EDGECLIFF GALLERY@ PENANG HILL

The idea of establishing **Edgecliff Gallery@Penang Hill** was first initiated in 2019 by the Penang State Government and Penang Hill Corporation (PHC). Edgecliff Bungalow (originally named Breaside) was built in 1937 by a Scottish architect, J.C. Miller (1901-1988). It is distinctly perched on a cliff and can best be described as a 'box-like house that features Art Deco aesthetic'.

It was an exceptionally modern piece of architecture, far ahead of its time. There is no question that Edgecliff Bungalow was designed to be a show stopper; its enduring form and structure have withstood the test of time. It stands majestically and imposingly from every corner of the Bungalow, offering dramatic views over Penang and beyond.

Today, Edgecliff Bungalow is reintroduced to the world as **Edgecliff Gallery@Penang Hill**. It has been carefully preserved and conserved; great extends have gone to ensuring that the building never loses its sense of original character, personality and identity.

The Penang State Government and PHC have restored it into an information and education centre (the first of its kind on Penang Hill) for visitors from all over the world, especially for funicular enthusiasts, art lovers, history buffs, researchers and the intellectually curious. The gallery also highlights the designation of Penang Hill and its surrounding areas as a UNESCO Biosphere Reserve, underscoring their significance in biodiversity conservation and sustainable development.

LOCATION

Penang Hill Food Alley
Health Clinic
Angsana Stage
David Brown's Restaurant & Tea Terrace
Little Village
Penang Hill Station
SkyDeck (East)
SkyWalk
EDGECLIFF GALLERY@ PENANG HILL
Upper Tunnel Station
KBB Bungalow
Upper Tunnel Road

OPERATING HOURS
Open Daily 9.30am - 5.30pm
(Last ticket sale is at 4.45pm)
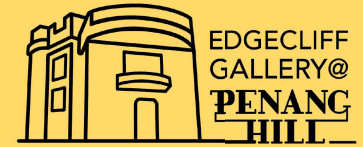
ADMISSION FEES (WALK-INS ONLY)
Adult – RM12.00
Child (4 – 12 years old) – RM6.00
Senior Citizen (Aged 60 years & above) – RM6.00
Differently Abled – Free
Children below 4 years old - Free

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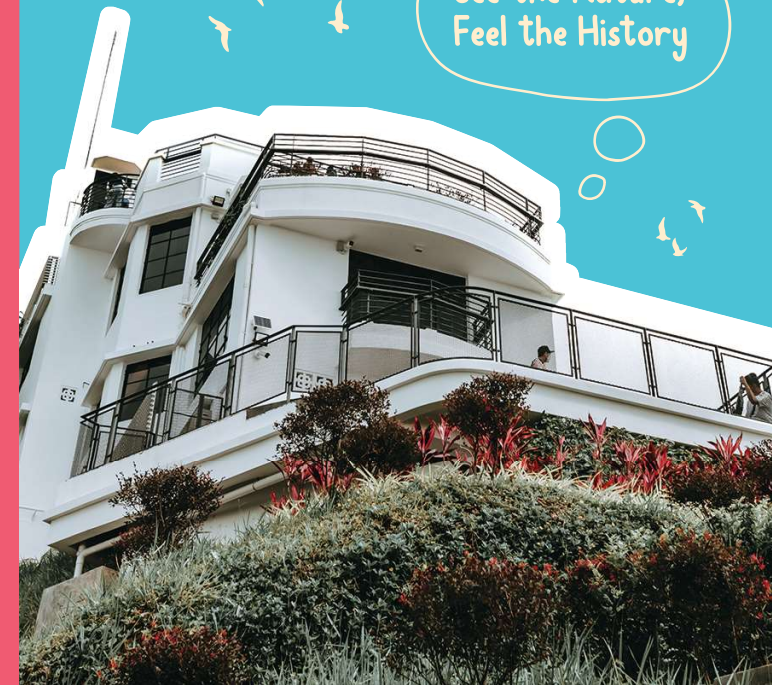
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A Must-Stop to Know Penang Hill

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See the Nature, Feel the History

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Biosphere Reserve

PENANG HILL
BIOSPHERE RESERVE

GALLERIES

EDGECLIFF GALLERY@PENANG HILL

Transport you through time and space, showcasing a comprehensive collection of photographs and stories across five galleries, i.e., Time Tunnel, Biodiversity, Heritage, Funicular, and Cultural.

ROOFTOP

Make a stop at the iconic rooftop of the gallery and enjoy the magnificent view of Penang from above!

TIME TUNNEL

Step into the Time Tunnel, where the past comes alive! This engaging walkthrough whisks visitors on a captivating journey through different eras.

Stamp here

BIODIVERSITY

Penang Hill is a thriving sanctuary, home to over 2,500 species of flora and fauna, including a diverse range of plants like Meranti, Damar Minyak and Orchids, along with adorable wildlife such as the Dusky Langur.

HERITAGE

This gallery showcases the rich history of Penang Hill, including 52 majestic and timeless bungalows built between the late 1700s and the late 1900s.

FUNICULAR

Learn the story of Penang Hill's three generations of funiculars. A standout feature of the gallery is an interactive model that lets you delve into the engineering and mechanics behind the funicular's motion.

CULTURAL

This gallery celebrates the collections of images featuring the community and people on Penang Hill from the 1950's to the present day.

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SOUVENIR SHOP

Make a stop at the iconic rooftop of the galley and enjoy the magnificient view of Penang from above!