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English Version

Cover Story



I Left My Heart in Tamsui: A Celebration of Tamsui's History

Transformation of Tamsui: The journey in becoming an international trading port

We offer a wide range of activities showcasing the founding of the Tamsui Port in 1862! Don't miss out on our special exhibitions in May and exciting programs in July, which includes thematic activities, performances, day trips, prize draw, special LINE stickers, lectures, podcasts and seminars, we are bringing the whole 1862 Tamsui package to you!

In May, our two special exhibitions introduce



the key events of Tamsui's history, including the establishment of the Tamsui Port and Customs in 1862, and the arrival of George Mackay in 1872. Within this ten-year period, Tamsui transformed into an international port and the destination of countless merchant ships. This led to the collision and exchange of different cultures, paving the way for the unique cultural landscape of the Tamsui Port.

Passing the Hurdles! Celebrating 160 years of Tamsui Port

In May, we launch "Passing the Hurdles! Celebrating 160 years of Tamsui Port" Special Exhibition, this is held in Warehouse C of the Tamsui Customs Wharf, we have transformed all historical events into actual onsite hurdles. Here, you will meet John Todd, the late nineteenth-century British businessman and

representative, as well as missionary George Mackay. You are invited to join their team and explore the histories of Tamsui Port. This exhibition consists of three missions:

Firstly, in "Decoding the Customs House," you will take on the role of a foreign businessman travelling to Taiwan. Here, you will be asked to decode all the custom procedures, paving your way into a millionaire.

Next, in "Decoding Foreign Trade," you need to learn about the hidden roles of business and trades in Taiwan. You have to carefully consider all steps, from commercial rental to business negotiations with local merchants. This is the only way to secure your wealth.

Last, in "Decoding Daily Life," you are asked to learn about all aspects of a nineteenth-century life, including access to medication, recreations, food and services on demand. Such knowledge will improve the quality of your life in Tamsui.

While visiting the exhibition, you are also invited to take photos with all our historical figures. What's more, there is a "sampan boat helper" hiding in our exhibition space! You can simply scan the QR codes in our space and run a successful business with our little helper. The helper will team up with you to build your own firm, solving all issues and explore business strategies in Taiwan, making your dream of becoming a top millionaire to come true!



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📅 Now Until July
☎ 02-2623-1001#26
🌐 www.tshs.ntpc.gov.tw



Editor's Choice



2022 New Taipei City Drum Art Festival

This year, our festival can be appreciated in all formats! Through different platforms and collaborations with artistic communities, we offer our audience a rich and diverse artistic experience both online and onsite.

This year, our festival is going everywhere! Our special portable theaters will travel to Xinzhuang, Zhonghe, Shulin, Sanchong and Tamsui for five performances. Our performers will dazzle you with their drumming skills and the flavors of Taiwan in your village, quarters and street. They turn the squares, parks and night markets into their theaters, enchanting

you with their rhythm and beating. This time, nobody will miss out!

Our online platform will be taken over by seven highly acclaimed performance groups, including the Golden Melody Award shortlisted "Sibongie" ensemble. Their drumming skills will form part of the dance, musical and theater shows. All programs will stream online live, bringing us an all-around artistic experience.

Love drum art? This is a festival not to be missed!



📅 05/16-06/30
📍 Cultural Affairs Department, New Taipei City Government
☎ 02-2960-3456#4525
🌐 www.culture.ntpc.gov.tw



APPRECIATEA

This is an exhibition about gratefulness, a sentiment deeply associated with the tea culture, it is an exhibition about cultural reflections.

Here, through the empowerment of the arts, we resume our journey in the post-COVID world. The development of tea culture and its foundation are based on the gratefulness and a sense of balance, which allowed our forefathers to exist in harmony with Mother Nature. This exhibition adopts the latest digital technology to create an immersive space, providing an ideal theater for the myths and folklores relating to tea from southwestern China.

Having perceived themselves as in the center of the universe, human beings exploit Mother Nature relentlessly, resulting in climate change and new pandemics. In this exhibition, we organized a doomsday section as a reminder of the environmental impacts caused by human

activities and the necessity of a sustainable lifestyle. We should be "grateful" to Mother Nature, as our forefathers had been.

