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#### Bhutan emerges as net zero carbon emission country

(ET TravelWorld) 16-08-2023 4:27p.m.

A recent report from the World Economic Forum revealed that the eight countries including Bhutan have attained an impressive feat of net ...

... management of its main economic driver, **tourism**. Notably, **Bhutan** charges a **USD 200 sustainable development fee** per day from tourists, ...



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#### Luxury Aviation Experiences for Your Vacation in Asia

(Two Monkeys Travel Group) 17-08-2023 07:48a.m.

If you are planning a luxurious holiday, then a trip to Asia is something you must consider. From the enchanting monasteries of Bhutan high ...

... aviation as your mode of transport. **Top 10 Places to Stay in Bhutan** **Indonesia Travel Guide: 25 Day Trips you can Do in Indonesia** **10 Amazing ...**



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#### Must-visit Instagram-worthy destinations: Top 5 picks

(NewsBytes) 13-08-2023 11:0p.m.

Who wouldn't desire an invigorating Instagram feed that seamlessly blends visually captivating aesthetics with your exciting adventures? ...

... are what the city has to offer. Tucked between China and India, **Bhutan** is a **Buddhist kingdom** in South Asia. The country is known for its ...



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#### Mountain day: 7 most difficult treks for the tough ones

(Verified News Explorer Network) 12-08-2023 6:19p.m.

Mountain day: 7 most difficult treks for the tough ones ...

... intimate encounter with the Sherpa culture. The **Snowman Trek** The **Snowman Trek** crosses 11 high passes in **Bhutan's** Himalayas. It is dubbed ...



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## "In-Between Lives" exhibition open to public

(Kuensel Online) 14-08-2023 1:11p.m.

YK Poudel ...

... richness of **Bhutan** but also resonates on a global level. "As we commemorate a quarter-century of fostering contemporary arts in **Bhutan**, we ...



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### Going underground opens up a whole new world for hospitality

(The Times (eClips Web)) 16-08-2023 1:47p.m.

... "Obviously, you're not going to stay here if you're claustrophobic," concedes Criterion Hospitality's Darija Aziz, the developer behind ...  
... point, its windowless soundproof rooms tapping into the travel **trend** for "sleep **tourism**" — for those prioritising shut eye in response to ...



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### South Africa uses sustainable tourism campaign to attract tourists from the Netherlands, Belgium and Sweden

(Independent Online (IOL)) 16-08-2023 5:45p.m.

When travellers from the Netherlands, Belgium, and Sweden choose to explore the breathtaking landscapes and vibrant culture of this nation ...

... automatically embrace **sustainable** and responsible experiences. Picture: INSTAGRAM/SA **Tourism** In the current era of heightened **sustainable** ...



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### European countries see overtourism as an epidemic

(The Mercury News) 17-08-2023 00:4a.m.

Lacey Pfalz | (TNS) TravelPulse European countries are some of the most popular destinations of the summer, and many of the cities and ...

... new ways for countries to view **sustainable tourism** development by focusing on spreading economic and **tourism** opportunities to rural areas.



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### HCMC set to host international tourism expo

(Vn Economy) 17-08-2023 07:10a.m.

ITE HCMC 2023 from September 7-9 to double the scale of last year's holding.

Minh City will host the 17th International **Tourism** Expo (ITE HCMC 2023), entitled "Connectivity, Growth, **Sustainability**", from September 7-9 ...



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## Wish you weren't here! How tourists are ruining the world's greatest destinations

(The Guardian (eClips Web)) 17-08-2023 09:30a.m.



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## Unlocking Kenya's Potential: A Global Destination of Stability and Growth

(Opera News) 17-08-2023 09:34a.m.

In a remarkable testament to the nation's allure, Meg Whitman , the acclaimed businesswoman and visionary, has taken the world stage to ...

. *Sustainable Tourism and Conservation: Whitman's impassioned endorsement also highlights Kenya's commitment to sustainable tourism and ...*



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## China snubs Canada as restrictions on tourism travel lifted

(The Star Online) 17-08-2023 10:13a.m.

In 2018, nearly 700,000 Chinese visitors came to Canada, spending an average of C\$2,600 per visitor. - AFP OTTAWA (AFP): China -- a major ...

... *in a safe and friendly environment." The United Nations tourism agency (UNWTO) says China grew to be the biggest tourism source market in ...*



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### Bhutan to send largest squad for the 19th Asian Games

(The Bhutanese) 12-08-2023 3:54p.m.

Bhutan will send its largest squad of 28 athletes for the 19th Asian Games in Hangzhou, China from 23 September to 8 October 2023.

... *Bhutan will send its largest squad of 28 athletes for the 19th Asian Games in Hangzhou, China from 23 September to 8 October 2023.*



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### Helping the entrepreneurs

(Kuensel Online) 16-08-2023 0:11p.m.

In what is a welcome sign, entrepreneurs could get much-needed guidance and handholding as they venture into the challenging world of ...

... *world of business and competition through a new online platform. The Innovate Bhutan E-Mentorship Platform has a user-friendly interface, ...*



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### Gomphu Kora Lhakhang needs restoration

(Kuensel Online) 17-08-2023 11:10a.m.

Neten Dorji ...

... , *which once served as the winter retreat for approximately 70 monks from Trashigang Rabdey, stands as a poignant testament to Bhutan's rich ...*



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### Matsutake face sustainability issues

(Kuensel Online) 17-08-2023 11:10a.m.

Sherab Lhamo ...

. This year, the festival that ended yesterday saw people from across the **dzongkhag**, with most of the produce bought by the Amankora chain ...



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## GDP growth slowest, average of 1.5% in the past five years

(Kuensel Online) 17-08-2023 11:10a.m.

Thukten Zangpo ...

... 4.7 percent is based on the estimated figure of the finance ministry. **Bhutan's** economic growth saw an average growth of 5.5 percent between ...



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