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SOMETHING NEW

1. The Hong Kong Observation Wheel - The 60-metre Hong Kong Observation Wheel offers stunning views of Victoria Harbour from comfortable gondolas.

2. Tamar Park - Adjacent to the new Central Government Offices and the Legislative Council Complex, the park offers broad views of the picturesque Victoria Harbour. Spacious green lawns, rolling out like "green carpets", provide a swathe of verdant open space for visitors to stroll or sit. Other park facilities include a landscaped garden, water features, a floating platform, Tamar Corner, an amphitheatre and Tamar Cafe. The Park provides visitors with access to the Central Piers and the Star Ferry Pier via the adjoining Central and Western District Promenade.

3. Golden Bauhinia Square - Home to the reunification monument – the Forever Blooming Bauhinia Sculpture – gifted by the Chinese government to mark the Handover in 1997, Golden Bauhinia Square, along Expo Promenade, is also a top spot for admiring the harbour vistas.

4. Harbour Chill - The HarbourChill, a themed harbourfront space located next to the Wan Chai Ferry Pier, is a harbourfront experimental space co-created by community professionals from all walks of life. Furthermore, taking on board the idea of community development, the Harbour Office has collaborated with Social Ventures Hong Kong (SVhk) in arranging various diversified and innovative activities, as well as providing food and beverages, at the HarbourChill on a non-profit-making basis. There is a special kiosk, WE+ Kiosk, on the lawn selling feature snacks and beverages as well as goods featuring a Wan Chai theme.

5. Water Sports & Recreation Precinct - The precinct provides over twenty two-seater and four-seater pedal boats allowing people to enjoy the panoramic view of Victoria Harbour while bobbling with friends and kids for leisure and sports. Hotel guests can enjoy 20% discount on weekdays and 10% discount on weekends by presenting their keycard upon purchasing tickets.

OLD WANCHAI

1. Tai Yuen Street - often called "Toy Street", where you can collect all the old toys of Hong Kong. By 2006, there was strong debate about the future of Tai Yuen Street. In the government's original plan, they wanted to move all 156 fixed stalls into a new market. After much protest and negotiation, half of the stalls had to move while the rest remains.

2. Blue House - refers to a 4-storey balcony-type tenement block located at 72-74A Stone Nullah Lane, Wan Chai. It is one of the few remaining examples of Tong Lau of the balcony type in Hong Kong and is classified as a Grade I historic building. The building was the original site of the first hospital 'Wah To Hospital', which was built in the 1870s. The construction was acquired by the Government in the 1970s, and the outer walls painted blue.

3. Pak Tai Temple in Wan Chai, Pak Tai is the Cantonese name of the Chinese god 北帝 (The Northern Emperor). Many Chinese celebrate his birthday on April 21.

4. Lee Tung Avenue - known as the Wedding Card Street by locals. The street was famed for the manufacturing of wedding cards and other similar items. In 2003, the Urban Renewal Authority announced it would spend HK\$3.58 billion to redevelop Lee Tung Street and McGregor Street. Finally, the name was confirmed as "Lee Tung Avenue" in October 2015.

5. Woo Cheong Pawn Shop - This iconic four-storey tenement was operated as a pawn shop from 1947 until 2003. It is now listed and protected as a Grade II historic building, and transformed into modern restaurants. Woo Cheong Pawn Shop continues to operate in a smaller scale on Tai Wong Street East.

6. Luard Road - Once famed for its Suzie Wong-style gentlemen's venues, Luard Road & Lockhart Road in Wan Chai have cleaned up their act, and now features a wide variety of colonial-style pubs, sports bars and live music clubs, plus well-known restaurants like the traditional Cantonese Sang Kee Seafood Restaurant, and Boston Restaurant, a nostalgic Hong Kong style steakhouse established since 1966. TSIM SHA TSUI PROMENADE

