

SPECIAL
POINTS OF
INTEREST:

- Dinner arrangements changed due to lack of numbers
- Drinks/dinner 29 December now at Mordersto's Restaurant, Elizabeth Hotel
- Need to email Teik your details for Drinks/dinner on 29 December
- No coach tour
- Visit to school 30th December being rearranged - email Teik numbers
- New Year being rearranged - email Teik your details

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SPECIAL "HURRY-UP" ISSUE

FEBRUARY 2005

Arrangements For Dinners Changed

Although many people have still sent intentions to come, there has been a slow response to bookings through Di Flett for the Dinners and Coach Tour.

Since the responses have been lower than expected the prices for the original dinners and tour went up significantly.

As a result, the plans for

- **Welcoming drinks and dinner for 29 December 2005;**
- **Coach tour on 30 December ending up at school; and**
- **New Year's Eve Dinner on 31 December**

have changed.

With the help of Karen Schouten (Faber), Jane Warren and Mucki Tan we have had to come up with an alternative plan.

Continue to book your flights

Book Now!

Although many people have said they would come and many still do so, we need your commitments as early as possible **to ensure the right size venue is booked and the right deals on cost are struck.**

Di has negotiated the price of accommodation directly with the hotel and unfortunately to avoid currency fluctuations where she

and/or accommodation through Di Flett. The target hotel is still the Miramar - a mid-level hotel chosen to suit all intending to come, but remember Asian hotels are of better quality.

Do not book through Di for the dinners and coach tour.

The new plans are based around Pay As You Go and are as follows:-

Drinks/Dinner 29 December

Mucki is organising this at Mordersto's Restaurant (Elizabeth Hotel branch). Arrive from 5PM and for S\$25 pay-at-the-door, there will be a variety of finger food, satay etc & 2 drinks in the lounge. Separate dinners can then be booked there as you arrive (advisable due to potentially heavy bookings locally).

Visit to school

The coach tour is out. We are currently arranging a visit to

school on the 30th with people arriving by their own steam (MRT Station close by) in the mid-afternoon and we hope to organise a barbeque there from 5PM with BYO barbeque food & drink.

More details will come to you through the year.

New Year's Eve Dinner

This is currently being organised and details will come to you through the year. If there is a DJ as well as food/drink, about 100 attendees will mean a cost of about S\$170 pp.

The idea is for people to book directly with the restaurant so that you can pay with credit cards etc.

More bulletins will be sent out as this plan develops.

To help plans move forward please Email me with your details (see next page).

will end up with a loss, bookings for the hotel need to be made and paid by 31 March.

For those of you who have not been to Asia lately be aware that rooms and flights are not easy to book if you try late in the year.

So book your flights and/or hotel with Di now

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I am aware that some people are making alternative travel & accommodation arrangements - **please email me of your attendance as we still need to be aware of potential numbers (and see above for dinner bookings).**

SIS/UWCSEA REUNION

Email Teik teikoh@iinet.net.au with:-

Subject line: UWC RE-UNI

-Names for 29th & ages of children attending

-Numbers for 30th at school

-Names for NY Eve & ages of children attending

Book travel & accommodation through

distkildatravel@bigpond.com

Di has asked for people to be aware of her booking conditions (attached to this email)

WHY DO WE NEED TO BOOK NUMBERS SO EARLY?

1. **Restaurants & hotels in Singapore book out early for Christmas/New Year, as forewarned years ago.**
2. **To get the best price-deals for all, numbers need to be known and negotiated early.**

People booked at mid February

Here are the people who have booked so far :

Jenny Ferrie (van Ellemeet) and family,

Alisdair Ferrie & family,

Karen Faber (Schouten) & family

Sarah Warner (Dyer) & partner

Katie Warner (Shaw) & partner

Ian Stagg

Teik Oh & partner

Martine Royal & family

Carol Lynch (Tasker) &

partner

Adrienne Pearson (Earle)

Pat D'Costa (Robinson)

Robert Royal & family

Harriet Mantell & Dave Hanna

Jane Warren & partner

Carole Douglas (Broome)

Jenny Pawley (Gough)

Roz Lamb (Pulliston)

Didi Chisum (Saewert) & family

Wendy Blomberg

Lynette Meyer & partner

Paul Curtis & family

Counting partners and children, 47 people have booked so far.

We have not heard from some strong supporters of the reunion yet and hope to get bookings from them soon (you know who you are!).

If you have not booked so far, book now or at the latest by 31 March to help us get the negotiations right and avoid disappointment.



Lynne (Anna) Thompson, Babsi Friislund, Chris Kohl, Pat D'Costs, Heather Marr