

GIGS

Lee Seung-gi In Singapore
Known as the ballad king, Lee Seung-gi has had numerous hits such as Because You're My Woman and Will You Marry Me. He is also an actor with leading roles in popular dramas such as Brilliant Legacy (2009), My Girlfriend Is A Nine-Tailed Fox (2010) and A Korean Odyssey (2017).
WHERE: Zepp @ BigBox Singapore, 1 Venture Avenue **MRT:** Jurong East **WHEN:** Tomorrow, 7pm **ADMISSION/INFO:** \$138 - \$248 from apactix.com

Wanna One World Tour
K-pop boyband Wanna One will have their first full-scale concert here. Despite debuting less than a year ago, the 11-member group have already garnered major local and international music awards.
WHERE: Singapore Indoor Stadium, 2 Stadium Walk **MRT:** Stadium **WHEN:** July 13, 8pm **ADMISSION/INFO:** \$128 - \$348 from apactix.com

LiSA LIVE Is Smile Always - Asia Tour
Dubbed Japan's rock heroine by the media, LiSA has headlined both anime and rock festivals and sold out large venues in Japan such as the Saitama Super Arena. She has performed in the United States, Mexico, China and South-east Asia.
WHERE: Zepp @ BigBox Singapore, 1 Venture Avenue **MRT:** Jurong East **WHEN:** July 21, 7pm **ADMISSION/INFO:** \$98 - \$148 apactix.com

CHARITY

Great Eastern Charity Car Wash & Carnival
Purchase the "waterless" car-wash packages and have your car washed by volunteers from Great Eastern General Insurance. You can also enjoy games and activities and win attractive prizes. All the money raised will go to The Straits Times School Pocket Money Fund.
WHERE: Block 8 Dempsey Road (behind Ben & Jerry's), Dempsey Hill **MRT:** Botanic Gardens **WHEN:** July 14, 9am - 6pm **INFO:** great110.com

YMCA Proms @ The Park
Organised by the YMCA of Singapore, this event brings together corporate volunteers and beneficiaries for an outdoor concert and picnic. This year, the YMCA expects to host at least 500 beneficiaries from various voluntary welfare organisations.
WHERE: The Lawn @ Marina Bay, 8A Marina Boulevard **MRT:** Downtown **WHEN:** July 21, 2 - 7pm **ADMISSION/INFO:** Free **INFO:** ymca.org.sg

TALKS

Cholera Pandemic, Transnational Politics, The Cold War In South-east Asia And China (1961-1965)
Dr Fang Xiaoping, whose current research interests focus on the history of medicine, health and disease in 20th-century China, will discuss the cholera pandemic in South-east Asia and China, and analyse the disease and its spread in the context of transnational politics.
WHERE: EAI Conference Room, 06-01 Tower Block, NUS Bukit Timah Road **MRT:** Botanic Gardens **WHEN:** Today, 3.30 - 5pm **ADMISSION:** Free **TEL:** 6516-3715/6779-1037 **INFO:** E-mail james_tan@nus.edu.sg or go to research.nus.edu.sg/eai

BreadTalk Group Career Sharing
The workshop will provide insights into the BreadTalk Group's brand portfolio, its different divisions, as well as the career paths, progression and internship opportunities it offers. There will also be an on-site demonstration for participants.
WHERE: Room 336 Suntec City, 3 Temasek Boulevard **MRT:** Promenade/Esplanade **WHEN:** Tomorrow, 9 - 10.30am **ADMISSION/INFO:** Free, register at worldskills.sg

Inclusive Business Forum
This forum organised by SG Enable, an agency dedicated to enabling persons with disabilities, encourages companies to embrace inclusive hiring and guide potential employees to improve their skills and confidence for better prospects. The keynote speakers are Mr Jim Sinocchi, head of disability inclusion at JPMorgan Chase & Co, and Ms Susan Hwee, head of group technology & operations at United Overseas Bank.
WHERE: Grand Hyatt Singapore, 10 Scotts Road **MRT:** Orchard **WHEN:** July 25, 1.30 - 5pm **ADMISSION:** Free, register at ibf2018.sg **INFO:** E-mail organiser@ibf2018.sg

