

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**Magical World of Bubbles at City Square Mall**

Live Musical Show produced by Jennifer Phillips and directed by Loretta Chen will be part of Christmas Celebrations

Singapore, 18th November 2010 – In celebration of the festive season, City Square Mall, owned and managed by City Developments Limited (CDL) will host “**Santa Bubbles Musical**”, a live musical show that will run for free daily in the mall from 11th to 19th December. The show will be a bubble spectacular about how Santa finds his Christmas cheer with CJ the Bubble Girl.

This half hour musical is produced and choreographed by award winning Hollywood action choreographer Jennifer Phillips who has worked on blockbuster movies and TV serials such as *Pirates of the Caribbean*, *Mission Impossible 3*, *Spiderman*, *Lost*, *CSI Miami* and *Law and Order*. Directed by Dr. Loretta Chen who previously worked with Laura Fygi in the

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musical *Victor/Victoria* and whose directing credits include *Sing to the Dawn*, *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolour Dreamcoat* and the blockbuster magic theatre show *MAGICBOX*, “Santa Bubbles Musical” promises to be a wonderland of hearty cheer and fantastic fun.

On Sunday, 12th December at 4.30pm, CJ will attempt to set a new record in the Singapore Book of Records for the most number of people standing within a soap bubble.

Also, children can have fun at **Santa’s Bubbly Tree** during the Bubbles Playtime from 19th November to 31st December. The 16-metre tall tree will be installed at City Green, City Square Mall’s park. Standing as Santa’s giant hat, the eco-friendly Christmas tree is made from re-used materials and will make a great photo opportunity. **Santa’s Eco-workshops** will be held every weekend from 20th November to 19th December where children can learn how to make snow globes using recycled materials.

Celebrations at City Square Mall also include Christmas carols to delight the young and old. Families can get into the festive spirit with **Melodious Caroling** by the Emmanuel Choir from Church of St. Bernadette on 21st and 22nd December. There will also be a roving balloon twister and a Bubblician to entertain families with magic tricks during weekends.

“When considering Christmas traditions that bring the season to life, all-time family favourites such as Santa and bubbles come to mind. With our thematic musical show and bubbles playtime at the Christmas tree, City Square Mall will be transformed into a magical wonderland for children to play and enjoy. We will be organising eco-workshops during the Christmas period to continue our efforts to share eco-friendly tips while families celebrate Christmas at our mall,” said Mr. Tan Boon Tuck, Centre Director for City Square Mall.



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Shoppers can enjoy a \$3 rebate from their parking fees with a minimum spend of \$30. Other giveaways include Christmas wrappers, gift tags and exclusively designed eco-umbrellas. There will also be a lucky draw to win attractive prizes including family holiday trips, products and vouchers! Free lunchtime parking on weekdays from 12.00pm to 2.30pm (except public holidays) will continue throughout November and December. For more information on City Square Mall's Christmas promotions and events, please refer to Annex A.

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About City Square Mall

City Square Mall is located at the junction of Serangoon and Kitchener Roads and is directly connected to Farrer Park MRT station. Owned & managed by City Developments Limited, City Square Mall is Singapore's first eco-mall and is one of the largest malls in Singapore with 700,000 sq ft of gross retail space. The mall has some 200 tenants that cater to the lifestyle needs of everyone in the family and offers the perfect setting for the community to meet, shop and play while acquiring an eco-learning experience.

City Square Mall is a family-friendly mall recognised by the Businesses for Families Council and is Singapore's first shopping mall to be awarded the prestigious Green Mark Platinum Award by the Building and Construction Authority (BCA) of Singapore.

For more information on City Square Mall, please visit www.citysquaremall.com.sg

BIOGRAPHIES - SANTA BUBBLES MUSICAL

Artistic Director

Dr. Loretta Chen is one of Singapore's most prolific and critically acclaimed bilingual directors. Some of her directorial projects include *13 Shaolin* (a Singapore-China collaboration), *Postcards from Rosa* and *Ten Brothers* which garnered 4 nominations at the Life Theatre Awards including "Best Director". She also directed the Asian Premiere of the Broadway classic, *Victor/Victoria* starring international jazz sensation Laura Fygi and Grammy-nominated trumpeter, Ron King. Her directorial experience includes musicals and magic shows such as *Sing to the Dawn*, *Hiphopera*, *Joseph and the Amazing Technicolour Dreamcoat* and *MAGICBOX*.

Show Producer and Choreographer

Jennifer Phillips, a home-grown fight choreographer, has made a name for herself in the entertainment arena in the United States through ties to top grossing action movies, television and live stage shows. Her distinctive action choreography style and ability to think outside of the box has brought her a long list of achievements with productions such as *Kung Fu Panda*, *Watchmen*, the X-Men franchise, *Twilight: Eclipse*, *Salt* and *Thor*.

Bubble Girl CJ

Caroline J. Cornelius-Jones, better known as CJ, wows and thrills audiences with her very own bubble factory of gadgets and gizmos, capable of making enormous bubbles. Based in Singapore, she has captured the attention of many through her dazzling masterpieces of bubble artistry. Performing in Singapore for the last 8 years, CJ has performed at Helipad, Supper Club, White Rabbit and Zouk in Singapore; as well as for the Royal Family of Malaysia.