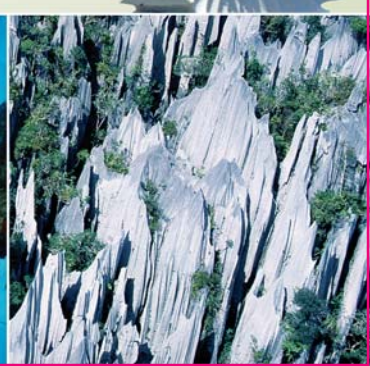
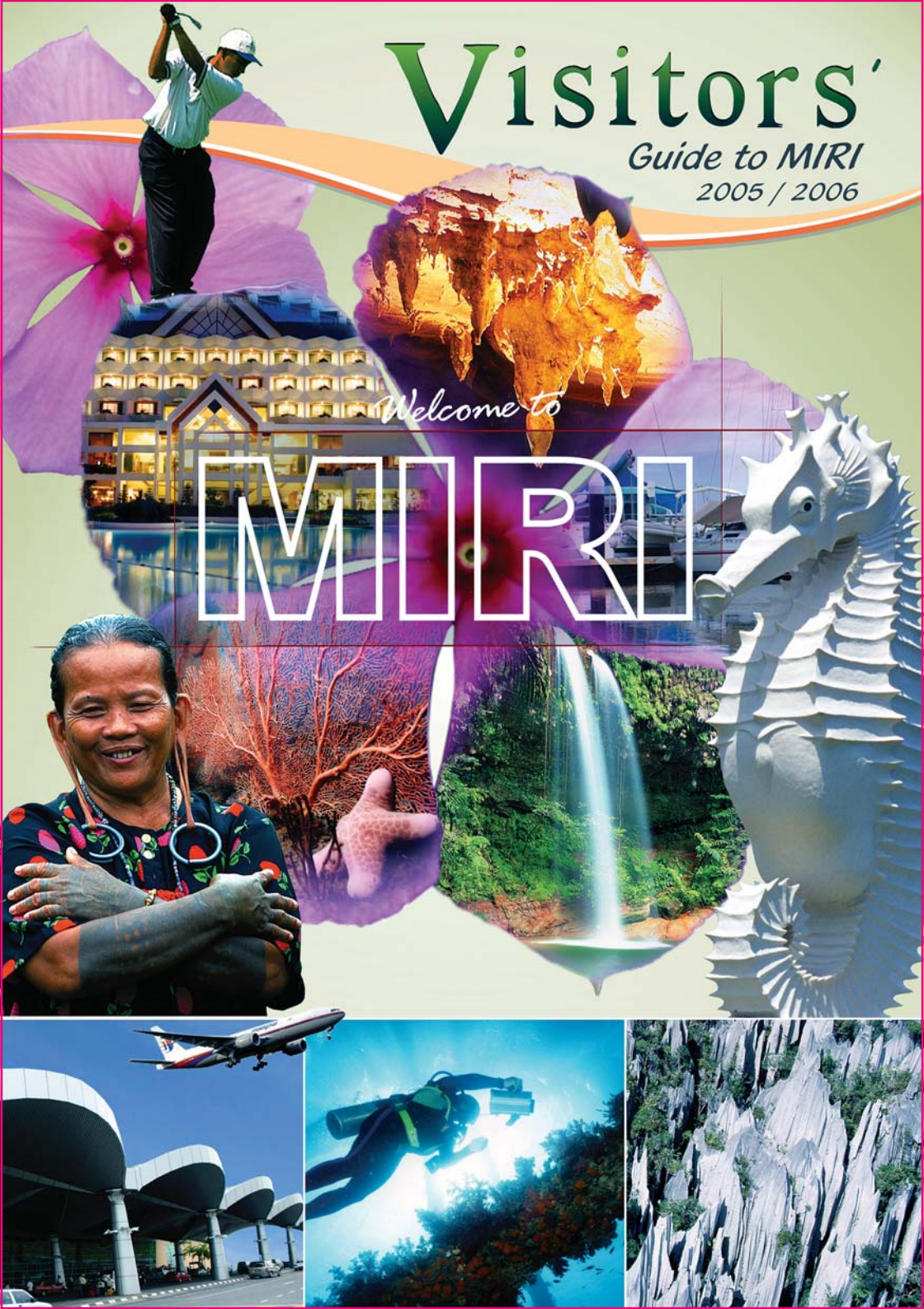


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Welcome

Miri Resort City is the gateway to northern Sarawak. This is a town that oil built. The bustling commercial centre is well poised to serve the cosmopolitan petroleum community and welcome tourists from all the four corners of the earth.

Miri has excellent public amenities, medical facilities, and financial institutions as well as customs and immigration offices.

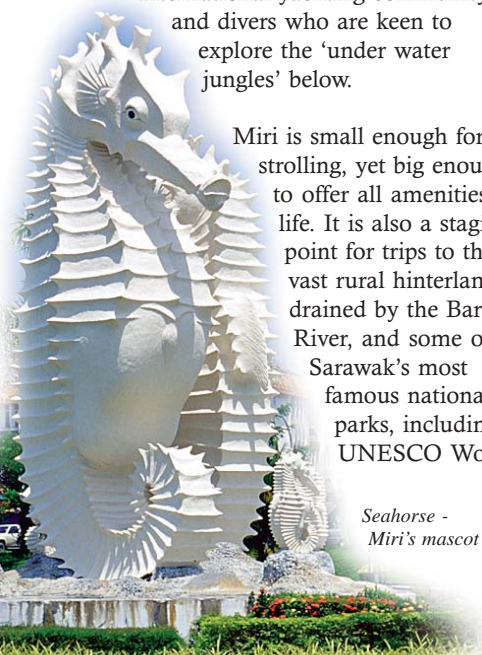
Sports and recreation are high on the list. A state-of-the-art Marina attracts the international yachting community, and divers who are keen to explore the ‘under water jungles’ below.

