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Editorial

More than mere conveyance

China will spend \$300 billion on high-speed rail lines over the next 20 years. The world has seen nothing like it, and many have responded by drawing analogies to America's transcontinental railroad, built in the 19th century, or its interstate highway system, built and expanded throughout the 1950s and 1960s.

High-speed rail is not the only thing on the nation's infrastructure to-do list. China's General Administration of Civil Aviation has budgeted up to US\$75 billion to build 100 new airports by 2020. The expansion of our very own Nanjing Lukou Airport will see it become one of the most important airports in east Asia, with an annual capacity of 30 million passengers along with a new runway designed with the A380 in mind.

All of this new infrastructure is being seen as a sign of progress, but what has been missed is that while new trains and airports are a way for China to get around, a major problem it still faces is an exorbitant, toll-based road system. More details lie herein. In this issue we also see that while any large scale infrastructure project will attract more than its fair share of criticism it is difficult not to be impressed with the staggering investment China is making in high speed trains. Geoff Gibson takes a second look in our new economics column.

Along with a substantial portion of the expat community in Nanjing we're taking a break (we think well earned) in July, but a bumper issue for August is in the works as we welcome to our city a new academic year and the ensuing fresh meat, so keep a look out for us! Until then, enjoy your travels, be safe and may your god go with you.

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Picking the football team

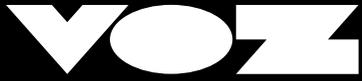


It's a miserable feeling. If you've ever played football (soccer) during afternoon break at school you will remember standing in a row against the wall while the two best players stand in front and pick their teams. Unless you were their best friend or a brilliant player, you would stand there awkwardly, begging for the humiliation to end and your name to be called out. "Pick me! pick me!" you feel like shouting. You would even be happy to go in goal – anything to stop you being last. Thank there's the kid with glasses and the weedy one with the bad legs, both of whom are saving you the humiliation of being last (and being in goal).

However crude and indeed cruel this method of selection is, it will be played out in various forms as we go through life, being chosen from a line-up of university hopefuls, jobs hopefuls, dating hopefuls and more. To shield children from the highs of success and the lows of failure is to fail to prepare them properly for life. But when we go for an interview you are likely to get a gentle "You don't have the skills set we are looking for". When you get dumped there's always "It's not you, it's me". These are designed to make you feel better, soften the blow. But when you're being picked for a football team, it's raw. They are examining you and choosing someone else.

And when I go on my travels around certain parts of the city (Guanghuamen in this case) I see this acted out every day in a different form. Dozens of men and women hoping for a day's work sit on or around their bicycles with their home-made signs advertising themselves. Some are specialists and have their equipment tied to the back of their e-bikes. Others are labourers offering to shovel rubble all day for the price of a pint of imported Guinness.

And the skinny old men with the tough skin and weather beaten faces have to wait their turn behind the fit young guys, slipping further down the pecking order each year. I was never the last to be picked for the football team but I dreaded it every break time. But I liked playing football so I had to go through it. So I wonder if these builders dread it every day. Dread the man coming to look them up and down and pick the best. Is he young? Does he look strong? Does he have the energy? There's no gentle let down for these men, it's a crude process and for the ones with the specs or the bad legs, even offering to go in goal, is no guarantee of being picked. But they're still smiling, still happy to chat (they have nothing else to do after all) and still waiting, waiting every day for the big guy to call their name.



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Dear Editor

I have written an article about the pit falls of buying pets from the pet markets.

In December 2010 while I was walking around Fuzimiao complex I came across the pet market. Here you can buy all types of small pets including cats and dogs. The conditions that most of these animals are kept in are very poor. Most animals are just made presentable to be attractive to buyers. What they fail to tell you is that most of these animals will die within a few weeks.

This is the story of one small puppy's life.

Emmy's Story

Emmy was a Golden Retriever puppy who was younger than the six weeks we were told, bought from Fuzimiao pet market. On taking her home she was a bright, playful puppy. She followed us everywhere and loved nothing more than being cuddled. In that first week we made arrangements to have her checked by a pet doctor and get her puppy injections. When I took Emmy to the Ai-Bi pet hospital she had already developed a cough. The doctor informed me that she was very sick with a disease called Distemper which in young and old dogs is nearly always fatal. After a lot of discussion with the doctor about treatment I decided to proceed to give her the best possible chance of a life.

For the next 18 days I travelled to the hospital everyday where she underwent injections, iv drips and breathing equipment. She stopped eating and was getting weaker all the time. We fed her every four hours by putting liquid food into a syringe. It was heartbreaking to watch something so small fight for her life.

Eventually there was nothing else the doctor could do for her and her lungs had stopped working. We decided to have her put to sleep. We sat and said our goodbyes and cuddled her while she went to sleep forever.

Stories of animals like this could be avoided if the pet sellers gave the dogs a few injections to protect them from these terrible diseases that do not need to be fatal. If people want to buy a pet do not buy from these pet markets as it will only lead to heartache. It's a sad fact that these puppies are known as one week puppies.

Yours Sincerely
Anita Redfern



The price of motoring in China

By Frank Hossack

When I moved to live and work in China in 1993 transportation was something of a misnomer.

- *I took the “fast” train from Tianjin to Shanghai at 22 hours. The “highway” from Shanghai to Hangzhou had a 50 kilometre section on heavily potholed dirt tracks. The railway station in Chongqing was located in such a large crater that I almost expected the Millenium Falcon to arise nearby. Not so far away, but still 11 hours overnight by train, one evening in Chengdu a couple of workers at the airport decided, after a few too many, to take a set of aircraft embarkation stairs for a joyride down the runway.*

A flight was attempting to land at the time and an ensuing catastrophe was narrowly avoided.

But my favourite remains stepping into a taxi in my Shanghai hotel's forecourt to then see and feel the driver proceed outside directly into the side of a bus.

“More than a decade later my confidence had sufficiently recovered to purchase a car in China.”

To date 59,000 kilometres, four tires, three oil changes, one new battery, one new back windscreen wiper motor, one smashed windscreen, ¥6,000 in fines, ¥18,000 in insurance and more road tolls and trips to the petrol station than I can possibly fathom. So goes the cost of owning your own car in China. The cultural and human costs come at another price altogether, while we in Nanjing are relatively lucky that motoring remains an affordable option.

Consider the case of our northern cousins in Beijing. While most in Nanjing are content to not have a car and even question its necessity, the Beijinger thinks of it as an absolute must have. For them car ownership comes before buying a house. Two a penny are young men who have chosen to saddle themselves with the equivalent of two house mortgages in their quest for the ultimate motor, and presumably the ultimate lady to go with it. Questions remain, such as where do they park it? Do they also sleep in it? Perhaps more pointedly, why even bother given that Beijing is now considered to have overtaken Mexico City for the coveted title of Gridlocked Capital of the World?

China and her citizens' attitudes are changing at an amazing rate, but yet for many, the automobile remains a status symbol.

Us foreigners sometimes think a common local belief to be that cars should ideally be large, expensive, black and imported from Germany. The psychology runs a little deeper however, as more so than foreigners, the Chinese tend to make purchasing decisions based on perceived strong emotional connections to a brand and product. More than any other automaker, Buick has seen tremendous success come from its understanding of the nature of its potential customers. The company did their homework on the market and has never swayed from its message that time and time again is that of business luxury.

Black, German or American; the gas-guzzler knows no escape.

Over the past five years the price of petrol in China has risen by almost 100% to over ¥7 per litre. Given local income levels that is still pretty expensive when compared to the UK at ¥15 per litre as one of the most expensive places in the world to fill up.

Costs remain, and chasms exist in that of price differential. The new inexperienced driver in China is also hardly likely to be a mechanic, a dynamic of which auto dealers

have not been slow to take advantage. Much as in many other countries, the dealer where one bought ones car is likely to also charge you through the roof for spares and servicing. In China yet more so. For the base service required by a family saloon after 15,000km you are likely going to be stung with ¥1,000. The dealer will be quick to extol the advantages of their "all the frills" service that could go for up to ¥5,000.

The other route is the little mechanic probably located outside the gate of the complex in which you live. At first glance one can be forgiven for thinking such people may have reputations worse than the proverbial second-hand car salesman, but they know their cars. They are also not on the other side of town and after a few visits will start to value your business and shall be thus less likely to take you for a ride:-

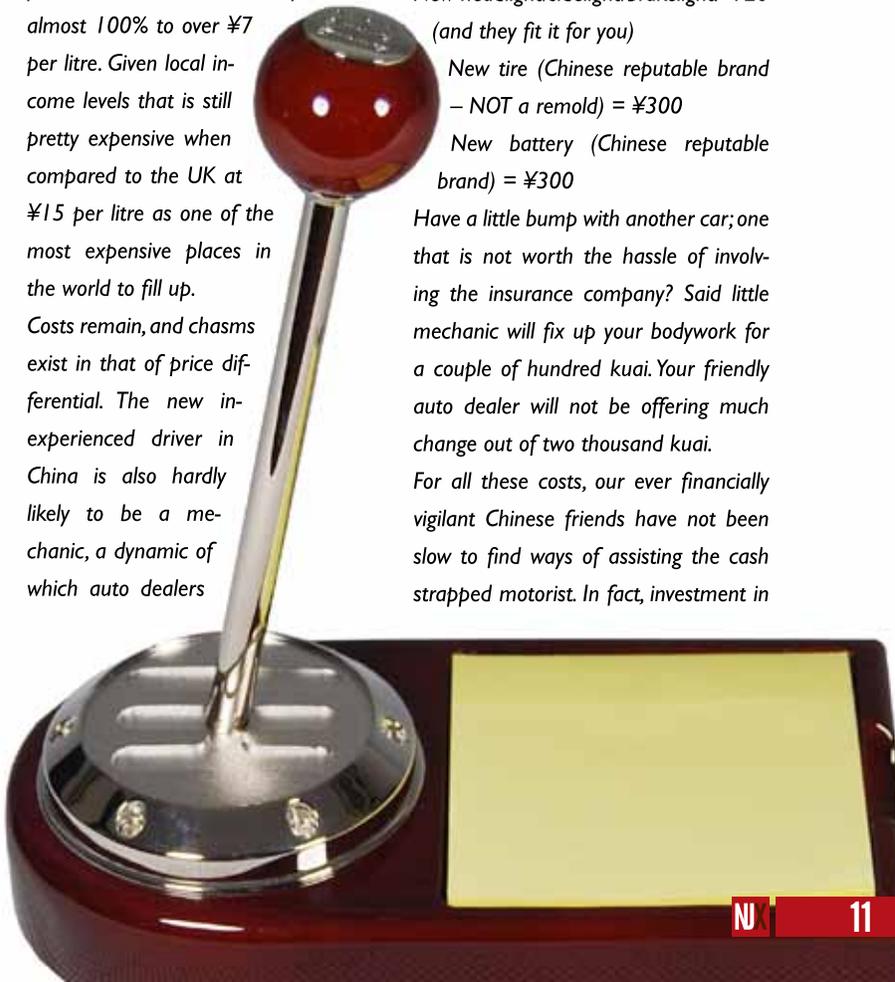
New headlight/sidelight/brakelight:- ¥20
(and they fit it for you)

New tire (Chinese reputable brand – NOT a remold) = ¥300

New battery (Chinese reputable brand) = ¥300

Have a little bump with another car; one that is not worth the hassle of involving the insurance company? Said little mechanic will fix up your bodywork for a couple of hundred kuai. Your friendly auto dealer will not be offering much change out of two thousand kuai.

For all these costs, our ever financially vigilant Chinese friends have not been slow to find ways of assisting the cash strapped motorist. In fact, investment in



a car with which comes cult status can reap more in the way of dividends than a few jealous stares. Zhang Xuqiao operates the Nanjing Mini Friends' Club in which 50 plus members have agreed that their car be hired out as part of a fleet rental for weddings and for their vehicle to carry branded advertising from clients wishing to associate themselves with Mini chic. The proceeds from such activities not only fund the club but also find their way back into the pockets of members.

There then comes the human cost of the automobile in China. For us, there is much talk that foreigners should not consider driving in the precious Middle Kingdom. The Wikitravel entry on driving in China is very informative. Of particular note:-

“Ubiquitous pedestrians, bikes, and cycles, often acting oblivious or even negligent toward surrounding traffic, are generally considered to have possessed Right of Way in any collision between them and a vehicle. If a larger vehicle strikes a pedestrian or rider, the larger vehicle will generally be assumed liable.”

In other words, you as driver of a car, are to blame if you hit a cyclist or a pedestrian, whatever the circumstances. This legal definition can be combined with a further generally observed principle:- if you first fill the gap on a particular piece of tarmac, then that gap is rightfully yours.

The concept of generally observed principles can cover a whole range of driving situations. What at first seems utter madness to the foreign newcomer can make complete sense after a little explanation from an experienced local. Ever noticed that Chinese drivers tend not to dip their headlights in the face of oncoming traffic? Despite road accidents being this year relegated to the second leading cause of death

But where are all these cars, other than in the parking lot named Beijing? Writer Peter Hessler in his travel book “Country Driving” notes that while China’s expressways are clean and well maintained, they are by and large empty. During a drive from Nanjing to Shanghai a family saloon will do the return trip for approximately ¥400 in fuel. Factor in road tolls and your trip is costing you over ¥700 (the national average for expressway tolls runs to ¥0.5 per kilometre). Many other countries are attempting to do away with tolls altogether (preferring to levy massive taxes on fuel) but China is even adding toll booths to provincial level roads in addition to its ever growing network of expressways. There go our chances of affording considerable savings on cross country, and arguably more interesting driving.



in China (after heart disease), locals still maintain the highbeam simply because they want to make sure they can see the idiot standing in the middle of a busy road in the middle of the night wearing dark clothing.

Vast differences also exist in the techniques employed by drivers across the country. An over generalisation it may be, but to the casual observer the Beijing driver is sedate, resigned to their fate of sitting in traffic jams for hours on a daily basis. In Shanghai, people drive with a confidence befitting the high opinion they carry of themselves. Hangzhou drivers are simply nuts, and here in Nanjing we can perhaps delicately say local drivers are... well, better than they used to be.

In a little less than 20 years the numbers of privately owned vehicles on China’s roads has swelled exponentially from 1 million to this year’s projected 50 million for 2011.

In the overhaul of the country’s infrastructure China has been quick to note its critical importance in spurring growth of the economy. Just where lies the tipping point between empty expressways and citizens who are free to move around unencumbered remains to be seen, but it is surely not too far in the future when China shall need to make greater efforts at reducing the overall cost of motoring, a monumental challenge given the number of stakeholders with invested interests in the country’s road network. 

High Speed Train Network

Next time you take the fast train to Shanghai, get up from your seat and walk around.

Walk through to the carriage in front of you and then the one behind you. You may find them completely empty.

China's railways are losing money. A lot of money. In the first quarter of this year, the loss was 3.7 billion Yuan – call it 40 million a day.

Not all of this is attributable to poor ticket sales.

Many of the sections of the rail network – the Beijing-Shanghai leg, for example – are massive projects in their own right and necessarily take a long time to build before even a single ticket gets sold. In the meantime, the Ministry of Railways carries the cost.

