

SALINDA RESORT  
PHU QUOC ISLAND

# CHÀO ĐÓN TẾT



XUAN LAM. INSPIRED BY THE DONG HO FOLK PAINTING OF THE LEGENDARY HERO – THÁNH GIÓNG.

**Tết** is a time of reunion, gratitude, and new beginnings.  
It is also a moment when our Salinda Family warmly welcomes yours.

As we step into the Lunar New Year together, we wish you peace, joy,  
and gentle prosperity - shared through thoughtful traditions, festive  
flavors, and moments of togetherness by the sea.

We invite you to slow down, explore, and celebrate Tết the Salinda way.



In the legend of the zodiac, the Jade Emperor invited the animals to race for a place in the lunar calendar. The Horse was 7th to cross the finish line with determination, earning its place as a symbol of energy, freedom, and forward movement.

The Year of the Horse invites us to move ahead with confidence, passion, and an open heart.

## ZODIAC GUIDE

For those born in the Year of the Horse, the year ahead brings movement, optimism, and fresh momentum. It's a wonderful year for travel and meaningful experiences.

**Born 1942, 1954, 1966, 1978, 1990, 2002, 2014, and 2026**

**Career & Purpose:** Move forward with confidence

**Well-being:** Balance action with moments of rest

**Relationships:** Honest connections deepen



## HONORING THE KITCHEN GOD

FEB 10  
ALL DAY

On Lunar December 23rd, the Kitchen God (Ông Táo) journeys to the heavens on the back of a carp fish, carrying the family's wishes for the year ahead. At Salinda, all our kitchens honor this tradition, so offerings are made in gratitude and hope for harmony and abundance, reflecting intention behind every meal we serve.



FEB 12  
14:00-16:00



## BÁNH TẾT WRAPPING

### Traditional Wooden House Kitchen

Our team gathers to wrap bánh tét, the traditional New Year cake made from sticky rice, mung bean, and pork. Handcrafted with care, this annual ritual reflects Salinda's spirit of heritage, connection, and celebration.

Sign up for this activity with our Guest Experience team at the lobby.

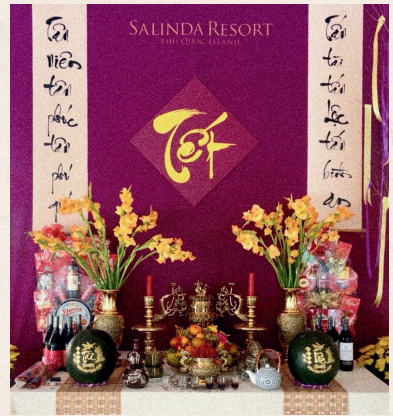


**FEB 16**  
MIDNIGHT

## MIDNIGHT OFFERING

As the old year gently gives way to the new, our entire team gathers in the **Main Lobby** for a Midnight Offering Ceremony.

With incense, quiet wishes, and collective gratitude, we welcome the New Year together, hoping for peace and good fortune for all who pass through our doors.



# TẾT VIETNAMESE BEACH BUFFET

In Vietnamese tradition, the first meal of the New Year is a sacred moment of gathering, when families come together to share food, exchange blessings, and welcome a year of harmony.

Welcome cocktail on the beach

Classic Tết dishes and regional specialties

Fresh seafood and live cooking stations

Carvery with suckling pig and roast duck

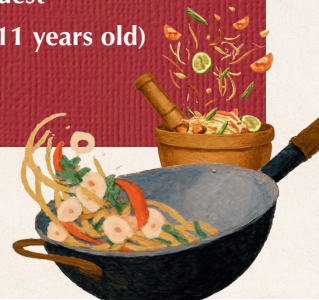
Live music by the resident band

Traditional lion dance and fireworks

1,995,000VND++ / guest

(50% OFF for kids 6-11 years old)

**FEB 17**  
FROM 18:00







## LÌ XÌ SHARING

More than a gift, lì xì (lucky money) is a graceful way to pass along prosperity, success, and positive beginnings traditionally from adults to children.



## FORTUNE INK

Brushed onto red paper by a calligrapher, each character conveys a wish for prosperity, happiness, health, or peace - cherished at home as a reminder of the year's hopes.

## WELCOMING THE SPRING

### Flower Market by the Stream

Inspired by traditional Tết markets with garden blossoms and kumquat trees.

### "Phòng Khách Xưa" at Salinda Restaurant

A nostalgic Vietnamese living room, where memories of family gatherings come alive.

### Traditional Wooden House Kitchen

Home to our annual bánh tét wrapping, honoring a ritual passed down through generations.



In northern Vietnam, peach blossoms (hoa đào) are treasured for their soft pink hues, believed to bring harmony and protection, while in the south, yellow apricot blossoms (hoa mai) represent warmth, prosperity, and good fortune for the year ahead.



## LITTLE TRADITIONS

Young guests are invited to discover the joyful traditions of the New Year through hands-on cultural activities, such as Tò He sculpting and firecracker crafts.

Check the activity calendar at our Kids Club.