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Marina Bay Sands Builds 27,200 Kits at the Sands Cares Global Hygiene Kit Build with Clean the World

600 Team Members assembled kits as part of the global Sands initiative to support people facing hardship and disasters



Marina Bay Sands Team Members assembling the kits for Sands Cares Global Hygiene Kit Build with Clean the World

SINGAPORE (26 October 2023)– Marina Bay Sands hosted the annual Sands Cares Global Hygiene Kit Build with Clean the World yesterday and assembled 27,200 hygiene kits to support people affected by hardship and disasters in Singapore and the Philippines. The event was part of a global community engagement initiative being held across Las Vegas Sands' properties around the world this fall.

Kits included shower amenities, dental care items as well as a message card, for distribution to beneficiaries under Children International in the Philippines by Clean the World; in Singapore, Marina Bay Sands will distribute the kits to Singapore Red Cross, The Food Bank Singapore and various nursing homes. Around 600 Team Members participated in the kit build. Sands China will also host its annual Hygiene Kit Build in December, building an additional 27,200 kits that will be distributed to those in need.

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“The annual Sands Cares Hygiene Kit Build is an essential part of our community service commitment at Marina Bay Sands,” said Paul Town, Chief Operating Officer at Marina Bay Sands. “It unites our Team Members here in Singapore and with our fellow Sands properties to provide crucial hygiene supplies through Clean the World to on-the-ground service organisations. The event is a great example of how we can literally build relief for people facing hardship and disasters.”



Team Members gathering for the annual Hygiene Kit Build

The Sands Cares Global Hygiene Kit Build with Clean the World addresses two of Marina Bay Sands’ global community engagement programme priorities – providing hardship relief and supporting disaster response and preparedness efforts.

Marina Bay Sands has hosted the annual Sands Cares Global Hygiene Kit Build since 2015. Since then, Team Members around the world have assembled 938,000 kits, in addition to the number being assembled this fall for Clean the World. Other support for Clean the World includes the collection of leftover bar soap by its housekeeping service agents which are donated and recycled into new bars for families in need. Since 2015, Marina Bay Sands has recycled more than 37,000kg of soap bars. Marina Bay Sands also works with Clean the World through the Drop by Drop Project to provide grants to local conservation groups for water stewardship initiatives in Singapore.

“We continue to be awed by the incredible passion of Marina Bay Sands Team Members for the annual Sands Cares Global Hygiene Kit Build,” said Shawn Seipler, founder and CEO of Clean the World Global and chairman of the board of Clean the World Foundation. “Sands’ global events are one of our longest-standing kit-build initiatives, and the thousands of resulting hygiene supplies have helped us provide critical support to organisations who are saving lives and restoring health and hope on the front lines. We extend our deep appreciation to everyone who joined the build – these efforts make a tremendous impact.”

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The Sands Cares Global Hygiene Kit Build is part of the Sands Cares community engagement programme and one of three global Sands Cares initiatives along with the Sands Cares Global Food Kit Build launched in 2022 and the Sands Cares Accelerator, which helps advance non-profit organisations to achieve greater community impact.

Together, these programmes unify Sands' properties around the world to address core priorities including hardship relief, disaster response and preparedness, education, local business and partner development, and cultural and natural heritage. Sands Cares' mission is to help the communities in which Sands operates to remain great places to live, work and visit.

To learn more about Marina Bay Sands' community engagement activities, please visit <http://www.marinabaysands.com/company-information/corporate-social-responsibility.html>

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About Marina Bay Sands Pte Ltd

Marina Bay Sands is Asia's leading business, leisure and entertainment destination. The integrated resort features Singapore's largest hotel with over 2,200 luxurious rooms and suites, crowned by the spectacular Sands SkyPark and iconic infinity pool. Its stunning architecture and compelling programming, including state-of-the-art convention and exhibition facilities, Asia's best luxury shopping mall, world-class dining and entertainment, as well as cutting-edge exhibitions at ArtScience Museum, have transformed the country's skyline and tourism landscape since it opened in 2010.

Marina Bay Sands is dedicated to being a good corporate citizen to serve its people, communities and environment. As one of the largest players in hospitality, it employs more than 11,000 Team Members across the property. It drives social impact through its community engagement programme, Sands Cares, and leads environmental stewardship through its global sustainability programme, Sands ECO360.

For more information, please visit www.marinabaysands.com

About Clean the World

Clean the World Foundation is a nonprofit organization whose purpose is to improve the quality of life of women, children, and communities by providing enhanced access to safe water, sanitation, hygiene (WASH), soap, hygiene education, microfinance programs, and health programs. Clean the World Foundation partners with local governments and nongovernmental organizations to strengthen communities' policies, systems, and infrastructure for generations to come. Since its establishment in 2009, Clean the World Foundation has helped serve over 15 million people and helped provide disaster relief supplies to more than 1.5 million people. To learn more about Clean the World Foundation, please visit <https://cleantheworldfoundation.org>.

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