China's high-speed rail network is a huge gamble. So, just how big is it? Well, one-sixth of all bank loans are to the railways. The words "drowning in debt" are often used in the reporting on this subject. But it is not stopping there, not yet. Railway officials had been planning to spend another 700 billion Yuan this year alone in the ultimate pursuit of getting to 13,000 kms of high-speed rail by the end of next year – although this forecast has, I believe, since been reduced to 400 billion, due to pressure to scale back the overall project.

Just to put that quantum in perspective – remember, whether 400 or 700 billion Yuan (US\$61 or 107 billion), it is just this year's "spend" – the Channel Tunnel cost "only" US\$8 billion. America's largest road infrastructure project, Boston's so-called "Big Dig", took 15 years and cost US\$14 billion.

The Ministry of Railways currently has borrowings of around 2 trillion yuan.

This is the number that has everyone worried (and this is before you add the 400 billion just mentioned that will naturally have to be borrowed and added to the total).

The standard way of communicating and analysing these very large numbers – almost too big to mentally process – is to do an asset/liability ratio.

Officially, in a report issued just last month, the asset/liability ratio is put at 60%. That is, the ministry has 3.4 trillion renminbi of assets and 2 trillion of liabilities. Newly appointed Railways Minister Sheng Guangzu and Finance Minister Xie Xuren are reported as saying that the level of debt was "safe", "reasonable" and "controllable". It is targeted to peak at 70% before 2015.

But it is not at all clear to me that this ratio – be it considered manageable or otherwise – is even relevant. So, there is an excess of assets over liabilities. So what? Just what are these assets? Rolling stock, railway track and endless concrete pillars and bridges. Doing an asset-liability ratio is not relevant because none of these assets could ever be practically realized. Who cares what the assets are – they could never be sold.

No, the real measure should be whether the high-speed network can service its debt. Given the size of the Beijing-Shanghai high-speed link and the time taken and expense already incurred, it is reasonable to say that a lot is riding on its success. If the Beijing-Shanghai train is a financial winner, it will go a long way to calming a lot of nerves – nerves already frayed.

The signs are not great. The Wuhan-Guangzhou link has not gone well and it is reported that many are running "nearly empty". Certainly, early signs are that the ordinary Chinese cannot afford to use the high-speed network and still prefer to pile into the old "K" trains. The question is: if the ordinary Chinese cannot afford tickets now, when will they?

Putting aside China-specific issues, the questions still remain. One of the features of very large-scale infrastructure projects appears to be an air of unreality about the information. It is typical for projections to be way out. The World Bank, in a policy research paper, found that:

For rail networks, cost-overruns average 45%.

- 84 per cent of rail passenger forecasts are wrong by >20%.
- 9 out of 10 rail projects have overestimated traffic.

For rail, actual passenger traffic is on average 51.4 percent lower than estimated. This is equivalent to an average overestimate in rail passenger forecasts of no less than 105.6 percent.

When you put together these more general observations with the unprecedented scale of what China in particular is doing, then pray that the Beijing-Shanghai high-speed train goes well. **N**

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The Challenge

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The weapons

Keith



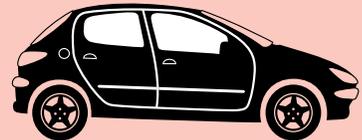
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Stage 1

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2Kms



Ronald

"I was full of confidence, in my mind there was no way that Frank driving through the unbearable maze that is Nanjing with the hassle of parking and Keith having to walk to the nearest metro station could beat me. There's nothing that I cannot handle with a quick maneuver in my nimble moped. So confident in fact that I decided to ride by the book, on my best behavior respecting every traffic light and only in the designated lanes. As I expected I was first to arrive, taking pictures of the amazing view when, to my surprise, Keith walked in only five minutes behind me! Now my advantaged seemed not so real."

Keith

"I started by running, well fast walking anyway towards the subway. My plan is straight forward; line 1 to Gulou, but my first problem is when I swipe my card at the barrier there is the annoying beep to tell me that I am out of credit. Already I am behind schedule – time to queue up at the desk to top up, luckily I do not have to wait long. Back to the barrier, swipe and I'm off. I walk out onto the 45th floor of the Intercontinental to be greeted by Ronald telling me that the lift to the 78th floor (our original destination) is closed until 5. Oh well, 45 will have to do."

Frank

"Immediately victim to the one way system, my best choice is a northerly route up Shanghai Lu. To gain valuable seconds I take the small alley past Behind the Wall and Swede & Kraut, out onto Beijing Xi Lu via Jinyie Jie, thus avoiding the longest right turn red light in the city (Shanghai Lu - Beijing Xi Lu). But then disaster strikes. My way is blocked by a man on a bicycle, with a mattress. And a queen size at that. Arriving at the Zifeng Tower five minutes is wasted circumnavigating the lousy car park layout, along with the perpetually frustrating hunt for the correct lift."

Stage 2

Starting point:
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Destination:
Aqua City Mall

4.2Kms



Keith

"Next, back to the Subway to get down to Sanshan Jie then walk a block over to Aqua City. It takes 20 minutes to get from Gulou to Aqua City. Along the way I ponder that the car allows for aircon, surround sound, a guaranteed seat but also parking fees. The moped is nippy around town but safety is more of a concern not to mention security. Public transport on the other hand means being out in the elements a lot more walking between the various nodes. In winter this necessitates lots of layers. In summer, it's a perspiration issue. I walk into the restaurant pretty much in a dead heat with Ronald. Frank takes much longer but we have a suspicion he is late for a reason."

Ronald

"We left to our next task, to visit a recently opened American sandwich restaurant. I went straight from Gulou down Zhongshan Nan Lu, not the most direct way but the easiest since Hongwu Lu is going through a transformation due to the new metro line construction. I was again first to arrive but Keith walked in just a few seconds after me saying that he had also had time to stop at the ATM, meaning that he actually beat me to Aqua City. Frank eventually showed up with a smily face telling us that he had already purchased his train ticket, thus completing the additional task that was still on the to-do list for Keith and myself."

Frank

"Is there a time saving in driving around the city on elevated or subterranean city corridors expressly built for the purpose, versus straight through the centre of the city with the resulting mayhem and traffic light hell? Today seems a good day to try it out and so I make a beeline for the Xuanwu Hu Tunnel from where I join Longpan Lu. Resigned to not winning this stage of the race, I hope for an advantage on the home leg by acquiring my train ticket now from an office on Baixia Lu opposite the Nanjing radio station building. Hurrah - success! I am able to purchase a train ticket using my driving license as ID (this carries your passport number)."

Stage 3

Starting point:
Aqua City Mall
Destination:
Golden Wheel In City
Hangzhong Rd.

2.2Kms



Keith

"After a brief sojourn to taste a sandwich and a milkshake (thanks Genesis) I am off to buy the train ticket. I decide to go to an old reliable - the travel desk at the Jinling Hotel. An unfortunate failure; without my passport number (or passport number to be exact) they will not sell me a ticket so I head back out the door for a speed walk back to the finish line. It seems all we really managed to prove is when you live in a building site such as Nanjing, you'll either be too cold, too hot, too stuck in a traffic jam or too annoyed when your bike gets stolen."

Ronald

"Keith and I took off to our final task, buying our train tickets, while unbenownst to us Frank was virtually already waiting at our final destination. As I was headed to Hangzhong Lu I was distracted for a minute fighting with a driver who almost ran me over and started cursing at me when I asked him to be careful. I finally made it to the finish line in time to see Frank sipping a cup of coffee. I was clearly beaten; what seems to be the easiest way to move around Nanjing was in fact no faster, cheaper or more comfortable."

Frank

"This car park is a lot more sensible affording a speedy exit onto Zhonghua Lu and despite construction on Hongwu Lu, a surprisingly clear run. Are other drivers avoiding the area on purpose? A left on Huaihai Lu leads to Zhongshan Nan Lu and the inevitable long wait at the lights so that we may admire our founding father Dr. Sun Yatsen, while I imagine the potato farmer and Honcho de la Cartel queuing for their train tickets. However, it is only with a lot of luck with traffic lights that the car can possibly win."

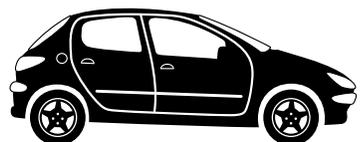
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WINE Whispers

By Ron Stalenberg

It is not often that a first timer wins a big prize in a competition, but that is indeed what happened with the Taylor family's first foray into winemaking.



■ It was 1973 and their inaugural vintage Cabernet Sauvignon won Best Red Wine in the Royal Adelaide wine show, amongst some highly respected competition. From that first achievement the family has gone on to be one of the most consistent top class winemakers in Australia. The Promised Land series has been with us now for several decades and never fails to please.

This 2008 Promised Land Shiraz Cabernet is an excellent example of the style and quality of the label. The deep red colour of the wine, with its vibrant purple tinges promises much. The bouquet is full of fruit. Ripe plums and red berries lie on a bed of chocolate, cassis and hints of liquorice and peppery spice. The palate is medium bodied and delivers all the flavours that the aromas and colour promised. It has a soft and supple feel in the mouth and is nicely supported by the silky smooth tannins. A hint of cigar box from the oak maturation rounds out this excellent wine.

Some Cabernet Sauvignon wines are so dominant that they demand a steak or strong flavoured meat. This one is soft and smooth, with lots of fruit and flavour, making it extremely versatile. It would pair equally well with a pizza, some vintage cheese, an antipasto plate or even Peking Duck.

Made for immediate enjoyment, the Promised Land Shiraz Cabernet would also benefit from a couple more years of bottle age, but no more.

An interesting anecdote lies in the origin of the Taylor logo. When preparing the soil for their first vineyard, the family were amazed to uncover the fossilised remains of tiny seahorses; confirmation that the area had in fact once been the bed of an ancient inland sea. The Taylors thought this to be a lucky omen and testimony that the "terra rossa" soils were indeed fertile, and with thoughts firmly fixed on the successful future of Taylors Wines, the family adopted the three seahorses as the company insignia. Today those seahorses are found on Taylors wine labels all over the world.

As a last aside, this Taylors' wine is not to be confused with Taylor's of Portugal; world famous for their ports. In common though is their marvellous consistency of excellent winemaking. ■



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Creamy Mushroom Soup



INGREDIENTS

- ¼ cup butter
- 1 cup shiitake mushrooms, chopped
- 1 cup Portobello mushrooms, chopped
- 2 shallots, chopped
- 2 tablespoons all-purpose flour
- 1 (14.5oz) can chicken broth
- 1 cup half & half (½ milk ½ cream)
- Salt & pepper to taste
- 1 pinch ground cinnamon

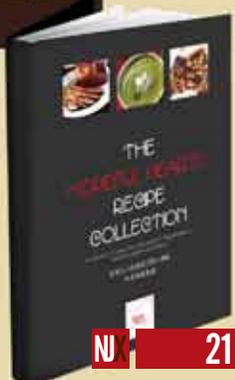
DIRECTIONS

- Over medium-high heat, melt butter in a large saucepan.
- Saute the mushrooms and shallots for about 5 minutes or until soft.
- Mix in the flour until smooth. Gradually stir in the chicken broth.
- Cook, stirring constantly, for 5 minutes or until thick and bubbly.
- Stir in the half-and-half, season with salt and pepper and sprinkle with cinnamon. Heat through but do not boil.

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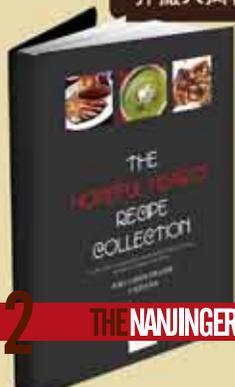
配料

- 1/4 杯黄油
- 1 杯香菇, 切碎
- 1 杯龙葵菇, 切碎
- 2 根葱, 切碎
- 2 汤匙通用面粉
- 1 罐(14.5盎司)鸡汤
- 1 杯half & half (一半牛奶一半奶油)
- 适量盐和胡椒
- 适量肉桂粉(可选用)

制作方法

1. 中大火, 在大锅里融化黄油。
2. 嫩炒蘑菇和葱, 大约5分钟或者炒至软。
3. 加入面粉搅拌均匀。逐渐搅入鸡汤。
4. 继续搅拌约5分钟或者直到变浓稠和冒泡。
5. 搅入一半牛奶一半奶油, 加适量盐和胡椒, 并撒入肉桂粉。热透但是不要煮沸。

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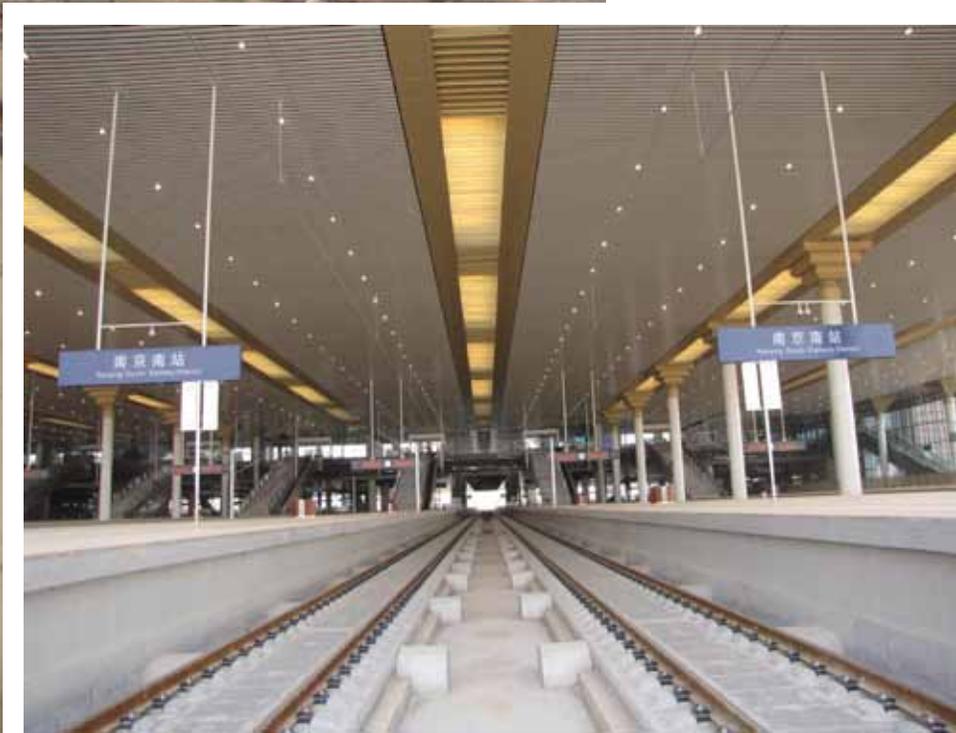


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KASHGAR, TURPAN AND THE KARAKORUM HIGHWAY

A LAST MINUTE DASH TO ANOTHER WORLD

By Sian Lovegrove
Part 2 of 2

■ It was not long into the journey that I discovered our driver was a Nanjinger. Imagine that! Being a fellow Nanjinger he was keen for me to stay in his hostel free of charge and even though it was still under construction it did at least have hot water! I quickly took him up on this offer.

