

# MYANMORE

22 AUGUST 2014

WEEKLY GUIDE



MY WORD OPEN MIC

RIOTGRRLS:  
CAUSING A COMMOTION

STORY TELLING:  
REALITY FILM FESTIVAL

ASEAN GOURMET FESTIVAL

ITALIAN CHEESE & DELICACIES NIGHT

## EDITOR'S NOTE

### HELLO MYANMOREANS

I'm looking forward to this weekend.

TS1 has their 2nd My Word Open Mic on Friday night. I look forward to seeing new faces sharing their talents in an embracing environment. Also to see familiar ones come up with new stuff.

On Saturday, I'm keen to check out 2 chicks burn up the night @ MOJO. Come on - you guys love it, don't lie. It's double the fun!

On Sunday, we take it easy and nurse that hangover with brunch and Happy Hour all day @ 50th St Bar and then join in their first dart and pool competition. Who doesn't like to win money? Plus bragging rights!

Busy weekend - check!

## WHAT'S ON

### FRIDAY 22ND AUG

#### MY WORD OPEN MIC @ TS1 | STAGE

Come grab the mic and perform! The 2nd My Word Open Mic at the TS.1 Gallery will be on Friday, August 22 6:30 - 9pm. Poets, Musicians, Performance Artists, Storytellers - all are welcome.

📍 TS.1 Gallery - Lanthit Jetty, Seik Kan Tsp | ⌚ 6:30 PM - 9:00 PM

👉 **Closest performers, this is your night. Don't be shy - sharing is caring!**

#### THE YANGON VIBE @ MOJO | NIGHTLIFE

Resident Mr Y is spinning for your pleasure: R&B, party anthems and a dose of house to dance and sing all night.

📍 135 Inya road, Bahan Tsp (Opposite Savoy Hotel) | ⌚ 10:00 PM - TILL LATE

#### LIVE MUSIC NIGHT @ 50TH STREET BAR | NIGHTLIFE

Come and hear their resident band doing great cover songs!

📍 9/13 50th St, Botahtaung Tsp (off Merchant Rd) |

⌚ 8:00 PM ONWARDS

#### FRIDAY PARTY @ THE RENDEZ-VOUS | NIGHTLIFE

Great music from international DJs, an undercover dancefloor and bar surroundings of the Institute's picturesque gardens with fantastic food from our sizzling BBQ!

📍 France Institute - 340, Pyay Road, Sanchaung Tsp |

⌚ 7:00 PM - 2:00 AM

### FRIDAY 22ND - 28TH AUG

#### BEER & MANGA @ GOLDEN KITCHEN TORI | DINING

Purchase one beer, get one beer free! Once per person and per day - just say the password: "Mazinger!"

📍 135 Inya road, Bahan Tsp (Opposite Savoy Hotel) |

⌚ 6:00 PM - TILL LATE

### FRIDAY 22ND - 24TH

#### JOB FAIR @ TATMADAW HALL | BUSINESS

This event is organized by Myanmar Youth Entrepreneur!. Many job vacancies will be offered at this Job Fair. All are welcome!

📍 U Wisara Rd, Dagon Tsp | ⌚ 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM

## WHAT'S ON



### SATURDAY 23RD AUG

#### RIOTGRRLS @ MOJO | NIGHTLIFE

iiwoks and Miss KT are causing a riot. From Japan to London, Riotgrrls are no stranger to the funky vibes of the underground dance scenes with an infectious blend of Electro Tech, Deep House and House.

📍 135 Inya road, Bahan Tsp (Opposite Savoy Hotel) | ⌚ FROM 10:00 PM

👉 **Not one but 2 sexy chicks stirring up the heat! Double trouble coming up!**

#### HTOO EAIN THIN'S MEMORABLE MUSIC FESTIVAL | STAGE

Enjoy one of the most famous songs covered by Myanmar's popular singers: Lay Phyu, R Zar Ni, Myo Gyi, Bo Phyu and many more! Ticket - 10,000Ks, 20,000Ks & 30,000Ks @ 4 TV Showrooms & City Mart Branches.

📍 Myanmar Event Park - Shin Saw Pu Rd, Sanchaung Tsp (near Myay Ni Gone City Mart) | ⌚ FROM 6:00 PM

#### ITALIAN CHEESE & DELICACIES NIGHT @ VINO DI ZANOTTI | DINING

Enjoy the real Italian aperitivo experience at Vino di Zanotti. Walk through our different delicacy's stations and socialize "Italian-style"! US\$60/Person or US\$39/Person for 2 bookings or more. RSVP vinoyangon@zanottigroup.com or Tel: 01 525 935.

