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A perspective photo shot taken during the visit by the President Ibrahim Mohamed Solih to the Maldives Marine Expo 2023 and ADEX Maldives event held from 15th-18th March 2023 at Central Park, Hulhumalé



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NBAM holds its 3rd Executive Board Meeting for 2023



The 3rd Executive Board Meeting of NBAM was held at M. Bageecha Kuri. At the meeting, President briefed the Executive Board of NBAM on the current works that are being carried out by NBAM. The Executive Board Meeting is held monthly to discuss industry issues and update the board on the current works of NBAM. The meeting is chaired by President of NBAM Mr. Ismail Hameed.

NBAM took part in Monthly Stakeholders Meeting at Tourism Ministry



NBAM President, Ismail Hameed took part in the Monthly Stakeholders meeting organized by Ministry of Tourism, along with Maldives Marketing and Public Relations Corporation (MMPRC), Maldives Association of Tourism Industry (MATI), Maldives Association of Travel Agents and Tour Operators (MATATO), MAYA Maldives (MAYA), RAM, National Hotel and Guest House Association of Maldives (NHGAM), Airport Reps, and Airlines.

Meeting with Tourism Ministry Regarding Foreign Tourist Vessel



National Boating Association of Maldives (NBAM) participated in a meeting along with MAYA at Ministry of Tourism regarding Foreign Tourist Vessels Regulation. This comes with certain issues raised by the boating community regarding the procedures of foreign vessel regulation, and its overall operational procedures in Maldivian territorial waters.

NBAM represents Maldives at Dive Mena Expo 2023 in Dubai



National Boating Association of Maldives (NBAM) has taken part at Dive Mena Expo segment within the 38th Annual Dubai International Boat Show held at Dubai Marina in Dubai, United Arab Emirates.

The event Dubai International Boat Show is considered the largest gathering of boating industry in the Middle East and a great platform for the marine industry enthusiasts and businesses.

NBAM is taking part at Dive Mena Expo segment with the support of Maldives Marketing and Public Relations Corporation promoting the boating and diving tourism.

NBAM's President Mr. Ismail Hameed joined the Panel Discussion at Middle East Yachting Conference 2023



NBAM's President Mr. Ismail Hameed will be joining the Panel Discussion at Middle East Yachting Conference 2023 on 28th February as part of the 38th Annual Dubai International Boat Show.

Mr. Ismail Hameed, President of NBAM joined for a session which focused on the Asia-Pacific which was titled 'Does the Tiger have a Tipping point?' with panelists, Nigel Beatty, Chairman of the Asia Pacific Superyacht Association and David Good, CEO of AIMEX (the Australian International Marine Export Group) and Superyacht Australia. Mr. Ismail commented on the increase of superyachts to the Maldives post-pandemic and how to optimize current policies relevant to the cause to better benefit the Maldivian economy, as current policies have jargoned laws with the government getting the short end of the stick.

The 2023 Middle East Yachting Conference (MEYC), held the day before the opening of the Dubai International Boat Show (DIBS), included a range of sessions and presentations which addressed key issues relating particularly to the development of the marine leisure sector in the region but also globally. A late networking lunch followed the conference presentations.

Jalboot Marine Services Private Limited is pleased to announce the successful completion of the internship batch for 2022



The six-month internship program allowed interns to gain hands-on experience and practical knowledge in the marine industry. The interns were assigned to different departments within the company, including Water Transport, Watersport & Diving, and Marina Management. The ceremony was graced by Charge'd'Affaires of the UAE Embassy, H.E. Mr. Abdulrahman Alshamsi, and the audience consisted of Jalboot's interns, their parents, and the staff of Jalboot.

The internship program was designed to provide opportunities for young individuals to learn from industry professionals and work on real-life projects. The program has been an incredible success, with interns expressing their appreciation for the valuable experience gained during their time with the company.

Jalboot Marine Services Pvt Ltd is committed to supporting the growth and development of young individuals in the marine industry. We believe that our internship program provides an excellent platform for young talents to learn from and contribute to the industry. We have extended permanent job offers to all of our interns, reflecting the success of our internship program and our commitment to nurturing future talent. We look forward to welcoming more interns in the future and providing them with opportunities to grow and excel in their careers.

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Maldives Marine Expo 2023 held in conjunction with ADEX Maldives wraps up successfully with 100+ exhibitors introducing advanced technologies for the marine industry



The flagship event of the National Boating Association of Maldives (NBAM), Maldives Marine Expo held its annual exhibition in conjunction with ADEX Maldives specializing in diving equipments, diving services and dive solutions. Maldives Marine Expo 2023 concluded with over 100+ exhibitors, key sponsorships with MTCC Plc as the main sponsor, Gulf Craft Maldives as the Co-Sponsor and 14 Premium sponsors for the event.

The event saw a highly commercial turnout of visitors, over 50 resorts, numerous businesses relevant to the marine industry in addition to the general visitors. Maldives Marine Expo has established itself as a marketplace platform for the vast marine industry of the Maldives. Recently the market has seen a highly engaged youth segment with new businesses being introduced to the marine industry, mostly for recreational and pleasure segments of excursions, fishing, etc.

Maldives Marine Expo 2024 will return during early 2024 with bigger and better plans. Please contact the hotline for more information.

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NBAM NEW MEMBERS LIST 2023

National Boating Association of Maldives started membership renewal for the year 2023, New Members have joined to our Association this past month.