Miri is small enough for strolling, yet big enough to offer all amenities of life. It is also a staging point for trips to the vast rural hinterland drained by the Baram River, and some of Sarawak’s most famous national parks, including UNESCO World

Heritage Site Gunung Mulu, Niah, Lambir Hills, Loagan Bunut lake, and the cool highlands of Bario and Ba Kelalan.

Business or pleasure — Miri is the right place!

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Seahorse -
Miri's mascot



Miri oil field in early 1900's

A Brief History

Before the discovery of oil, Miri consisted of a few straggling huts by a Black River. Local residents were aware of the special nature of the greasy sludge that oozed from the ground here and there; with due caution it could be used as lighting fuel.

Mr. Claude de Crespigny, Resident of Baram, reported the presence of 'earth oil' in 1882, but it was not until two decades later that the commercial potential of this natural phenomenon was realised.

Dr. Charles Hose, a 'Rajah's (King's) Servant' still remembered for his resource, his wit and his immense girth, organized the drilling of an exploratory well on top of a hill on August 10, 1910. Within four months, oil was struck at a depth of 123 metres. The first well on the hilltop, now

affectionately dubbed 'Grand Old Lady', remained productive until 1972.

By 1917 the Miri oil boom was in full spate. Foreign labours flocked in from places like Singapore, India, and Hong Kong, augmented by local brawn and muscle. Expatriate staff arrived from England and Holland; for a few years conditions in the hastily erected shantytown were chaotic.

The town gradually grew. By 1921 it had 40 shophouses, one English school, and one Chinese school.

Production of oil reached over 65,000 tons in 1922, adding welcomed revenue to the White Rajah's treasury. During World War 1, Miri supplied 267,000 tons of oil to the British Navy.



Part of the 'old Miri' as it is today



Aerial view of Miri City

Miri was designated the administrative centre of the Baram region, the Resident's office was shifted here from Marudi. In 1929, Miri was visited by Rajah Charles Vyner Brooke — a proud moment for the town.

The depression years did not leave Miri unscathed, but life went on; the predilection for rowing, cricket and football, which united expatriate and local sportsmen, survived and prospered even into the 21st century!

During the Japanese Occupation of 1941-1945 the oil fields were fiercely fought over, resulting in considerable hardship for the local population.

In the 60's, oil exploration moved offshore. When production reached 95,000 barrels a day, Petronas, the National Oil Company, made Lutong the hub of oil production

activities in Miri.

Miri shared the boom of the 1980s and 90s. The face of the town changed with the construction of suburban housing, multi-storey commercial complexes and international class hotels. Tourism thrives; Miri came to be known as 'Sarawak's Northern Gateway.'

Prosperity draws population. Miri's 300,000 inhabitants are Malays, Chinese, Ibans, Orang Ulu, Melanau, Bidayuh, Penan with quite a sprinkling of expatriates happily living in harmony and are proud to contribute to make Miri a Resort City.

The petroleum industry is still an important employer, but it is the Kuala Baram Industrial Estate that provides the bulk of jobs for the thousands who now consider Miri their home.



Miri City by night



Canada Hill

Lifestyle

Miri offers an array of exciting lifestyles.

Well-maintained public parks around the city are frequented by morning joggers and evening strollers. Playgrounds, walkways and neatly trimmed gardens offer a relaxing family environment.

Modern shopping complexes present one-stop shopping convenience in air-conditioned comfort.

Public and private facilities cater for hobbies and passions, premier among them is the well-equipped public library that

serves as the venue for many cultural events.

Miri is surrounded by National Parks, some within driving distance for day trips.



Blowpipe demonstration and competition



Bungai Beach

A day by the beach

Miri has long, white beaches, well frequented on weekends.

Luak Bay Esplanade is a meeting point for kite enthusiasts.

The beaches of Bungai and Peliau, less than an hour's drive from the city centre, offer different scenery. Local fishermen land their catches here; savvy housewives turn up at the right time to bargain for guaranteed fresh fish, prawns and other seafoods.

Miri beaches are idyllic, but it is wise to observe a few elementary rules. Large amounts of sun can be harmful. It is advisable to use sunscreen and wear a hat, and it is not advisable to go to sleep under the full sun.

Jogging and Walking

Miri is not called the Resort City for nothing! The City Fan, a complex of elegantly landscaped parks, is ideal for jogging, walking or just strolling about.

The Bulatan Park is a favourite site for jogging in the pleasant landscape with its lake.

Taman Awam Miri offers a lookout tower and a suspension bridge with 'traces' of the oil industry influenced structures.

Those too young to jog can find their rightful place in the well-equipped children's playground and a dip-pool.



Luak Bay Esplanade



Miri Golf Club

Golf

The Miri Golf Club, where the World's leading golfer, Vijay Singh used to be the pro, is open to visiting golfers.

To book, call (6 085) 453039 or (6 085) 452455 (from 6.30am to 6.00pm).

