

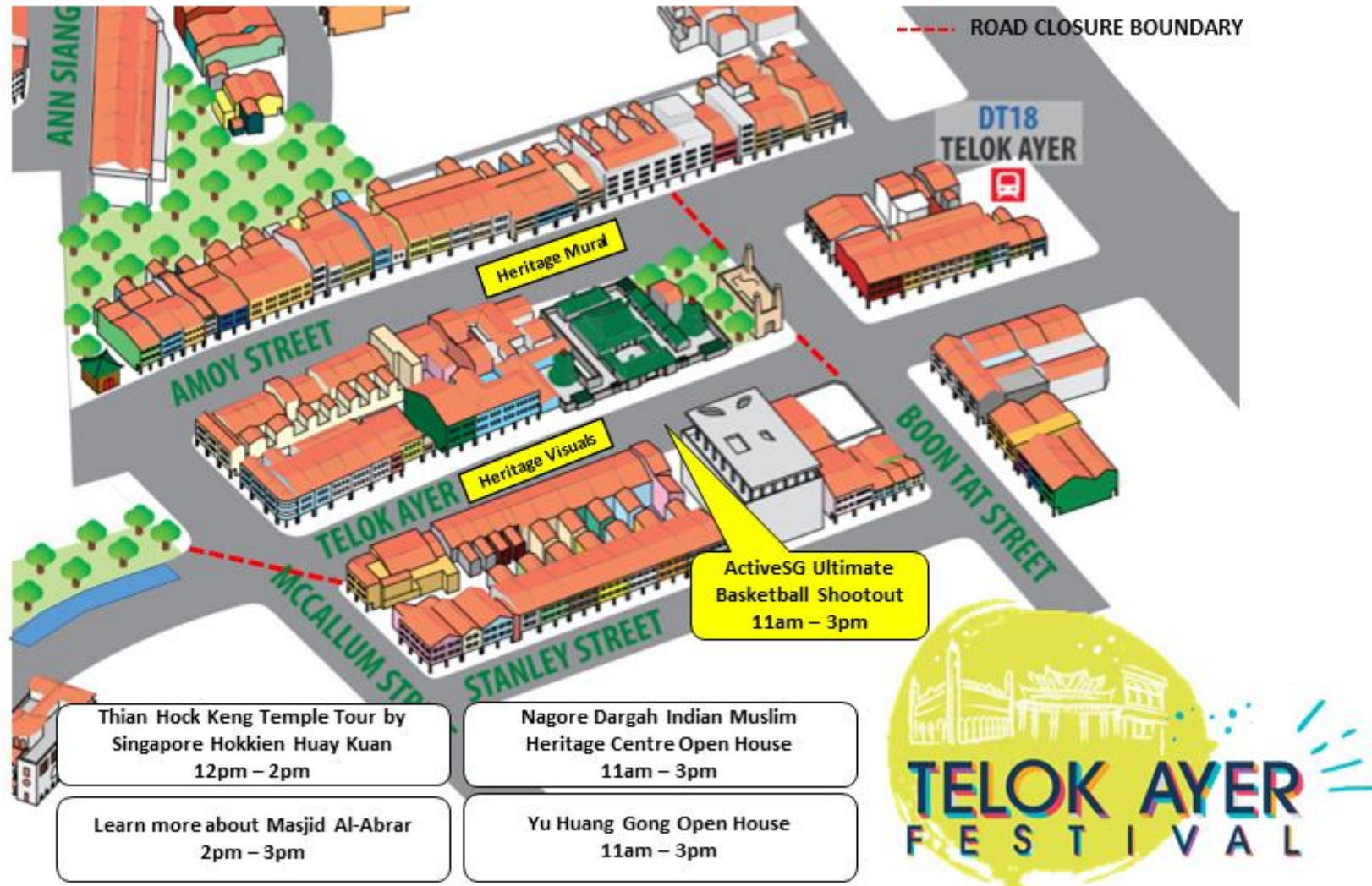
Car-Free Weekend: Telok Ayer Festival on 26 October 2018

Road Closure Information and Map

Time	Road	Type of Closure
11am to 3pm	Amoy Street (as indicated in the map)	Full
	Telok Ayer Street (as indicated in the map)	



Activities at Car-Free Weekend: Telok Ayer Festival on 26 October 2018



Telok Ayer Street is our street of heritage, history and harmony. Learn more about the rich heritage of Telok Ayer by visiting the national monuments which will be open to the public. Telok Ayer Street and Amoy Street will be closed from 11am to 3pm to make the streets more walkable. Come take a pleasant stroll down the streets or simply enjoy the lunchtime buzz.

