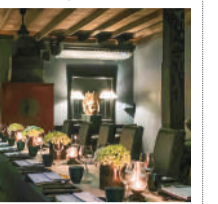
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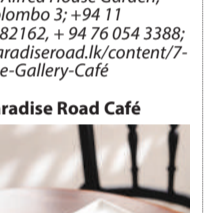
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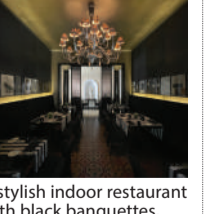
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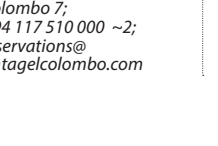
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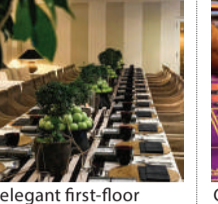
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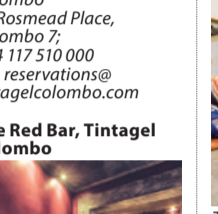
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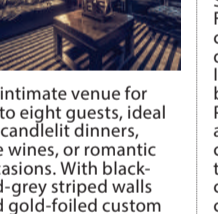
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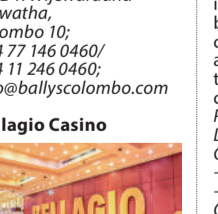
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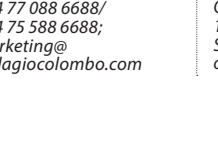
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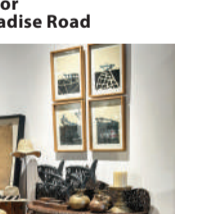
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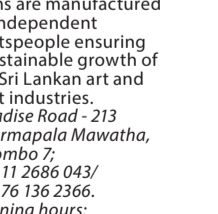
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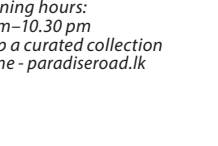
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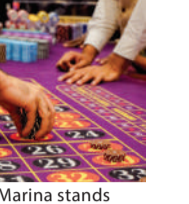
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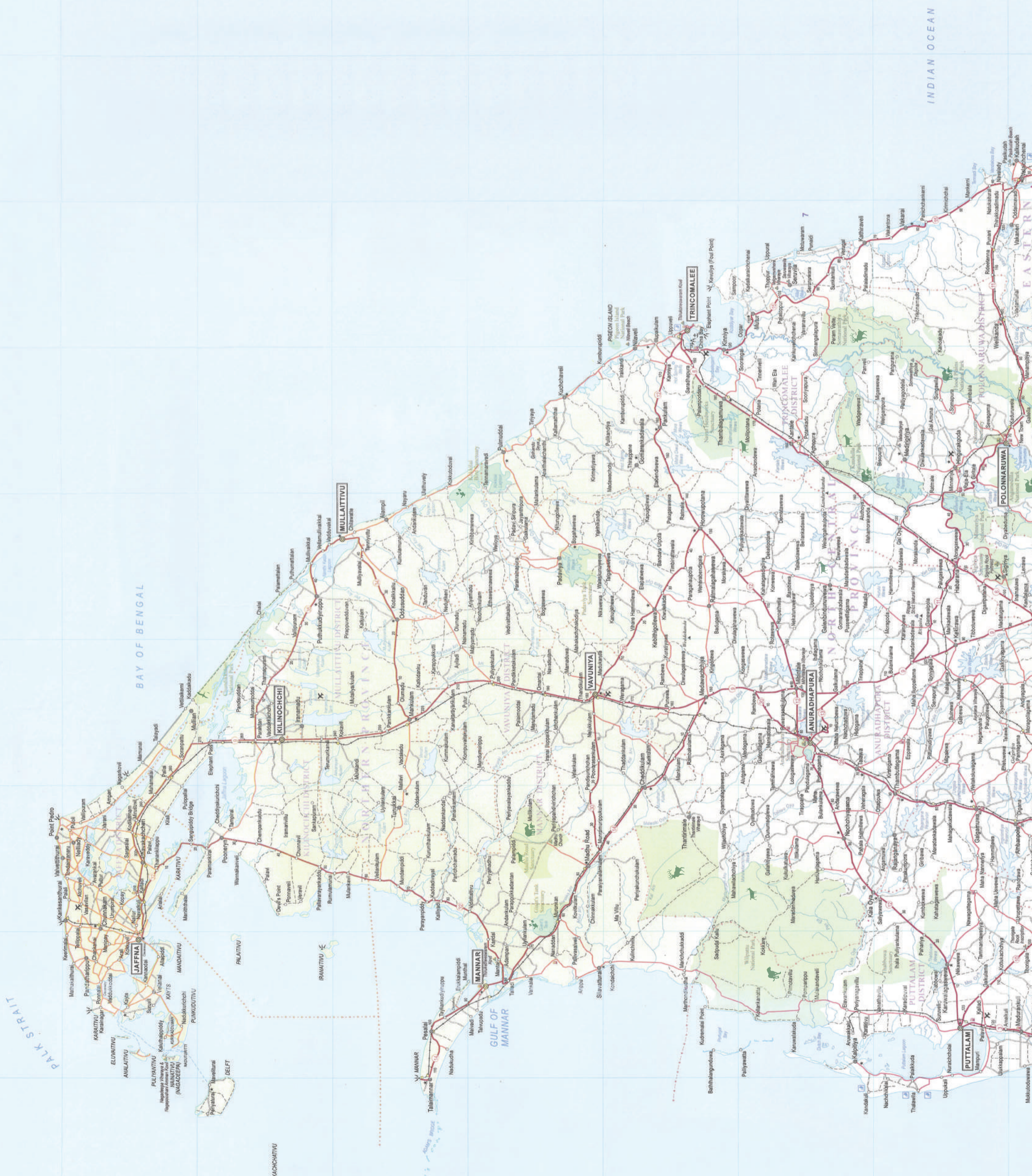