James had never been to Karakul Lake (he had only just left Nanjing) so it came as a surprise to all of us when he stopped to ask a local, that we had driven straight past it! I didn't matter, the views all the way up the Karakorum Highway were some of the most stunning I have ever seen.



Every turn of the road revealed a better, more breathtaking view. The blue of the sky and the white of the mountains were a photographer's dream and we made frequent leg stretching photo stops. Due to the cold conditions at that altitude we decided against our original plan which was to beg a yurt in the local village and stay overnight. So we crammed our three western-sized bodies into the back of the MG, turned round and headed back to Kashgar.

Of course for most visitors Kashgar is the Sunday livestock market and I can't imagine why anyone planning a trip there would not include a Sunday in their itinerary. By this time Maurice, my new French friend, had made his way to Kashgar through the Taklakaman Desert and, having no Chinese and little English, now required rescuing from his hotel.

As we wandered through the labyrinth of narrow streets the light was fading and the place took on a new character. During the day men sit around the square outside the mosque talking and watching the world go by while fully veiled women glide past like mysterious brown clouds. But in the evening the area around the square sprouted food stalls serving rice dishes from huge woks, lamb kebabs and breads of all description cooked in clay ovens (thankfully without the addition of green tea,



red bean sauce or sugar). The smell of cooking, the plumes of charcoal smoke coming from the bar-b-qs and the chatter of an unfamiliar language all filled the air and it is easy to forget you are still in China.

Sunday morning came and with my fully charged camera battery and plenty of memory cards I headed for the livestock market. It was only at 11am that I got a phone call from Maurice saying he was at the market but he couldn't find the animals. "You are in the wrong market Maurice". "Can you tell the taxi driver to take me to the market?" he asked. Even if the taxi driver spoke Chinese (which only some of them do) my Chinese vocabulary didn't run to "Please take me

to the livestock market". "Just get in the taxi and make animal noises" I suggested. I had successfully reached the market earlier on a donkey cart using the same method. Our European neighbours are a proud nation and I think it offended his French sensibilities to jump into a taxi and bray like a donkey no matter how desperate he was to get to the market. The upshot of this is that he never found the livestock market and spent the whole day browsing plastic washing-up bowls, ripped off Adidas 'T' shirts and hanging sheep carcasses.

I decided not to tell him how fantastic the market was, how some Uyghur farmers regularly walk for several days from over 100km away to sell a couple of sheep. I decided not to describe the hundreds of donkeys, goats, camels, cows, mules and horses kicking up the dust into a thick grey cloud which hung over the whole market. I kept from him

the madness of the mule fight, donkey cart traffic jams, the sea of beautiful young Uyghur men with their hand-woven green "doppa" hats and their fathers and grandfathers with their long white beards and tall fur lined hats. All life was here. People not only trading animals but the farrier was here, the knife sharpener, the sheep shearer, the barber, the cart seller, stalls selling tack and cow bells, food stalls, fruit and veg stalls and stalls selling traditional Uyghur knives.

For anyone who has been affected by a trip to sub-Saharan Africa, the feelings evoked by a visit to Kashgar will be familiar. If you only have the chance to visit one place before you leave China then it has to be Kashgar; a magical, mystical place which will stay with you much longer than the dust on your shoes. **NU**



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Useful vocabulary 实用词汇

Shì yòng cí huì

1- Supersonic airliner
 超音速客机
 Chāo yīn sù kè jī
 2- Steam train
 蒸汽火车
 Zhēng qì huǒ chē

3- Junk (the Chinese boat)
 帆船
 Fān chuán
 4- Pedicab
 三轮车
 Sān lún chē

Transportation 交通工具

Jiāo tōng gōng jù

Chinese Corner
 汉语角
 Hān yǔ jiǎo

- 1- My other car is a Porsche
 我另外一辆车是保时捷。
 Wǒ lìng wài yí liàng chē shì bǎo shí jié.
- 2- From which platform does my train leave?
 我坐的火车从哪个站台出发?
 Wǒ zuò de huǒ chē cóng nǎ gè yuè tái chū fā?
- 3- Please do not drive so close (to the car in front)
 请与前方行驶的车保持车距
 Qǐng yǔ qián fāng xíng shǐ de chē bǎo chí chē jù.
- 4- Hurry up! Our flight is boarding!
 快点我们的航班要登机了!
 Kuài diǎn! Wǒ mēng de háng bān yào dēng jī le!
- 5- I forgot my passport.
 Could you please go and buy a train ticket for me?
 我没带我的护照你可以帮我买一张火车票吗?
 Wǒ méi dài wǒ de hù zhào.
 Nǐ kě yǐ bāng wǒ mǎi yí zhāng huǒ chē piào mā?
- 6- Do I really have to park here with the car facing out?
 我一定要把车头朝外停在这里吗?
 Wǒ yí dìng yào bǎ chē tóu cháo wài tíng zài zhè lǐ mā?
- 7- My bike has a flat tire! Can you fix it?
 我的自行车有一个车胎泄气了你能修好吗?
 Wǒ de zì xíng chē yǒu yí gè chē tāi xiè qì le! Nǐ néng xiū hǎo mā?

For some people time itself is some sort of youth elixir; for them the accumulation of experience seems to add more excitement and passion to life.

JINLING
LIVES

GERARD SABATE

By Ronald Paredes

■ That is the case with Gerard Sabate, the kind of man who makes a decision and embraces it without hesitating or looking back. It is always a pleasure to come across someone whose determination, affable and young personality is both admirable and inspiring.



Originally from Barcelona in Spain; Gerard Sabate arrived in Nanjing on the 3rd of February 1994 on a flight from Hong Kong landing at the Military Airport of Nanjing, a 10 minute taxi ride from downtown.

At the time Italy's IVECO and Nanjing's NAC (Nanjing Automobile Corporation) were in the process of establishing a joint venture to be called "Naveco" that would produce light trucks and commercial transport vehicles in Nanjing.

Gerard represented the interests of a family company, a foundry belonging to his father that had been commissioned to produce parts for the IVECO diesel engines manufactured in China. Gerard was to supervise the production of such parts; a project that he confesses went awry after a year.

"We were working on the project for a year and a half and the result was terrible.

One of the causes was the bureaucracy, every single decision had to go through three different departments; the director of the factory, the political delegate and god knows who else... [With] information lost in translation plus misunderstandings and misinterpretations, the whole process became simply impossible.

"On the other hand something that was actually successful was the technical consultancy area. The Chinese side, looking for a cheaper alternative for producing these engine parts had purchased the latest in foundry machinery but they didn't know how to operate the equipment - the same machines that we had been using for years - so we started providing the training and consultancy that the Chinese operators needed.

"After only a few months in China, our project was completely shut down and I was ready to go back to Spain. The night before my flight, December 23rd, I couldn't sleep for thinking about the project, my time in Nanjing and the future so I took a walk around the Pudong area in Shanghai when it suddenly dawned on me... I'm staying in China, I need to find a way to stay."

"Back at home I grabbed the yellow pages and called the Chamber of Commerce searching for Spanish companies with operations or businesses in China. I started sending application letters to these companies - there was no email yet - and I got two responses. One was from a chemical company interested in my knowledge of agriculture wanting to grow a specific kind of flower called 'tageta'; a yellow flower used to produce a colourant that is fed to hens to produce eggs with a richer more yellow yolk. This was only for a few months - I was asked to do market research and feasibility studies - the results were negative and we found that it was forbidden for foreign companies to grow anything in Chinese soil. [In addition] because of the population density it would be impossible to acquire a large area of cultivable soil - all the land is reserved for Chinese growers and farmers.

"The other company was a trading company from Madrid with an office in Beijing who liked the idea of opening a branch in Nanjing. Our office was a hotel room from which we sold construction and decoration products imported from Spain."

In 1995, while Gerard was working for the Madrileño in Nanjing he and his girlfriend, soon to be wife, decided to embark upon another enterprise. With the help of some family in the textile business Gerard opened a small company based in Nanjing called BDText that would function as a bridge between Chinese textile manufacturers and Spanish producers and retailers.

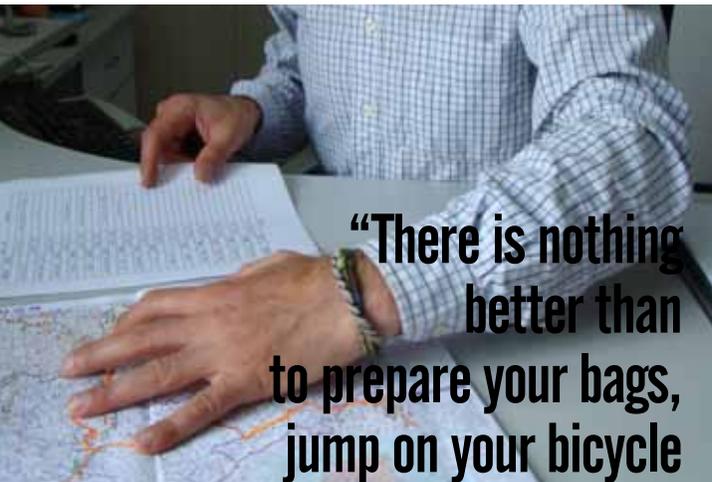
"In 1997 I stopped working with that trading company and I found myself in the street with a new born baby, a wife and a recently opened company operating from a 20 square metre office in Hunan Lu. The first two years were really difficult; we were losing money while trying to build a reputation and a clientele in Spain.

"Later things started to get better. We added another 50 square metres on another floor, then another 80 and then we found ourselves with the right conditions to start hiring staff."

After a lot of work BDText took off and started to grow steadily. In 2004 with the company in a new and much bigger office and his family financially se-

cured Gerard decided that the time had come for him to relax and renew his teenage love affair with the bicycle.

“I bought my first bicycle, a Giant ATX, at the time when they started to produce good bicycles; before 2004 it was really hard to find a decent bicycle in China. I started hanging out with a group of friends; biking aficionados who taught me how to make trips on our bicycles. Very soon I was confident enough to start travelling by myself.



“There is nothing better than to prepare your bags, jump on your bicycle and hit the open road.”

Whether with your bike or your car you should always take a break and spend some time in the countryside. The feeling of freedom is just indescribable. More so now, when everyone is looking for an investment opportunity I believe there is none better than a house in the country.

“One of the most beautiful and magical scenes that have witnessed in my life was during one of my trips to the north of Sichuan Province, a place called Emei Shan (Mount Emei), where the sun rises at 6 in the morning and you are at more than 3000 metres. You see how the bed of clouds changes from purple to pink and then orange while the Buddhist monks at the neighbouring temple start their morning chanting - this is something simply amazing.”

On his many travels by bicycle Gerard has encountered all kinds of people and situations, happening to be in Sichuan province taking photos moments before the 2008 earthquake hit.



“I was taking a break to buy a frozen yogurt when suddenly the earth started shaking and all the people rushed out to the streets.”

I was north of Leshan 200km from the epicenter but I could see a lot of damage to the buildings. Later that night at the hotel I went to bed with my bag ready to run away – at 4am another aftershock hit for about 15 seconds.”

Since 2004 Gerard has been making an average of two trips every year. On his latest in April of this year Gerard went with his bicycle as far as the Chinese borders with Vietnam and Laos, on the way passing through Anhui, Jiangxi, Hunan, Guizhou, Yunan and Sichuan in just two weeks. He admits that one of the drawbacks and most difficult aspects of these trips is the time apart from his family. Gerard feels in the future he will probably be making his trips shorter but more regular.



For a person who has spent the last 17 years in Nanjing, as witness to the changes and developments of the city I could not avoid the obvious questions surrounding his feelings on this matter.

“The only thing I can say is that cars are ruining this city.”



Nanjing is not a city with the infrastructure to host so many cars, there are not enough parking spaces and the bad habits and irresponsibility of the drivers makes the streets too dangerous. People in China are buying cars not for convenience, while petrol is amongst the most expensive in the world. People here buy cars only as a sign of social status.”

Gerard concludes, “cities are comfortable but people should seriously consider going back to the country or at least moving away from the cities towards adjacent areas that are cleaner and safer for raising a family.” 



The Spotlight



Janelle Lamoureux, 30, USA: **Bicycle**
"Easy to move around. You are the controller of your own transport and is a good exercise."



Laura Najjar, 27, Trinidad & Tobago: **Boat**
"I love the peace of the ocean having grown up in the Caribbean."



Nils Martin S nderland, 31, Norway: **Kicksled**
"When the roads are covered with snow using the kicksled is an efficient way of getting around. It's also both fun and good exercise to kick your way to the grocery store on a snowy winter day"



Calvin Loan Xu, 22, USA: **Subway**
"As someone who grew up in New York, it's the only easy (and cheap!) option to getting around quickly without worrying about parking space or traffic jams."



Robert Pinkerton, 21, USA: **Skateboard**
"I can entertain myself while moving from one place to another. I simply love skateboarding."



Wilai Wan Khueanson, 36, Thailand: **Boat**
"I love ocean. It makes me feel free and good while enjoying the fresh air. It's also fun watching the jumping fish around."



Douglas Van Wieren, 49, USA: **Recumbent Tricycle**
"It's like a travelling lawn chair. And since I have made it for myself I just love it. The only sad part is that I can't bring it here."



Sunan Han, 58, USA: **Car**
"Its very convenient and saves a lot of time."



Thomas Spiers, 56, USA: **Subway**
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Aryaprana Nando, 22, Indonesia: **Metro**

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Dimitri Morga, 19, USA: **Bus**

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Sherry Zou, 21, USA: **Bullet Trains**

"I get to my destination very fast while enjoying the scenery. Also I get less motion sickness."



Billy Bataille, 36, Canada: **Electric Tricycle**

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James Nolt, 53, USA: **Bullet Trains**

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Mili Bucktoward, 21, Mauritius: **Bicycle**

"Economical and faster to reach any nearby destination. The most energy efficient form of transportation. No air and noise pollution. It leads to a healthier life and reduces stress. Also biking is fun and to see the beautiful countryside."



Restaurant Review

Vanilla Sky

餐厅点评—香草天空

By Keith Maguire

■ One of my favourite pastimes is people watching* and Nanjing offers some great places to sit and watch the world go by for an hour or two. Vanilla Sky on Hankou Lu is such a place. One of the longest opened foreign owned restaurants in the city and still going strong, it may not immediately grab your eye as you walk in from Shanghai Lu but it is worth searching out. One drawback is that there is only a single table outside but it pays to make sure you get it. The view is worth it with plenty of footfall between Nanshi Da and Nan Da, people watching bliss! There are even some local rich kids who prove entertaining as they straddle their Harleys in between playing shots on what is surely one of the most weather beaten pool tables in the world.

On the night we went along we were not very hungry so I agreed to one of my least favourite things, sharing food. A Caesar salad (¥18) and a Hawaiian pizza of (¥40) were decided upon and the wait began. Vanilla Sky is a rather cute little place with summery Mediterranean décor throughout that makes late on a May evening a great time to visit. We found service to be really good and they also serve the drinks essentials; cold beer and good coffee.

First to arrive from the kitchen was the salad, not a huge portion but well put together with little bits of bacon, croutons, cos lettuce and not overly drenched in dressing. As the empty dish was taken away we ordered another. Like baby bear's porridge, it was just right!

