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## **Scootin' Back to China and Other Popular Summer Holiday Destinations**

- *Resumption of flights to cities in China, starting with Haikou, Nanning, Ningbo, Shenyang and Xi'an*
- *More flights to China, Athens, Perth, Langkawi, Manado, Sapporo and Tokyo*
- *New flight schedules released for Scoot's Pikachu Jet*

**SINGAPORE** – Scoot, the low-cost subsidiary of Singapore Airlines (SIA), will steadily resume flights to and from China to accommodate strong travel demands in line with the further relaxation of border restrictions. Scoot will also be ramping up flight frequencies across its network, particularly to destinations that are popular for summer travels in Australia, Greece, Indonesia, Japan and Malaysia.

Since travel restrictions were lifted globally in 2022, Scoot has resumed most of its pre-Covid routes, increased flight frequencies to ensure its capacity matches demand and expanded its network with the launch of new destinations such as Jeju, Lombok, Makassar, Miri and Yogyakarta.

### **China**

From now until the end of Northern Winter 2022 (25 March 2023), Scoot will progressively increase its total flights to China from 14-times weekly to 26-times weekly by stepping up flight frequencies to seven of its existing points, comprising Fuzhou, Guangzhou, Hangzhou, Nanjing, Qingdao, Tianjin and Zhengzhou.

The pace of resumption continues into the Northern Summer period, which spans 26 March to 28 October 2023. Scoot will resume flights to Haikou, Ningbo and Xi'an in April 2023, bringing the total number of weekly flights to China to 42-times weekly by the end of April 2023.

With services to Nanning and Shenyang resuming in May 2023, customers can look forward to 57-times weekly flights to China by the end of June 2023.

### **Other Network Updates**

Scoot will increase flight frequencies to travellers' favourite warm-weather destinations, just in time for customers to plan their summer travels. Flight frequencies to Athens will increase from two-times to four-times weekly, flight frequencies to Perth will increase from 10-times to 12-times weekly, flight frequencies to Sapporo through

Taipei will increase from three-times to four-times weekly and flight frequencies to Tokyo through Taipei will increase from 10-times to 12-times weekly. Closer to Singapore, flight frequencies to Langkawi will increase from four-times to seven-times weekly and flight frequencies to Manado will increase from three-times to four-times weekly.

Some adjustments will be made to optimise resources and accommodate other operational considerations. In particular, Scoot services to the Gold Coast will be suspended after 17 July 2023 (last flight out of the Gold Coast). Customers with existing bookings will be notified of their options.

### **New Schedules for Pokémon Air Adventures Flights**

Pokémon Air Adventures, a partnership with The Pokémon Company, continues to be well sought-after by Pokémon fans and others looking for unique experiences. In February 2023, Scoot launched these inaugural themed flights on the Pikachu Jet to Bangkok. In March 2023, the Pikachu Jet will make its way to Taiwan. Customers can choose from eight scheduled flights in March 2023 and six scheduled flights in April 2023. For more information on the Pikachu Jet schedule, please refer to Scoot's [website](#).

Scoot Chief Executive Officer, Mr. Leslie Thng, said, "Scoot has been anticipating the return of travel to and from China and we will scale up operations to meet the demand from this sizeable market. We will also ramp up frequencies to other popular summer destinations as customers continue to seek travel to connect with loved ones, explore new cultures and create new experiences. This year, we aspire to continue redefining value-travel by providing our customers with safe and seamless travel journeys, quality service, differentiated products and experiences at affordable fares."

For more information on the schedule of flights mentioned in this announcement, please refer to Annex A.

#### *Notes:*

- *Due to prevailing travel restrictions, Scoot currently offers 59 destinations for booking as of February 2023. Our full network encompasses 71 destinations across 15 countries and territories in Asia-Pacific, the Middle East and Europe.*
- *Customers must ensure they fulfil all travel and entry requirements before booking a Scoot flight.*
- *All flights are subject to government and regulatory approvals or changes.*
- *In the event an alternative aircraft is deployed in place of the Pikachu Jet due to operational or maintenance requirements, the original inflight offering and experience will not be available.*

**ANNEX A**
**RESUMPTION OF FLIGHTS TO HAIKOU, NANNING, NINGBO, SHENYANG AND XI'AN\*\***

Ningbo (Effective 1 April 2023)					
Route	Flight Number	Frequency	Departure	Arrival	Fleet
Singapore - Ningbo	TR176	Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday	1205	1710	A320
Ningbo - Singapore	TR177	Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday	1810	2320	