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	Main Road (B)
	Secondary Road
	Other Road
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	Boat Service
	Province Boundary
	District Boundary
	Airport International/ Domestic
	Police Station (Selected)/ Filling Station (24 hours)
	Light House/Harbour
	Hospital (Selected)
	Peak/World Heritage Site
	Popular Tourist Site/ Adventure Tourist Site
	Sanctuary/National Park
	Wildlife Reserve Bird Sanctuary
	Water Features
	Province
	District
	District Capital
	Other Town
	Village Name/Place Name



NATIONAL MUSEUMS

- Archaeological Museum of Anuradhapura
- Galle National Museum
- Gem and Mineral Museum

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- Independence Memorial Museum
- Kandy National Museum
- Maritime Museum
- National Museum of Natural History
- National Railway Museum
- Ceylon Tea Museum
- Colombo National Museum
- Ratnapura National Museum

BOTANICAL GARDENS

- Botanical Gardens, Avissawella
- Botanical Gardens, Gampaha
- Botanical Gardens, Peradeniya
- Botanical Gardens, Haggala
- National Herbarium, Peradeniya
- Royal Botanical Gardens, Peradeniya
- Mirijawila Botanical Gardens, Hambantota

WILDLIFE

- Angammedilla
- Bundala
- Elephant Transit Home
- Galoya
- Pigeon Island
- Udawalawe
- Wasgamuwa
- Wilpattu
- Yala
- Lahugala
- Lunugamvehera
- Maduru Oya
- Minneriya
- Galoya's Land
- Hikkaduwa
- Horagolla
- Horton Plains
- Kaudulla
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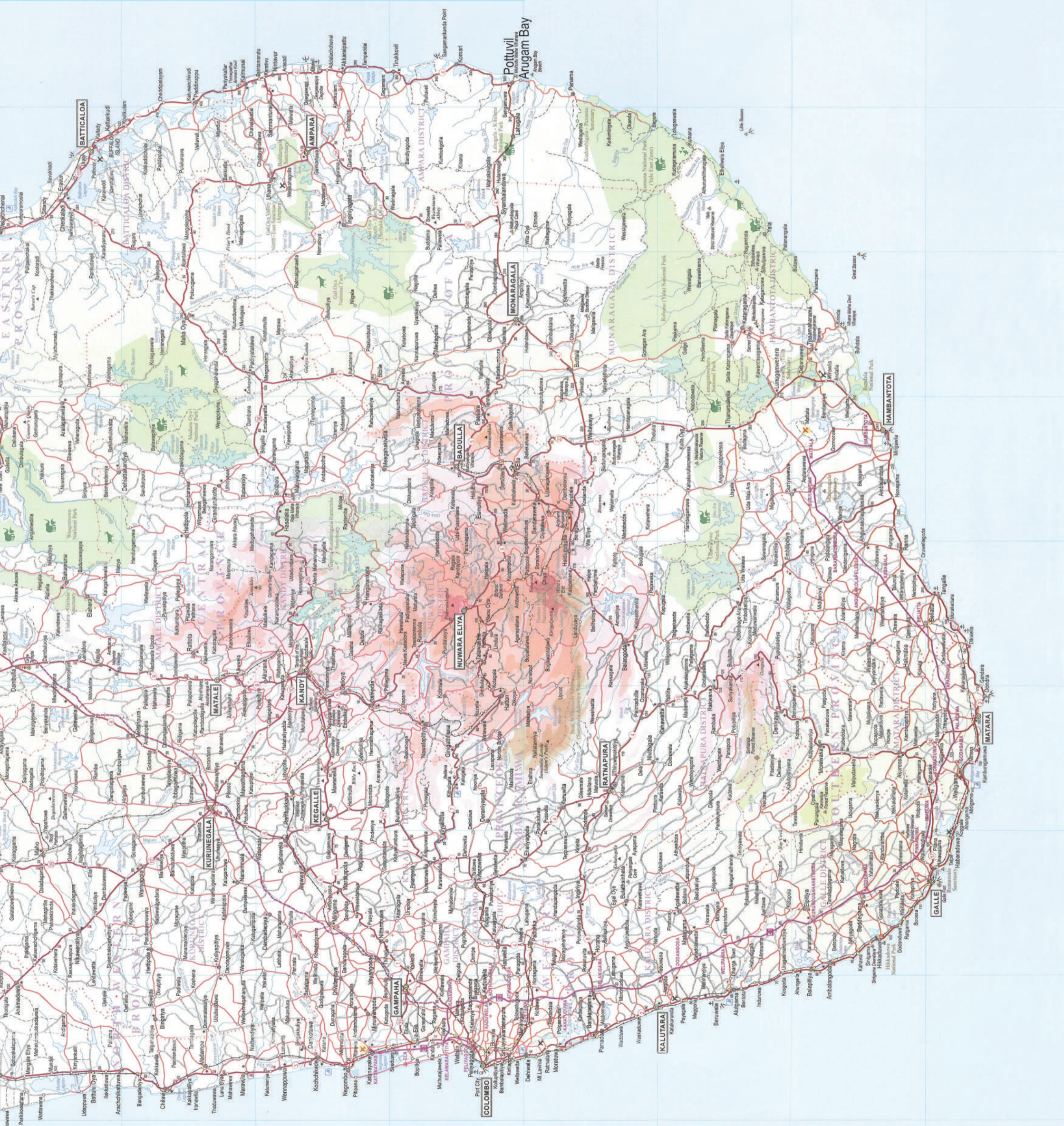
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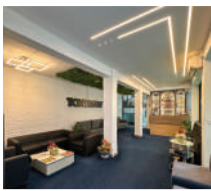
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World Market

Located in Colombo Fort it is filled with great bargains in clothes, shoes, souvenirs and many other items.