The pizza arrived, freshly steaming from the kitchen, with a liberal supply of toppings, handily cut into 12ths and we set to work. Pretty good and given the price, also great value. Then came our second salad and for a while it was hard to choose which to eat. Either way, empty plates say a lot about how good a restaurant is. While not vast,

the menu still has enough good choices that you will walk away happy. Given its location, menu and price, it is a surprise that Vanilla Sky is not busier.

*As opposed to being stared at by my neighbours in the lift.

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我最喜欢的消遣时间的方法就是观察别人,恰好南京有很多这样的好地方,你可以坐下来一到两个小时,静静地观察这个世界.汉口路那的香草天空就是如此的一个地方.作为南京开业时间最长的外籍餐厅之一,它现在依旧仍茁壮成长.可能你在上海路散步的时候,它并不会一下子就吸引住你的目光,但这绝对是个值得你细细品尝的餐厅.居于南师大和南大附近,来来往往的人群进进出出,满脸喜悦!甚至有很多当地有钱的孩子会到这里消遣,他们会骑着哈雷来到香草天空,玩着这个世界上最饱经风霜的九球桌之一.

那天晚上我们一起散步,大家都不是特别饿,所以我同意做了一件我最不喜欢的东西—分享食物.我们点了一份凯撒沙拉(18),一份夏威夷披萨(40),然后就耐心等待.香草天空是一家非常可爱的小地方,微夏的五月夜晚来到这里,绝对的一个很好的选择.这里的服务非常好,提供饮料;冷啤以及上等咖啡.

首先端上来的是沙拉,分量不是特别多,但是盘子里培根,蒜香,生菜摆饰得非常漂亮,大方而不过分.空盘子被端走以后,我们又点了一份沙拉!就好像在吃小熊粥一样,非常好吃!

披萨随后就被端上来了,刚从厨房出炉,热气腾腾,物超所值.然后第二份沙拉也端上桌子,这时候我们就很难决定去吃哪道菜了.不管怎样,客人的空盘子说明了这家餐厅有多好.你可以自由选择披萨的配料.熟练的切成12块以后,我们就开动了.美味至极!虽然菜单做的不大,可是你还是有选择,绝对不会失望而归.在这样的地点,这样的菜单,以及这样的价格,香草天空没有更忙起来是一件很让人惊讶的事情.

在电梯里被我的邻居们一直盯着看.

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Restaurant Review

Jack's Place

餐厅点评—杰克地方

By Keith Maguire

■ Italian restaurants and Irish bars seem to be among those places that seem to be in every city in the world. Jack's Place has two locations in Nanjing, one on Shanghai Lu across from the foreign students dormitory and the other; which we visited, on Wangfu Dajie. There is another in Suzhou, recently renamed, that also enjoys a good local reputation.

From the outside it looks a bit faded and unloved. Even as the more upscale of the two locations, on the inside it also looks dated as opposed to that vintage/olde worlde style created by some interior designers. All that is missing are the ubiquitous pictures of Paolo Maldini (or Alex Del Piero depending on your allegiance) and the Pope. Don't let that put you off. It is clean and welcoming and most importantly the food is great.

As we enter, we were welcomed by the dulcet tones of Shania Twain (where has she gone?) as well as a multi national crowd of British,



American, Italian and Spanish accents... there may have been others that I didn't catch. In fact every single diner is foreign and I think that is the first time I have seen such a thing here.

The menu is wide and varied with the usual Italian fare of pasta, pizza, salads and also includes steaks and fish. We order Penne with Bacon Bell Sweet Pepper, Tomato Sauce with Fresh Mozzarella Cheese (¥48), Traditional Lasagna (¥42) and Oven Baked Potato Mash with Bacon, Mozzarella Cheese and Fresh Parmesan Cheese' (¥28).

We are served some tepid and slightly stale toasted bread topped with chopped tomato and olives. I suppose it's an attempt at bruschetta and is fine.

Pretty soon the mains arrive. The pasta has a fantastic flavour and although there is a good ratio of sauce to pasta; "the bacon is a little overpowering".

My lasagna is really great; rich, creamy and meaty. It is also pretty heavy it must be said. I am not sure if it is the full 250g which the menu proclaims but I could well believe it. It is a dish only suitable for normal people; vegetarians should stay away (sarcastic wink).

Potato comes next and while it does not quite meet the menu description is good nonetheless. There is a hint of bacon but I do not actually see any and there is certainly no trace of mozzarella. At this point I am told that potato and lasagna make unusual companions; maybe it's just memories of my mothers lasagna from my childhood.

Jacks Place seems to have become a regular and reliable haunt for foreigners based in Nanjing and based on our experience it is easy to see how.

Jack's Place, 35 Wangfu Dajie / 16 Shanghai Lu

意大利餐厅和爱尔兰餐厅似乎遍布世界各地。杰克地方光在南京就有两家店,一个在上海路外国留学生宿舍对面,还有一个则在王府大街。苏州那也有一个,在当地非常受欢迎。

餐厅外面的墙上油漆有点掉色,整体看起来不怎么起眼。不过两家店装潢对比起来都差不多,和那些室内设计师设计的古典风格相比,内部装潢也稍微有些陈旧。餐厅里缺少了一些Paolo Maldini的画,(或者你愿意忠心的称呼他Alex Del Piero)和教皇的自画像。不要让这些扫了你的兴,这里打扫的非常干净,给人一种舒服的感觉。最重要的是,他们家的菜非常好吃。

走进餐厅里的时候,听到的是Shania Twain悦耳的歌声,以及各种各样国际口音,如英语,美语,意大利语,西班牙语,我可能甚至还漏掉了一些。事实上,几乎每一桌都是外国人,我还是第一次看到这样的情景呢。菜单做的宽大而丰富多彩,有意大利面,披萨,沙拉,牛排和鱼等等。我们点了意大利培根贝尔甜胡椒饭,番茄酱马苏里拉奶酪,传统卤汁面条,烤培根土豆泥,帕玛森乳酪。

服务员给我们上了一盘温热的烤面包,面包上沾着一些碎番茄和橄榄,我以为这是一盘意式特色面包。味道还是不错的。

主菜很快就端上来了。意大利面口味美妙极了!尽管再加一些酱汁可能会更好,"培根做的有点过头了"

我的卤汁面条做的实在是太好吃了,分量十足,奶香四溢,肉汁鲜美。面条分量也很重。我不确定是不是像菜单上说的那样有250克,可是我绝对相信它有!对于正常饮食的人们来说,这道菜非常值得品尝,素食主义者的话,还是算了吧。(玩笑话)

土豆随后端上餐桌,和菜单上描述的不是特别像,但是味道真的很不错。菜单上说菜里加了培根,说实话,我啥都没有看见这时候,我才知道土豆和卤汁面条很少搭在一起吃。可能回忆里,小时候只有我妈妈做的卤汁面条里才放土豆。

现在杰克地方已经广受南京外国人的信任和欢迎了。根据我们长久以来的经验,原因显而易见。

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Food Review Street Food 路边小吃点评

By Serafino Di Giampaolo

8am - Shanghai Lu, Home

The Bieyu (turtle) soup is amusing; and it was with this that I replaced my usual coffee. It was full of black pepper; I added two drops of squeezed lemon and a drop of Greek extra virgin olive oil.

Chinese people tell many stories about the unique attributes of the wugui. The Hellenics spread tales of the extra virgin olive oil's magic properties. Then there is the Sicilian folklore surrounding the secret powers of lemons. Do I believe those stories? I know not. Anyway, with perhaps a half truth there and a half truth here, at lunch time I still feel little heady from the combination. I am only a little hungry; I need just the bite necessary to fight the heat. I love food, so I like to be only a little hungry; I love to have the time to search, to look, to analyze, to observe, to study, to learn and finally to indulge and choose.... "If love be blind, love cannot hit the mark", said my friend Mercutio in Shakespeare's "Romeo & Juliet".



1pm - Daxingong Market

The heat has hit its heights for the day. At the first hint of shadow I stop for a drink, and to quench my thirst I buy a ¥2 refreshing sugar cane drink. Good, but I will not do it anymore for the rest of the year; a little too sweet for my delicate balance (I should have gone for a Campari).

Wow, what a smell, a deep fried stinky tofu with red hot oil served on a wooden skewer - ¥2. I love this; it reminds me of some of those European stinky cheeses such as Roquefort, Stilton, or Gorgonzola or Handkase. So what? It always stinks when you revisit the glorious past.

The tofu skewer enhanced my appetite; a few paces later I bought some Zong zi

They were masterfully rolled in three leaves of Zong ye and boiled for about two hours. Sticky and delicious, inside I found the yolk of a duck's egg and some small pieces of pork meat. In this season they are essential. It is tradition, health and happiness. And for only ¥2 they are very good.

2pm - Bus no. 65

I jumped on Bus no. 65; ¥2 of course. Close to me, seats a sharply uniformed student tucking into a roasted sweet potato. Everybody is looking at him. From the movement of the mouth, we know; the potato is still hot, and from the shining of his eyes, we know; he likes it... big time. Tradition, health and happiness again for ¥2. This is possible in China, Viva China.

2.30pm - Shanghai Lu

Down this little alley, when calms the hysteria of the busy drivers you can hear the birds greeting the season. They will leave soon for a fresher destination, I will stay in Nanjing. I am seeking small pastries named Nan gua bin with zhi ma. I found them, in a little tiny shop, facing the giant McDonald's, but you already know the story of David and Goliath... Well this shop has been never approached by a painter since they build it. Mei guanxi. They are hot, crunchy, definitely nice; ¥2. You can find them in any part of the city, but "here" they are special, so I am told.

5pm - Guangzhou Lu

On the footpath, an aged gentleman sells some kind of slow cooked

"calzone"; I cannot resist. ¥4, but only because I am not Han. The filling is based on herbs and they are very tasty and spicy. The afternoon digestion running very smoothly, in effect I still have a little space for something sweet. No! I will have a fresh pineapple, sharply prepared with an apposite knife that seems designed and surely bought in the sixties. On the way home a passionate red Bing tang hu lu (candied haws on a stick) satisfy my desire for shiny and sweet - ¥2.

It is evening, I have walked almost all day and I have no energy to go and eat the hand made dumplings to be found in the city's darker corners. I am tired but happy and with still some renminbi in my wallet.

Good night.

早上八点-上海路,家

甲鱼汤喝起来还不错;于是我抛弃了平时喝的咖啡.汤里放的都是黑胡椒;我挤了两滴柠檬汁,以及一滴希腊特制的原味橄榄油在汤里.

中国人常常喜欢说一些有关乌龟独特特性的故事.希腊人则宣扬了原味橄榄油的神奇特性的故事.而西西里岛很多民族传说一直围绕柠檬的神奇力量.我相信这些故事吗?我不知道,或许一半一半吧,到午饭时间的时候,因为这混合汤,我还是有些飘飘然.有点饿,我想我需要吃点什么东西来抵抗这个高温的天气.我很喜欢美食,所以我总是有点饿,这样我就有很多时间寻找美食,观察,分析,学习它们,最后享受它们.正如莎士比亚罗密欧与茱莉亚书里我的朋友墨库肖说的那样,爱情如果是盲目的,就射不中靶

下午一点-大行宫,超市

正是一天中最热的时候,找到了一个荫凉处,我停下来买了一瓶饮料,看能不能解渴.花了2块钱买了一瓶提神的甜饮料.不错,但是我敢保证我以后再也不会买了;对于我的味觉来说,有点太甜了.(我就应该去买瓶金巴利酒).

哇,一阵阵浓郁的油炸臭豆腐味传来,一串串的用木枝穿好,上面还浇着一层红油,2块钱.我爱这玩意!它让我想起了一些欧洲的臭奶酪,如洛克福羊乳干酪,斯提耳顿干酪,戈尔根朱勒干酪.但是又怎样呢?当你回忆那些美好的过去的时候,它永远都是这个味道.

这些豆腐串让我的食欲大增;转了一些地方以后,我买了一些粽子.它们被至少三层粽叶严严实实地包裹住,然后煮上两个小时,黏糊糊的,非常美味,我还尝到一些鸭黄和一点猪肉.这个季节来说,粽子是很受欢迎的.作为一种传统的中国美食,健康又幸福.才卖2块钱,真是划算.

下午2点-公交车65路

花了2块钱上了65路车,离我最近的坐着的是一个穿着校服的学生,手里还拿着一个烤山芋.每个人都在看着他,从他吃山芋的嘴型来看,这个山芋还是很烫的,但是从他眼里发出的光芒来看,他很享受.这也是

一种传统,健康,幸福的中国食物.同样也是2块钱.在中国这是很可能发生的,中国万岁.

下午2点30-上海路

沿着这条小巷子走下去,你可以听见忙碌的司机们兴奋的吆喝,还有小鸟叽叽喳喳迎夏的啼鸣.它们不久之后就去下一个更新鲜的目的地了,而我还是依旧呆在南京.我在找一种叫芝麻南瓜饼的小糕点.在一个很小很小的店里最后买到了,对面是巨大的麦当劳,我相信你已经知道David和Goliath的故事了...这家店从建造起,从来没有任何一个画家靠近.没关系.这个糕点很烫,很脆,可是真的超级好吃.2块钱,你在南京很多地方都能买到,可是别人告诉我,这里绝对是很特别的.

下午5点-广州路

在人行道上,一位上了年纪的先生在卖一种慢烤出来的“Calzone”,我真的无法拒绝.4块钱,因为我不是中国人.饼里面有很多蔬菜,很可口,也很辣.下午的时候消化非常好,我觉得我还可以吃一些甜的东西.不行!我要买一个新鲜的菠萝,用刀切好剥皮

可能那把刀是那些六十年代的人们设计卖的.在回家的路上,我又遇到了一个卖冰糖葫芦的人(把山楂糖果串在一根棍子上),这满足了我想吃闪闪发光又甜的东西.2块钱.

终于到晚上,这一整天我都在不停的走,我已经没有肚子再去吃在南京某一黑暗角落发现的手工水饺了.我很累,但是很开心,口袋里还有一些钱.

晚安.

Activity Review Foodies Indulge for a cause

By Sam Brummitt

■ In May 2008, a group of people in Beijing gathered to have dinner and raise money to support the victims of the Sichuan earthquake. Originally intended to be just a one-time occasion, the gathering turned out to be so successful that it became a regular event. It was also to be one that would spread to elsewhere in China.

The first Nanjing Foodies dinner took place at the Italian Restaurant Me@ting Point in April 2011, whereby diners helped Wokaito donate US\$80 to a loan for a farmer and a father of two in Yilong, Sichuan, and \$20 to a mother of two who asked for a loan to buy feed for the cattle and sheep she herds in Chifeng, Inner Mongolia.

In May, Nanjing Foodies indulged in a buffet of Indian food at the Taj Mahal restaurant. 37 people attended the dinner helping to donate ¥740 and dozens of books to The Library Project who collect books and raise money to build libraries at under-financed schools and orphanages in China. Tom Stader, Founder of The Library Project, attended the dinner and spoke about the charity's work in different parts of China, including Jiangsu and Anhui provinces. Inspired guests were inspired to go out and start book drives to collect more books to donate to libraries built by The Library Project.

