

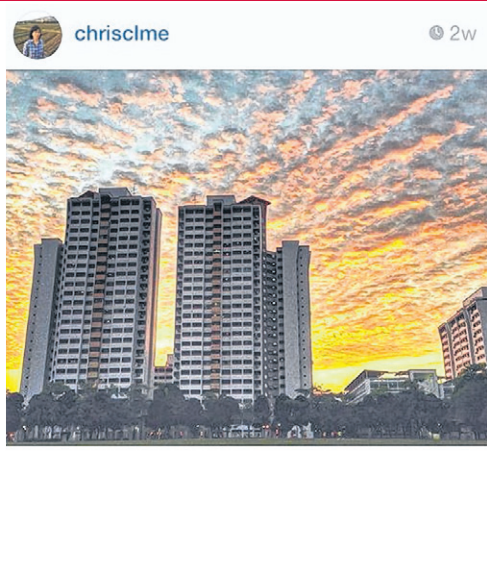
# #myspotinthedot

THIS WEEK: WEST



You have snapped photos of your favourite spot in our Little Red Dot and told us why you like it for The Straits Times #myspotinthedot National Day contest. Today, we feature some people's favourite spots in Singapore's west.

\* We will announce the winners of the National Day Parade tickets next week.



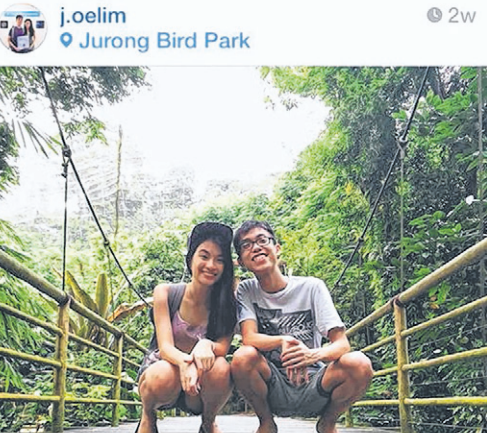
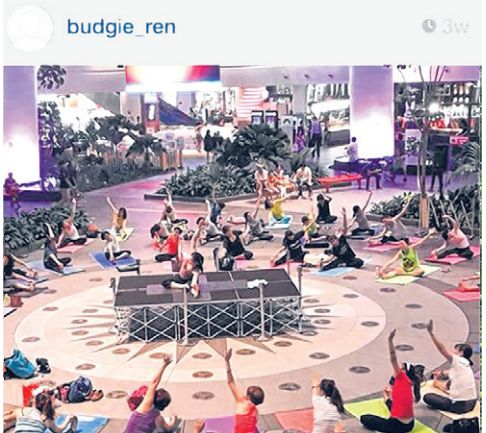
**@gurjeevaan**  
My family and I used to take trains to Malaysia. Back then I used to stand at the door to see the nature of Singapore, and the train used to jerk a lot. Now to relive my memories I cycle on the very same tracks on Bukit Timah Railway.

**@davustarls**  
I tell you...Pink makes everything pretty #prettypink #scarletibis #ohwatchmewatchme #jurongbirdpark #myspotinthedot #bird

**@chrisclme**  
#myspotinthedot is the lovely Toh Guan Road where I call home. From where I live, I find that I can watch the sky break into resplendent sunset every day.

**@eternal\_sentinel**  
Peacefulness appears in the simplest of things.

**@doting\_dad**  
Though we are a small country we are not short of great places for families to bond, like West Coast Park where we love to come to run, cycle and climb!



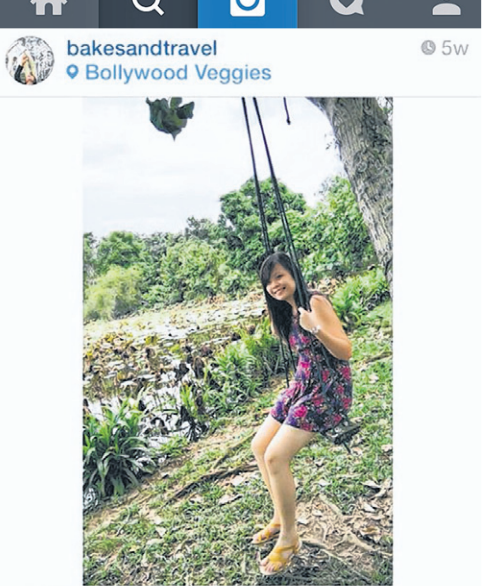
**@thecrazyidiot**  
My experience in PPL Shipyard is awesome, from making new friends from other parts of the world to learning new things from them and their experiences. I would say this is one motivation that drags me out of bed at 5am to go to work.

**@budgie\_ren**  
The Chinese Garden is my spot in the dot as it is a great place to relax and soak in the beautiful landscape. The lantern festival held there is also something not to be missed.

**@pmkong88**  
Bukit Timah Railway Station is old, rusty and rocky, just like my own life. I went through twists and turns; there were more downs than ups. Most of the time, I lived on rocky edges. I need to be tough, otherwise I will really rock and roll and rot.

**@budgie\_ren**  
The Star Plaza at Star Vista is my spot in the dot. It provides fitness enthusiasts the opportunity to have a great workout with activities such as yoga, kickboxing, zumba and hip hop dance. This spot unites Singaporeans from all walks of life to interact in this "Circle of Life".

**@joelim**  
The Jurong Bird Park is #myspotinthedot as my girlfriend and I would frequent this area for photo taking and relaxing walks. There are many hidden gems within the bird park, so discover them for yourself! :)



**@bakesandtravel**  
Gone are the days when swings can be easily found at the sand playgrounds in our neighbourhood. So what can be better than discovering a swing among the greenery in our garden city?

**@vincentchew4059**  
This Toast Box outlet is my favourite spot as I like to spend quality time with my wife chit-chatting over a cup of traditional coffee. I hope the future generations of Singapore can enjoy more quality time to have dialogues and not just rely on messaging with smartphones.

**@foodie\_tl**  
Bukit Gombak Stadium is where I enjoy jogging three times a week. It clears my mind and freshens me up when I'm surrounded by nature, seeing beautiful trees and hearing birds sing. My motivation is ignited further as I run alongside fellow joggers with the same goal of keeping fit.

**@titusaurus**  
Youths enjoying a game of captain's ball at West Coast Park. A delightful enclave near my home, my eye candy during evening runs with a view of small boats, ships and gorgeous sunsets, and many happy families spending time together over healthy activities. Feeling thankful!

**@privateryan39**  
This unicyclist resting in Dairy Farm Nature Park at my favourite spot after a jog reminded me that Singapore has always been a unicyclist - one with no additional wheel to provide the hinterland that our neighbours had, but yet emerged unscathed and reasonably prosperous after 50 years!