Art Galleries

Barefoot Gallery

The gallery is a platform for artists, musicians, poets and filmmakers. Colombo 3; +94 11 258 9305; Opening hours: 10am-6pm Monday to Saturday. barefootceylon.com/collections/barefoot-gallery

Casa Serena Art Gallery

Owned and managed by artist Nisansala, as a nook for art lovers to view the work in a relaxed and peaceful setting. 116 D. S. Senanayake Mawatha, Colombo 8; +94 76 900 7874. Opening hours: 9am to 5pm Monday to Friday and Weekends by appointments. nisansala.com/casa-serena/

Lionel Wendt

The Lionel Wendt Centre for the Arts commemorates Lionel Wendt, whose 1930s-40s influence helped shape modern and contemporary art in Sri Lanka. Colombo 7; +94 112 695 794; lionelwendt.org

Paradise Road Galleries

Paradise Road Galleries features monthly rotating exhibitions by established and emerging artists. 2 Alfred House Road, Colombo 3. +94 112 582 162/ +94 112 556 563; art@paradiseroad.lk paradiseroad.lk/content/21-art.

Sapumal Foundation

Founded to preserve and display a collection of art by the '43 Group. Colombo 7; +94 112 695 731; foundation.sapumal34@gmail.com

Saskia Fernando Gallery

Specializes in contemporary Sri Lankan art. It is a leading representative of artists' critical work across various platforms, including international exhibitions, gallery collaborations, public talks and fundraisers. Colombo 7; +94 11 742 9010; saskiafernandogallery.com

John Keells Collection at Cinnamon Life

A living collection that preserves JKH's history while shaping a distinctive hospitality offering - celebrating creativity and community, and contributing to Sri Lanka's social cohesion and global reputation. 117, Sir Chittampalam A Gardiner Mw, Colombo 2; +94 112 306 000; collection@keells.com; johnkeellscollection.azurewebsites.net

Beaches Galle Face

A widely sought-after destination for individuals of all ages, including children, vendors, teenagers, and pleasure-seekers, is the seaside, where they can engage in their preferred leisure activities under the open sky.

Mount Lavinia

The beach features a broad stretch of golden sand lined with coconut palms. On weekends, it draws families and friends who enjoy the waves and take strolls along the shore.

Historical Sites Colombo Lighthouse

A prominent landmark the lighthouse is an important watchtower in Sri Lanka located at Galbokkka Point, south of the Port of Colombo. Chaithya Road, Colombo 10

Independence Square

A symbol of victory, commemorating the nation's independence in 1948, Independence Square is next to the restored Arcade, featuring shops and restaurants. The Colombo Racecourse, once for horse racing, is now a peaceful place for relaxation. Colombo 7

Museum Colombo National Museum

The Museum holds the key to Sri Lanka's rich history, offering a detailed display of artifacts that highlight the lifestyles, beliefs, and ideologies of its people. Colombo 7; +94 112 695 366. Opening Hours: 9am-7pm Daily.

Independence Memorial Museum

Established with the objective honoring national heroes who were instrumental in gaining independence from the British Rule. Colombo 7; +94 112 691 825. Opening Hours: 9am-4.30pm Tuesday to Sunday.

Meditation Center Manodaya

Meditation Center Siritwardhanaramaya By Ven Diyapattugama Revatha Thero (Expert Psychological Counselor and Meditation Instructor Siritwardhanarama Buddha Dhamma College). Temple Lane, Kollupitiya sirirevathad@gmail.com dhammavedi.com; +94 112 081 418

Religious Sites All Saints Church

A Roman Catholic church in Borella dedicated to all saints. Borella. +94 112 693 051

Bellanwila Raja Maha Viharaya

The temple is situated in the suburbs of Colombo. Bellanwila. +94 112 738 361; Opening Hours: 6am-9pm.

Captain's Garden

Built during the latter part of the 1700s, the Kovils at Captain's Garden, Maradana are believed to be the oldest in Colombo. There are two kovils located here - Sri Bala Selva Vinayaga Moorthy Devasthanam and Sri Kailasanathar Swamy Devasthanam. Colombo 10. Sri Kailasanathar Swamy Temple; +94 112 687 110. Opening hours: 6am-11 am and 4.30pm-8pm.

Colombo Grand Mosque

One of the oldest mosques in Sri Lanka. Colombo 12. +94 112 432 110; Opening Hours: 8am-6pm.

Dewatagaha Mosque

Built in 1820 is the resting place of His Holiness Seyedina As-Sheikh Seyed Usman Siddique Ibn Abdurrahman. Colombo 7. +94 112 683 906. Opening Hours: 6am-10pm.

Gangaramaya Temple

A culturally significant landmark visited for over a century, with the Seemamalakaya becoming especially striking during Navam Maha Perahera and Vesak. Colombo 2; +94 112 435 169. Opening hours: 5.30am-10pm.

Holy Rosary Church

The Golden Shrine of Infant Jesus Church known as the 'Infant Jesus Church', this quaint and beautiful church is located in Slave Island at the convergence of six roads. Colombo 2. +94 112 320 158; Opening Hours: 6am-8.30pm.

Jumma Masjid

Started in 1792 as a small prayer room for Muslims in the area, the Masjid has grown significantly to be a landmark place of worship. St Michael's Road, Colpetty/Polwatte. +94 112 345 900.

Kotte Raja Maha Vihara

It was constructed during the reign of King Parakumbha VI (1415-1467) and was completed in all aspects with the royal patronage. Kotte; +94 112 852 759. Opening Hours: 6am-9pm.

Red Mosque

Jamiul Alfar Masjid, also known as the Red Mosque, is an architectural masterpiece located in the heart of Pettah, Colombo's bustling commercial district. Colombo 11; +94 112 451 975. Opening hours: 10am-12noon, 1pm-3pm, 4.15pm-6pm.