Nanjing Foodies has big plans for the rest of the year. So, come out and join us!

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Performance Review DJ Shami

14.05.2011 @ 61 House

By Hannah Thompson

■ 61 House is one of the few places worthy of hosting gigs and small music events in Nanjing; here enter DJ Shami and the Party Maniacs with their aim of promoting electronic music to what is undeniably a stagnant Nanjing clubbing scene.

With no cover and a good launch time of 11pm, DJ Shami arrived ready to surprise some bored ears and got off to a promising start. The assembled were not perhaps the most evident fans of electronic music, but most looked willing to try. With a good mix of foreign and Chinese patrons, 61 House was packed to the brim by 11.30pm and had a fun and lively atmosphere. Green strobe lights flickered over the hordes intermittently, and the music was just loud enough to be prominent but not deafening. DJ Shami appeared to have won over some new fans, with his interesting mix of various kinds of electro music successfully getting some head bobbing and toe tapping started. All too soon, by midnight cracks in the marriage between DJ Shami and 61 House sadly began to show. Distractions such as the TVs dotted around the venue switched onto CCTV5 (covering a ping pong match) and the central screens at the front silently beaming a Bruce Lee movie both diverted the eye and the brain away. 61 House had also attempted to set up a dance floor, moving tables and chairs closest to the screens at the front of the bar to free up some space, but to no real avail. Gradually, the lack of dancing was ever more noticeable and even worse, by 12.30am the bulk of the crowd had sidled off to places unknown.

The failings of the night were clearly not down to DJ Shami or indeed the music, but the set up. 61 House is known widely for its popular live music gigs and excellent pub-like arrangement, not for DJ sets. Some work remains to be done while we wait for electronic music events at 61 House to become just as talked about as the venue's regular gigs and singer/songwriter performances. The new direction for Nanjing's music scene is waiting timidly in the wings.

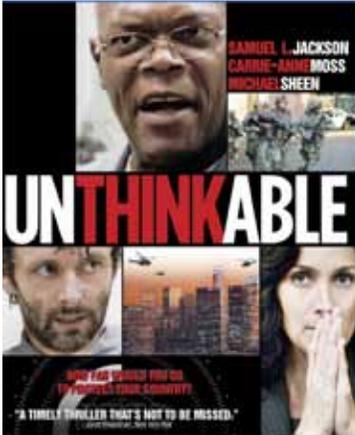
Summer Movie Previews & Reviews

By Devopro

Some might say it is unthinkable to release a movie in theatres a year after it has been released on DVD. However, this summer Unthinkable is being released in China. I never quite expected to see it here mainly on account of content but we can expect its debut the last week of June, probably in an edited form.

Unthinkable stars Samuel L Jackson, Carrie-Ann Moss, and Michael Sheen in a terror plot thriller that asks how far you would go to save a nation. I watched this on DVD last year. Some intense and brutal torture sequences with Sheen doing an amazing job as the American

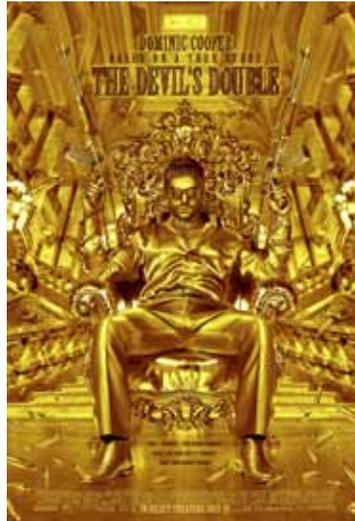
born Islamic extremist but this is not something for the cinema. *Unthinkable* is a made for TV film - at best an HBO special. Visually safe and conservative in composition; *Unthinkable* hugs the centre-frame as much as possible. I would also be bored with a theatrical presentation as I feel it would take away from some of the more brutal elements of the piece. Moreover this movie is a private experience that asks the viewer several personal questions which would feel awkward in a crowd.



Skyline is also coming to Chinese theatres after some time on DVD and Bluray. I've had the BD for over three months now and love the film; for me worth watching again on the big screen. Although the ending feels like they ran out of money and substituted it with multilayered stills, this is one of the cooler alien invasion films that last year went under-rated. As with most summers, while Hollywood will try to fry your brain in order to open up your wallet, thankfully the Internet has leveled the playing field. This summer's line up includes some interesting options for those not interested in fantasy or large scale action films.



Lee Tamahori (*The Edge*, *Die Another Day*, *The Sopranos*) is back with *The Devil's Double*. A film from the point of view of a man (Dominic Cooper) forced to be the double of one of Saddam Hussein's sons. This son was apparently a pretty wacked out character who enjoyed murder, drugs and torture on a Sunday afternoon. Besides having the coolest poster of the summer, *The Devil's Double* looks like it will be a fascinating peek into the world of a family which was the focus of two wars and phantom WMD.



If Iraq is not your thing then Ryan Reynolds in skin-tight CGI green might do it for you. DC is bringing the Green Lantern to the big screen with Martin Campbell as director - the man who resurrected the Bond franchise twice.



The Trip promises to be a trip with Steve Coogan and Rob Brydon. *Michael Winterbottom* has made a buddy picture about Steve and Rob traveling around England, sampling en-

trees for a book on fine dining. This would have been great as a TV series; *Winterbottom* always does a great first hour but then his films tend to fall apart. However, I would take the risk just to enjoy Steve and Rob jab each other for at least a good hour.



I seem to recall a situation years back in the US when a pizza delivery guy was forced to wear a bomb and rob a bank - a sad story that has now been spun into *30 Minutes Or Less* - a comedy starring Jesse Eisenberg, Danny McBride, Aziz Ansari, and Nick Swardson. Eisenberg plays a pizza delivery guy who is wrapped in explosives and given a day to rob a bank or he himself becomes the pizza topping. He must pull off the heist while battling a dozen other issues in comedic fashion; might be fun when it comes out in August, but guaranteed McBride will be entertaining.



Ever since Warner Bros pulled out of mainland distribution, western films have had fewer opportunities on Chinese screens. The result has been a greater variety of international cinema, including more Russian, European and Indian content. There is also always a few local films playing and some of them have English subtitles to boot.

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What is Nanjing EtonHouse International School?



The Vercelli family - Italy

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The Saucedo family - Mexico

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The Ki family - Japan

"It is close to where we live. Another reason is that the EtonHouse International School is new. What it lacks in experience, the school tries hard and therefore EtonHouse may very well end up better than the more established schools. I have had concerns with the fact that there are relatively few students. I was worried about peers but finally ended up choosing EtonHouse for my children."



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Intercontinental Hotel

1 Zhongyang Lu, Zifeng Tower, Gulou

中央路1号紫峰大厦鼓楼区

83538888

www.intercontinental.com

Located in Gulou with a birds-eye view of Nanjing's skyline. The hotel makes a grand statement and can be found in the 450 metre high Zifeng Tower; the tallest building in Nanjing. The hotel offers world-class service and accommodation

The Westin Nanjing 南京威斯汀大酒店

201 Zhongyang Lu,

Nanjing International Center, Gulou

中央路201号南京国际广场鼓楼区

85568888

www.westin.com/nanjing

The Westin is a haven of Chinese distinction, located only minutes from major corporations, restaurants and shopping. Set within the vibrant Hunan Road central business district, every room of the Westin overlooks scenic Xuanwu Lake.

Sofitel Galaxy 南京索菲特银河大酒店

9 Shanxi Road

山西路9号

83718888

www.sofitel.com

resoff@sofitelnanjing.com

A luxury hotel located at the end of the popular shopping street, Hunan Road. The accommodation of choice for many visitors coming to Nanjing.

NU Sofitel Zhongshan Golf Resort

中山索菲特高尔夫度假酒店

1 Huanling Road

环陵路1号

85408888

www.sofitel.com

reservation@sofitelnanjing.com

This golf resort is located at the foot of Purple Mountain and is the preferred hangout spot of Nanjing's rich and famous. A five-star plus location that's great to visit and relax in.

NU Jinling Hotel

金陵饭店

2 Hanzhong Lu

汉中路2号

84722888

A landmark hotel and one of the original high-class establishments in Nanjing. Conveniently located in Xinjiekou, you can enjoy restaurants serving Italian, Japanese, Chinese, and Hong Kong cuisine, and you can also purchase train and air tickets from the hotel's travel desk.

Crowne Plaza Nanjing 皇冠假日酒店

89 Hanzhong Lu

汉中路89

84718888

nanjing@ihg.com

Modern western hotel located in the west of Xinjiekou. Range of restaurants, full Spa and health centre facilities including pool. Travel service also available.

Nanjing Grand Metropark Hotel

南京维景国际大酒店

319 East Zhongshan Lu

中山东路319号

84808888

www.metroparkhotels.com

sales.njgm@metroparkhotels.com

The 5-star Grand Metropark Hotel is located next to the Nanjing Museum. A wide variety of recreational and entertainment facilities. Holds a grand ballroom also.

NU Xuanwu Hotel

玄武饭店

193 Zhongyang Lu

中央路193号

83358888

www.xuanwu.com.cn

info@xuanwu.com.cn

Close to the railway station and international exhibition center. Top-class dining available. A Revolving Restaurant on the 20th floor.

Nanjing Central Hotel

南京中心大酒店

75 Zhongshan Lu, Gulou

鼓楼区中山路75号

83155888

The Central Hotel is located in Xinjiekou, A hotel that combines spectacular architectural design with the hotelier's traditional values of comfort, hospitality and attention to detail.

NU Nanjing Sunflower International

Youth Hostel

80 Zhanyuan Road (next to Fuzimiao's west gate)

瞻园路80号, 在夫子庙西门的附近

52266858 / 66850566

www.nanjingyha.com

This is an international youth hotel in Fuzimiao, one of Nanjing's most famous scenic areas.

It includes free pool, DVDs, cable TV, foosball, Wifi, travel info, an English menu, and an English speaking staff.

Resorts

NU Regalia Resort & Spa (Qinhui River)

御庭精品酒店(秦淮河)

E5, No 388, Yingtian Street, Qinhuai District

(Chenguang 1865 Technology Park)

应天大街388号(晨光1865科技创新产业园)第E5幢

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www.regalia.com.cn

reservations-qhr@regalia.com.cn

One of the most luxurious Spa resorts in Nanjing, conveniently located just outside the city wall on the Qinhuai river. A Thai style Spa offering a holistic approach to rejuvenation and relaxation. Its five spa villas with the river exude serenity, peace and solitude. Dining offers a uniquely satisfying combination of Chinese, Asian and Western cuisine.

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8 Wenquan Lu, Tangshan, Jiangning

汤山镇温泉路8号

51190666

A Leisure hotel in Tangshan offering different types of bathing. ¥128 for adults, ¥65 for children under 1.3m tall.

Museums

Nanjing Massacre Museum

清华日军南京大屠杀遇难同胞纪念馆

Shuiximen Jie No. 418

水西门428号

86612230 / 86610931

Tuesday – Sunday from 8:30 to 16:30

The museum is located in the southwestern corner of Nanjing known as Jiangdongmen; one of the former execution grounds and mass burial places of the cruel holocaust. Admission is free.

Rabe House 拉贝故居

Xiaofenqiao No. 1, Guangzhou Lu.

小粉桥1号

Tuesday – Sunday from 8:30 to 16:30

The former home of the German Industrialist who saved the lives of thousands of Nanjing people in 1937. The house served as a refuge shelter at the time. The story is vividly told here.

Nanjing Brocade Museum 南京云锦博物馆

240 Chating Dong Jie 茶亭东街240号

86518580 Hours: 8:30am-5:00pm

Nanjing brocade is regarded as the finest on earth. Visitors can observe professional brocade artists working on wooden looms.

City Wall Museum 南京明城墙遗址博物馆

8 Jiefang Men 解放门8号

83608359

Found on top of Jiefang Gate with photographs of long-gone city gates, maps and a full-scale model of the walled city. Captions in Chinese.

Folk Customs Museum 南京民俗博物馆

19 Nanbu Ting, Baixia District (near Gan Jia Da Yuan)

白下区南捕厅19号(甘家大院)

52217104

Learn about different facets of life in traditional China. Regular musical performances and hands-on traditional crafts.

Nanjing Museum 南京博物院

321 Zhongshan Dong Lu 中山东路321号

The museum houses artifacts from various periods from Neolithic to the communist period.

Nanjing Science Museum 南京科技馆

9 Zijinghua Lu, Yuhua District

雨花台区紫荆花路9号

58076158

Hands-on fun and learning for kids. IMAX Cinema.

Taiping Heavenly Kingdom History Museum

太平天国历史博物馆

128 Zhanyuan Lu 瞻园路128号

86086833

Houses an interesting collection of documents, and artifacts related to the Kingdom including army maps, coins, scrolls of laws and weapons.

Bailuzhou Park 白鹭洲公园

1 Bailuzhou 白鹭洲1号

Built in the Yuan dynasty, located on the Qinhuai River, with traditional architecture, a small kids' amusement park and a bird and plant market.

Gulin Park 古林公园

21 Huju Bei Lu 虎踞北路21号
Gardens, paintball, BBQ & outdoor pool. Take the lift to the top of Nanjing Radio tower for a great view of the city.

Jiuhuashan Park 九华山公园

Beijing Dong Lu 北京东路
Climb to the top of the park to visit the temple and pagoda. A great way to get on the city wall for a scenic spot with gorgeous views of the city.

Nanjing Hongshan Forest Zoo 红山森林动物园

101 Heyan Lu 和燕路101号
Nanjing's zoo. Recent renovations have made this a nice place for a day out.

Qingliangshan Park 清凉山公园

Guangzhou Lu, near the intersection of Huju Lu 广州路西端
A quiet park, once home to Chinese artists, offers several calligraphy and stone museums, as well as an art gallery and pottery studio open to the public.

Underwater World 海底世界

South side of Purple Mountain 中山陵四方城8号
8.30am-5pm

Xuanwu Lake Park 玄武湖公园

1 Xuanwu Xiang 玄武巷1号
Offers trails for walking biking and running. You will find playgrounds, gardens, restaurants and boats for rent.

Mochou Lake Park 莫愁湖公园

35 Hanzhongmen Da Jie 汉中门大街35号
Location of the annual Dragon Boat Races, this park is dominated by a huge lake. It is a great place to go boating or simply take a walk in a peaceful environment.

Yuejiang Tower 阅江楼

202 Jianning Lu 建宁路202号
This temple is part of a complex known as Yuejiang Tower Scenic spot. It includes the temple itself, Wanxian pavilion and other historical remains.

Zhongshan Botanical Garden 中山植物园

Established in 1929 and covers over 186 hectares. The garden has more than 3000 plant species on display. A great place to breathe the fresh air and have fun cycling.

Zhongshan Botanical Garden's Bridge World 中山植物园桥世界

1 Qianhu Hou Cun, outside Zhongshan Gate 中山门外前湖后村1号
An assortment of challenging bridge and rope courses criss-crossing a stream. For children of all ages to try.