The newer Eastwood Valley Golf & Country Club, designed by Nicklaus Golf Group Ltd. of San Francisco, is carved out from a forest site.

Call (6 085) 472515/471775 or fax (6 085) 471814 for bookings.



Eastwood Valley Golf & Country Club

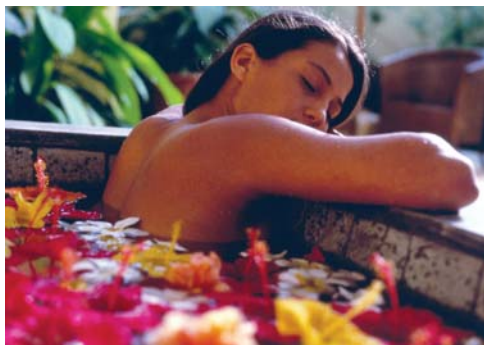
Swimming pool

Miri's public swimming complex is located within the City Fan. It has two pools – one for general swimming and the other for training and are open daily.

There are a number of private swimming pools, open for members and guests. Sarawak's largest free form swimming pool is located at the Miri Marriott Resort and Spa.



Public Swimming Pool

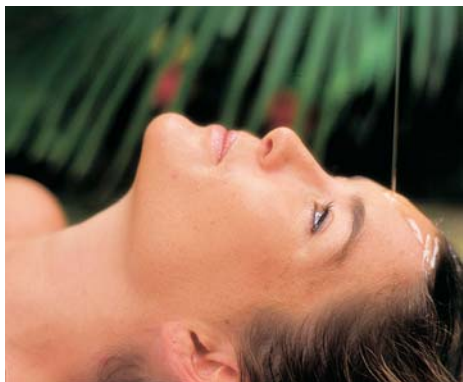


Mandara Spa

Relaxation therapy

The Mandara Spa, located at the Miri Marriott Resort & Spa is a serene oasis that seems a world away from the pressures of life. It offers hydrotherapy and the whole gamut of spa services in an idyllic environment of cool water, flowers, and peace.

Numerous reflexology centres in the main shopping areas of Miri offer a cheaper but less luxurious alternative. Here, traditional reflexology therapy is performed by trained personnel for RM20.00 an hour.



Tennis and Gym

There are a number of private and public tennis courts for rent in and around the city centre.

Miri Gymkhana Club and the better hotels also offer well-equipped gyms for those who prefer indoor workouts; these facilities are for members and guests only.





Yachting activity

Adventure Sports

Lambir Hills, Niah and Loagan Bunut National Parks offer abundant opportunities for soft adventure trekking in the tropical rainforests.

The headhunter's trail, leading from Gunung Mulu National Park to the Bario Highlands, offers complete satisfaction for the die-hard adventure seekers.

Mountain bikers will find the rural area surrounding Miri an ideal terrain to hone their skills. The Miri Mountain Bike Club can provide information and assistance. Contact the club at (6 085) 423589.

The Miri Hash House Harriers regularly organise runs around the city and in nearby national parks. Contact the HHH at (6 085) 656797.



Miri Mountain Bike Club

Sailing

The Miri Marina offers berthing, supply and maintenance and other facilities for yachts (www.mirimarina.com).

The Borneo Cup Yachting Challenge is becoming a 'Don't miss' date on the international yachting calendar. This race, covering 100 nautical miles, is run from Labuan Island to Miri. Local regattas and social events at both ends of the track enliven the event.

The Sarawak Sailing Association based at the Piasau Boat Club, has its fleet of dinghies, ranging from the Optimists to Wayfarers, and offers training and races for its members.



Borneo Cup Yachting Challenge



Kenyalang Reef

Diving

The clear waters off Miri are an exciting, very accessible diving destination. Seasoned divers have affirmed that the magnificent marine life and coral reefs here are amongst the world's finest, some situated a mere 15-minute boat trip from town. Divers from Sarawak Shell Petroleum discovered these unique sites during underwater explorations in the 1980s.

Popular dive sites include Barracuda Point, Anemone Garden, Grouper Patch Reef, Atago Maru Wreck, and the Seafan Garden. The Luconia area equals any top dive site in terms of diversity and visibility.

Miri's Tropical Dives offers day trips and longer excursions.

Call (6 085) 414300 for further information. Fish Eye Charter provides 'live-on-board' experience on longer trips to the offshore shoals. Please log on their website, fishyecharter.com for information and details.

In November 2004, a small rig was converted into an artificial reef. Underwater regulars have the unique opportunity of keeping an eye on the Kenyalang reef and witness how a reef grows!



Miri Reef Map



The Star Bowl

Bowling and Archery

The Star Bowl Centre at level three of the Bintang Plaza features a 24-lane, fully computerized and automated.

This is Malaysia's first indoor archery, instructors stand by at King's Archery. All gears are available for rent, with special rates for students and members. The archery centre is open from 10.00am to 11.00pm daily. Contact (6 085) 430141 for further details.



King's Archery



Cineplex

The Cineplex at Bintang Plaza caters for movie fans who want nothing but the near-life experience of the latest action thriller. Four screening rooms are available for patrons.





Curtin University of Technology

Higher Education

The Miri branch campus of Australia's Curtin University, opened in 1999, serves the needs of local and foreign students. Curtin University has a fine reputation as a dynamic and stimulating place of learning, and the Sarawak campus partakes in this tradition.

The diverse student's population makes campus life a learning experience in the cultural melting pot of Miri.