Sri Ponnambala Vanneswarar Temple

A majestic stone-built religious site near the Colombo Sea Port, showcasing impressive Dravidian-style architecture inside and out. Colombo 13; +94 112 431 252. Opening hours: 7am-11.30pm and 3.30pm-7pm

Sri Dharmakirti Temple

This modest Temple was established around 1906 by Ven Induruwe Sri Wimalatissa. St Michael's Road, Colpetty/Polwatte. +94 112 451 224

St Anthony's Church, Kochikade

The church has a remarkable history, having been transformed from a crucifix to a national shrine, with the stunning Colombo Harbor and sea as its backdrop. Kochikade; +94 112 329 303. Opening hours: 5am-8pm

St Lucia's Cathedral, Kotahena

The magnificence of this Cathedral is a solemn declaration of the status of the Catholic Church, reflecting the supremacy that it retained throughout history. Kotahena. +94 112 432 080

St Mary's Church, Tudella

One of the oldest, most majestic, and peaceful churches in the country. Ja-ela. +94 112 223 6257.

St Michael and All Angels Church

Also known as the Gal Palliya in Sinhala, the Church Polwatte is an iconic place of worship. St Michael's Road, Colpetty/Polwatte. +94 112 343 471

Walukarama Temple

Walukaramaya is older than many of today's more famous Colombo temples. It is among the first three Buddhist temples established in Colombo. Colombo 3. +94 112 575 004; Opening Hours: 8am-6pm.

Strolling around Colombo

Recreational Parks, Jogging and Cycling Tracks

Diyawanna Oya A popular spot for visitors near the Parliament building, where cool breezes over Diyawanna Oya refresh joggers and boat rides offer views of wetland wildlife. Sri Jayawardanapura Kotte

Independence Square Walking Tracks

The Walking Tracks around Independence Square, a key cultural monument in Colombo, are perfect for exercise and make a beautiful picnic spot with many shops and restaurants. Colombo 7

Viharamahadevi Park

A serene park opened in honor of Queen Victoria, perfect for families and holiday fun. Close to the Town Hall, it becomes magical at dusk with its illuminated surroundings and lush gardens. Colombo 7

Wetland Park Beddagana Wetland Park

Throughout the park criss-crosses a wooden platform, a few inches raised above the marsh. It's a magical route to experience the wetland. A birdwatching tower is nestled inside that offers a vast panorama. It is a calm spot amid the bustling city. Sri Jayawardanapura, Kotte

Thalangama Tank

A man-made wetland of 50 acres and a so-called basin for storing water, Thalangama Tank originated during the time of King Parakramabahu VI (1551-1547 AD) of the Kotte Kingdom. Hokandara

Transport Services Sri Lanka Railways

Fort Railway Station; +94 112 432 908/ +94 112 434 215/1919; railway.gov.lk; seatreservation.railway.gov.lk Bookings can be done through Mobitel (888), Hutch, Airtel (dial 365) and Dialog (dial 444) & Telecom networks (dial 1265) and Sri Lanka Reservation Mobile App.

Bus

Central Bus Stand, Pettah; +94 112 328 081 Online booking sltb.esat.lk/home Sri Lanka Transport Board; 200, Kirula Road, Colombo 5; Dial 1315/ +94 117 706 000

Flights Bandaranayake International Airport (BIA)

Airport and Aviation Services, Katunayake. +94 112 259 435 airport.lk/main Mattala Rajapaksa International Airport Hambantota +94 472 031 116 airport.lk/mria/index Colombo International Airport, Ratmalana +94 112 623 030 Jaffna International Airport Palaly, +94 112 263 380 airport.lk/jaf/index

WHERE TO STAY Jetwing Colombo Seven



Looking over the upscale neighbourhood of Cinnamon Gardens, Jetwing Colombo Seven is perfectly positioned between the cosmopolitan city center and upcoming luxurious suburbs. 57, Ward Place, Colombo 7; +94 11 255 0200; +94 11 255 0200 resv.colombosseven@jetwinghotels.com; jetwinghotels.com; jetwingcolombosseven/

City Beds Colombo



Located 2.6km from R Premadasa Stadium, which is highly appreciated by sports lovers, City Beds Colombo is a 3-star hotel that includes 11 rooms. Sir Chittampalam A Gardiner Mawatha, Colombo 2; +94 70 798 9822

Jetwing Ratnam Residence



Located in Colombo, the Ratnam Residence hotel offers private parking,

with air-conditioned rooms featuring private bathrooms, bathtubs, showers, and complimentary toiletries. 410/6 Baudhaloka Mawatha, Colombo 7; +94 11 555 5555

Paradise Road Tintagel Colombo



Centrally located in the heart of Colombo 7, the hotel features 10 exclusive suites. The space offers both indoor and al fresco dining experiences - The Dining Room and The Courtyard - along with private dining areas, a distinctive lap pool, and a striking bar. Tintagel Colombo was selected as the chosen hotel to host His Royal Highness Prince of Wales and Her Royal Highness Duchess of Cornwall - now His Majesty King Charles III and Queen Camilla, during their visit to Sri Lanka on the occasion of the Commonwealth Heads of Government Meeting. 65 Rosmead Place, Colombo 7; +94 117 510 000-2/ +94 76 8006699; reservations@tintagelcolombo.com; paradiseroadhotels.com/tintagel

Sofia Colombo



Indulge in unparalleled luxury and comfort at Sofia Colombo, a brand-new landmark in the heart of Colombo. 295A Galle Road, Colombo 3; +94 112 225 225; info@sofiacolombo.com; sofiacolombo.com

DAMBULLA WHERE TO GO

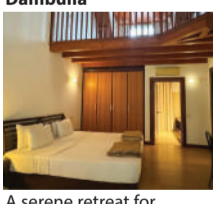
Dambulla is a key cultural hub, home to Sri Lanka's largest cave temple complex, the Sigiriya Rock Fortress, and the fast-built Rangiri Dambulla Stadium. The area also features South Asia's largest rose quartz mountain range and the Ironwood Forest (Na Uyana Aranya).