Haikou (Effective 2 April 2023)					
Route	Flight Number	Frequency	Departure	Arrival	Fleet
Singapore - Haikou	TR118	Tuesday, Thursday, Sunday	0715	1045	A320
Haikou - Singapore	TR119	Tuesday, Thursday, Sunday	1145	1525	

Xi'an (Effective 2 April 2023)					
Route	Flight Number	Frequency	Departure	Arrival	Fleet
Singapore - Xi'an	TR134	Tuesday, Thursday, Sunday	1910	0035	A320
Xi'an - Singapore	TR135	Monday, Wednesday, Friday	1350	0710	

Nanning (Effective 1 May 2023)					
Route	Flight Number	Frequency	Departure	Arrival	Fleet
Singapore - Nanning	TR114	Monday, Thursday, Saturday	0945	1335	A320
Nanning - Singapore	TR115	Monday, Thursday, Saturday	1445	1845	

Shenyang (Effective 2 May 2023)					
Route	Flight Number	Frequency	Departure	Arrival	Fleet
Singapore - Shenyang	TR156	Tuesday, Thursday, Sunday	0250 / 0300	0940 / 0945	B787
Shenyang - Singapore	TR157	Tuesday, Thursday, Sunday	1055	1755	

**INCREASE IN FLIGHT FREQUENCIES TO FUZHOU, GUANGZHOU, HANGZHOU, NANJING, QINGDAO, TIANJIN, AND ZHENGZHOU\*\***

Guangzhou (Effective 26 March 2023)					
Route	Flight Number	Frequency	Departure	Arrival	Fleet
Singapore – Guangzhou	TR100	Daily	0520	0925	A320
Guangzhou – Singapore	TR101	Daily	1040	1430	

Zhengzhou (Effective 26 March 2023)					
Route	Flight Number	Frequency	Departure	Arrival	Fleet
Singapore – Zhengzhou	TR116	Tuesday, Thursday, Sunday	0130	0655	A321neo
Zhengzhou-Singapore	TR117	Tuesday, Thursday, Sunday	0755	1310	

Fuzhou (Effective 27 March 2023)					
Route	Flight Number	Frequency	Departure	Arrival	Fleet
Singapore – Fuzhou	TR174	Monday, Wednesday, Friday	1035	1515	A320
Fuzhou – Singapore	TR175	Monday, Wednesday, Friday	1615	2050	

Hangzhou (Effective 6 May 2023)					
Route	Flight Number	Frequency	Departure	Arrival	Fleet
Singapore – Hangzhou	TR188	Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday	1635	2135	B787
Hangzhou – Singapore	TR189	Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday	2250	0345 (+1)	

Nanjing (Effective 7 June 2023)					
Route	Flight Number	Frequency	Departure	Arrival	Fleet
Singapore – Nanjing	TR180	Daily	1030	1550	B787
Nanjing – Singapore	TR181	Daily	1705	2225	

Qingdao (Effective 7 June 2023)					
Route	Flight Number	Frequency	Departure	Arrival	Fleet
Singapore – Qingdao	TR186	Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Sunday	0145	0735	B787
Qingdao – Singapore	TR187	Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday	0850	1455	

Tianjin (Effective 10 June 2023)					
Route	Flight Number	Frequency	Departure	Arrival	Fleet
Singapore – Tianjin	TR138	Daily	0130	0735	B787
Tianjin – Singapore	TR139	Daily	0920	1530	

**INCREASE IN FLIGHT FREQUENCIES OF SEASONAL FLIGHTS TO ATHENS, PERTH, LANGKAWI, MANADO, SAPPORO AND TOKYO**

Athens (Effective 26 March 2023 – 28 October 2023)					
Route	Flight Number	Frequency	Departure	Arrival	Fleet
Singapore – Athens	TR712	Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday, Sunday	0535	1155	B787
Athens – Singapore	TR713	Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday, Sunday	1345	0545 (+1)	

Perth (Effective 26 March 2023 – 28 October 2023)					
Route	Flight Number	Frequency	Departure	Arrival	Fleet
Singapore – Perth	TR8	Daily	1200	1700	B787and A321neo
	TR16	Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday	1530	2035	
Perth – Singapore	TR9	Daily	1800	2330	
	TR17	Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday	2135 / 2200 (Wednes- days)	0315	