Zixia Lake 紫霞湖

In the heart of Purple Mountain area with picnic grounds and a mountain fed lake in which you can swim. Take extreme care when doing so as a number of deaths occur each year as a result of cramp brought on by cold currents flowing into the lake from deep inside the mountain.

Business & Education

International Education

British School of Nanjing 南京英国学校

Building 2, Jinling Resort, Jiuhu Dong Lu 佳湖东路湖滨金陵饭店2号楼
52108987

EtonHouse Nanjing 伊顿国际教育集团

West Songhua Jiang Street, Jianye District (near Olympic Stadium) 南京市松花江西街6号, 建邺区, 靠奥体北门 (中华紫鑫广场北面) 金陵中学实验小学内
8669 6778

Nanjing International School 南京国际学校

8 Xueheng Lu, Xianlin College and University Town 仙林大学城学衡路8号
85899111

Eternal Sea Int. Kindergarten 恒海外国语幼儿园

20 Mingugong Lu 明故宫路20号
84820900

Nanjing #1 Kindergarten International Division 南京第一幼儿园国际部

266 Baixia Lu 白下路266号
86647868

Grand Canadian Academy 中加国际高中

30 Beijing Dong Lu 北京东路30号南京外国语学校内
83282339

Novas Education Management 诺瓦斯国际

2405, Building A, New World Centre, 88 Zhujiang Lu 珠江路88号新时广场A幢2405
83282339

Language Training

Alliance Français de Nanjing 南京法语联盟

Beijing Xilu 73 Qunlou 4th floor 北京西路73号裙楼四楼
83598762
www.afnanjing.org
French classes for individuals and companies as well as a modern library plus cultural events including conferences, concerts, exhibitions with local partners and artists.

JESIE-Goethe-Language Centre

JESIE -歌德语言中心
Jiangsu College for International Education 3rd Floor, 205 Shanghai Lu 江苏省国际教育学院3楼, 上海路205号
83335690
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A cultural institute of the Federal Republic of Germany promoting cultural understanding and offering German language courses.

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Foreign Trade & Economic Development Agencies

Australian Trade Commission 澳大利亚贸易委员会南京代表处

1163, 11F, World Trade Center, 2 Hanzhong Lu 汉中路2号金陵饭店世界贸易中心11层1163室
84711888 -1163

Baden-Württemberg International 德国巴登符腾堡州国际经济和科技合作协会

7-3 Dabei Xiang Meiyuan Xin Cun 梅园新村大悲巷7-3号
84728895

China-Britain Business Council, Nanjing 中英贸易协会南京代表处

Rm 2514-2515, 50 Zhonghua Lu 中华路50号2514-2515室
52311740

European Union Chamber of Commerce 中国欧盟商会(南京)

30F, 1 Zhujiang Lu 珠江路1号30层
83627330

Netherlands Business Support Office 荷兰贸易促进委员会南京代表处

Suite 2316, Building B, 23/F, Phoenix Plaza, 1 Hunan Lu 湖南路1号凤凰国际广场B楼23层2316室
84703707

Nordrhein-Westfalen Business Partners 德国北莱茵威斯特法伦州经济促进局驻华南京代表处

50 Zhonghua Lu 中华路50号
52270000

Clubs & Charities

Nanjing International Club 南京国际俱乐部

www.nanjinginternationalclub.com
Founded in 1990 with the objective of promoting social contacts and good community relations within the international community in Nanjing. Many events taking place on a weekly, monthly and annual basis. A big club in Nanjing with 600+ members.

Nanjing Toastmasters 南京第一家英语演讲俱乐部

www.nanjingtoastmasters.com
Weekly meetings at Hohai University

Hopeful Hearts 希望之心

www.hopefulhearts.info
Dedicated to raising funds necessary for medical treatment of children with a heart condition.

Wokai 我开

www.wokai.org
nanjing@wokai.org
Wokai offers opportunities of microfinance to people in rural China to start their own businesses.

Pfrang Association 普方基金会

7-3 Dabei Xiang Meiyuan Xin Cun 梅园新村大悲巷7-3号
84729068
www.pfrang-association.org
Pfrang association raises money to sponsor the school education of children in poor regions of Jiangsu province.

Operation Blessing China 慈福行动

010-64669296
info@obchina.org

www.obchina.org

Operation Blessing China initiates transformation in the lives of the needy and impoverished communities.

Shopping

Art

Jiangsu Art Gallery 江苏省美术馆

266 Changjiang Lu 长江路266号
86643757

Works of local artists, exhibits changed frequently.

ART 国艺堂

D-1 Shuimuqinhuai, 99 Shitoucheng Lu 石头城路
99号水木秦淮D-1号

83321600

Picture framing service and all kinds of art related books, supplies.

Shenghua Art Center

南京圣划艺术中心

2 Zhoutai Lu, on Jiangxin Islet
江心洲民俗街洲泰路2号(原乡土乐园)

86333097 86333100

Exhibition of Chinese contemporary art, including photography, sculpture and painting, etc.

Antique Markets

Chaotian Palace Antique Market

朝天宫古玩市场

Confucius Temple Antique Market

夫子庙古玩市场

Qingliangshan Park Antique Market

清凉山古玩市场

Major antique markets in Nanjing. Beware of the fake items.

Stone City Modern Art Creation Gallery

石城现代艺术创意园

72 Beijing Xi Lu 北京西路72号

Exhibition of modern Chinese art.

Shizhuzhai 十竹斋

72 Taiping Nan Lu 太平南路72号

Online shop (CN): www.cnnjshizhuzhai.com/shop/

360 yrs history in Nanjing. Galleries and traditional art items for sale.

For the Home

B&Q 百安居

286 Ningli Lu 宁溧路286号

Int'l hardware and furniture store with four stores in Nanjing.

IKEA 宜家家居

South of Kazi Men 卡子门南侧

Hongxing Furniture

红星国际家具广场

224 Zhongyang Lu 中央路224号

Large furniture mall with many shops. Large range of prices, styles, etc.

Jinsheng Market 金盛百货大市场

2 Jianning Lu 建宁路2号

Large indoor market with everything from home décor to wires to Christmas trinkets to electronics, etc. Cheap but be prepared to bargain. Several other outlets in Nanjing.

Jinling Decoration Market

金陵装饰城

88 Jiangdong Zhong Rd 江东中路88号 Everything needed for a new home.

Longjiang Flower Market

龙江花卉市场

78 Qingliangmen Da Jie

清凉门大街78号

Huge outdoor flower market with a variety of plants, cut flowers, fish tanks and fish, and a selection of gardening tools.

Modern House NJ (Remo) 摩登仓

Ground Floor, Lan of mercy and Social Hall, off

Huaqiao Lu

慈悲社兰之堂5-2号

86555566

www.amodernhouse.com.cn

Copied designer furniture & décor.

Malls

Deji Plaza 德基广场

18 Zhongshan Road 中山路18号

84788066

A western style mall located at the northern end of Xinjiekou. As one of Nanjing's premier malls, there is a wide variety of high class shops and western restaurants such as Bella Napoli, and high end shops including Louis Vuitton and Burberry. There is also a movie theatre.

Nanjing Aqua City 南京水游城

1 Jianshang Road 健康路1号

52233999

A newer Nanjing shopping mall, home to many restaurants and western brand name shops as well as a cinema and an import supermarket.

Golden Eagle Shopping Center

金鹰国际商城

89 Hanzhong Road 汉中中路89号

84708899

A popular department store with a wide selection of clothing, homeware, and a foreign food supermarket located on the upper floor.

Wanda Plaza 万达广场

98 Middle Jiangdong Road 江东中路98号

86805588

The largest mall in the west of the city, mostly occupied by Chinese brands. However there is a wide variety of food including Walmart and one of the largest cinemas in Nanjing.

Golden Wheel In-Citi 金轮新天地

8 Hanzhong Road 汉中中路8号

84773788

One of the major Xinjiekou malls, with a wide variety of western brands and foods, including a donut shop and a Japanese teppenyaki restaurant. Fashion-wise, there is a wide selection available, including brands Sephora, H&M, and Timberland.

New City Mall 新城市广场

99 Caochangmen Street 草场门大街99号

86210888

One of the larger malls in Hexi, the western portion of the city. It contains many brand name shops, a variety of restaurants, a yoga studio, and a movie theatre.

Grand Ocean Department Store 大洋百货

122 Zhongshan Nan Lu 中山南路122号

Frequent promotions and many good value food stalls the basement.

Orient Department Store 东方商城

2 Zhongshan Nan Lu 中山南路2号

Gucci, Celine and other designer brands are available.

Sports

Decathlon 迪卡侬

286 Ningli Lu, next to Metro

宁溧路286号 (麦德龙对面)

Sport Megastore, 9am-9pm

GIANT 捷安特

178 Zhongshan Bei Lu, opposite

of the fabric market 'Bu Bu Bu'

中山北路178号

83611227

Bike shop

Jinxianghe Rd 进香河路

The main street for outdoor stores for hiking, backpacks, equipment and apparel for outdoors.

Bikes & Equipment Stores on Jinxianghe Rd

SPECIALIZED 闪电专卖店

Mountain Heart 山地情怀车行

Electronics

Professional Photography Equipment Market

照相器材专业市场

3F, Binjiang Friendship Shopping Center, 301

Jiangdong Bei Lu

江东北路301号滨江友好商城三楼

Dongding Plaza, 699 Zhujiang Lu

珠江路699号东鼎照相市场

Camera & photography equipment.

Mobile Shops on Danfeng Jie

丹凤街-手机

Indoor markets specialized in new and second-hand mobile phones and repairs.

Zhujiang Lu - IT Products

珠江路-IT产品

A multitude of stores selling every-

thing you need for your computer, phone, camera and beyond.

Zhongyang Lu - Video Games

中央路-电子游戏

Any type of video game for all video game systems. Also do minor repairs.

Suning Electronics 苏宁电器

8 Shanxi Lu 山西路8号

Local firm that is now one of China's largest retailers for electrical household appliances.

Groceries

HomeGrocerChina

Yushuiwan Garden, Yudao Jie 169, Building 65,

Rm503 御道街169号御水湾花园65室503室

84400397

www.homegrocerchina.com

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Metro 麦德龙

288 Ningli Lu 宁溧路288号

300 Jianning Lu 下关区建宁路300号

German hypermarket with a wide selection of foreign foods.

BHG Market

B2 Floor, Aqua City, No.1 Jianshang Lu 健康路1号

水游城地下2层

66985066 / 66985068

91 Matai Jie

马台街91号

68675666 / 68675699

Japanese supermarket with a large stock of imported goods plus fresh organic fruits and veg.

Carrefour 家乐福

235 Zhongshan Dong Lu

中山东路235号

The omnipresent French hypermarché with four stores in Nanjing and a fifth (Pukou) on the way.

RT Mart 金润发

Danfeng Jie 丹凤街
Chinese supermarket with decent foreign food section and three outlets in Nanjing

Auchan 欧尚

151 Hanzhongmen Dajie
汉中门大街151号
86580282
French hypermarket with three stores in Nanjing

YaoHan City Market 南京八佰伴

Phoenix International Bookmall, 1 Hunan Lu
湖南路1号凤凰国际
Foreign food supermarket.

Times Grocery 泰晤士

48 Yunnan Lu 云南路48号
Very popular foreign food store with wide selection of imported yet pricy food.

Organic Food 有机食品

Available in most above mentioned supermarkets and big Chinese food markets, but need to ask staff.

Wine Outlets

Eminence Cellar 香松酒窖

Inside Wutaishan (opposite to Jin Inn)
五台山金榜体育馆内
(金一村快捷酒店对面)
66012088
B204, Aqua City
水游城副二楼
In these wine cellars that is incredibly well stocked you can find everything from a Petrus and LaTour to something more reasonable. A wine lovers paradise.

Aussino cellar 富隆酒窖

Room109, No.198,
Zhongshan Dong Lu.
隆酒窖 南京市中山东路198号109室
84679799
www.aussino.net
njaussino@126.com
Over 1000 selected world class wines; Supplying more than 8000 high-end & off-trade accounts.
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A pioneer of wine culture in China.

SZY Wine Shop SZY葡萄酒商店

48 Wangfu Jie 王府街48号
84213022
steelmin@msn.com
Well stocked wine store in a central location.
Wide variety of wines from many countries suiting many pockets.

Foreign Language Bookstores

Foreign Language Bookstore 外文书店

218 Zhongshan Dong Lu
中山东路218号
84650445
A selection of Foreign books and magazines.

Phoenix International Book Mall 凤凰国际书城

No1 Hunan Lu 湖南路1号
Five floors of books, magazines, gift shops, toys, musical instruments, CD's and DVD's

Librairie Avant Garde

3F, New City Plaza, 99 Caochangmen Da Jie 173
Guangzhou Lu

先锋书店, 新城市广场3楼
173 Guangzhou Lu
先锋书店, 广州路173号

Hunan Lu Xinhua Bookstore

47 Hunan Lu
湖南路新华书店 湖南路47号

Services

Travel

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www.njstation.com
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江宁區禄口镇
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南京火车站17路车站旁
2. Nanjing Zhonghua Men Station, 88 Jihecun Lu
南京中华门车站
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Air-conditioned bus costs ¥2, otherwise ¥1.

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-Nanjing Station 南京车站
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-Nanjing Station 南京车站
-Xuanwu Lake 玄武门
-Gulou 鼓楼
-Zhujiang Lu 珠江路
-Xinjiekou 新街口
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建邺区庐山路116号
86268888 Ext. 643
Sink your teeth into mouth-watering delights such as the tender-grilled rib-eye steak, roasted chicken, or the seafood linguine cooked in spicy tomato sauce. Asian must-tries also include Hainanese chicken rice and laksa.

Kezigu Muslim Restaurant 克兹古丽餐厅

53 Wangfu Da jie
王府大街53号
85981468
A delicious change from the standard Chinese cuisine: spicy noodles, potatoes, chicken and lamb dishes. Xinjiang performance.

N Istanbul Turkish Cafe 食正坊咖啡店

209 Shanghai Lu
上海路209号
83309030
Istanbul offers a range of Turkish and Vietnamese food, with highlights including Turkish 'pizza', kebabs, wraps, freshly made yoghurt, and some desserts. All food is halal.

Golden Harvest Thai Opera Cafe

金禾泰大餐厅
2 Shizi Qiao, Hunan Lu
湖南路 狮子桥2号
83241823
One of the only authentic Thai restaurants in this area of the city. Prices tend to be quite high, with set meals for four costing up to ¥1,000.

Indian Cuisine

N Taj Mahal 泰姬玛哈印度料理

117 Fengfu Lu, Xinjiekou
新街口丰富路117号

84201178

189 Shanghai Lu 上海路189号
83350491

Established in 2003, the Taj Mahal Indian Restaurant made a name for itself by offering a great variety and exotic blend of authentic Indian cuisine. Taj Mahal's assortment of flavourful foods makes it continually popular with the foreign community.

N Himalaya-Nepalese & Indian Restaurant 喜马拉雅尼泊尔印度餐厅

193 Shigu Lu
(Sunglow Bay
near the Sheraton)
石鼓路193号
8666 1828

Himalaya is a very popular restaurant serving a variety of Nepali and Indian foods in a setting as authentic and inspired as the dishes themselves. English menu, English speaking staff, free delivery within 1 kilometer. Wifi available.