Diverse student population

Sited on a 1,258-acre site, with a large man-made lake and the parent university's signature brickwork buildings, Curtin offers world-class facilities and a home for students from across the globe.

Miri IT Library

'Pustaka', the public library located within the Miri City Fan, stocks reference books, and offers electronic library facilities.



Miri IT library





Miri's modern one-stop shopping complex



Shopping

Modern malls make Miri a shopping paradise for visitors and tourists, offering everything from clothing, kitchen utensils and groceries to branded goods. These complexes provide facilities and services like banking, food and entertainment outlets under one roof. Most shopping centres are open from 10.00am to 10.00pm daily.

Boulevard Shopping Complex

Boulevard Shopping Complex: Over 80 shops, a post office, a hypermarket, a departmental store, a moneychanger and a bank. Good food is available at the rooftop level of this five story building, which also boasts a playground and a video arcade. This centre caters for exhibition and functions, with a seating capacity for 2,000 people.



Boulevard Shopping Complex



Bintang Plaza

Bintang Plaza

Bintang Plaza: Total floor area of 400,000 square feet, more than 100 shops, fast food and beverage outlets, bookstores, watch shops, boutiques, optic centre, pharmacies and footwear stores. On the third floor is a 24-lane bowling alley, a food court and a Cineplex, while an indoor archery sports centre is located on the lower roof level.

Miri Square

Miri Square: The 'cool' location, housing the San Francisco Coffee House, and eateries serving local and western delicacies, savory Chinese and local Malay food. There is also a good mix of shopping outlets, a video arcade and a departmental store to give it a complete shopping atmosphere.



Miri Square



Miri Plaza

Miri Plaza

Miri Plaza: Located next to the Grand Palace Hotel, this shopping complex houses the Serway Supermarket and departmental store.

The Imperial Mall and Suites

The Imperial Mall and Suites: 120 retail stores occupying four stories, a well-balanced selection of retail outlets, food centres and banking facilities. This complex features 157 suites of various configurations for long and short-term occupancy.



The Imperial Mall and Suites



Miri Heritage (Handicraft) Centre

Ethnic Crafts

Miri curio shops and markets stock a fascinating array of beautiful handicrafts that reflect the state's rich multi-ethnic cultural heritage. There is a wide range of Orang Ulu products, as the homeland of these artistically gifted people lies in northern Sarawak.

At the Miri Handicraft Centre at Jalan Brooke, all of Sarawak's handicrafts can be found under one roof. Craftsmen and women often ply their trade here, happy to chat with visitors and explain the details of their handiwork.

One unique feature of Sarawak crafts are beads. These colourful trinkets have been used for centuries, not only for personal

decoration but also as a form of currency, for dowries, and for spiritual purposes. The Orang Ulu are well known for their beadwork, such as their unique beaded baby carriers.

Penan women plait distinctive black-and-white mats and basket, some so fine as to be almost waterproof! The Orang Ulu prefer natural colours for their mats, baskets and hats, enlivened by colourful glass beads.



Native basketry



Visitors admiring the Kelabits in their traditional costume



Saberkas night market

Markets - Day and Night

Fresh jungle and farm produce are sold at the Tamu Muhibbah, located at the city centre. Besides familiar vegetables, there are rainforest delicacies like fern tops, edible leaves and mushrooms, sago grubs... visitors may not like to eat all of these, but they make irresistible photos!

The Saberkas weekend market is held at Saberkas Commercial Centre, from Friday evening till Sunday noon. Products ranging from handicrafts, jungle produce and seafood delicacies are available at reasonable prices. At night, the market really wakes up, with music, food stalls and a throng of weekend revelers.



Bargain store





Festivals and Events

Miri's calendar of festivals reflects the city's many-leveled society. Everybody, even if originated from one religious or cultural group, celebrates festivals and events! Many of these festivals change from year to year; telephone contacts are given so visitors can ascertain the exact date.

Gong Xi Fa Cai Bazaar
Annual Chinese New Year Street Stalls Sale
Date: January/February
Place: Kingsway and High Street
Miri Municipal Council & Miri Chinese Chamber of Commerce & Industry
Tel: (6 085) 432570

Shell Traffic Educational Games
Annual Road Safety Campaign
Date: February
Place: Taman Bulatan Miri
Sarawak Road Safety Council & Miri Municipal Council
Tel: (6 085) 424111

Soon Hup Mountain Bike Challenge
Miri Mountain Bike Club
Date: 3rd/4th Weekend of March
Tel: (6 085) 423589

Borneo Cup Yachting Challenge
Date: April/May
Place: Miri Marina
Sarawak Sailing Association
Tel: (6 085) 655313

Miri City Day Celebration
Grand Stage Performances,
Miri City Parade and etc
Date: May
Various locations
Miri Municipal Council
Tel: (6 085) 424111

Bakam Challenge Duathlon
(25km jungle cycle, 10km run)
Date: Last Saturday of May
Miri Hash House Harriers
Tel: (6 085) 656797

Miri Tua Pek Kong Temple Cultural Troupes Procession
Cultural activities organised in conjunction with anniversary celebration
Date: May
Place: Major streets in the city centre
Miri Chinese Charitable Trust Board
Tel: (6 085) 417700

Miri Deep Sea Fishing
Regional deep sea fishing activity
Date: May
Place: South China Sea
Miri Anglers Club
Tel: (6 085) 413550