Thian Hock Keng Guided Tours

Location: Thian Hock Keng main entrance, 158 Telok Ayer Street

Time: 12pm to 2pm

Thian Hock Keng is one of Singapore's oldest and most important temples for immigrants from southern China's Fujian province. Completed in 1842 and standing on what used to be the shoreline, it is dedicated to the worship of Ma Zu Po, the Goddess of the Sea. While most of the building materials came from China, the temple had incorporated cast-iron railings from Scotland and tiles from England and Holland. In 1973, it was gazetted as a national monument. The restoration project received the 2001 Architectural Heritage Award and the Honorable Mention in the 2001 UNESCO Asia-Pacific Heritage Award.

Volunteers from Singapore Hokkien Huay Kuan will be conducting temple tours at regular intervals. To join a guided tour, please meet at the entrance of the temple.

Singapore Yu Huang Gong Open House

Location: Singapore Yu Huang Gong, 150 Telok Ayer Street

Time: 11am to 3pm

Established in 1831, the Former Keng Teck Whay Building is now home to the Taoist temple, Singapore Yu Huang Gong (玉皇宮). Designated as a national monument in 1973, the temple building features beautifully preserved elements like the curved roof ridges with upturned 'swallow tail' sweeps on the ends characteristic of the traditional Hokkien style. Once home to one of Singapore's oldest self-help organisations, the building stands witness to the presence and contributions of the Hokkien Peranakans (Straits Chinese) in colonial Singapore and to the community spirit of mutual aid

among the pioneers. Come visit the monument which will be open for visits.

Nagore Dargah Indian Muslim Heritage Centre Open House

Location: Nagore Dargah Indian Muslim Heritage Centre, 140 Telok Ayer Street

Time: 11am to 3pm

Erected by the Chulia community in 1828, the former Nagore Dargah building is a magnificent eclectic style building that testifies to the community's presence in Chinatown in the past and also to their contributions to early colonial Singapore's economy. The monument underwent major restoration works in 2007 and in May 2011, the Nagore Dargah Indian Muslim Heritage Centre was officially opened, with a new gallery that comprises a multimedia exhibit and storyboard. Come visit the monument to learn more about the pioneers of the Indian Muslim community in Singapore.

Learn more about Masjid Al-Abrar (new)

Location: Masjid Al-Abrar, 192 Telok Ayer Street

Time: 2pm to 3pm

Al-Abrar Mosque is one of Singapore's oldest mosques. Established by the Chulia immigrants who once lived in the area, the present building was declared a national monument in 1974. After the usual Friday congregational prayers, the public can enter the mosque. Visitors should take note that there will still be worshipers in both the male and female prayer halls, even after the congregational prayers are over. There is also a modest dress code (no singlet, shorts, mini dress, exposed back etc.). Ladies who intend to visit may choose to wear a shawl or scarf over their shoulders and a long dress/pants.

Keep a lookout for our promotion board for the participating food & beverage outlets for special promotions that are happening over the three days of Car-Free Weekend!

Dunk It! – ActiveSG Ultimate Basketball Shootout (new)

Location: Telok Ayer Square

Time: 11am to 3pm

Get those shots in as we get the weekend started with ActiveSG's Ultimate Basketball Shootout at Telok Ayer!

Locomole Car-Free Weekend Trail

Location: Telok Ayer

Time: Anytime

Participants can explore the Telok Ayer Conservation Area with the Car-Free Weekend Trail through trail-based smartphone application LocoMole.

The trail allows participants to find out more information about activities at Car-Free Weekend and acts as a real-time GPS to allow users to learn about the interesting history behind places of interest along the car-free streets. The app will also feature promotions at participating F&B outlet at Car-Free Weekend.

The LocoMole app is available for download from the Google Play Store or the Apple App Store. Enjoy 20% off by using the promo code "CARFREE" when you purchase on LocoMole.com.