How to recover from COVID is a test for everybody. In this exhibition, we showcase the ceramic objects, which were restored through "kintsugi" techniques, to promote a sustainable and frugal lifestyle. Likewise, our "Dongfang meiren (Oriental Beauty)" tea is made with tea leaves damaged by insects. This damage, nonetheless, does not impact on the flavor and aroma of the tea, allowing us to appreciate the sweet fruit after an ordeal.

Last, we would also like to introduce the "gratefulness" traditions of various countries. Through our experimental crystal technique, this exhibition urges visitors to be grateful for what they have, not to mourn what they lost.



📅 Now Until 2023/05/08
📍 Pinglin Tea Museum of New Taipei City
☎ 02-2665-6035#202
🌐 www.tea.ntpc.gov.tw



Shihsanhang Museum of Archaeology



- 🕒 09:30-17:00 (Closed on the first Monday of each month)
- 💰 NT\$80
- ☎ 02-2619-1313
- 📍 No. 200, Museum Road, Bali District, New Taipei City
- 🚇 MRT → Tamsui MRT Station Ferry → Shuttle Bus Red No. 13 Shihsanhang Museum of Archaeology; or Ferry → Shuttle Bus Red No. 22, Bus No. 704 → Ren'ai.

Now Until 09/25

A Special Exhibition of Ancient Austronesian Food Cultures

Tamsui Historical Museum, New Taipei City



- 🕒 09:30-17:30 (Closed on the first Monday of each month)
- 💰 NT\$80
- ☎ 02-2623-1001
- 📍 No. 1, Ln. 28, Zhongzheng Rd., Tamsui Dist., New Taipei
- 🚇 MRT Tamsui station is the terminal station. Once you arrive, you can take buses R26, 836 or 857 to Fort San Domingo.

Now Until July

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Fuzhong 15



- 🕒 09:30-18:30 (Closed on the first Monday of each month)
- 💰 Free
- ☎ 02-2968-3600#211
- 📍 No 15, Fuzhong Road, Banqiao District, New Taipei City
- 🚇 Taking MRT Line 5 to Fuzhong Station, Exit via Exit No 2. The Gallery is located approximately 40 meters at the rear of the Exit. Alternatively, exit MRT station via Exit 1, turn right at the rear of the Gate, cross the Road and proceed straight ahead. Approximately 3 minutes to the Gallery.

Now

MAGIC

Xinzhuang Cultural Arts Center



- 🕒 09:00-17:00 (Closed on the first Monday of each month)
- 💰 Free
- ☎ 02-2276-0182#101
- 📍 No. 133, Zhongping Rd., Xinzhuang Dist., New Taipei City
- 🚇 Take "Nangang Exhibition Hall-Yongning" line and get off at Xinpu Station. Then, take bus No. 805 or Blue No. 18 at MRT exit No. 5 and get off the bus at the "Xintai Swimming Pool" Stop.

05/15-06/05

The Drums of Xiang Ren He: 2022 Xingzhuang Special Exhibition

Sanchong Air Force Military Kindred Village No. 1



- 🕒 10:00-18:00 (Closed on the first Monday of each month)
- 💰 Free
- ☎ 02-2979-1815
- 📍 Ln. 86, Zhengyi S. Rd., Sanchong Dist., New Taipei City
- 🚇 Catch the MRT Orange Line to the "Taipei Bridge" station, and walk to Wenhua South Road → Fude South Road → Alley No 86, Zhengyi South Road.

Now

From the Bird's eye view: Aerial Photography Exhibition

New Taipei City Yingge Ceramics Museum



- 🕒 09:30-17:00 (Closed on the first Monday of each month)
- 💰 NT\$80
- ☎ 02-8677-2727
- 📍 No. 200, Wenhua Road, Yingge District, New Taipei City
- 🚇 Take a commuter train to Yingge train station, the museum is a 10-minute walk from the Wenhua Rd. exit.

05/06-09/04

Breaking the boundary—Design and Crafts from Israel

Pinglin Tea Museum of New Taipei City



- 🕒 09:00-17:00 (Closed on the first Monday of each month)
- 💰 NT\$80
- ☎ 02-2665-6035
- 📍 No.19-1, Shuisongqikeng, Pinglin Dist., New Taipei City
- 🚇 Take the MRT to Xindian Station. Transfer onto the Xindian Bus Service, and take the 923 or Green 12 (G12). Get off at the stop for Pinglin Junior High School. The Museum is a 5-minute walk away.