Miri International Jazz Festival
Date: May
Tel: (6 085) 434180



Gawai Dayak Celebration

Date: May/June
Place: Miri Civic Centre
Miri Resident Office
Tel: (6 085) 433202

Triathlon - International Sport Event

Date: June
Ministry of Social Development and Urbanisation
Tel: (6 085) 472552

Preview of Rainforest World Music Festival

Date: July
Tel: (6 085) 434180

Borneo Car Sprint

Date: August
Miri Motor Sports Club
Tel: (6 085) 423033

Miri Cultural Heritage Week

Week-long cultural activities and handicraft sale/exhibition
Date: September
Place: Miri Heritage Centre, Jalan Brooke
Miri Municipal Council, Miri Heritage Centre
Tel: (6 085) 453691

Lambir Hills Rainforest Nature Challenge

Extreme run through rugged rainforest terrain
Date: September
Place: Lambir Hills National Park
Tel: (6 085) 415560

Baram Rowing Regatta

Date: September
Majlis Daerah Marudi
Baram Regatta Secretariat
c/o Majlis Daerah Marudi
Tel: (6 085) 755755



Pasar Bulan Ramadhan

Popular Street Stalls Bazaar selling food & drinks during the Muslim fasting month
Date: Ramadhan (September/October)
Various locations
Miri Municipal Council
Tel: (6 085) 433505

Annual Borneo Ballbreaker

(Extreme hashing event - up to six hours jungle run)
Date: Last Saturday of October
Miri Hash House Harriers
Tel: (6 085) 656797

Annual Halloween Hash Fancy Dress

Date: October
Pub Crawl
Miri Hash House Harriers
Tel: (6 085) 656797

For details and updates, please check with the Visitors' Information Centre or visit www.sarawaktourism.com



Lambir Hills Rainforest Nature Challenge



Al Fresco



Cherrie Berries

Dining

Eating out is a Malaysian pastime, and the good folk of Miri are no exception. The offer is unlimited: food outlets range from fine dining, exotic foreign restaurants and bistros to roadside food stalls.

Western Dining: Many restaurants and cozy cafes serve western cuisine like steaks, fish and chips, a cup of espresso, or a full five-course dinner accompanied by fine wines.

Hawkers' stalls: Day-and-night hawkers offer a unique dining experience at economical rates, ranging from as low as RM3.00 for a bowl of pasta to an elaborate RM8.00 plate of Hokkien Noodles with all the trimmings. Visitors should try spicy Nasi Lemak, a rice dish garnished with peanuts and anchovies, or any of the

dozens of noodle dishes. The drink of choice is 'Teh tarik', sweet milky tea dramatically poured from one jug into another. Food stalls with their plastic chairs and tables are easily recognisable, especially along North Yu Seng Road, Jalan Permaisuri, Taman Seroja, Taman Selera and at the Saberkas Commercial Centre.

Indian food: 'Roti canai' pancakes for breakfast, 'Nasi briyani' rice for lunch and 'Mutton curry' for dinner are commonly available in Miri.

Chinese food: From cheap snacks in the coffee shop stalls to twelve-course dinners fit for an emperor, Miri has it all. The main cuisines represented here are Cantonese, Hokkien, Foochow and Hakka.

Korean, Japanese, Thai: The international hotels and a number of select restaurants offer these cuisines to discerning diners.



Finest selection of food



LISTING OF FOOD OUTLETS & RESTAURANTS IN MIRI

2000 Café • 2020 Cafe • 88 Food Centre

ABC's Sea Food Restaurant • Ah Kwang Café • Airy Cafe
• Alex Rojak Delight & Drink • Alfresco Side Walk Cafe
• Anisa Food Corner • Anna's Delight • A-One Restaurant
• Aseanika Catering (5) • Asian Delight • Atrium

Ban Hup Café • Base Camp Café • Big Head Café • Bilal Res
• Blue Ginger Restaurant • Boulevard Café • Bulatan Café (2)
• Boulevard Restaurant • Brightness Cafe • Brighton Cafe

C&P Café • Café De Continentale • Café Hee Bing Leau
• Café Miri • Café Wang Siang Leau • Cafenika & Catering
• Castle Seafood Restaurant • CGS Vegetarian Café • Chill Out
• Chai Soon Café • Chan Man Food Cafe • Chan Soon Cafe
• Chen Kee Cafe • Chong & Law Eating House • Chop Jui Heng
• Chopstick Coffee Shop • Con-V • Corner Foods & Drinks Ctr
• Country Chicken Rice • Cup N Ccino Cafe

Daddy'S Family Restaurant • Dairy Farm Giant Retail Sdn Bhd
• Dave Deli • De La San Café • Dynasty Chinese Restaurant
• Eating House Food Court • Ekonomi Food Ctr(2) • Everyday Café

Fajaria Café • Far East Cafe • Feng Mei Yuan Café
• Fook Hai Food Ctr • Fook Pan Café • Fook Seng Coffee Shop
• Fortuna & Company • Fu Cheng Café • Full Fragrance Cafe
• Fun Lin Cafe

Galaxy Seafood Ctr • Golden Arches Restaurant • Golden Café
• Golden Dragon Café • Golden Dragon Res • Good Choice Garden
• Good Taste Bak Kut Teh • Goldensales Sdn Bhd

Hai Ou Café • Happiness Food Centre • Happy Garden
• Hiek Lik Cafe • Hin Hin Cafe • Hing Loong Café • Ho Kee Café
• Ho Poh Asso. • Hock Guan Café • Hock Hua Restaurant
• Hoe Lai Café • Honey Vegetarian Café • Hup Lee Café
• Hong Bing Coffee Café • Hong Wan Charcoal Bbq.
• Hot Spot Bistro & Bar • Hua Kiew Café • Hua Leong Cafe

IBBQ • Ipoh Hainan Chicken Rice • Islamic Restaurant

Jamilah Café • Jasmine's Cafe • Jieh Fo Yuen Vegetarian Res.
• Jin Jin Cafe • Joy Cafe

Kabor Café • Kedai Kopi Soon Een • Kedai Makan Rasa Segar
• Kedai Makanan Hong Wah • Khans Bilal Restaurant Sdn. Bhd.