WHERE TO STAY Jetwing Lake



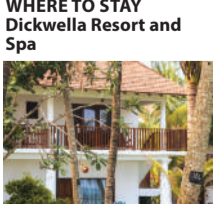
Explore rich history and natural beauty in the fertile plains at the heart of the island's cultural heritage. Wijaya Kumaratunga Mawatha, Yapagama, Dambulla; +94 66 204 0700; +94 11 470 9400; resv.lake@jetwinghotels.com; jetwinghotels.com/jetwinglake/

Occidental Paradise Dambulla



A serene retreat for families, blending nature's calm with adventure—where luxury and bliss meet every moment. Kubukkadanwala, Dambulla; +94 662 286 300; paradise@occidentalhotels.com; occidentalparadisedambulla

DICKWELLA WHERE TO STAY Dickwella Resort and Spa



Dickwella Resort & Spa is a renowned beach hotel in Sri Lanka designed for

tropical living in cosy comforts. Batheegama, Dickwella; +94 74 291 2267; reservations@brownshotels.com; brownshotels.com/dickwella

ELLA WHERE TO GO

Ella is a charming hillside town with stylish restaurants and rustic cafes. Highlights include Little Adam's Peak, Ella Rock, the Nine Arches Bridge, and the Ravana Ella Cave Temple. Its cooler climate and the Ella Gap's sweeping views over the southern plains make it a popular getaway.

WHERE TO STAY Newburgh Ella - The Tea Factory Resort



High in Sri Lanka's misty hills, a century-old tea factory has been reimagined as Newburgh Ella - The Tea Factory Resort, where heritage meets comfort. From the moment its iconic orange chimney appears, your journey through tea, history, and timeless experiences begins. Passara Road, Ella +94 117 930 930 reservations@brownshotels.com; brownshotels.com/newburghella

GALLE WHERE TO GO

Steeped in culture and history, Galle is home to the UNESCO-listed Galle Fort, historic temples, and charming colonial sites. The city also boasts excellent dining and breathtaking sunset views. Just beyond, southern beaches such as Weligama and Hiriketiya invite visitors to surf, spot whales, and enjoy laid-back coastal experiences.

WHERE TO STAY Jetwing Lighthouse



Jetwing Lighthouse is located on its immediate outskirts upon a hillock overlooking the vast Indian Ocean beyond the heritage city. 433 A, Dadella, Galle; +94 91 91 223744; +94 114 709 400; resv.lighthouse@jetwinghotels.com; jetwinghotels.com/jetwinglighthouse/

Jetwing Galle Heritage Home



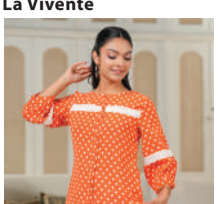
Situated inland from the famous coastal shores, and minutes away from the iconic fort. Morris Road, Galle, +94 91 2239193; resv.heritage@jetwinghotels.com; jetwinggalleheritagehome/

Jetwing Kurulubedda



Jetwing Kurulubedda is located near the southern village of Mahamadara, inland from the coastal capital of Galle within a lush jungle that is also home to a number of exotic bird species. Kurulubedda, Galle; +94 91 223744; +94 70 738 5928; +94 114 709 400; resv.kurulubedda@jetwinghotels.com; jetwinghotels.com/jetwingkurulubedda/

WHERE TO SHOP La Vivente



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GAL OYA WHERE TO GO

Gal Oya National Park It is one of the important national parks in Sri Lanka, located in the Uva and Eastern Provinces near Ampara that offers a diverse wildlife.

WHERE TO STAY Wild Glamping Gal Oya - Thema Collection



Live in a historic village surrounded by vegetation and misty hills. The lavishly designed tented lodges at Wild Glamping Gal Oya are replete with a host of amenities and facilities. Rathgala, Wellassa, Galgamuwa, Iginiyagala, Bible; +94 117 386 386; themacollection.com/wild-glamping-gal-oya/

HAMBANTOTA WHERE TO GO

A coastal city in the Southern Province, known for Hambantota Port, Mattala International Airport, the Bird Park, and nearby parks like Yala and Bundala.

Bundala National Park

A famous wildlife sanctuary located in the Hambantota district.

HIKKADUWA WHERE TO STAY Hikka House



Thema Collection is delighted to welcome Hikka House, our newest boutique beachfront retreat along the golden shores of Hikkaduwa. Framed by swaying palms and the rhythm of the ocean, it's a place where sunsets paint the sky and time slows to the easy pace of the south. Southern Province, Hikkaduwa, Colombo - Galle Main Road, 1030; info@themacollection.com

HIRIKETIYA Surfing spots

Beginners can enjoy the gentle waves closer to shore, while more experienced surfers head out to the reef breaks for a greater challenge. Surrounded by lush greenery and rustic pathways, Hiriketiya offers a laid-back, peaceful atmosphere that perfectly complements its fun and versatile surf conditions.

INDURUWA WHERE TO STAY Jetwing Villa 700



Nestled quietly along the sun-kissed southwestern coast of Sri Lanka, Jetwing Villa 700 is a contemporary five-bedroom beachfront home of tropical ease. 700, Colombo-Galle-Hambantota-Wellawaya Hwy, Induruwa; +94 114 709 400

JAFFNA WHERE TO GO

Jaffna is a treasure trove of cultural richness and vibrant experiences. Discover the stunning kovils, including the iconic Nallur Kandaswamy Kovil, and explore historical landmarks like the remarkable Jaffna Fort and the bustling Jaffna Market. Don't miss the serene Dambakolapatuna or the magnificent Jaffna Library, both steeped in

history. Immerse yourself in heritage sites such as Mantri Manai, and then unwind while marveling at breathtaking sunsets from the Pannai Bridge or at the Casuarina Beach.

Chundikulam Bird Sanctuary

Chundikulam Bird Sanctuary is a coastal wetland reserve in northern Sri Lanka, near the Kilinochchi District, known as a vital habitat for migratory bird species.