Kohinoor Restaurant

科伊诺尔餐厅
45 Zhangshan Bei Lu
中山北路45号
83122522

Pakistani restaurant located on the second floor of Nanjing's Ramada restaurant. Vegetarian and non-vegetarian curries made in the original unimitable style of Indian and Pakistani Cuisine prepared by chefs brought especially from the mystery lands. Owned & operated by an individual with over 20 years of International Hospitality experience.

Punjabi Restaurant

本杰比印度餐厅
2 Shizi Qiao, Hunan Lu
湖南路狮子桥 2号
83245421

A well-established Indian restaurant in Nanjing offering traditional Kadhais, Murghs, Masalas and Vindaloos in addition to more familiar Chinese dishes. English menu, English speaking staff, and free delivery within 3 kilometers.

Japanese Cuisine

N Wadouraku 和道乐日本居酒屋

121 Shi Gu Lu
石鼓路121号
8446 5760

Wadouraku's finest compliment is the fact it is every night patronised by many from Nanjing's Japanese community. With a selection of Saki and Japanese beer by the bottle or on draught, Wadouraku is the genuine Japanese experience in Nanjing.

Tairyō Teppanyaki 大渔铁板

57 Zhongshan Road
中山路57号
8472 9518
66 North Taiping Road
(in 1912)
太平北路66号, 在1912里
8445 8310

Tairyō Teppanyaki is famous throughout the Nanjing expat community for its special offer: ¥178 for all you can eat and all you can drink. This includes sushi, sashimi, sake, beer, and everything on the menu. Much of the food is cooked right in front of you.

Shuizhui 水之惠

18-2 Wangfu Dajie 王府大街18-2号
84217517

Tairyō 大渔

Shiziqiao, Hunan Lu 湖南路狮子桥
83204001

Nagoya 那古野

4F Grand Hotel, 208 Guangzhou Lu
广州路208号古南都饭店4楼
83311999

Korean Cuisine

Fudefang 福德坊

6 Taogu Xin Cun, Hankou Lu
汉口路陶谷新村6号
83312091

Ke Jia Fu 可家福

137 Ninghai Lu 宁海路137号
83314283

Vegetarian

The Green Field – Vegetarian Restaurant

1F Zhengyang Building, 56 Yudao Street
御道街56号正阳大厦一楼
6661 9222

A wide selection of food including sushi, disguised tofu, Italian gelato, and of course, plenty of fresh vegetables. Specialized drinks and teas are also available.

Pure Lotus 静心莲

1 Section C, Shuimuqinhuai,
99 Shitoucheng Lu 石头城路99号水木秦淮C区1号
83752306

Wushang Vegetarian Diet 无上素食

1F Zhengyang Mansion, 56 Yudao Jie
御道街56号正阳大厦1楼
84681283
Vegetarian buffet.

LvLiuJv (Living by Green Willow) 绿柳居素食馆

248 Taiping Nan Lu 太平南路248号
84527177

Ma Xiang Xing 马祥兴菜馆

32 Yunnan Bei Lu 云南北路32号
83286388

Western Bars & Restaurants

N Studio 21 Grill Restaurant 藤美

193 Shigu Road
(behind the Sheraton)
石鼓路193号(石鼓湾美食休闲街区)
86795269

Alessandro 13072525212
Originally from Holland, Studio 21 offers a combination of grilled meat & seafood specialties, genuine European flavors and its renowned home made desserts, all in an elegant and relaxing atmosphere with Live Music at weekends. Special Set Lunch Menu with prices from ¥32. Student & Teacher Check-Out Menu Special at ¥58.

N Nail Jazz Bar 钉子吧

10 Luolang Street (200m south of the Sheraton)
罗廊巷10号, 立金斯利酒店200米
8653 2244

One of the more relaxed bars in Nanjing that offers a wide variety of imported beers. The bar has a cozy upstairs and a more open downstairs, complete with stage and foosball table. Opening hours: 6.30pm – 2am.

N Blue Marlin

蓝枪鱼音乐餐厅

54 Taiping Bei Lu, 1912
太平北路54号, 在1912一条酒吧街
Middle Liyuan Road, Jiangning (near Baijia Lake)
江宁区, 利源中路(百家湖附近)

An older establishment in Nanjing and still a popular expat hangout. It doubles as a restaurant which serves German and European food and a bar. A Filipino band provides entertainment nightly, and happy hour is from 4:00 to 7:00 pm daily.

Bebbis

2 Zhongshan Nan Lu, Orient Department Store
1st floor
中山南路2号东方商城1楼
84730121
Fondue Restaurant.

N Danny's Irish Pub & Restaurant '丹尼'爱尔兰酒吧

4F, Sheraton Nanjing, 169 Hangzhong Rd. 汉中
169号金斯利酒店4楼
8666 8888 7775

Located on the 4th floor of the Sheraton hotel, the pub serves the usual selection of beers and liquors, offers a good place to sit and chat, and features live performances. Open from 6 pm.

Finnegans Wake Irish Bar

芬尼根爱尔兰酒吧餐厅

6 Cinnalane, at the corner of Shenzhou Road and
South Zhongshan Road
熙南里6号, 靠近神州路和中山南路的路口
52207362

An authentic Irish bar in Nanjing, with an extremely wide selection of whiskies, good range of food, and regular music performances.

N Cosima 可西玛

120 Shanghai Road (near to Hankou Lu)
上海路120号
83337576

Famous for being the smallest restaurant in the city, serving a variety of Spanish food.

N Secco Restaurant and Bar 喜客西餐厅

3 Kunlun Road (South of Xuanwu Park's main
gate)
昆仑路3号, 在玄武湖公园正门的南边
83370679

A German restaurant and bar, located in a side street very close to Xuanwu Lake and directly beside the city wall. Another major expat draw, Secco features barbeque, buffet, outdoor dining, strong mixed drinks, with good deals and specials. A good place to start a night out.

N Talking 对话西餐厅

Ninghai Lu, 9 Pei De Li,
Room 101
宁海路培德里9号栋101室
83200844
21 Jinyin Street
金银街21号

Talking is a restaurant and bar, with a surprisingly large variety of beers and liquors, as well as a good selection of food. Open 11:00 am until late, tending to fill up at night time.

N Talking 2 - 3 对话西餐厅2-3

Jinyin Jie No. 20
(near Shanghai Lu), across from the foreign
students dormitory in Nanjing University

金银街20号, 南大西苑对面
83323969

More music, wi-fi, cheap beers and decent food at reasonable prices. An ideal place for a bite and few drinks with friends.

N *Don Quixote* 堂吉诃德餐厅与酒吧

39 Chengxian Street,
off Zhujiang Lu
珠江路成贤街39号
83359517

This pub doubles as a Spanish restaurant offering a variety of cuisines. However, after the kitchen closes, a live band comes on upstairs. Downstairs, there is a large screen plasma TV and videogames.

N *Sancho Panza* 到堂吉诃德

173 Guangzhou Lu,
Wutaishan Stadium North gate
(take the stairs to the right)
广州路173号,

五台山体育场北大门内
(无高尔夫球场西侧台阶上)

A 2-floor bar featuring live music, pool, food and quality eats plus a fully-stocked bar.

N *Bluesky Expat Bar & Grill* 蓝澳西餐厅

77 Shanghai Lu
上海路77号
86639197

Bluesky is one of the original expat bars to open in Nanjing, and serves a wide range of Western food such as burgers, pizzas, and Aussie meat pies. There is also a wide range of beers, including several Australian brands. Like any good pub, there is a pool table and darts.

N *Ciao Italia* 你好意大利

193-2 Shigu Lu (outside Sunglow Bay near the Sheraton) 石鼓路193-2号
86608807

Ciao Italia's master chef Giuseppe serves over 140 authentic Italian specialties, including 30 varieties of pizza that are widely considered some of Nanjing's best. Free delivery is available.

N *Ellens Bar* 艾伦咖啡

132-3 Guangzhou Lu
(a few meters from the corner of Shanghai Lu)
广州路132-3号

Laid back and relaxed atmosphere have quickly made this a new favourite, especially amongst the student crowd. Fantastic range of food & drinks at great value prices.

N *Swede and Kraut* 云中西餐厅

12 Nanxiu Cun 南秀村12号
86638798

From the people who bring us Skyways Bakery, this bar and restaurant near Nanjing University features an impressive beer list, including German and Belgian labels, alongside a menu of traditional European foods and desserts. Take out and special holiday dinners are available.

Joy Haven 珈亦·湾

3 Kunlun Road, 2-1 Ming Cheng Hui
(next to Xuanwu Gate)
玄武区昆仑路3号明城汇2-1号
83357777

Joy Haven is a Western restaurant located right next to Xuanwu Gate, best known for its steak

and fantastic atmosphere. The cost is not too high; usually under ¥100 per person.

N *La Table de Mr. Eiffel* 巴黎盛宴

83 Guangzhou Lu, near Qingliangshan Park
广州路83号, 靠近清凉山公园
83711900

Offers authentic French cuisine and carries an extensive list of French wines by the glass. It is located in an old Chinese garden house with an entrance on Qingliang Shan Park. There is also an outside terrace.

N *Pisa Pizza* 比萨斜塔意式西餐厅

81-8 Shanghai Road
上海路81-8号
1580 517 7575

A newcomer to Nanjing but one that has quickly gathered a reputation for serving up the finest pizza in the city, straight from the wood fire oven.

N *Soul Mate* 索味法式休闲餐厅

15-1 Nanxiu Cun,
off Hankou Road
南秀村15-1, 靠近汉口路
83328418

A French restaurant and bar located in an old house very close to Nanjing University. They serve a variety of cuisine and drinks, including French style pizzas, omelettes, mixed drinks, wines, and beers. Open from 11:30 am to 10 pm.

N *Les 5 Sens* 乐尚西餐厅

52-1 Hankou Lu
汉口路52-1, 靠近南京大学
83595859

A surprisingly inexpensive French restaurant. Homemade traditional French dishes (set menu and à la carte available) for lunch and dinner in a friendly atmosphere. Many other dishes cost less than ¥50 each. Options include goose liver, fillet of lamb, duck breast with apple, and tiramisu. Open 11:30 am to 10 pm, with take away service. A free WiFi connection is also yours to use!

N *My Place* 我的家 (高档红酒吧及餐厅)

37-11 Gaoyun Ling
高云岭37-11
83601289

My Place is a high class wine bar and restaurant that occupies an enchanting house amid the alleyways behind Hunan Road. Served is a wide variety of top shelf foreign liquor and wines plus a fusion of Singaporean and international cuisine. Open from 6:00 pm onwards.

N *Jimmy's* 吉米来吧

193 Shigu Road
(inside Sunglow Bay
near the Sheraton)
石鼓路193号
86792599
www.jimmysnj.com

A popular American-owned sports bar and restaurant. It offers satellite sports coverage, a full bar with draught beer and a large variety of whisky, plus simple American food such as hamburgers, hot dogs, subs, tacos, and most famously, pizza. Free delivery within 3 kilometers.

N *Another Jimmy's* 吉米来吧

209 Shanghai Lu

(across from Skyways)
上海路209号
83318085
www.jimmysnj.com
11am until 12pm

N *61 House* 陆拾壹号餐厅

61 Hankou Xi Lu 汉口路61号
13851434386

A relatively new addition to the nightlife scene in Nanjing that has quickly become a stop on the live music circuit in China for international unsigned bands. Expect to see one or two performances every week.

N *Me@ting Point* 意风之约

81 Shanghai Lu
58002915

English enquiries: 18951692356
www.meetingpoint.com

Quality Italian favourites in a pleasant 'eat & meet' type setting.

Lucky Star Steak House & Bar

乐宜达牛排咖啡厅

C-203 2F, Golden Wheel
In-Citi, 8 Hanzhong Road
汉中路8号, 在金轮新天地2楼C-203室
84715481

Located within the Golden Wheel In-Citi featuring steak, mussels, shrimp, and other seafood. Open 10:00 am to 10:00 pm from Sunday through Thursday, 10:00 am to 10:30 pm on Friday and Saturday.

N *Behind the Wall* 答案墨西哥餐厅

150 Shanghai Road (in Nanxiu Cun)
上海路150号, 在南秀村
83915630

One of the oldest bars in Nanjing serving drinks and food in a relaxed atmosphere, and in the warmer months on perhaps the finest terrace in the city. Live musical performances go well with strong sangria and beer.

Tony Music Bar

76 Jinxianghe Lu (10 metres from Hualian supermarket)
进香河路76号 (世纪华联超市巷内10米)
1391 397 7427

Popular student watering hole and stop on the live music circuit.

N *Potato Bistro* 马铃薯

5'301 Kang Qiao Sheng Fei, 9 Wenfan Road,
Xianlin University Area
仙林大学城文范路9号
8579 1293

A bistro based on green, organic, fresh foods and authentic tastes, within a quiet environment in the most prosperous area of Nanjing's Xianlin area. Can accommodate 80-100 guests, with an outdoor balcony of 150 square meters also available for different parties. Free wifi.

N *Paulaner Brauhaus* 宝莱纳啤酒花园

123 Guangzhou Road
广州路123号
83117188

A German chain restaurant and bar located on the side of Wutaishan Stadium's hill. The decor, beer, and food are entirely German. A band performs nightly, and there is also a beer garden open overlooking Guangzhou Road.

Vanilla Sky 香草天空

4-4 Taogu Xincun,
off Shanghai Road
上海路陶谷新村4-4号
83202884
10 Beiji Xicun, just north of Gulou Square
北极西村10号, 鼓楼广场北边
57711778

Vanilla Sky serves up a variety of Western foods, including pizzas, pastas, steaks and salads. Prices are reasonable, and a cozy atmosphere keeps many customers coming back.

Taberna Crestax 格纳斯酒吧餐厅

388 Yingtian Avenue, in 1865 Creative Park,
Building E6
应天大街388号,
1865科技·创意产业园
51885657

The only fully authentic Spanish restaurant in Nanjing that also offers arguably Nanjing's best private cigar bar with Habanos directly imported from Cuba.

Regalia Resort & Spa (Qinhuai River)

御庭精品酒店 (秦淮河)
E5, No 388, Yingtian Street (Chenguang 1865
Technology Park) 应天大街388号 (晨光1865科技
创意产业园) 第E5幢
51885688
www.regalia.com.cn
reservations-qhr@regalia.com.cn
Dining that offers a uniquely satisfying combina-
tion of Chinese, Asian and Western cuisine.

Eminence Cellar

香松酒窖
Inside Wutaishan (opposite to Jin Inn)
五台山金榜体育馆内
(金一村快捷酒店对面)
66012088
High quality western restaurant. Includes one of the
best wine cellars in Nanjing with everything from a
Petrus and LaTour to something more reasonable.

