

Big Picks

**Eddino Abdul Hadi** Music Correspondent recommends

**BOYZONE THANK YOU & GODDING FAREWELL TOUR 2014**  
Fans of Irish boyband Boyzone take note: This gig will be their last in Singapore.  
The show is part of their global farewell tour, which also saw them play the Singapore Indoor Stadium in 2010. The quartet have said that they will break up after the tour ends.  
**WHERE:** The Star Theatre, 04-01 The Star Performing Arts Centre, 1 Vista Exchange Green MRT, Buroa Vista  
**WHEN:** Wednesday, 8pm  
**ADMISSION:** From \$109 from Sistic (go to [www.sistic.com.sg](http://www.sistic.com.sg) or call 6348-5555)

**Irish boyband Boyzone comprise (clockwise from top left) Shane Lynch, Mikey Graham, Ronan Keating and Keith Duffy.**  
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**THE ULTIMATE KAREN MOK SHOW IN SINGAPORE**  
Hong Kong singer-actress Karen Mok's return to Singapore will likely be her last major concert here, as she said in a recent interview. The concert is the first stop outside China of the tour marking her 25-year show-business career.  
With hits such as 'You Turn (Overcast)' and 'Ta Bu Ai Wo (He Doesn't Love Me)' and 30 albums to her name, she has won multiple awards, including three prizes at the recent Singapore edition of this year's Global Chinese Golden Chart Awards showcase.  
**WHERE:** Singapore Indoor Stadium, 2 Stadium Walk MRT Stadium  
**WHEN:** June 15, 8pm  
**ADMISSION:** \$108 to \$239 from Singapore Indoor Stadium box office and SingPost outlets, call booking hotline 3158-7888 or go to [www.sportshubtix.sg](http://www.sportshubtix.sg)



**LUCY ROSE - LIVE IN SINGAPORE**  
British singer-songwriter Lucy Rose returns to Singapore after playing a sold-out show at The Project in 2013.  
She recently released her fourth and newest album, 'No Words Left', a work that received a full score from British newspaper The Guardian, which called it "her most striking (album), conveying the strongest sense of her artistic identity yet".  
**WHERE:** The Pavilion, 01-01 Far East Square, 28 China Street  
**MRT:** Telok Ayer  
**WHEN:** June 14, 7:30pm  
**ADMISSION:** \$50 (go to <http://tix.bit.ly/2WpMU5H>)



**LOUDNESS - RISE TO GLORY TOUR - LIVE IN SINGAPORE**  
One of Japan's most prominent metal bands, Loudness return to Singapore after last playing here in 2017.  
The quartet first made their name in the global metal scene in the 1980s

and are still going strong, releasing their 27th album, 'Rise To Glory', last year.  
**WHERE:** The Pavilion, 01-01 Far East Square, 28 China Street  
**MRT:** Telok Ayer  
**WHEN:** June 16, 8pm  
**ADMISSION:** From \$85 from Sistic

**GIGS**

**Jeong Eun-ji 1st Singapore Concert**  
Jeong Eun-ji, the main vocalist of South Korean girl group Apink for eight years, has released three mini albums since her solo debut. She is bringing her solo concert to Singapore for the first time.  
**WHERE:** Zepp@BigBox, 1 Venture Avenue MRT, Jurong East  
**WHEN:** Sun, 7pm  
**ADMISSION:** \$119 - \$248 (go to [apactx.com](http://apactx.com))

**Wing & Paul Impulse Concert**  
Hong Kong band Beyond's guitarist Paul Wong and drummer Yip Sai Wing, better known as the Drum King of Asia, will perform the group's classic hits such as 'Really Love You', 'Boundless Oceans, Vest Sides and Glorious Years'.  
**WHERE:** Compass Ballroom, Resorts World Convention Centre, 8 Sentosa Gateway MRT, HarbourFront  
**WHEN:** June 15, 8pm  
**ADMISSION:** \$48 - \$199  
**Tel:** 6348-5555