WHERE TO STAY The Thinnai



Cocooned within the precincts of homely Jaffna where one feels the Northern peninsula's heartbeat is The Thinnai. From delightful Jaffna cuisine to traditions of Jaffna, experience the authenticity at The Thinnai. 86, Palaly Road, Thirunelveli, Jaffna; +94 21 203 0400; reservations@thethinnai.com; thethinnai.com

Jetwing Jaffna



Rising above our colourful city, Jetwing Jaffna is your gateway to Sri Lanka's undiscovered northern province. 37, Mahatma Gandhi Road, Jaffna, +94 11 2215 571; +94 114 709 400; resv.jaffna@jetwinghotels.com; jetwinghotels.com/jetwingjaffna/

Jetwing Mahesa Bhawan



Offers peaceful seclusion while remaining conveniently close to major transport hubs and experiences across the northern peninsula. 3rd Cross Street, Jaffna, +94 11 4709400; resv.mahesabhawan@jetwinghotels.com; jetwinghotels.com/jetwingmahesabhawan/

WHERE TO SHOP Fashion Nolimit



65, Jaffna-Point Pedro Road, Jaffna; +94 212 051 230

JA-ELA WHERE TO SHOP Clothing Thilakawardana



193/C, Colombo Road, Waligampitiya, Ja-ela; +94 11-222 8226, Fax: 011-2228230

KALPITIYA WHERE TO GO

Located in the Puttalam District, Kalpitiya is a scenic peninsula renowned for its pristine beaches, tranquil lagoons, and vibrant coral reefs. The area is a haven for marine life and is especially popular for dolphin and whale watching. Its steady coastal

Peradeniya, and the iconic Bahirawakanda Buddha statue. The bustling Central Market offers a lively local experience with fresh produce, spices, tea, and handicrafts, while nearby spots like Udawattakele Forest Reserve and the Hanthana Mountain Range appeal to nature lovers.

Sri Dalada Maligawa
Sri Dalada Maligawa is a famous Buddhist temple. It houses the Sacred Tooth Relic of the Buddha and is an important religious and cultural site.
Kandy;
sridaladamaligawa.lk

Royal Botanic Gardens
The Royal Botanic Gardens, Peradeniya is the largest and most famous botanical garden in Sri Lanka, located near Kandy along the Mahaweli River.

Katukelle Jumma Masjid
In the historic hill capital of Kandy, the Mosque stands as a prominent symbol of faith, heritage, and community life, fostering peace, education, and interfaith understanding for all who visit.
396/16 Peradeniya Road, Kandy, Sri Lanka;
+94 812 205 522
katukelejmg@gmail.com

Recreational Sports Victoria golf course, Digana
The Victoria golf club features a meticulously designed and well-maintained 73 Par, 6933-yard championship, 18-hole course.
Digana; +94 71 737 6376.
golfsrilanka.com

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Fax: 081-2208309

A stop for a tea break! Mlesna Tea Fortress



The Mlesna Tea Fortress showcases its tea theme with black and white photos, wooden tea boxes, an antique weighing scale, and brass tea filters from Sri Lanka's colonial tea-growing era.
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+94 76 24 82 416.
mlesnateas.com

Mlesna Tea Center



The charming old building that nestles the Mlesna Tea Center and restaurant.
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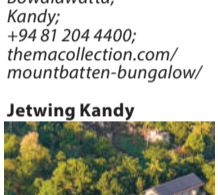
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Peradeniya Road, Kandy;
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121/22, Kandy Road, Kegalle;
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9, Baudhdhaloka Mawatha, Kurunegala;
+94 37 222 1866 456.

WHERE TO STAY Mountbatten Kandy – Thema Collection



Elegantly designed to showcase the brilliance of the Victorian era while harmoniously blending with the lush biodiversity of Kandy's mist-clad hills.
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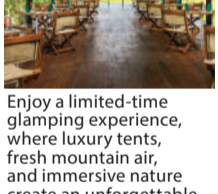
G-3, Udeshi City Shopping Complex, Makola Road, Kiribathgoda;
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LABUGAMA WHERE TO STAY Ayr Castle 1922



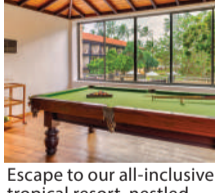
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Enjoy a limited-time glamping experience, where luxury tents, fresh mountain air, and immersive nature create an unforgettable camping escape.
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A retreat by Kandalama Lake, inspired by women and enriched by Sri Lanka's cinematic legacy.
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+94 112 915 021;
fax: 011-2917056;
thilakawardhana.com
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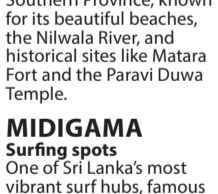
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WHERE TO SHOP Tea Mlesna Tea Centre



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WHERE TO STAY Vis ta Vie Mirissa -Thema Collection



Vis ta Vie Mirissa is a luxurious boutique retreat that offers a relaxing holiday retreat.
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Ubuntu Beach Villa



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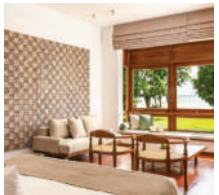
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WHERE TO GO Horton Plains National Park



A highland plateau and national park in the Central Highlands, mainly in the Nuwara Eliya District. It is known for grasslands, cloud forests, World's End cliff, and Baker's Falls.

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Scottish Planter Nuwara Eliya – Thema Collection

This 100-year-old stone bungalow honors the Scottish planters of 1880s Sri Lanka, showcasing awe-inspiring colonial architecture and design that reflect a lasting legacy.
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Jetwing Warwick Gardens



Located 6,000 feet above sea level in the scenic mountain town of Ambewela, fondly referred to as "Little New Zealand" for its grazing pastures upon the highest grassland of Sri Lanka.
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Tea & Experience Mandaram Nuwara – Thema Collection



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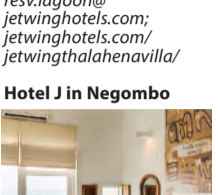
POLONNARUWA WHERE TO GO



An ancient city in the North Central Province and the second capital after Anuradhapura. It became the capital in the 11th century under King Vijayabahu I. It is known for its temples, statues, reservoirs, and Gal Vihara Buddha statues.

