



Public Officers' Welfare Council
Promoting the welfare of Public Officers and their families

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From: Organising Secretary, Public Officers' Welfare Council
To: Supervising Officers i/c Ministries/Departments

Excursion to GRSE Waterfall/Ile aux Cerfs on 'Bateau Pirate' with Nautical Activities

The Public Officers' Welfare Council is organising an excursion to Ile aux Cerfs with sightseeing at GRSE Waterfall for public officers and their families on Sunday 03 December 2017.

2. The departure will be from Trou D'eau Douce Jetty on 'Bateau Pirate'. The programme of the day will be as follows:

- 09 00 hrs - Embarcation on Bateau Pirate at Trou-D'eau-Douce Jetty;
- 10 00 hrs - Visit to G.R.S.E Waterfall;
- 11 30 hrs - Lunch on Board Bateau Pirate;
- 12 00 hrs - Arrival at Ile-aux-Cerfs;
- 12 30 hrs - Nautical Activities (Tube Riding and Parasailing), Swimming /Relax time;
- 15 00 hrs - Departure from Ile-Aux-Cerfs ;
- 15 30 hrs - Arrival to Trou-D'eau-Douce Jetty.

3. The cost of tickets is as follows:

Option	Details	Child Aged 02 - 11 Yrs (Rs)	Adult (Rs)
1	Bus Fare, Boat Fare, GRSE Waterfalls, Ile aux Cerf and Lunch	600	750
2	Option 1 + Tube riding	750	950
3	Option 1 + Parasailing	800	1 000
4	Option 1 + Parasailing + Tube riding	950	1 200

- Note:**
- 1. Child 0 - 23 months is free;
 - 2. Child below 4 years not allowed to participate in parasailing activity;
 - 3. Child below 6 Years will not be allowed to participate in Tube riding activity.

4. Departure from pick-up points will be as follows:

Pick up Points	Time (Hours)
(a) Curepipe (Municipality of Curepipe - Near SBM)	0730
(b) Quatre Bornes (Trianon Bus Stop in direction of Port Louis)	0745
(c) Réduit, University of Mauritius (Bus Parking)	0750
(d) Port Louis (Government Centre - Queen Victoria Statue)	0800
(e) Pamplemousses (Parking SSR Botanical Garden)	0815

Please note that the buses will leave from their respective pick-up points at the exact time as indicated above. Departure from Ile aux Cerfs will be at 1500 hours to reach Trou-D'eau-Douce Jetty by 1530 hours. Latecomers will have to make their own transport arrangements in both cases.

5. Participants are advised to wear comfortable walking shoes and to bring along sunglasses, cap/hat, insect repellent, swimwear and towel.

6. Public officers interested to participate in the excursion are requested to fill in the participation form at Annex 1 and submit same together with the exact amount on the scheduled payment date. The following documents should be submitted while effecting payment:

(i) a photocopy of a recent pay slip or top part of the pay slip indicating the name, pay site code and National Identity Card number or any written evidence/ document attesting that the applicant is a serving public officer.


(ii) a photocopy of birth certificates for children under the age of 12 years.

7. Payment will be received on a **first come first served basis on Saturday 07 October 2017 from 0900 to 1430 hours** at the seat of the Council, 6th Floor, ATOM House, 16, Royal Street, Port Louis. In case seats are still available, payment will be extended as from **Monday 09 October 2017 from 0930 to 1400 hours**. Applicants are kindly requested to effect payment preferably by cheque to the order of "Public Officers' Welfare Council".

8. Cancellation will be accepted in exceptional cases (e.g. illness, death of a close relative or any other valid reason) supported by documentary evidence. An administrative fee of Rs 200 per participant will be retained together with other cancellation charges claimed by stakeholders.

9. The Council reserves the right to cancel the excursion in unforeseen circumstances. Participants will be refunded accordingly.

10. It would be appreciated if the contents of this circular letter could be brought to the attention of all the staff of your Ministry/Department. A copy of this letter is also reproduced on the Council's Website: <http://powc.govmu.org>


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