**SHILI & Adi**  
Known for fresh piano arrangements, smooth vocal harmony and unmistakable chemistry, SHILI & Adi are one of the top vocal duos in Singapore. They were part of the international line-up of artists at the Formula 1 Singapore Grand Prix from 2012 to 2015 and had performed at other major sporting events such as the WTA Finals and Singapore Rugby Sevens. They had also headlined events such as Mosaic Music Festival and Marina Bay Singapore New Year's Eve Countdown.  
**WHERE:** Esplanade Outdoor Theatre, Esplanade Drive MRT, Esplanade/ City Hall  
**WHEN:** June 22 & 23, 7.15 &

8.30pm, June 23, 9.45pm  
**ADMISSION:** Free  
**INFO:** [esplanade.com](http://esplanade.com)

**Twice World Tour: Twice Lights**  
K-pop girl group Twice, which have previously toured in Singapore, will be back with their third world tour, 'Twice Lights'.  
**WHERE:** Singapore Indoor Stadium, 2 Stadium Walk MRT Stadium  
**WHEN:** July 13, 5pm  
**ADMISSION:** \$168 - \$288 from Singapore Indoor Stadium box office & SingPost outlets  
**Tel:** 3159-7888  
**INFO:** [www.sportshubtix.sg](http://www.sportshubtix.sg)

**Sheena Easton For Your Eyes Only**  
Fresh from her critically acclaimed London West End leading role in 42nd Street, Scottish singer Sheena Easton will make a rare appearance in Singapore for a solo show.  
**WHERE:** Gateway Theatre, 3615 Jalan Bukit Merah MRT, Redhill  
**WHEN:** July 28, 8pm  
**ADMISSION:** \$108 - \$228  
**Tel:** 6348-5555  
**INFO:** [sistic.com.sg](http://sistic.com.sg)

**CHARITY**

**Singlet-Singapore Cancer Society Stage Against Cancer**  
The annual run aims to raise funds for cancer treatment subsidies, welfare assistance, cancer rehabilitation, hospice care, cancer screenings, research, public education and cancer support group initiatives. It will feature competitive categories of 10 and 15km, and a 5km Fun Run.  
**WHERE:** Angsana Green, East Coast Park MRT, Bedok  
**WHEN:** July 28, 7-10am  
**ADMISSION:** From \$30, students from \$30, register at [raceagainstcancer.org.sg](http://raceagainstcancer.org.sg) closing date: July 7

**TALKS**

**World Blood Donor Day: Special Talk By Singapore Red Cross**  
In this talk to commemorate World Blood Donor Day, which falls on June 14, the Singapore Red Cross will bust myths on blood donation and share the importance of keeping blood donation sustainable in Singapore.  
**WHERE:** Gallery 10, Level 1 National Museum of Singapore, 93 Stamford Road MRT: Bras Basah/Dhoby Ghaut  
**WHEN:** Tomorrow, 2 - 3.30pm  
**ADMISSION:** Free, register at [foh-alltypes.pearl.com](http://foh-alltypes.pearl.com)

**India, A Fast-growing Consumer Market**  
At this seminar, industry experts will cover emerging opportunities and consumer trends in India, market entry strategies of Singapore companies and international brands, as well as the challenges they face and the regulatory landscape, licence requirements and Singapore's free trade agreements with India.  
**WHERE:** Little Red Dot Seminar Room, 10-00 Bugis Junction Office Tower, 230 Victoria Street MRT: Bugis  
**WHEN:** June 20, 9am - 12.30pm  
**ADMISSION:** Free, register at [bit.ly/2WvcUJf](http://bit.ly/2WvcUJf)  
**INFO:** E-mail [inquiries@yusufintegrity.gov.sg](mailto:inquiries@yusufintegrity.gov.sg) for one-to-one consultation