📍 61 University Avenue Rd, Bahan Tsp | ⌚ STARTS FROM 6:00 PM

👉 **I believe this is the first time Vino di Zanotti has this event. Start your Saturday evening Italian-style**

#### SPORTS ON THE BIG SCREEN @ 50TH STREET BAR | ACTIVITY

All Blacks v Aussies (rugby Championship) @ 02:05 PM

Everton v Arsenal (premier league) @ 11:00 PM

📍 9/13 50th St, Botahtaung Tsp (off Merchant Rd)

### SATURDAY 23RD - 25TH

#### STORYTELLING REALITY FILM FESTIVAL | ACTIVITY

Documentary and Short Film viewing event at The Yangon Gallery. All films shown will be followed by discussions with the filmmakers. Free Admission!

📍 The Yangon Gallery - People Park, Ahlone Rd (Beside the entrance of My Garden Restaurant) | ⌚ 3:00 PM - 9:00 PM

### SUNDAY 24TH AUG

#### DART & POOL COMPETITION @ 50TH STREET BAR | ACTIVITY

This will be a weekly competition! \$30 bar tab to the winner of darts, and \$30 to pool winner!

All you have to do is turn up on Sunday, enter and win! Darts will be 301! Pool will be knock out!

📍 9/13 50th St, Botahtaung Tsp (off Merchant Rd) | ⌚ FROM 1:00 PM

#### TAPAS NIGHT FEVER @ THE LAB | NIGHTLIFE

15% discount on our international tapas list. Come to the Lab wine & Tapas Bar to enjoy our signature houmous, our hearty burritos or our cheese and cold cut platters to recover from your week end.

📍 70A Shwegondaing Rd, Bahan Tsp (Shwegondaing Junction) |

⌚ 5:30 PM ONWARDS

#### ORIFLAME PRODUCT SHOW | ACTIVITY

Try new products from Oriflame cosmetics and enjoy performances from Myanmar's new singers.

📍 Dolphin Restaurant (Kandawgyi Nature Park) | ⌚ FROM 1:00 PM



## REVIEW



### GINZA TEPPAN-YAKI

BY DANIEL ALEXANDER ROCA

#### WHAT IT IS:

Located in the Ocean Shwe Gong Daing Shopping Center, Ginza Teppan-yaki offers diners the opportunity to watch a chef prepare a meal of grilled meats and vegetables in front of their eyes. They also offer a wide array of other Japanese cuisine, including sushi, sashimi, and tempura while a separate juice bar at the front of the restaurant offers a tempting range of thirst quenching fruit juices and hot drinks.

#### ATMOSPHERE:

The décor is brought to life by the spectacle of having a chef cook food on the flat top grill in front of your eyes. The aroma alone is enough to catch the attention of passersby who get a clear view of the action over the waist high partition that separates the restaurant from the mall. The open front design creates a lively and inclusive atmosphere as opposed to private and intimate.

#### RECOMMENDATION:

The Sliced Beef with Chili & Garlic Teppan-yaki (4,500Ks) and Salmon Teppan-yaki (7,500Ks) could have been left to thaw a little a little longer before landing on the flat-top, resulting in a slightly over dry dish. Moving away from the grill we were pleased to discover the Gyoza (3,000Ks) as well as the Miso Soup (1,500Ks) which tasted exactly like Miso soup should taste. The crispy texture of the fried Salmon Skin Salad (3,000Ks) brought to life a rather plain iceberg lettuce ensemble.

Ginza's stand out feature is the conveniently placed juice bar at the front of the restaurant. If you happen to be walking past this mall on an especially painful Saturday or Sunday morning, I highly recommend the Hangover Cure (3,000Ks). This sweet blend of fruits will easily go down when it seems like nothing else will.

#### PRICE:

Prices for Teppan-yaki run between 3,500Ks-12,000Ks. Other dishes run between 1500Ks and 5000Ks.

#### ADDRESS:

See Listing <http://myanmar.com/yanon/dining-listings/listing/ginza-teppan-yaki-ocean-shwegonetine>

#### OPENING HOURS

9:00-22:00 Daily

## COUPON OF THE WEEK



# TEPPAN-YAKI

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## ARTIST PROFILE

### ARTIST KYAW YIN

Kyaw Yin (born 1978, Rakhine) uses a mosaic of warm colours to paint night life scenes, which create an atmosphere of muted melancholy and solitude. These night scenes show another side to the busy Yangon city life.



