
Asia Life

Posted by linsi - 2007/05/01 01:58

John suggested to start with the General Forums for the lighter topics as they discuss on how to work and come up with AO's new layouts and design for this particular channel.

Suggestions about the following topics:

Asian lifestyle and fashion
Asian food and health
Asian customary traditions
Tropical medicines in Asia
Asian shopping and Travels
etc...

Hope others could also suggest their own concepts to add dynamism and encourage more members to participate in posting and discussions in Asia Observer.

I'll try starting off with articles.

Best Place to Find Your Inner Sufi
Tomb of Baba Shah Jamal. Lahore, Pakistan

A grave may seem an unlikely setting for a celebration, but every Thursday night the derelict tomb of Baba Shah Jamal in Lahore, Pakistan, attracts those seeking spiritual ecstasy through dancing, drumming-

read more:

http://www.time.com/time/specials/2007/best_of_asia/article/0,28804,1614524_1614477,00.html

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Best Fortress
Mehrangarh Fort. Jodhpur, India

Regarded purely as a piece of real estate, Jodhpur's Mehrangarh Fort has location, location, location. Its rounded buttresses rise like the sides of a rocket, straight out of a singular hill of solid rock. To say this palace comes with unobstructed views would be an understatement: in its shadow, the barren beginnings of the Thar Desert stretch for as far as the eye will allow.

more on:

http://www.time.com/time/specials/2007/best_of_asia/article/0,28804,1614524_1614473,00.html

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Drinking in Lhasa

Tibetans will go to the grasses, put up colorful tents, and dance while enjoying the wine, which shows the charm of Tibetan wine culture.

The Deji Street in Lhasa is a center where you will find all kinds of Chinese delicious food, including Sichuan cuisine, hotpot, delicacy western food, bars, etc.

more--

<http://www.tibettravel.info/lhasa/eating/drinking.html>

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It is a tradition for the philippines
to have "noche buena" and gift giving

we had a meaningful christmas
in reaching out-

i just hope this would serve as an encouragement
to all of us here to join hand in hand because
we used the internet to do this and it was done!

(internet friends from:
singapore, new york, jeddah, italy, hong kong, malaysia, philippines)

to reach out--

http://farm3.static.flickr.com/2238/2171054589_42996bebe3_o.jpg

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Posted by linsi - 2008/06/07 08:15

can i say now that the mobile phone is
a part of Asia life?

"It is relatively robust, relatively small, you don't need a desk, you don't need to be in a particular place.

"And you don't have to be literate to use them or speak English. These are all constraints when it comes to operating a computer," she explains.

80 homes in 16 cities in countries as diverse as
India, Malaysia, South Korea and China.

In many of these places,
the mobile phone has emerged

as the predominant form of new technology.
China alone has more than
200 million mobile phone subscribers.

In Malaysia, about a third of the population
of 24 million has a mobile and the percentage
is even higher in countries like South Korea.

"We can learn lessons from why
the mobile phone has been successful in Asia

Dr Bell told BBC News Online.

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