- Blue K Safari Maldives
- Blushark Enterprises
- Carpediem Maldives
- CASA Retreat
- Damas Company
- DIMO Coastline
- Dune Maldives
- Floating Asia
- Happy Market Trading Company Pvt Ltd
- Island Institute of Tertiary Education
- JLS Yachts
- Liveboard Marine Management Pvt Ltd
- Maldicare
- Maldives Boat Club
- Maldives Island Realty
- Maldives Publications
- Marine Equipments
- Mariyam Rozlyn Saleem (Noah)
- Marselia Maldives
- Palm Tree Marine
- Paradise Safari Tours
- Quick Ezy Maldives
- Radiantheat Travel Pvt Ltd
- Sachika Maldives
- Sea Gear
- Seagull Group
- Silver Sands Boatyard
- Southern Cross
- Top Class Cruising Maldives Pvt Ltd
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<p>1 Referrals to Potential Customers</p> <p>3 Free Listings for Member Boats on Liveboards of Maldives Magazine</p> <p>5 Free website listing for Service Providers and Marine Equipment Sellers</p> <p>7 Special Terms and Prices on Fuel Suppliers</p>	<p>2 Free Consultation about Industry</p> <p>4 Free website listing for Liveboards</p> <p>6 Special Member Packages on Insurance Premiums from Allied Insurance Company (Exclusive for NBAM)</p> <p>8 Special assistance on Regulations and Guidelines</p>	<p>9 Safety Training Opportunities for Crew</p> <p>11 Special Rates for Members to Participate in Maldives Marine Expo</p> <p>13 Members to Members Networking</p> <p>15 Partnership Programme Discounts</p>	<p>10 Invitation to NBAM Events and Gatherings</p> <p>12 Exclusive Benefit in nominating to Maldives National Boating Awards</p> <p>14 Logo on Brochures and address cards / promotions</p> <p>16 Special Discounts from Boating Privilege Partner Businesses</p>
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17 Opportunity to communicate with government and authorities as a team and comment on Regulations

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The ADB Board of Directors meet with the Minister of Tourism



The Executive Director of the Asian Development Bank for the Maldives, His Excellency Mr. Noor Ahmed and the ADB's Board of Directors held a high-level meeting with the Minister of Tourism Dr. Abdulla Mausoom and senior members of staff from the Ministry including Permanent Secretary Ms. Fathimath Nilfa, Director General Ms. Aishath Ali, Deputy Director General Mr. Ali Shinan and Director Ms. Fathimath Shifa.

Discussions at the meeting focused on the Fifth Tourism Master Plan, areas of technical assistance required for tourism development in the Maldives and future collaborations between the ADB and the Maldives.

MMPRC invites journalists from India and Thailand to experience the Sunny Side of Life



As part of the Maldives Marketing and Public Relations Corporation (MMPRC / Visit Maldives) marketing strategies for India and Thailand, journalists from both the countries are currently in the Maldives on a familiarization trip through an invitation by the marketing corporation.

The exposure trip will allow the journalists to experience the Maldives first-hand and grant them access to key destination information which will allow them to share through social media platforms and online media in the respective markets.

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CHINA (SHANGHAI) INTERNATIONAL BOAT SHOW 2023 28th - 31st March 2023



CIBS is the flagship exhibition focus on the full value chain of boat industry in Asia. Under 26 years of development since 1996, CIBS has become the most historical boat show in China, exhibits boats, boat equipment & accessories, boat service and water sports etc. CIBS is aiming to be the leading business platform with outstanding quality and value for the entire boat industry, providing a professional business environment for exhibitors and buyers all around the world. As one of the platinum members of IFBSO, CIBS has greatly promoted the development of Asian yacht industry.

CIBS 2023 will be held at Shanghai New International Expo Centre (SNIEC) on the 26th anniversary, to celebrate with entire industry and colleagues. In CIBS 2023, We will discuss the future of the marine industry around the breakthrough and entry point of industry innovation. Through the exhibition, forum and on-site events, CIBS 2023 will continually strengthen the platform, meanwhile serve the entire industry effectively by Internet Plus.

More information on the events' official website, www.boatshowchina.com/en

INTERNAUTICA 2023



18th - 22nd May 2023

INTERNAUTICA is renowned as the most important traditional Adriatic Boat Show. It offers visitors a variety of possibilities to get in touch with latest nautical novelties just before the start of the new sailing season. It has a significant impact on the regional leisure marine industry market and sales results.

INTERNAUTICA is an excellent business platform offering many opportunities for professional meetings, various events, sport and social events, generating endless possibilities for new business relations. Most importantly, INTERNAUTICA is much more than just a boat show. With its versatile excellence, business orientation and facilitation of tourism, it plays an important role in positively stimulating regional development and the economy.

More information on the events' official website, www.internautica.org/en

SANCTUARY COVE INTERNATIONAL BOAT SHOW 2023 25th - 28th May 2023



Sanctuary Cove International Boat Show is the most glamorous, immersive, unmissable boating lifestyle event in the Southern Hemisphere – from the luxury lifestyle of the superyacht set to the family fun of messing around with everything on, under and around the water. The latest-and-greatest boating tech and equipment, exclusive waterside VIP experiences and over 45,000 visitors make this Australia's biggest celebration of lifestyles that are exotic and aquatic. What will you discover at the greatest show afloat?

More information on the events' official website, www.sanctuarycoveboatshow.com.au

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