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Scottish Planter Nuwara Eliya – Thema Collection

This 100-year-old stone bungalow honors the Scottish planters of 1880s Sri Lanka, showcasing awe-inspiring colonial architecture and design that reflect a lasting legacy.
Kandapola Road, Ragala, Nuwara Eliya;
+94 522 265 050;
themacollection.com/scottish-planter/

Jetwing Warwick Gardens

Located 6,000 feet above sea level in the scenic mountain town of Ambewela, fondly referred to as "Little New Zealand" for its grazing pastures upon the highest grassland of Sri Lanka.
Lower Ambewela Division Ambewela,
+94 52 353 2284;
+94 114 709 400;
resv.andrews@jetwinghotels.com;
[jetwingwarwickgardens/](http://jetwinghotels.com/jetwingwarwickgardens/)

Tea & Experience Mandaram Nuwara – Thema Collection

This boutique hotel offers an authentic tea experience in a timeless setting.
Kabaragalla Estate, Ellamulla, Mandaramnuwara;
+94 817 599 599;
themacollection.com/tea-and-experience-factory/

Jetwing Outlands Bungalow

Jetwing Outlands Bungalow is located in the heart of Nuwara Eliya.
124, St. Andrew's Drive, Nuwara Eliya,
+94 52 222 2445;
+94 11 470 9400;
resv.andrews@jetwinghotels.com;
jetwingoutlandsbungalow/

Jetwing St. Andrew's

Located in the heart of Nuwara Eliya, Jetwing St. Andrew's blends colonial charm with modern comforts, set amidst the scenic beauty of the central highlands and home to one of Sri Lanka's oldest snooker tables.<

WHERE TO GO, WHERE TO STAY & WHERE TO SHOP

Pidurangala

A striking rock and ancient temple site near Sigiriya, Pidurangala dates back to the fifth century and is known for its reclining Buddha statue and panoramic views of Sigiriya Rock from its summit.

WHERE TO STAY Aliya Resort and Spa, Sigiriya – Thema Collection



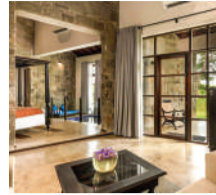
A serene Cultural Triangle retreat with modern comforts, warm hospitality, and an infinity pool overlooking Sigiriya and Pidurangala. **Audangawa, Sigiriya;** +94 66 204 0400; info.aliya@themacollection.com; themacollection.com/aliya-resort/

Ayurvie Sigiriya – Thema Collection



An Ayurveda hotel offering rejuvenation through authentic Sri Lankan healing traditions and treatments. With a strong focus on sustainability, our unique wellness services create a peaceful ambiance that connects you to nature, providing a truly transformative experience. **Avudangawa, Sigiriya;** +94 117 386 386; info.ayurviestigiriya@themacollection.com; themacollection.com/ayurvie-sigiriya/

Ayurgiri Ayurveda Wellness Resort



Rediscover balance and reconnect with life through the age-old traditions of authentic Ayurveda healing at Ayurgiri Ayurveda Wellness resort. **Pothana, Kimbissa, Sigiriya;** +94 117 930 930; +94 664 960 900; reservation.ayugiri@brownshotels.com; brownshotels.com/ayugiriwellness

Hotel Sigiriyaaya



The hotel invites you to a tranquil retreat where comfort meets affordability. **70 Rangirigama Road, Sigiriya;** +94 662 286 246; jetwinghotels.com/hotel-sigiriyaaya/

Hotel Sigiriya



Hotel Sigiriya offers an ideal stay in the near vicinity of Sigiriya. **Sigiriya;** +94 77 171 3886; reservations@brownshotels.com; brownshotels.com/hotelsigiriya

Jetwing Vil Uyana



Jetwing Vil Uyana combines nature, wildlife, and luxury villas in a private ecological sanctuary. **Sigiriya;** +94 66 228 6000-3; +94 66 228 6000; resv.viluyana@jetwinghotels.com; jetwinghotels.com/jetwingviluyana/

TALAWAKELE WHERE TO SHOP Tea Mesna Tea Castle



It houses the largest teashop in the world. **Patana, Talawakelle;** +94 72 235 4079

TRINCOMALEE WHERE TO GO

A coastal city, famous for its fort, natural harbor, beautiful beaches, and the historic Koneswaram Temple.

Pigeon Island National Park

Famous for coral reefs, reef fish, sea turtles, and blacktip reef sharks.

UDAWALAWE WHERE TO GO Udawalawe National Park

It is home to over 400 wild elephants, and wildlife, including water buffalo, deer, crocodiles, and a rich variety of birdlife, set against a backdrop of open grasslands and scenic reservoirs. **165, Matara Road, Unawatuna;** +94 912 030 800; +94 114 709 400; unawatuna@hotelj.lk; hotelj.lk/unawatuna/

WHERE TO STAY Waraka Udawalawe – Thema Collection



A serene, nature-friendly boutique hotel, nestled amidst the lush surroundings near Udawalawe National Park. **224/B, Susil Mawatha, South Cannel, Udawalawe;** +94 474 650 350; info.waraka@themacollection.com; themacollection.com/waraka-udawalawe/

WHERE TO GO Sinharaja Forest Reserve

Sinharaja Forest Reserve is a biodiversity-rich rainforest, home to a wide variety of endemic plants, birds, reptiles, and insects.

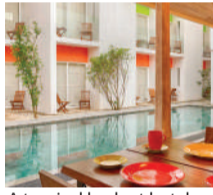
UNAWATUNA WHERE TO GO

A lively coastal spot for swimming, snorkelling, surfing, and water sports, with vibrant beachfront dining and nightlife at sunset.

