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CELEBRATE CHINESE NEW YEAR “VICTORIA-STYLE” WITH AFTERNOON TEA AT HGP *Special tea joins Man Tea, Christmas Tea and West Coast Afternoon Tea offered through the year* www.hotelgrandpacific.com

January 30, 2015; Victoria, B.C. – Whether it’s Mom’s birthday, Father’s Day or just a relaxing afternoon of pampering, afternoon tea is the way to celebrate in Victoria. So for Chinese New Year, the Hotel Grand Pacific is offering a special edition of their tea to celebrate the lunar new year!

From February 18 to 28 inclusive, The Pacific Restaurant will offer a [Chinese New Year Afternoon Tea](#), available between 2:00 pm and 4:30 pm. Created by the hotel’s Executive Chef Rick Choy, the menu offers a twist on The Pacific’s regular afternoon tea service with auspicious, Asian-influenced items such as **Dungeness Crab Salad on Lotus Root Cake, Osmanthus Tea Scones and Kumquat Cakes**. Guests also choose from the hotel’s acclaimed tea list, curated by [Silk Road](#)’s tea master, Daniela Cubelic. Priced at \$44 per person, reservations for Chinese New Year Afternoon Tea are required, and can be made by calling 250.380.4458.

The Pacific Restaurant offers a selection of different afternoon tea experiences throughout the year, celebrating different seasons and special occasions. The Pacific’s [West Coast Afternoon Tea](#) is available throughout the year, and is a modern twist on a traditional afternoon tea. Along with the curated tea list, guests enjoy treats showcasing Victoria’s local, regional culinary influences with items such as **Free Run Organic Egg Salad on Smoked Salmon Rye Bread Pudding, Lime and Sweet Chilli Edamame and Pumpkin Spice Financiers**.

To celebrate Father’s Day, The Pacific launched their **Man Tea** last year, bringing together tea, whisky cocktails, meaty bites and board games to treat dear ol’ Dad on his special day. Over the holiday season, the restaurant offers **Christmas Tea**, showcasing everyone’s favourite yuletide treats – the perfect excuse to take a break from gift shopping, catch-up with old friends or just treat yourself. For more information about The Pacific’s different afternoon tea options, please visit hotelgrandpacific.com.

Conveniently located on the Inner Harbour in downtown Victoria, the Hotel Grand Pacific is the perfect choice for the lifestyle traveller seeking an alternative from the traditional branded hotel stay. With 304 spacious guestrooms and suites, the Hotel Grand Pacific is renowned for delivering an exceptional and personalized guest service experience. With a focus on health and wellness, the hotel offers complimentary access to the Victoria Athletic Club, located on-



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site. Relax at our Asian inspired SORA Spa or enjoy West Coast fare in the Pacific Restaurant & Lounge. The Hotel Grand Pacific is a proud member of Preferred Hotels & Resorts Worldwide.

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