• KFC (4) • Khaz Cafe • Kim Seng Cafe • Kingwood Cafe
• KK Cafe • Kok Chee Restaurant • Koo Jun Sun
• Krokop Dimsum Cafe • Kuan Heng Café • Kwang Tung Café
Lai Pin Wan Cafe • Lam's Noodle House • Lian Soon Café
• Leong Kee Coffee Shop • Li Ann Café • Liang Sin Res
• Ling Garden Coffee Shop • Liverpool Cafe • Lizon Café
• Long House Fast Food • Lu Siang Lin Vegetarian • Lutong Café

Madli Satay & Food Corner • Mama's Grill & Pub • Miri Cafe
• Marta Enterprise • Masdan Kitchen • Max Expresso
• Maxim Delicious Food • Mayang Sari Enterprise • Ming Seng Café
• Mee Coffee House • Mee Yuan Cafe • Meng Kee Café

• Merbau Food Ctr
• Ming Chai Seafood
• Miri Village Funeral Asso.
• Mutiara Cafe



Nagaliar Nasi Lemak • Nam Siong Café • Nasi Dagang Restoran
• New Base Camp Café • New Café • New China Cafe
• New Faradale Café • New Siang Siang Café
• New Golden Café • New Kuok Kee Café • Nurzanahs Catering
• New Loke Yuen Café • New Sea View Cafe
• New Tanjong Seafood • New Fun Lin Seafood

Pan Tutu Seafood Café • Patricc De Grill • Perwira Restoran
• Patricc De Grill Food & Drink • Peach Gaden Restaurant & Café
• Pelita Café • Pete's Deli Fast Food • Phoenix Restaurant
• Piasau Corner Food Centre • Pizza Hut Bintang Plaza
• Place Café • Poh Mee Café • Poh Poh Cafe • Poh Seng Café
• Pong's Cafe • Pujut Food & Drinks • Pujut Sea Food Centre
• Pujut Seafood Centre

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Res Nur Firda • Restaurant Star • Restoran Bismi(2)
• Restoran Cm li • Restoran Firuz • Restoran Puteri Puteri
• Restoran Serai Wangi • Restoran Singgah Selalu
• Riam Café • Richmond Innv • Riverland Café

Saji Bumi • Sarasa Café • Sau Pau Bakery Co. • Sayang Café
• Sea Horse Bistro • Senadin Cafe • Senda Shabu Shabu Sdn Bhd
• Seng Guan Cafe • Seng Heng Restaurant • Perwira Restoran
• Seng Kee Char Siew Duck Rice • Seng Kee Food Centre
• Seng Yang Cafe • Sg Manong Café • Ship Café • Sweet Café
• Siang Hua Barbecue • Sin Mui Pin Coffee Shop • Spring Café
• Sin Wan Rojak & Delight Cold Drink Ctr • Sin Yakin Food Ctr
• Sin Yeo Lee Cafe • Sing Mee Hong Café • Soon Lee Café
• Soon Soon Lai Café • Spring Lutong Café • Star Bowl Miri
• Sri Murni Restoran • Sugar Bun Fast Food Ctr (3) • Sunlight Café
Tai Hong Café • Tai Kah Food Centre (2) • Taiwan Cafe
• Taj Restaurant • Tak Seng Coffee Shop • The Ship Cafe
• Tanjong Seafood Restaurant • Tasty Cafe • Tasty Point 2
• Thams Cafe • The Oil Patch Café • The Other Kitchen
• Tian Hiong Café • Tokyo Café • Tzu Xin Yuen Vegetarian
• Tong Fung Café (2) • Tong Seng Cafe • Tudan Café
• Tropical Cool Drinks & Rojak Ctr • Twin Happiness Food Ctr.

U Delight

Vegetarian Delight Eating House • Vo Vo Seafood Restaurant
• Victor Store

Wang Hin Restaurant • Wang Kedai Kopi & Makanan
• Waterfront Seafood Restaurant

Yen Hua Café • Yi Hah Hai Seafood • Ying Yuan Café
• Yong Fong Cafe • Yong Kee Chicken Rice • Yong Lee Cafe
• Yong Seng Hot & Cold Food Ctr • Yu Lai Chun Korea Restaurant
• Yu Lee Café • Yummy Corner

Zi Ji Ren Cafe

Check with your hotel or directory for address and contact.





Miri by Night

Miri is well supplied with entertainment and nightspots. Guests may croon their hearts out at pubs and karaoke lounges, or head for the nearest star-rated hotel nightclub. The music cafes and discotheques offer local and foreign bands and singers with music ranging from R&B, Jazz, Techno, and Rave to the famous Indonesian *Dangdut*.

The lively after-dark scene at Pelita Commercial Centre is concentrated on pubs like Chaplin, Island, Crescendo, The Other Office, Cherrie Berries and others. The festive crowd gathers after 10.00pm, including yuppies, wannabes, expatriates and tourists.