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### THIS WEEK'S COVER ART

Artist Kyaw Yin. Image courtesy of Pansodan Gallery. |

www.pansodan.com



## WHAT'S ON



### SUNDAY 24TH - 29TH AUG

#### ASEAN GOURMET FESTIVAL @ CHATRIUM | DINING

Celebration of 47th Anniversary of ASEAN. Join the Opening Lunch and ASEAN Signature Dinner at Chatrium Hotel. \$30 net per person. RSVP - 01-544500.

📍 40, Natnauk Rd, Tamwe Tsp | 🕒 Lunch 12:30 PM & Dinner 6:00 PM

🔥 Savour a smorgasbord of cuisines from across Asean countries. You don't even need a passport! Just bring a ravenous appetite.

### MONDAY 25TH AUG

#### QUIZ NIGHT @ 50 STREET BAR | NIGHTLIFE

Free pitcher of beer for every round winning team! Competition intensifies every week.

📍 9/13 50th st, Botahtaung Tsp (off Merchant Rd) | 🕒 8:00 PM - ONWARDS

#### MONDAY BLUES @ MOJO | NIGHTLIFE

Come and enjoy an evening of quality live blues music by "The Experience band".

Blues night on the stage upstairs!

📍 135 Inya road, Bahan Tsp (Opposite Savoy Hotel) | 🕒 FROM 9:30 PM

#### MOBILE MONDAY | BUSINESS

It is an informal monthly event which enables mobile industry visionaries, developers, and influential individuals to share ideas and collaborate.

📍 Peperoni Pizzeria - (inside Union Business Center), Nat Mauk Rd, Bahan Tsp | 🕒 6:30 PM - 9:00 PM

### TUESDAY 26TH AUG

#### JERRY PEERSON LIVE @ MOJO | NIGHTLIFE

Jerry is a singer-songwriter currently based in Yangon, originally from Seattle - the progressive, indie music capital of the US. He moves effortlessly between the classical guitar and the piano, combining musical styles influenced by Radiohead and The Smiths to Andrew Bird and Fleet Foxes.

📍 135 Inya road, Bahan Tsp (Opposite Savoy Hotel) |

🕒 FROM 9:30 PM

### WEDNESDAY 27TH AUG

#### LIVE MUSIC NIGHT @ 50TH STREET BAR | NIGHTLIFE

Come and hear their resident band doing great cover songs!

📍 9/13 50th St, Botahtaung Tsp (off Merchant Rd) |

🕒 8:00 PM - ONWARDS

#### GIRLS NIGHT OUT @ MOJO | NIGHTLIFE

Meet your besties, savour a complimentary cocktail whilst enjoying groovy tunes from our resident DJ Mr Y.

📍 135 Inya Rd (Opposite Savoy Hotel) |

🕒 8:00 PM - TILL LATE

#### TOASTMASTERS CLUB IN YANGON | ACTIVITY

Toastmasters is a place where people of all abilities can practice and improve their public speaking skills in a fun, supportive and friendly environment. RSVP @ yangon.toastmasters@gmail.com.

📍 The British Club - Alan Pya Pagoda Road |

🕒 7:00 PM - 9:00 PM

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### THURSDAY 28TH AUG

#### FOLK ON FIRE @ MOJO | NIGHTLIFE

Jean Francois Rancourt will once again set the stage on fire with his witty folk songs, in English and in French!

📍 135 Inya road, Bahan Tsp (Opposite Savoy Hotel) |

🕒 9:30 PM - TILL LATE

#### TACO NIGHT @ GOVERNOR'S RESIDENCE | NIGHTLIFE

Head on to the Taco Bar tonight! It has a selection of salads, grilled specialties, desserts and free flowing Corona Beer and margarita.

📍 35, Taw Win Rd (Near American Center) | 🕒 6:30 PM - 9:30 PM

🔥 MYANMORE cardholders get a 25% off total bill. Free flow of beer and margarita AND tequila.

### PROMOTION

#### NEW WEEKLY SUNDAY TANGO CLASS @ MYANMAR TANGO

Argentine Tango is quite new in Myanmar and the first dance class in Yangon entirely dedicated to Tango. Our group consists of dancers at beginners or intermediate level. We meet every Sunday.

