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Drukair Launches 'Discover Bhutan' Exhibition at Changi Airport, Singapore

An immersive experience showcasing Bhutan's culture, landmarks, and adventure tourism

Drukair, Royal Bhutan Airlines, in collaboration with Changi Airport Group and the Department of Tourism, Bhutan is proud to announce the launch of the 'Discover Bhutan' exhibition at Singapore Changi Airport. Running from March 10 to April 06, 2025, this immersive experience offers travelers a captivating introduction to Bhutan as a unique and sustainable travel destination.

The exhibition will feature Bhutan's rich cultural heritage, iconic landmarks, and adventure tourism opportunities. Highlights include interactive displays that showcase Bhutan's stunning landscapes, traditional crafts, and popular activities such as trekking through pristine wilderness and participating in unique festivals.

In addition, **Drukair Holidays** will offer curated travel packages to Bhutan, featuring personalized itineraries for cultural exploration, adventure tourism, and spiritual retreats. These exclusive packages ensure travelers experience the best of Bhutan's beauty, culture, and serenity.

Invitation to the Exhibition

We are pleased to extend an invitation to you to visit the 'Discover Bhutan' exhibition, located at the Changi Airport Terminal 3, near Rows 7 and 8. Guests will have the opportunity to explore Bhutan's breathtaking landscapes and cultural treasures, and discover exclusive travel packages available through Drukair Holidays. We look forward to welcoming you and sharing the magic of Bhutan with you.

Key Details:

Route: Singapore (SIN) – Guwahati (GAU) – Paro (PBH) v.v.

Frequency: Twice Weekly (Flight Schedule below)

DAY	FLIGHT NO	SECTOR	DEPARTURE	ARRIVAL
THUR & SUN	KB541	SIN - PBH	12:30	16:45
WED & SAT	KB540	PBH - SIN	07:50	15:55

**Note: All times in local. Schedule is subject to change.*



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"We are deeply grateful to Changi Airport Group and the Department of Tourism, Bhutan for their support in bringing the Discover Bhutan Exhibition to life. At Drukair, we are proud to connect Bhutan to the world, offering seamless travel and curated travel experiences. This exhibition is a great way to showcase Bhutan's unique culture, and we hope it inspires travelers to explore the beauty and serenity of our country. Thank you to everyone who made this possible – we look forward to welcoming visitors to Bhutan soon".

— Mr. Tandi Wangchuk, CEO, Drukair

"We are thrilled to partner with Drukair and the Department of Tourism, Bhutan, to bring the 'Discover Bhutan' exhibition to Changi Airport. Passenger traffic between Bhutan and Singapore has increased by about 30% from pre-Covid levels, reflecting the attractiveness of Bhutan as a unique and inspiring destination. With Drukair's direct flights between Singapore and Paro operating twice weekly, Changi Airport is proud to be a gateway for Bhutanese travellers to the world and for international visitors, including Singapore residents, to discover the magic of Bhutan."

— Ms Li Hongyi, Associate General Manager, Changi Airport Group

"We are excited to showcase Bhutan's rich cultural heritage and stunning landscapes at the Changi Exhibition 2025. This platform allows us to connect with international travelers and share what makes Bhutan a truly unique destination. We invite visitors to immerse themselves in the beauty of Bhutan through our engaging displays and cultural performances. We look forward to welcoming you to Bhutan," said

— Mr. Damcho Rinzin, Director, Department of Tourism, Bhutan

About Drukair

Drukair Corporation Limited, operating as Drukair – Royal Bhutan Airlines, is the national flag carrier of the Kingdom of Bhutan. Established in 1981, Drukair currently operates scheduled flights to 10 international destinations across 6 countries within the South Asian region and beyond from its base at Paro International Airport. In addition to its international routes, Drukair services 3 domestic destinations within Bhutan and offers helicopter services to enhance its range beyond fixed-wing operations.

About Drukair Holidays

Drukair Holidays is the holiday wing of Drukair that provides a complete and smooth travel experience. Our focus is on offering luxury tour packages that align with Bhutan's sustainable tourism practices to protect and preserve Bhutan's unique environment and culture for future generations by focusing on high value and low volume tourism policy.



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FAQ

1. Why should travelers visit Bhutan?

Bhutan is a unique destination with breathtaking landscapes, rich culture, and a strong commitment to preserving its environment and traditions. Visitors can explore ancient monasteries, hike pristine mountains, and enjoy vibrant festivals. Known for its Gross National Happiness philosophy, Bhutan prioritizes well-being by focusing on harmony with nature and cultural values over material wealth.

2. What makes flying with Drukair a unique experience?

Flying with Drukair offers a unique experience that captures the essence of Bhutan. Passengers enjoy stunning views of the Himalayas, especially during the approach to Paro Airport, nestled in a mountain valley. Onboard, travelers are welcomed with traditional Bhutanese hospitality, including local snacks. Drukair pilots are specially trained to navigate the challenging terrain, ensuring a safe and smooth flight. As the national carrier, Drukair provides easy connections to international and domestic destinations while promoting eco-friendly practices, in line with Bhutan's environmental values. Overall, flying with Drukair is a seamless blend of culture, adventure, and natural beauty.

3. How can travelers book a trip to Bhutan?

Travelers can book flights to Bhutan through Drukair's official website, Drukair ticketing offices, or authorized travel agents. Given that Bhutan requires a visa for most visitors (except those from select countries), booking a comprehensive package through a licensed tour operator is highly recommended. Drukair Holidays - the holiday wing of Drukair, offers curated tour packages that include visa arrangements, accommodation, guided tours, local transportations, flight, etc to ensure a seamless and enriching travel experience.

4. What is the weather like in Bhutan and when is the best time to visit?

Bhutan is a year-round destination. There are four seasons: summer (June to August), autumn (September to November), winter (December to February) and spring (March to May). But because of the range of altitudes in the country, and the influence of the north Indian monsoons, the climate is incredibly varied.

In the south, the humid, subtropical climate is fairly consistent year-round, with temperatures between 15 degrees Celsius and 30 degrees Celsius. Central Bhutan, with its temperate forests, has a more seasonal climate, with warm summers and cool, dry winters. The northern regions are much colder during winter. Because of the high altitude, mountain peaks are snowy year-round, and the lower reaches remain cool in summer.



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In summer, the Indian monsoon season runs from late June or July to late September, mostly affecting the southern regions. Most farming activities take place in the summer, when crops thrive in verdant landscapes.

Autumn, from late September or early October to late November, follows the rainy season. It is characterized by bright, sunny days and some early snowfall at higher elevations. It's the season of feasts and festivals as farmers reap the fruits of their work.

From late November until March, the crisp, clear and sunny winter sets in, with frost throughout much of the country and snowfall common above elevations of 3,000 meters. The winter northeast monsoon brings gale-force winds at the highest altitudes through high mountain passes, giving Bhutan the name Drukyl, which means Land of the Thunder Dragon in Dzongkha (Bhutan's national language).

Bhutan's generally dry spring starts in early March and lasts until mid-April. It is a botanist's delight, with nature in full bloom. Summer weather commences in mid-April with occasional showers and continues until late June.

5. Does Drukair offer charter flight services?

Yes, Drukair offers charter flights, which can be arranged either as part of Drukair Holidays travel packages or as standalone services. Whether you are seeking customized travel or more exclusive experience, charter flights offer flexibility in terms of travel dates and destinations beyond Drukair's regular network.

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