A Librarian's World - Early Advertising In Singapore
The National Library reconstructs the life and lifestyles of Singapore based on print advertisements from the 1830s to 1960s. Learn about the country's fashion trends across different cultures and eras, as well as the early days of its local hospitality,

GigsPicks

Eddino Abdul Hadi
Music Correspondent recommends

ANDREW LIM: ARTLESS STATE
Guitarist Andrew Lim (right), a familiar face in the home-grown jazz scene, takes the spotlight as bandleader in a gig that features his original music. Known for his collaborations with acts ranging from Jeremy Monteiro to Rani Singam, his Esplanade show features a band also comprising pianist Tan Weixiang, bass player Benjamin Poh and drummer Aaron James Lee.
WHERE: Esplanade Recital Studio, 1 Esplanade Drive **MRT:** Esplanade **WHEN:** Tomorrow, 8pm **ADMISSION:** \$28 for standard tickets, limited \$20 concession tickets for students, full-time national servicemen and seniors. Go to www.esplanade.com or Sistic (www.sistic.com.sg) or call 6348-5555)



DAUGHTRY LIVE IN SINGAPORE 2018
Fronted by singer and former American Idol contestant Chris Daughtry, the band best known for hits including It's Not Over (2006), September (2009) and Over You (2006) will be back in Singapore. They recently released a single, Backbone, taken from their upcoming fifth album, Cage To Rattle.
WHERE: Zepp@Big Box Singapore, 1 Venture Avenue **MRT:** Jurong East **WHEN:** Wednesday, 8.30pm **ADMISSION:** \$128 and \$168 from Sistic, \$148 and \$188 at the door



RATOS DE PORAO
Brazilian veterans Ratos De Porao (above) have influenced many punk, hardcore and metal bands since they started out in 1981. The Sao Paulo quartet play their first gig in Singapore, which also features home-grown acts like punk band The Maniacs, noise outfit circuitrip and metal band Violent Pacification.
WHERE: Blue Room Films, The Projector, 05-00 Golden Mile Tower, 6001 Beach Road **MRT:** Nicoll Highway **WHEN:** Tomorrow, 10.30pm **ADMISSION:** \$30 from theprojector.sg/filmsandevents/ratos-de-porao-brazil/, \$40 at the door



MAJESTY - METAFORA EP LAUNCH
Majesty (left), who are launching their EP at this show, might be a relatively new name but the members are all veterans of the home-grown Malay rock scene. The band are led by singer Hanafie Warren, best known for fronting 1980s Malay rock band The Unwanted, while the rest of the line-up comprise members of longtime bands Helter Skelter and Rockers.
The gig features opening sets by Outcry and Ismail Gani.
WHERE: Scarlet City, 04-02 Ang Mo Kio Hub, Ang Mo Kio Avenue 3 **MRT:** Ang Mo Kio **WHEN:** Sunday, 4.30pm **ADMISSION:** \$25, call or message 9069-1369 to purchase tickets

WICKED AURA 15TH: STILL MAKING FIST
Home-grown percussive rock band Wicked Aura (right) celebrate their 15th year with this headlining show which also includes an Afro-Brazilian rhythm workshop as well as guest performers including electronic artist/singer Weish and Stompin' Ground bassist and Bushmen frontman Syed Mahdzar. The gig also features opening acts Samba Masala and Sintoxicat.
WHERE: Anaki Records, 37, Lorong 23 Geylang, 07-02 **MRT:** Aljunied **WHEN:** Tomorrow, workshop at 5.30pm, concerts at 7.30pm **ADMISSION:** From \$25, go to wickedaura15.peatix.com/