Surfing spots Unawatuna Beach

A sheltered south coast bay with gentle waves surrounded by palm trees, calm waters, and relaxed beach cafés.

WHERE TO STAY Hotel J in Unawatuna



A tropical budget hotel. **165, Matara Road, Unawatuna;** +94 912 030 800; +94 114 709 400; unawatuna@hotelj.lk; hotelj.lk/unawatuna/

WHERE TO SHOP Mint Ceylon



This fashion and lifestyle store blends Sri Lankan craft with modern design, offering clothing, jewellery, homeware, and gifts while empowering women and preserving traditional skills. **Unawatuna;** +94 77 085 4411; [Instagram: @mint.ceylon](https://www.instagram.com/mint.ceylon)

WAIKKAL Club Hotel Dolphin



This beachfront hotel offers a peaceful escape, combining warm Sri Lankan hospitality with modern comfort. **St Sebastian Mawatha, Kammala South, Waikkal;** +94 77 372 0871; reservations_dolphin@brownshotels.com; brownshotels.com/clubhoteldolphin

WELLAWAYA WHERE TO STAY



Nestled in the midst of lush paddy fields and rolling hills. **Weliara, Aluthpara, Wellawaya;**

+94 55 4710710; +94 114 709 400; resv.kaduruketha@jetwinghotels.com; jetwinghotels.com/jetwingkaduruketha/

Lunugamvehera National Park

Created mainly to protect the catchment area of the Lunugamvehera Reservoir. Also, an important corridor for elephants between Yala and Udawalawe National Parks.

WELIGAMA WHERE TO GO

A lively coastal spot for swimming, snorkelling, surfing, and water sports, with vibrant beachfront dining and nightlife at sunset.

Surfing spots
A charming coastal town with long sandy beaches and gentle waves, ideal for beginner surfers.

WHERE TO STAY Ayurvie Weligama – Thema Collection



A luxurious Ayurveda resort in Sri Lanka. **212, Sanggananda Mawatha, Kapparatota, Weligama;** +94 117 386 386; themacollection.com/ayurvieweligama/

Parangi Weligama – Thema Collection



Discover one of the most coveted spots in southern Sri Lanka at

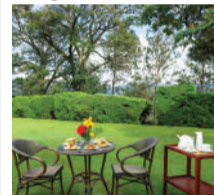
Parangi Weligama Bay, a beachfront boutique hotel. **736, Matara Road, Weligama;** +94 412 260 044; themacollection.com/parangiweligama/

WHERE TO SHOP Mint Ceylon



Mint Ceylon is a Sri Lankan slow fashion and lifestyle store blending traditional craft with contemporary design. It empowers women from underprivileged communities while offering clothing, handcrafted jewellery, homeware, accessories, and curated gifts. **Weligama;** +94 77 085 4411; [Instagram: @mint.ceylon](https://www.instagram.com/mint.ceylon)

WELIMADA WHERE TO STAY Jetwing Hoffmann Bungalow



Located in the heart of the magnificent Uva Ben Head tea estate is Jetwing Hoffmann Bungalow, a quaint property built and designed for the perfect vacation with your friends and family. **Uva Ben Head Estate, 100 Acres, Welimada;** +94 57 358 2903; resv.uva@jetwinghotels.com; jetwinghotels.com/jetwinghoffmannbungalow/

Olive Bungalow



A cozy holiday home set within the Uva Ben Head tea estate, offering timeless charm and elegant surroundings. **Uva Ben Head Estate, 100 Acres, Welimada;** +94 57 358 2903; resv.uva@jetwinghotels.com; jetwinghotels.com/jetwingwelimadavilla/

YALA WHERE TO GO Yala National Park

Yala is famed for its high density of leopards, along with elephants, sloth bears, and rich birdlife, all set across diverse landscapes of forest, lagoons, and coastline. **+94 112 888 585**

WHERE TO STAY Hilton Yala Resort



An ideal Tissamaharama base for exploring ancient temples and thrilling safaris. **Kataragama Road, Tissamaharama;** +94 47 223 7206; themacollection.com/kithala-resort/

Villa Blue Monk



A peaceful four-room villa in the heart of the Tissamaharama, set amidst serene surroundings. **417/1/1, 2nd Canal, Yala;** +94 74 218 7663; info@themacollection.com; themacollection.com/villa-blue-monk

blending comfort with rustic charm. **Palatupana, Kirinda, Yala, Kirinda;** +94 47 471 0755; +94 11 470 9400; resv.junglelodge@jetwinghotels.com; jetwinghotels.com/jetwingjunglelodge/

Jetwing Yala



Nestled between the Indian Ocean and Yala National Park. **Palatupana, Yala, Kirinda;** +94 47 471 0710; resv.yala@jetwinghotels.com; jetwinghotels.com/jetwingyala/

Kithala Tissa Yala – Thema Collection



An ideal Tissamaharama base for exploring ancient temples and thrilling safaris. **Kataragama Road, Tissamaharama;** +94 47 223 7206; themacollection.com/kithala-resort/

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Investor / Buyer Opportunity BT Options Leisure in Arugambay



BT Options invites expressions of interest from buyers or investors for its beachfront leisure properties in Arugambay, one of Sri Lanka's most iconic coastal destinations.

The portfolio includes multiple established resorts and accommodations located directly on or near the surf points of Arugambay Main Point, Pottuvil Point and Whisky Point. Each property is fully operational, strategically positioned, and designed to capture the growing year-round demand for surf, eco, wildlife, and wellness tourism.

This is a rare opportunity to acquire or invest in a proven hospitality portfolio from a trusted Sri Lankan brand with decades of excellence in publishing, tourism, and lifestyle ventures.

Location: Arugambay and Whisky Point, Pottuvil, Sri Lanka

Assets: Fully operational beachfront and leisure resorts

Potential: Expansion, rebranding, or strategic investment partnerships

For more information or to express your interest, please contact: **Thanuja +94 710 102 101**

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