Now Until 2023/05/08

APPRECIATEA

435 Art Zone



- 🕒 09:00-17:00 (Closed on the first Monday of each month)
- 💰 Free
- ☎ 02-2969-0366
- 📍 No. 435, Zhongzheng Rd., Banqiao Dist., New Taipei City
- 🚇 Take the MRT Blue Line and get off at Banqiao Station. Leave the station from Exit 2 and transfer to the Bus No. 310, 307, 810, 857 or 786 and get off at "Banqiao Junior High School, Banqiao 435 Art Zone."

Now Until 05/29

The Purity of Soul Group Exhibition

New Taipei City Yong 'An Arts Center



- 🕒 09:00-17:00 (Closed on the first Monday of each month)
- 💰 Free
- ☎ 02-2929-8830
- 📍 2F., No. 390, Zhonghe Rd., Zhonghe Dist., New Taipei City
- 🚇 Take the MRT Orange Line and get off at Yongan Market Station.

05/06-05/17

Liberation Lifter: Yong-Ping High School Art Class Graduation Exhibition

Wulai Atayal Museum New Taipei City



- 🕒 09:30-17:00
- 💰 Free
- ☎ 02-2661-8162
- 📍 No. 12, Wulai St., Wulai Dist., New Taipei City
- 🚇 Take the MRT Xindian Line to the last stop at Xindian Station, transfer to Sindian Bus No. 849 and get off at Wulai, the terminal station.

Now

The Symphony of Fabric

Gold Museum, New Taipei City Government



- 🕒 09:30-17:00 (Closed on the first Monday of each month)
- 💰 NT\$80
- ☎ 02-2496-2800
- 📍 No. 8, Jinguang Road, Ruifang District, New Taipei City
- 🚇 Taipei-Jinguashi: Taking bus route 1062 at the Exit 2 of Zhongxiao Fuxing MRT Station via Jiufen and get off at Jinguashi (Gold Museum).

Now Until 06/28

Alchemy: The Secrets of Turning Stone into Gold

The Lin Family Mansion and Garden



- 🕒 09:00-17:00 (Closed on the first Monday of each month)
- 💰 NT\$80
- ☎ 02-2965-3061#23
- 📍 No. 9, Ximen Street, Banqiao District, New Taipei City
- 🚇 Take Banqiao Line (Blue line) to Fuzhong MRT Station, and leave by Exit 1. The Garden is an 8-minute walk from the station.

New Taipei City Arts Center



- 🕒 09:00-17:00 (Closed on the first Monday of each month)
- 💰 Free
- ☎ 02-2253-4417
- 📍 No. 62, Zhuangjing Rd., Banqiao Dist., New Taipei City
- 🚇 Take the MRT Bannan Line (Blue Line) and get off at Xinpu Station, turn right after exit from exit 4. Get across the street, walk straight until reaching the Lane182, Sec.2, Wenhua Raod and turn right. Continue walking along the way for about 3 minutes before you arrive.

05/12-05/22

Void: National Taiwan University of Arts Group Exhibition

Shulin Arts Center



- 🕒 Performance Arts Hall opening hours: Ticket checking for hall entry starts 60 minutes before each performance. The audience will be allowed to enter and be seated 30 minutes before each performance.
- ☎ 02-2682-0035
- 📍 No. 40-8, Shuxin Rd., Shulin Dist., New Taipei City
- 🚇 Shulin Station (Front) (Zhenqian Street) Exit Direction. Turn left and arrive after an 8-minute walk (beside the ShowTimes Movie Theater).

05/21-05/22, 14:30

Trees of Spring Series: Möbius Strip Theatre's Dancing with Lion 2.0

Hakka Museum New Taipei City Government



- 🕒 09:00-17:00 (Closed on the first Monday of each month)
- 💰 Free
- ☎ 02-2672-9996
- 📍 No. 239, Longen Street, Sanxia District, New Taipei City
- 🚇 MRT → get off at Yongning station (Blue line), then take Taipei Bus No. 917, get off at Dingpu station (Blue line), then take Taipei Bus No. 981.

Now Until 05/29

Painting Buddha: Tran-Xi's Thangka Solo Exhibition