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Picture by Izhari Ariffin

This Italian-made airboat (picture), on demonstration at the lake in the Mines Resort City in Kuala Lumpur yesterday, may be one of the two new attractions at the resort by next year.

The other is a hovercraft. Both aquatic craft were intended for recreational use in the lake, said the resort's executive director Lee Say Heian at the demonstration, where Italian Trade Commissioner Paola Roncolini was also present. Lee said the hovercraft would appeal to the adventurous, while the airboat was suitable for family rides. Datin Susi Nurani Razikin, a director of Prometeo (M) Sdn Bhd, the sole distributor of the marine craft locally, said the hovercraft could be used for rescue as well as leisure.