Cultural Walkway of North Yu Seng Road

LISTING OF PUBS & LOUNGES IN MIRI

Alibi Lounge	Maggie Karaoke
All Cheers Coffee House & Pub	Meteor Garden
Alfresco Side-walk Cafe	Miri Airport Executive
Ambai Lalai 3	Monte Carlo Karaoke & Lounge
Barbarino	Night Tango Karaoke
Balcony Cafe & Pub	Power Pub & Lounge
Bird Nest Karaoke Lounge	Power Station Pub & Lounge
Bintang Lounge	Rainbow Pub & Lounge
Blue Pub & Lounge	Ray Pub
Bonsai Music Cafe & Lounge	Relax Musics Cafe
Broadway Lounge	Rupan Lounge
Brother Cafe	Ruai Pemerindang Pub
BTS Pub & Lounge (Bintang Simanggang Pub)	Sarasa Karaoke Pub And Lounge
Cheeries Berries Cafe & Bar	Season Karaoke
Chaplin 339	Shark Pub & Lounge
Coyote Ugly Pub & Lounge	Sport Cafe
County Jamboree Cafe & Pub	Spider Cafe
Datai Pub & Lounge	Sukiyaki Pub & Lounge
De Vogue Cafe Pub & Lounge	Sunflower Lounge
Detroit	Submarine Beer Garden
De' Bubble Pub	Skycity Karaoke Lounge & Pub
D' Pinnacle	Stay Top Music Cafe
Do Re Me	Sk Il Pub & Lounge
Downtown Pub	The Bat, Music Cafe & Lounge
Fire Pub & Lounge	The Cats
Galaxy	The Joint
Gelanggang Kenyalang Pub & Lounge	The Kin Karaoke & KTV Lounge
GTO Lounge	The Oil Patch Cafe
Gun & Roses Music Cafe	The Other Office
Havana Karaoke Pub & Lounge	The Rock Bistro
Hello Dangdut Karaoke Pub & Lounge	The Ship Cafe
Heart Rock Cafe	The Stairs (Hawk United)
High Point Karaoke Pub & Lounge	The Tavern
Island Pub & Lounge	Twister Karaoke KTV & Pub
Jayau Seribu Pub & Lounge	Telaga Kumang Pub & Lounge
Jaka Taruh Pub & Cafe	Tip Top Pub & Eating House
Jifnny Karaoke KTV	Up 2 U Pub & Lounge
Labuan Pub	Venus Karaoke KTV Lounge
Larry's Pub	Wing Music Cafe
Liverpool Cafe	X' Palace Pub & Cafe
Loving Karaoke Pub & Lounge	Yoko Tea House
Manhattan Lounge	
Maligai Pub & Lounge	

Check with your hotel or directory for address and contact.



Miri Marriott Resort & Spa

Accommodation

There is a wide range of accommodation available in Miri and northern Sarawak, from luxury resorts and chic city hotels to budget inns and guesthouses. The National Parks have travellers' hostels and chalets.

MIRI MARRIOTT RESORT & SPA ★★★★★

Jalan Temenggong Datuk Oyong Lawai

P.O. Box 1145, 98008 Miri.

Tel: (6 085) 421121 Fax: (6 085) 421099

E-mail: sales@mirimarriott.com

Website: www.marriotthotels.com/myymc

the perfect place for business and leisure comfort.

With 220 rooms and suites, a free-form swimming pool, world-class Mandara Spa, a modern fitness centre, a wide range of recreational facilities and services, fully-equipped meeting rooms and a grand ballroom, as well as splendid culinary delights in its restaurants, the resort promises outstanding business and vacation experiences.

Miri Marriott Resort & Full-Service Spa is spread over 20 acres of lush tropical gardens, commanding a stunning view of the South China Sea. It is a mere 8km from the airport and 2km from the city centre -





PARK CITY EVERLY HOTEL ★★★★★
 Jalan Temenggong Datuk Oyong Lawai
 Tel: (6 085) 418888 Fax: (6 085) 419999
 E-mail: reservation.pehm@vhmis.com
 A favourite for business travellers, this 168 rooms hotel is located on Brighton Beach, adjacent to the Miri Marina. It runs regular shuttle services to the city.



MEGA HOTEL ★★★★★
 Lot 907, Jalan Merbau
 Tel: (6 085) 432432 Fax: (6 085) 433433
 E-mail: megahot@po.jaring.my
 Website: www.megahotel.net
 Four-star, 228 rooms Mega Hotel is in the heart of the city, right in the business district and within walking distance of the shops in Old Miri, the waterfront, city parks and bustling markets.

GRAND PALACE HOTEL ★★★★★
 2km, Jalan Miri-Pujut
 Pelita Commercial Centre
 Tel: (6 085) 428888 Fax: (6 085) 427777
 E-mail: gpalace@po.jaring.my
 Website: www.grandpalacehotel.com
 A four-star business class hotel with 125 rooms. It enjoys a convenient location, next to the popular food and entertainment commercial complex of Pelita.

DYNASTY HOTEL ★★★
 Lot 683, Block 9, Jalan Pujut-Lutong
 Tel: (6 085) 421111 Fax: (6 085) 422222
 E-mail: dyhlmyy@po.jaring.my
 Dynasty Hotel has a total of 132 guestrooms, elegantly and tastefully furnished, complete with amenities. It also caters for all types of functions, ranging from weddings to private parties.





