

A tropical beach scene at sunset. The sun is low on the horizon, casting a golden glow and a long reflection on the water. Several palm trees are silhouetted against the bright sky. In the distance, a long wooden pier or structure extends into the sea. The water is a deep blue, and the sky is a mix of orange, yellow, and blue.

6<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL  
MALAYSIA SUFI RETREAT  
11<sup>TH</sup> - 14<sup>TH</sup> AUG 2017

PORT DICKSON, MALAYSIA

# THE SCHOOL OF SUFI TEACHING

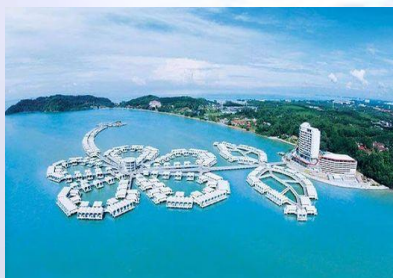
The Malaysia & Singapore Sufi Groups invite students of all the Centers to participate in the 6<sup>th</sup> Annual Malaysia Sufi retreat at Port Dickson, under the spiritual leadership of our beloved Shaykh Hamid Hasan.

In the blessed company and under the guidance of the Shaykh, the Sufi retreat is another opportunity for seekers 'to experience a dimension beyond the material world, to know and return to a spiritual Essence or Truth – which is inherent within every person'.

## PORT DICKSON



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PORT DICKSON BEACH

Port Dickson is a popular beach destination in the state of Negeri Sembilan, Peninsular Malaysia. About 60 kilometers from Kuala Lumpur, Port Dickson, or PD to locals, is about an hour's drive from Kuala Lumpur along the North-South Highway and about 32 km from Seremban.

The beaches of Port Dickson (PD) is a famous weekend retreat for city dwellers.

Port Dickson is more famous for its attractive beaches, ample amenities and good infrastructure.

Day temperature is expected to be around 30-32 degree Celsius, so please pack clothes accordingly.



## DAY VISIT TO THE TOMB OF HAZRAT SULTAN AL-ARIFIN SHAIKH SYED ISMAIL (ra) AT PULAO BESAR ISLAND, MALACCA.

According to sources, Hazrat was born in Baghdad in 1464AD and is the 18<sup>th</sup> descendant of the Prophet (peace be upon him). His spiritual title is Sultan of The Gnostics. Hazrat was instructed by the spirit of The Holy Prophet to go to the Far East to spread Islam. He reached Malacca with some of his relatives and followers.

DO NOT SAY ABOUT THOSE WHO ARE SLAIN IN THE CAUSE OF GOD, THAT THEY ARE DEAD. NAY, THEY ARE ALIVE, YOU DO NOT PERCEIVE IT.

Al-Quran 2:154



Even though he did spend most of his time on the mainland of Malacca, he usually went back to his cell on the peaceful island of Pulau Besar (or Big Island) every evening, by walking on the surface of the sea that separates the island from the mainland (a distance of about 4 miles)!

Hazrat's tomb is a meeting place for people of all faiths who come there to pay homage and receive immense blessings. Insha'Allah we will be doing our group meditation & practices here in the blessed company of our beloved Shaykh.

### RETREAT PROGRAMME

The retreat program will be announced on arrival at the venue. Like our previous retreats there will be daily practices, meetings with the Shaykh, Q&A session with the Shaykh and sharing of personal experience by the students.

## REGISTRATION

For students traveling via Kuala Lumpur please contact Citi at [citi\\_yousoff@yahoo.com](mailto:citi_yousoff@yahoo.com)

For those traveling via Singapore please contact Aishah at [retreat.singapore@gmail.com](mailto:retreat.singapore@gmail.com)

## TRANSPORT

Transportation to Port Dickson from Kuala Lumpur and Singapore will be provided with nominal cost.

Students joining from KL are requested to be at Kampung Warisan, Setiawangsa, Kuala Lumpur at 9am on Friday, 11<sup>th</sup> August 2017.

Students joining from Singapore will board the coach and leave at 7am on Friday, 11<sup>th</sup> Aug 2017.

## COST

Cost of the retreat is RM800 per adult for twin/quad sharing, RM 928 for single occupancy, RM650 for child 4-9 years and RM 700 for 10-12 years.

Cost includes accommodation, meals, transportation to Malacca, Pulau Besar Island round trip; local taxes and miscellaneous expenses. Excludes Kuala Lumpur to Port Dickson and Singapore to Port Dickson round trip.

The retreat will start on 11<sup>th</sup> Aug, Friday 2 pm and ends on 14<sup>th</sup> Aug, Monday 1 pm.

Payment details will be sent to students after receiving their booking confirmation.

VERILY IN THE REMEMBRANCE  
OF GOD  
DO HEARTS  
FIND REST.  
Al-Quran 13:28





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