Sapporo via Taipei (Effective 26 March 2023 – 28 October 2023)					
Route	Flight Number	Frequency	Departure	Arrival	Fleet
Singapore – Taipei	TR892	Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday, Sunday	0610	1055	B787

Taipei - Sapporo (Chitose)		Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday, Sunday	1155	1650	
Sapporo (Chitose) - Taipei	TR893	Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday, Sunday	1855	2235	
Taipei - Singapore		Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday, Sunday	2340	0420 (+1)	

**Tokyo via Taipei (Effective 26 March 2023 - 28 October 2023)**

Route	Flight Number	Frequency	Departure	Arrival	Fleet
Singapore - Taipei	TR898	Daily	0100	0600	B787 and A321neo
Taipei - Tokyo (Narita)	TR874	Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday	0845	1340	
Taipei - Tokyo (Narita)	TR898	Daily	0700	1120	
Taipei - Singapore	TR874	Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday	1500	1925	
Tokyo (Narita) - Taipei	TR899	Daily	1220	1455	
	TR875	Monday, Tuesday, Thursday, Friday, Saturday	2030	2320	
Taipei - Singapore	TR899	Daily	1555	2045	
	TR875	Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday, Sunday	0020	0455	

**Manado (Effective 27 March 2023 - 28 October 2023)**

Route	Flight Number	Frequency	Departure	Arrival	Fleet
Singapore - Manado	TR216	Monday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday	0925	1315	A320
Manado - Singapore	TR217	Monday, Wednesday, Friday, Saturday	1400	1725	

**Langkawi (Effective 29 March 2023 - 28 October 2023)**

Route	Flight Number	Frequency	Departure	Arrival	Fleet
Singapore - Langkawi	TR474	Wednesday, Friday	0820	0940 / 0950	A320 and A321neo
	TR476	Monday, Tuesday, Friday, Sunday	1555	1710	
	TR478	Sunday	1750	1920	

Langkawi – Singapore	TR475	Wednesday, Friday	1030 / 1040	1210	
	TR477	Monday, Tuesday, Friday, Sunday	1755	1940 / 1945 (Fridays)	
	TR479	Sunday	2000	2145	

### PIKACHU JET SCHEDULE IN MARCH AND APRIL 2023

Date	Flight Number	Route
6 March	TR808	Singapore – Tokyo
7 March	TR809	Tokyo – Singapore
13 March	TR842	Singapore – Seoul
13 March	TR843	Seoul – Singapore
15 March	TR616	Singapore – Bangkok
15 March	TR617	Bangkok – Singapore
24 March	TR898	Singapore – Taipei – Tokyo
24 March	TR899	Tokyo – Taipei – Singapore
6 April	TR840	Singapore – Seoul
6 April	TR841	Seoul – Singapore
19 April	TR808	Singapore – Tokyo
19 April	TR809	Tokyo – Singapore
27 April	TR896	Singapore – Taipei – Seoul
27 April	TR897	Seoul – Taipei – Singapore

*\*All timings listed are in the respective local time zones.*

*\*\*Subject to regulatory approval.*

For the latest flight schedule, you may refer [here](#).

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## **About Scoot**

Scoot is the low-cost subsidiary of Singapore Airlines (SIA). Scoot took to the skies in June 2012 and merged with Tigerair Singapore in July 2017, retaining the Scoot brand for a new chapter of growth. To date, Scoot has carried over 71 million guests, and has a fleet of over 50 aircraft, comprising widebody Boeing 787 Dreamliners and single-aisle Airbus A320 family aircraft, and plans to add the Embraer E190-E2 in 2024. Scoot offers 59 destinations for booking as of February 2023. We now serve a network of 71 destinations across 15 countries and territories in Asia-Pacific, the Middle East and Europe. Scoot was the world's first low-cost carrier to attain the highest ratings at both the APEX Health Safety Audit powered by SimpliFlying and Skytrax COVID-19 Airline Safety Rating Audit. In 2022, Scoot was awarded IATA membership for meeting global industry standards for airline operational safety. Scoot provides a safe, reliable, quality and affordable travel experience with a unique attitude – Scootitude, a passion for travel, people and pushing boundaries. Travellers on Scoot can earn and redeem KrisFlyer miles, enjoying more rewarding travel journeys and access to enhanced benefits. For more information, visit [FlyScoot.com](https://flyscoot.com) or contact our [Call Centre](#).

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