Contact: 09 450038820 OR info@myanmar-tango.com

📍 FX Xpress, Malika Housing, Yadanar St, Thingangyun Tsp

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## MYANMORE RECOMMENDS



### GUARDIANS OF THE GALAXY

Directed with an effortlessly light touch by James Gunn, a low-budget maestro of genre films such as 2006's *Slither* and 2010's *Super*, *Guardians of the Galaxy* represents a risky proposition for Marvel on several levels: a director who's never grappled with a project of this scale before, a menagerie of comic-book characters who are hardly household names (even to fanboys), and a tongue-in-cheek B-movie vibe that's more *StarCrash* than *Star Wars*. But give Marvel props, even with all of its mega-success; the studio's still willing to take chances. Here, that risk pays off big-time. The film's a giddily subversive space opera that runs on self-aware smart-assery.

For more of this review, visit [http://www.ew.com/ew/article/0,,20483133\\_20804889,00.htm](http://www.ew.com/ew/article/0,,20483133_20804889,00.htm)

Credit: Entertainment Weekly

## KITCHEN INSPIRATION



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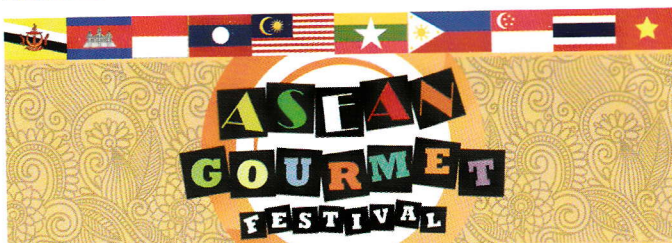
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## PHOTO OF THE WEEK



### FEEDING THE GULLS, RIVER CROSSING, RANGOON, BURMA

BY JACK PICONE

[www.jackpicone.com](http://www.jackpicone.com)

<http://myanmore.com/yangon/events/jack-picone-burma-workshop/>

## THROWBACK



Thadingyut (Full moon of October) is one of the most important festivals on the Buddhist calendar.

It marks the end of the monsoon as well as commemorating the Descent of Lord Buddha from the Abode of the Celestials to the Abode of Humans.

The face of the boy on the postcard looks surprisingly like Twentay Thein Tan, one of the popular male singers in those times (most of his songs were based on the rural lifestyle and these songs enjoyed huge popularity in the villages).

The Burmese script at the bottom of the lantern reads: "For Remembrances".

The artist signature is 'Thein Han'. The postcards would have been printed in 1970s. In those times it was very popular for young budding artists to publish these postcards for the general market.



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### YANGON WALKING TOURS

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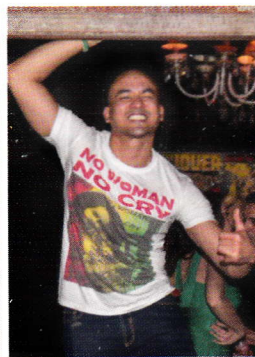
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**BURMESE BEAT  
@ MOJO  
16TH AUGUST  
2014**

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**SINGAPORE NATIONAL  
DAY @ SEDONA  
12TH AUGUST 2014**

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**AUNG MYINT  
ART EXHIBITION  
OPENING NIGHT @ TS1  
15TH AUGUST 2014**

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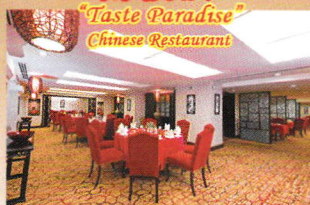


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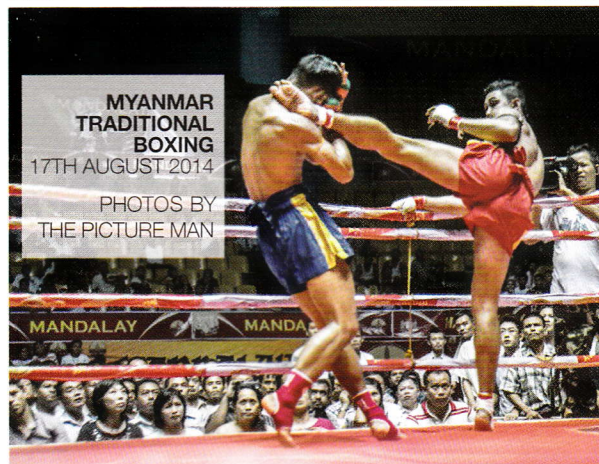
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