

Public Officers' Welfare Council

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Date: 11 September 2019

From: Organising Secretary, Public Officers' Welfare Council

To: Supervising Officers i/c Ministries/Departments

One day Visit to Ile Des Deux Cocos (LUX* Resort & Hotels) and to Blue Bay Marine Park

The Public Officers' Welfare Council (POWC) is providing an exclusive opportunity for public officers and their families to discover Ile Des Deux Cocos situated in the south-east of the Island near Blue Bay on Sunday 15 December 2019. It is a private island run by LUX* Resort and Hotels.

2. Cost of Ticket

The cost of ticket is Rs 1650 per adult/teenager, Rs 875 for child aged between 6-11 years and Rs 125 for infant under six years. The package includes the following:

- Bus Transport to and from pick up points
- Boat Transfers
- Signature cocktail and refreshing cold towels upon arrival
- A BBQ lunch buffet & Desserts (Menu at Annex A)
- Unlimited drinks during the day (water, juice & soft drinks)
- Visit of The Colonial Villa
- Beer during lunch time only (12.00-14.00)

Complimentary land and sea activities

- Glass Bottom Boat or Snorkeling
- Beach Volley
- Giant Chess
- ❖ Bocce Ball
- Frisbee
- Boot Camp
- Treasure Hunt
- Badminton

3. Departure from pick-up points:

(a)	Pamplemousses (Botanical Garden)	08 15 hrs
(b)	Port Louis (Government Centre - Near Queen Victoria Statue)	08 30 hrs
(c)	Réduit, University of Mauritius (Bus Parking)	08 15 hrs
(d)	St Jean, Quatre Bornes (Trianon Shopping Centre - Ex Shoprite)	08 45 hrs
(e)	Curepipe (Municipality of Curepipe, near SBM)	08 30 hrs

4. Please note that buses will leave their respective pick-up points at the time indicated above to reach Blue Bay near National Coast Guard. Departure from the island in the afternoon is scheduled at 15 30 hrs. Latecomers will have to make their own transport arrangements in both cases.

- 5. Participants are advised to bring along sunglasses, cap/hat, swimming suits and towels.
- **6**. Interested public officers are requested to fill in the participation form (Annex B) and submit same together with the exact amount on the scheduled date of payment. The following documents should be submitted while effecting payment:
- (i) A photocopy of a recent payslip/top part of the payslip indicating the name, paysite code and National Identity Card number or any written evidence/document attesting that the applicant is a serving public officer;
- (ii) Photocopy of National Identity Card for each adult; and
- (iii) Photocopy of Birth Certificate for any participant under the age of 18 years
- 7. Payment will be received on a <u>first come first served basis as from Thursday 26 September 2019</u> <u>from 0930 to 1400 hours</u> at the seat of the POWC, 6th Floor, ATOM House, 16, Royal Street, Port Louis.

Applicants are kindly requested to effect payment preferably by <u>card</u> or <u>cheque</u> to the order of "Public Officers' Welfare Council".

- 8. Cancellation will be accepted only in exceptional cases (e.g. illness, death of close relative or any other valid reason) supported by documentary evidence. In case of cancellation an administrative fee of MUR 200 per participant together with other cancellation charges claimed by stakeholders will be applicable.
- 9. The POWC reserves the right to cancel the activity/visit in case of bad weather or any other unforeseen circumstance. Participants will be refunded accordingly.
- **10.** It would be appreciated if you could kindly arrange for officers serving in your Ministry/Department/Division to obtain a copy of this circular.
- 11. A copy of this circular is also posted on the Council's website: http://powc.govmu.org

S. Bundhoo
Organising Secretary

Copy to: Presidents of Staff Welfare Associations Enc.



PUBLIC OFFICERS' WELFARE COUNCIL

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and Visit to Blue Bay Marine Park

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