Budget Accommodation

Miri city offers numerous clean and comfortable budget hotels.

Basic needs such as telephone, air-conditioning, TV sets, writing table and chairs and hot water are normally available. Information about other services (i.e. laundry) is obtained at the reception desk.

Apollo Hotel

Tel: (6 085) 415236 Fax: (6 085) 419964

Apple Lodge

Tel: (6 085) 419696

Benny Inn

Tel: (6 085) 419991

Borneo Lodging House

Tel: (6 085) 436822 Fax: (6 085) 432822

Brooke Inn

Tel: (6 085) 412881 Fax: (6 085) 420899

Chempaka Inn

Tel: (6 085) 438099 Fax: (6 085) 410181

City Inn

Tel: (6 085) 435077

Classy Inn

Tel: (6 085) 412533 Fax: (6 085) 419635

Cosy Inn

Tel: (6 085) 415522 Fax: (6 085) 415155

Crown Prince Inn

Tel: (6 085) 436822 Fax: (6 085) 432822

Dynasty Hotel

Tel: (6 085) 421111 Fax: (6 085) 422222

Fairland Inn,

Tel: (6 085) 413981

Fata Lodging House

Tel: (6 085) 431049

Fully Inn Lodging House

Tel: (6 085) 412541

Genial Inn

Tel: (6 085) 410966 Fax: (6 085) 420816

Gloria Hotel

Tel: (6 085) 416699 Fax: (6 085) 418866

Grand Park Inn

Tel: (6 085) 413315 Fax: (6 085) 419492

Harbour View Inn

Tel: (6 085) 412177 Fax: (6 085) 420871

King Hua Air Cond Inn

Tel: (6 085) 412512 Fax: (6 085) 422330

Kingwood Inn Miri

Tel: (6 085) 415888 Fax: (6 085) 415009

Ku'inn

Tel: (6 085) 413733 Fax: (6 085) 419762

Metro Inn

Tel: (6 085) 411663 Fax: (6 085) 424663

Million Inn Lodging House

Tel: (6 085) 415077 Fax: (6 085) 415085

Miri Hotel (Plaza Regency)

Tel: (6 085) 421212 Fax: (6 085) 412002

Muhibbah Inn

Tel: (6 085) 412003 Fax: (6 085) 431922

Pacific Orient Hotel

Tel: (6 085) 413333 Fax: (6 085) 415508

Palace Inn

Tel: (6 085) 421999 Fax: (6 085) 419199

Park Hotel

Tel: (6 085) 414555 Fax: 6 (085) 414488

Raja Inn

Tel: (6 085) 422422 Fax: (6 085) 421582

Rasa Sayang Inn

Tel: (6 085) 413880 Fax: (6 085) 415085

Richmond Inn

Tel: (6 085) 413289 Fax: (6 085) 413297

River Inn

Tel: (6 085) 415507 Fax: (6 085) 415508

Sarawak Lodging House

Tel: (6 085) 413233

Silverwood Inn

Tel: (6 085) 420577 Fax: (6 085) 420279

Somerset Hotel

Tel: (6 085) 422777 Fax: (6 085) 421234

South East Asia Lodging House

Tel: (6 085) 425582

Tai Tong Lodging House

Tel: (6 085) 411498

Telang Usan Hotel

Tel: (6 085) 411433 Fax: (6 085) 419078

Thai Foh Inn

Tel: (6 012) 8700530

Tropical Inn

Tel: (6 085) 411376 Fax: (6 085) 419177



Royal Mulu Resort

Accommodation at National Parks

Most National Parks provide hostel and chalet accommodation at a reasonable rate.

NIAH, LOAGAN BUNUT AND LAMBIR HILLS NATIONAL PARKS

Tel: (6 085) 436637 Fax: (6 085) 431975

Website: www.sarawakforestry.com

Managed by the Sarawak Forestry Corporation. Accommodation: dormitory style to twin-sharing rooms. Cooking is not permitted; food and drinks are available at the park's canteen.

GUNUNG MULU NATIONAL PARK

Managed by Borsarmulu Park Management Sdn Bhd. Accommodation: shared dormitory, and private rooms. A canteen and souvenir shop are available.

Tel: (6 085) 433561, (6 085) 424436,

(6 085) 424561 Fax: (6 085) 432561

Website: www.mulupark.com

ROYAL MULU RESORT

Tel: (6 085) 790100 Fax: (6 085) 790101

E-mail: sales@royalmuluresort.com

Website: www.royalmuluresort.com

Designed longhouse-style, this relaxing resort near Gunung Mulu National Park is built on wooden stilts, linked by wooden walkways. The resort stands on the bank of the Melinau River, in the midst of a beautiful natural environment.



Gunung Mulu National Park Hostel Guest House



Aerial view of the Marina

Around and About

Touring Miri

Miri City is ideal for strolling — no two places are very far apart. Taxis are always on stand-by, and rental cars are available for visitors who want to venture out of town. Information about travel agencies, rental cars etc are available at any hotel.



Miri Old Town

The bustling Old Town comprising High Street, China Street, Jalan Bendahara and Kingway Street are the heart of Miri. Shops selling Chinese drugs, kitchen utensils, clothing, groceries and all necessities of life, line the busy streets. Goods overflow the premises, right out into the five-foot way.

Miri City Fan

The award-winning City Fan is a complex of theme gardens, an amphitheater, a public library with a state-of-the-art ‘Electronic library’, a public swimming pool and an indoor stadium.



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