**Malaysia's Pakatan Harapan One Year On**  
Mu Ibrahim Suffian, co-founder and programme director of the Merdeka Centre for Opinion Research, will discuss how Malaysia's new Pakatan Harapan government under Prime Minister Mahathir Mohamad has fared in its first year in office.  
**WHERE:** Iseas Seminar Room 2, Iseas - Yusof Ishak Institute, 30 Hong Mei Kent Terrace MRT: Kent Ridge

**WHEN:** June 19, 10 - 11.30am  
**ADMISSION:** Free, register at [www.iseas.edu.sg](http://www.iseas.edu.sg)  
**Tel:** 6778-0955  
**INFO:** E-mail [admin@iseas.edu.sg](mailto:admin@iseas.edu.sg)

**Helping Children With Specific Learning Needs**  
New findings and methodologies have been emerging to enhance support, intervention and assessment for children with specific learning needs. The 'Uniting Ideas In Teaching Excellence (Suite SPLD) conference will showcase the latest global research covering aspects of behaviour, literacy and emotional support, as well as intervention and assessment for these children.  
**WHERE (MRT):** Pre-Conference: Rex Learning Centre, 05-01, 73 Bukit Timah Road (Little India), Conkret Lifelong Learning Institute, 11 Eunos Road 8 (Paya Lebar)  
**WHEN:** Pre-Conference: June 26, 9am - 4pm, Conference Day 2: June 27, 9am - 1.30pm  
**ADMISSION:** \$265 - \$375 a person, register at [bit.ly/2EKeb7l](http://bit.ly/2EKeb7l)

**CLASSES**

**Pizza Hut Making Workshop**  
Parents and kids can get their hands messy while discovering the art of making the comic Pizza Hut pizza from Pizza Hut chefs. They will learn how to knead dough, make the tomato sauce and get behind-the-scenes look at a Pizza Hut kitchen.  
**WHERE:** 01-69 HarbourFront Centre, 1 Maritime Square MRT: HarbourFront  
**WHEN:** June 16, 9.30 - 11am  
**ADMISSION:** \$50 (father-child pair), sign up at [pizza.hut.com.sg](http://pizza.hut.com.sg)

**Ikebana Workshop of Souami Ryu**  
In this spirit, Midori Iwai will explore the traditions of Souami Ryu, the style of flower arrangement founded by Shinsoo Souami during the Muromachi era more than 500 years ago.  
**WHERE:** Japan Creative Centre, Embassy of Japan, 4 Nassim Road MRT: Orchard (WHEN: June 26, 10.30am - 12.30pm)  
**ADMISSION:** \$50 - \$60  
**Tel:** 9610-3584  
**INFO:** E-mail [4135rsvp@gmail.com](mailto:4135rsvp@gmail.com)

**SPORTS**

**Singapore Grand Prix**  
When the sun sets, the streets of Singapore will light up with the world's fastest racers going wheel-to-wheel at up to 320km/h in the 2019 edition of the Formula One Singapore Airlines Singapore Grand Prix.  
**WHERE:** Marina Bay Street Circuit MRT: City Hall/ Esplanade/ Promenade  
**WHEN:** Sept 20 - 22  
**ADMISSION:** \$98 - \$388 for single-day walkabouts  
**Tel:** 6348-5555  
**INFO:** [sistic.com.sg](http://sistic.com.sg)

**FESTIVALS**

**Singapore Night Festival**  
The Bras Basah-Bugis district will transform into an ethereal wonderland over two weekends in August. Watch the facade of iconic landmarks light up, familiar spaces turn into art and the animated storytellers entice the crowd.  
**WHERE:** Bras Basah & Bugis districts MRT: City Hall/Bugis  
**WHEN:** Aug 23 - 31, 7.30pm - midnight  
**ADMISSION:** Free, ticketing charges apply for selected programmes  
**INFO:** [nightfestival.sg](http://nightfestival.sg)