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F&B and entertainment industries. The speakers are assistant manager Akshata Patkar, librarian Goh Yu Mei and associate librarian Fiona Lim.
WHERE: Possibility Room, Level 5 National Library Building, 100 Victoria Street **MRT:** City Hall/Bugis **WHEN:** July 26, 7 - 8pm **ADMISSION/INFO:** Free, register at the library's eKiosks or go to www.nlb.gov.sg/golibrary2

discussion and comment on two original poems submitted by participants.
WHERE: Shelford Green, 9 Shelford Road **MRT:** Botanic Gardens/Tan Kah Kee **WHEN:** July 29, 2 - 5pm **ADMISSION/INFO:** \$60 **INFO:** E-mail jkoh@singaporeunbound.org to register

FESTIVALS

Cosfest XVII: Reunite At NTUC Club Downtown East
One of Singapore's mega cosplay conventions, this year's edition will see the inaugural water-themed cosplay programme - Cosfest WaterWorld - happening at Downtown East's newly expanded waterpark, Wild Wild Wet. It will feature cosplay stars from the region, including celebrity cosplayers Nenko from Taiwan and Indonesia's Rizky, the Asia Cosplay Meet Champion 2017.
WHERE: D'Marquee, Downtown East, 1 Pasir Ris Close **MRT:** Pasir Ris **WHEN:** Tomorrow & Sun, noon - 7pm (Cosfest WaterWorld: Tomorrow, 2 - 5pm at Wild Wild Wet) **ADMISSION:** Free; admission to Wild Wild Wet applies; pre-register to enjoy \$22 event price **INFO:** www.cosfest.com, downtowneast.com.sg

SkillsFuture Festival @ SMU
This two-day event gives visitors a comprehensive overview on emerging skills courses offered.



Catch Lenggang Legenda: Merintis Sejarah (Legendary Lenggang: Tracing Origins) by performing arts ensemble dance group Sriwana at Festa Raya - Malay Festival Of Arts. PHOTO: ESPLANADE - THEATRES ON THE BAY

Take part in micro-lessons and enjoy fringe activities, tech demonstrations and more.
WHERE: Concourse, Basement 1 Singapore Management University, 81 Victoria Street **MRT:** Dhoby Ghaut **WHEN:** July 16 & 17, 10am - 6pm **ADMISSION:** Free **INFO:** myskillsfuture.sg/festival

SkillsFuture Festival @ Bedok
Pick up digital workplace skills from training providers for SkillsFuture for Digital Workplace. Visitors can also learn new skills from community interests groups in the areas of health and wellness, technology, music as well as hobbies and crafts.
WHERE: Bedok Town Square, 208C New Upper Changi Road **MRT:** Bedok

WHEN: July 22, 9am - 9pm **ADMISSION:** Free **INFO:** myskillsfuture.sg/festival

Pesta Raya - Malay Festival Of Arts
The 17th edition of this showcase of the best in theatre, dance and music from the Malay Archipelago features a wide array of programmes for audiences across ages and with different interests, from the otoi (old-timers) to the budak-budak hipster.
WHERE: Various locations around Esplanade, 1 Esplanade Drive **MRT:** City Hall/Esplanade **WHEN:** Thu - Sun, various times **ADMISSION:** Free & ticketed events **INFO:** https://bit.ly/2tWj5ZP

SPORTS

International Champions Cup
The 2018 International Champions Cup football tournament in Singapore, the only Asian host city for this year's series, will feature French Ligue 1 champions Paris Saint-Germain and Europa League semi-finalists Arsenal and Atletico Madrid.
WHERE: National Stadium, 1 Stadium Drive **MRT:** Stadium **WHEN:** July 26, 28 & 30, 7.30pm **ADMISSION:** \$28 - \$388; three-day packages: \$71.40 - \$513.40; tickets at www.sportshubtix.sg & all SingPost outlets **TEL:** 3158-7888 **INFO:** sportshub.com.sg