MND National Day Observance Ceremony 2015

Singapore has come a long way over the past 50 years! MND’s National Day Observance Ceremony this year celebrated Singapore’s Golden Jubilee and recognised the efforts of some of Singapore’s pioneer generation builders who have contributed to nation-building.

Jubilee Weekend Celebrations at the Singapore Botanic Gardens

It was a weekend full of activities at the Singapore Botanic Gardens over the Jubilee Weekend! The celebrations for Singapore’s 50th birthday included the People’s Variety Show, performances by the Singapore Lyric Opera and The Sam Willows, a Jubilee Weekend Carnival, amongst other activities. PM Lee Hsien Loong also officially named the SG50 orchid Papilionanthe Singapore Golden Jubilee, in celebration of Singapore’s Jubilee year.

Arborists Vie for Accolades in Tree-Climbing Championship

A record 60 arborists came together to compete at the Asia-Pacific Tree Climbing Championship, as well as to demonstrate and exchange knowledge about new climbing techniques and equipment, and safe work practices. Families also gathered at a carnival that was organised, and our young ones even got a chance to try their hand at tree-climbing during the Young Arborist Workshop!

Shaping an Age-Friendly Built Environment: Singapore Universal Design Week 2015

BCA held the second Singapore Universal Design Week that provided a platform for industry professionals and the public to exchange views and share knowledge in building an age-friendly environment in Singapore. The series of events including a conference, workshop, forum and exhibition - held over one week from July to August, reiterated BCA’s commitment to shaping a friendly and all-inclusive built environment.

Singapore Restaurant Month

Do you buy local food produce? In its inaugural run this year, the Singapore Restaurant Month that took place in July to August attracted 50 restaurants to participate. They showed their support for local produce by each creating a new dish using local produce and featuring the dish in their menus. These restaurants presented diners with innovative dishes from both traditional and international cuisines.