Country Road

香松酒窖
20-1 Nanxiucun, Shanghai Road.
上海路南秀村20-1号
87776422
Pasta, Pizza, Steak, Coffee, Wine, Music, Books.
Country road restaurant is both popular and elegant at
the same time

Bakery & Sandwich

Skyways

云中食品店
160 Shanghai Road 上海路160号
83317103
10 Taipingmen Road
太平门路10号
84812002
A18, Yadong Commercial Plaza, 12 North Xianyin
Road 仙隐北路12号 亚东广场A18室
85791391
One of the best known foreign shops in Nanjing
offering a variety of breads, sandwiches, cakes,
chocolates, and desserts. Large cakes and pies
can be pre-ordered, and holiday specials are
available. A selection of imported cheeses and
wines are also available.

Bobble Head American Pantry

巴布尔头
No.11 Jiankang Road, Aqua City Mall, B1 #B1T15
南京在水游城 下区健康路1号
Newcomer to the dining scene in Aqua City, serving
up sandwiches, milkshakes and more in an American
diner type setting.

Happy Story 美丽心情

236 Xiqiao, Jiangsu Lu
江苏路西桥236号
83301907
60-3 Jiangsu Lu
江苏路60-3号
83232957
Chinese owner with creative ideas for cakes.

Ichido 宜芝多

B1, Grand Ocean Department Store, 122
Zhongshan Nan Lu
中山南路122号大洋百货B1楼
84738682
B1, Deji Plaza, Zhongshan Lu
中山路德基广场B1
84738682

Coffee & Tea

Sculpting in Time Café

雕刻时光咖啡馆
2F, 47 Hankou Lu 汉口路47号2楼
83597180
32 Dashiba Jie (Confucius Temple East Gate)
秦淮区大石坝街32号 (夫子庙东门)
Sculpting in Time was started by two college
graduates from Beijing offering a pleasant coffee
house atmosphere, along with brunch, cocktail
hours, film screenings, and a variety of Western
food. Their brownies are widely known. Free Wifi.

Maokong Café 猫空

28-1 Yunnan Bei Lu 云南北路28-1号
83249554
Wifi and magazines. Many outlets in Nanjing.

Tea Station 茶客老站

58 Taiping Bei Lu, 1912 District
太平北路58号1912街区
84513303
Wide selection of Chinese and fruit tea.

Yosemite Cafe 悠仙美地

31 Beijing Dong Lu 北京东路31号
57712990
Many branches in Nanjing. Wide selection of set
menu Chinese food and drinks.

Happy Teahouse 开心茶馆

9 Shengqi Jie, off Hanzhongmen Dajie
汉中门大街胜棋街9号
86526265
Tea & Chinese 'crosstalk'.

Zhanyuan Tea House 瞻园茶社

128 Zhanyuan Lu
瞻园路128号金陵第一园旁
52305020
Traditional style Chinese tea house.

3 Coffee

3号咖啡馆
82-1 Shanghai Lu
上海路82-1号
83244617 / 83311505
An upper floor library has art, design and
photography books as well as magazines and a
photography store selling vintage film camera,
polaroid & lomography equipment. Offers a range
of coffee, tea, alcohol and limited snacks. Balcony
affords a nice view of Shanghai Lu. Free Wifi.

Godot's Home

戈多的店咖啡馆
15-1 Nanxiu Cun, off Shanghai Lu
南秀村15-1号
86637484
A beautifully designed, relaxed café off Hankou
Lu inspired by the play by Irish Playwright Samuel
Beckett. A great range of coffee, tea and food

in a cozy atmosphere. A movie is shown each
Wednesday.

Freeland Cake-Dessert-Coffee

6 TaoGuXin Cun, Han Kou Lu,
陶谷新村6号汉口路
This bakery offers a selection of crafted home
made cakes and drinks in a comfortable place.

Nightclubs

Mazzo 玛索国际娱乐

52 North Taiping Road, in 1912
太平北路52号,
1912酒吧一条街
84631912
Mazzo is one of the most popular clubs in 1912
for expats and Chinese alike. Comprising two
distinct locations, Mazzo VIP and Mazzo 2, this
club offers booths, tables, and VIP rooms. Music
played here is predominantly Top 40 tracks and
hip-hop. Friday and Saturday night can get very
crowded.

Scarlet 乱世佳人

Within 1912, near Changjiang Back Street
1912酒吧一条街, 靠近长江后街
84403362
34-1 Hubei Road
湖北路34-1号
83206090
Scarlet was one of the original bars to open in
Nanjing which catered to foreigners.
Over time, the interior and music has changed,
but both locations are still a big draw for the
foreign community. There is no exceptionally large
dance floor, but there are dance performances.

Polar 77 Music Bar 极地77音乐酒吧

129 Hanzhong Road 汉中路129号
84702006
Polar 77 Music Bar specializes in rock music, and
skips the DJ entirely in favour of a live band that
performs nightly. Music played is usually a blend
of western rock classics, Chinese songs, and
Spanish guitar.

Castle Bar 古堡酒吧

6 Zhongyang Road 中央路6号
83619190
Castle Bar is underground, but by no means
unknown. One of the most popular hang outs
for foreign students and older expats alike,
Castle features a variety of music, some live
performances, guest DJ's, pool tables, and
various parties throughout the year.

Nanjing Nianyi Club 南京廿一

1 Cinnalane 熙南里街区1号
86621588
A restaurant and a theatre combination with
nightly shows of traditional style Kun opera (昆
剧). Private rooms are available for dining, with
seating ranging between six and twenty people.
Over 100 foreign wines and extremely high quality
food is available.

Jeep Club 吉普酒吧

#1 Nanhu Dong Lu, Jianye District (very close the
southern end of Mochou Lake)
南湖东路1号建邺区
86511111
Features a dance floor that bounces to the beat
(due to pneumatic pumps), a huge stage, many
tables, and two floors of booths. Performances
are held nightly starting around 10, and include
various dance numbers.



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For Sale – Sell

■ Sale

Water dispenser 170 RMB

Scooter 1600 RMB (only used two months)

Blender 60 RMB (missing one of the bottom grinder out of 3)

Email: jammaburger@yahoo.ca

Phone 13770927743

For full advertisement text, visit: www.nanjingexpat.com

Jobseekers – Position Vacant

■ Superstar English is seeking a fun-loving teacher for at least summer

From July, our summer program offers you Monday to Friday mornings only from 9am - 12 with a free lunch daily and the possibility of Saturday classes still being decided. Salary is 100 for 45 minutes of fun! in a clean, modern, professional environment that is our school. 9000pmth

Call or sms Ami in Australia on +61 416868822 for a callback to discuss further.

For full advertisement text, visit: www.nanjingexpat.com

■ Disney English Trainers (part-time) needed in Nanjing

Disney is looking for creative, enthusiastic and experienced individuals to instruct children ages 2-12 at Disney English Language Learning Centers in China.

Qualifications

- Bachelors' degree required; advanced or education degrees preferred

- Teaching Experience (preferably kids training / ESL or EFL)

- Native English speaker

- Internationally recognized TEFL or TESOL certification

Compensation:

Paid by hour : RMB 150 / hour

Please send your CV to us at patricia.x.qiu-nd@disney.com

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■ 2011 Summer English teacher

We are running student English courses throughout the summer holidays for students from 4th grade to high school.

Each course is 2 weeks long (Mon to Fri & Mon to Fri), with 6 teaching hours per day (0900 to 1200 & 1330 to 1630). There is a total of 60 teaching hours per course. There is an activity each week where we take students

out of the classroom.

Salary is 7,200 RMB per course, payable in cash at the end of the course.

If you are interested in a particular period, please send a copy of your CV/resume to bennewman@jseiect.org

For full advertisement text, visit: www.nanjingexpat.com

Jobs- Jobseekers

■ I want to work in Nanjing

Australian male with B.A., TESOL certification and teaching experience in China.

I would like full-time employment and am available for an immediate start.

Career experience comprises: TESOL in China, professional photographer, business administration and trainer, telecommunications technician. My resume is available upon request. +61 407 99 66 33

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Services Offered

■ Certified Senior Chinese Language Teacher

5 years experience. I can teach basic and medium levels. After learning the basic level, usually is a 32-40 hours course within 20 weeks, students can master how to listen, pronounce, read and write 350 characters, they will be able to introduce themselves and their families, talk about money, numbers and dates, ask and tell time, order food, express basic opinions, such as likes and dislikes.

Price: RMB300 per hour at the place in Nanjing chose by the student; RMB200 per hour at my house in Jiangning District; RMB150 online via skype and web camera.

apileofstones@sohu.com or 13405878668.

For full advertisement text, visit: www.nanjingexpat.com

Wanted: A place to advertise items for sale, jobs vacant, services on offer or anything in between.

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■ Chinese Teacher

My name is Summer. I have over 5 years experience in tutoring people Mandarin Chinese at all different levels. I'm able to help you improve your speaking and listening skills, as well as your reading and writing of Chinese simplified characters. If you are interested I can help you improve your reading and writing through using Chinese calligraphy.

Classes can be up to 2 hours long. The hourly rate is 60 RMB. But group classes of up to 3 students will have a discount.

I can offer a free demo.

Please contact me at summerain86@hotmail.com.

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■ Children's Ballet and Street Dance Classes

Children's Dance Classes every Saturday at the British School of Nanjing.

I am a dance teacher with years of experience teaching children and adults in China and the UK. I have studied ballet and traditional Chinese dance since I was 8 years old and I have a degree in Dance Performance and Teaching. Since moving to Nanjing, I have taught children's dance routines for the Nanjing International Club and for the British School's productions of "Cinderella" and "Jammin' in Jiangning" street art week.

Children's Ballet Classes – Saturday 10:30 – 11:30am (Ages 3-8) - The children learn a mixture of exercises, dance routines and games to help them to develop their coordination, flexibility and sense of rhythm. This class is ideal for younger children who have not danced before as well as more experienced dancers.

Street Dance Classes – Saturday 12:00 – 1:00pm (Ages 7 and up) - The children learn routines based around modern dance songs in what is a great way to exercise and have fun at the same time. The focus is on the children working together to create fantastic group performances while still being able to express their individual personalities.

Both classes are in English and are designed to be challenging but fun and to help develop the children's confidence, fitness and ability. For more information email cuijiajiadance@gmail.com or call 15365058900 at any time.

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■ Magazine Editor Wanted

Map Magazine is seeking a full-time senior English editor. The editor will be responsible for conceiving and writing original articles, working with freelance writers and translators, translating editorial content and advertisements from Chinese to English, copyediting, creating advertising copy, attending and comprehending editorial meetings, interviews and press events in Chinese and English.

Applicants should send a cover letter, resume and writing samples to editoren@maiqiu.cn. Position opens June 20, 2011.

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Misc

■ New Jumpers Wanted

Old Jumpers have holes in the elbows. If able to help please send c/o Ronnie.

Happy Birthday Grandad!!

NUX THE NANJINGER EVENTS

Regular Weekly Events

Monday

Coffee Monday | Ellens | 09:00

Basketball | Nanjing International School | 18:30

Live Jazz | CD Pub | 20:00

Thursday

Tennis Group | Sofitel Zhongshan Golf Resort
| 09:00 | www.nanjinginternationalclub.com

Free Beer Thursday | Ellens | 20:00

Salsa Lessons | CD Pub | 20:00

Sunday

Chill Out Sunday | Ellens | 12:00 Nanjing Dragon Flies Ultimate

Frisbee Club practice | Nanjing Normal University Suiyuan Campus | 16:30

English Mass | Shigu Lu | 18:00

BBQ Chillout | Jimmy's | 20:30

Jazz Night | Don Quixote Bar | 21:00

Tuesday

Parents & Toddlers Play Group |
The British School of Nanjing | 10:30

Badminton | Nanjing International School | 18:30

Nanjing Toastmasters Meeting |
Meeting Room 409, Building Wen Tian Guan,
Hohai University, Xikang Lu, Gulou | 19.15

Live Folk Music | CD Pub | 20:00

Friday

Goldenbails Cricket Club |
Nanjing International School | 15:00

Shooters Friday | Ellens | 18:00

Buffet dinner | Fraser Suites lobby restaurant | 18:00

Wednesday

Wine Wednesday | Ellens | 17:30

Goldenballs Football Club |
Nanjing International School | 18:00

Live Music | CD Pub | 20:00

Killer Pool | Bluesky Blue Sky
Expat Bar & Grill | 21:30

Saturday

Latin Night | CD Pub | 20:00

Gulou English Corner | Gulou Square | 19:00

upcoming scheduled
events for

June

- 10 | Kiwi trio DieDieDie in Nanjing | 61 House | 20:00
- 11 | GoodLuckGoodBye China Tour 2011 | 61 House | 20:00
- 11 | Beijing shochu hardcore punk | Castle | 20:00
- 11 | The Masked Party | Castle | 23:00
- 12 | Symposium or Philosophy Corner - Truth? |
more information @ www.nanjingexpat.com
- 12 | Lonely Drifter Karen 2011 China Tour | 61 House | 20:00
- 15 | MUSIC FESTIVAL-jazz Benoit Greslebin (trio) | Nanjing Normal University
(Xianlin - Concert Hall) | 19:00
- 17 | Summer Of Russia | Zijin Theatre | 19:30
- 17 | Beyond Control | 61 House | 20:00
- 17 | Black Snakes | Castle | 20:00
- 18 | Le Syphonie de Metro | Gulou Library | 10:00
- 18 | GLGB (Album Launch) | 61 House | 20:00
- 18 | Folk songs by Zhangyide | Castle | 20:00
- 25 | Liang Ching Ju | Mercedes Benz Arena - Shanghai | 19:30
- 25 | 666 Voice | Castle | 19:30
- 25 | Proximity Butterfly | 61 House | 20:00
- 25 | Wasabi Sound mustard voice | Castle | 23:00
- 26 | old footprint | 61 House | 20:00

Parents & Toddlers Play Group

Every Tuesday
at 10:30am for
children
0 - 4 years old



For more information
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View from The Bench

By Cheryl Malloy

STEPPING UP
THE LADDER

I have been asked an interesting question just recently:- "I've been doing the same job for a couple of years now and it's proving hard to take an upwards career step here in Nanjing. What would you recommend?"

Your career, like your life, is evolving and growing. In years gone by people were happy to have a job. They turned up every day for 40 or 50 years to do the same thing day after day. If they were working the family farm or in a family business it was unlikely that they would even consider a change to the pattern and overall plan.

Today we live in dynamic times and people have a lot more choice about what they are doing for work. A career has become a necessity to be able to earn more money and provide a better living. There are still some who remain in the same job for many years but growing numbers of us are looking for progress and increasing success.

To propel us towards career success we need to look closely at where we are headed and make decisions well ahead of time that will support the aspirations we have towards success. Rarely will someone just tap you on the shoulder and ask if you would like an upward move. You have to work hard at it and put yourself "out there". Careers are reliant on credentials and character.

Two important credentials you need are qualifications and experience. Keep your qualifications current and relevant to your field of choice and make sure you have the highest qualification you will need to be successful. If you do not have that qualification work hard to get it. Engaging in life as a lifelong learner whilst recognising the importance of the practical applications of your skills, and genuinely applying yourself to work and learning, will always be the force that moves you forward and upward. You must be actively engaged daily in self-improvement, learning constantly about what you need to do and be. Be curious and act intuitively. Ask questions and pursue answers. And above all take every opportunity to learn.

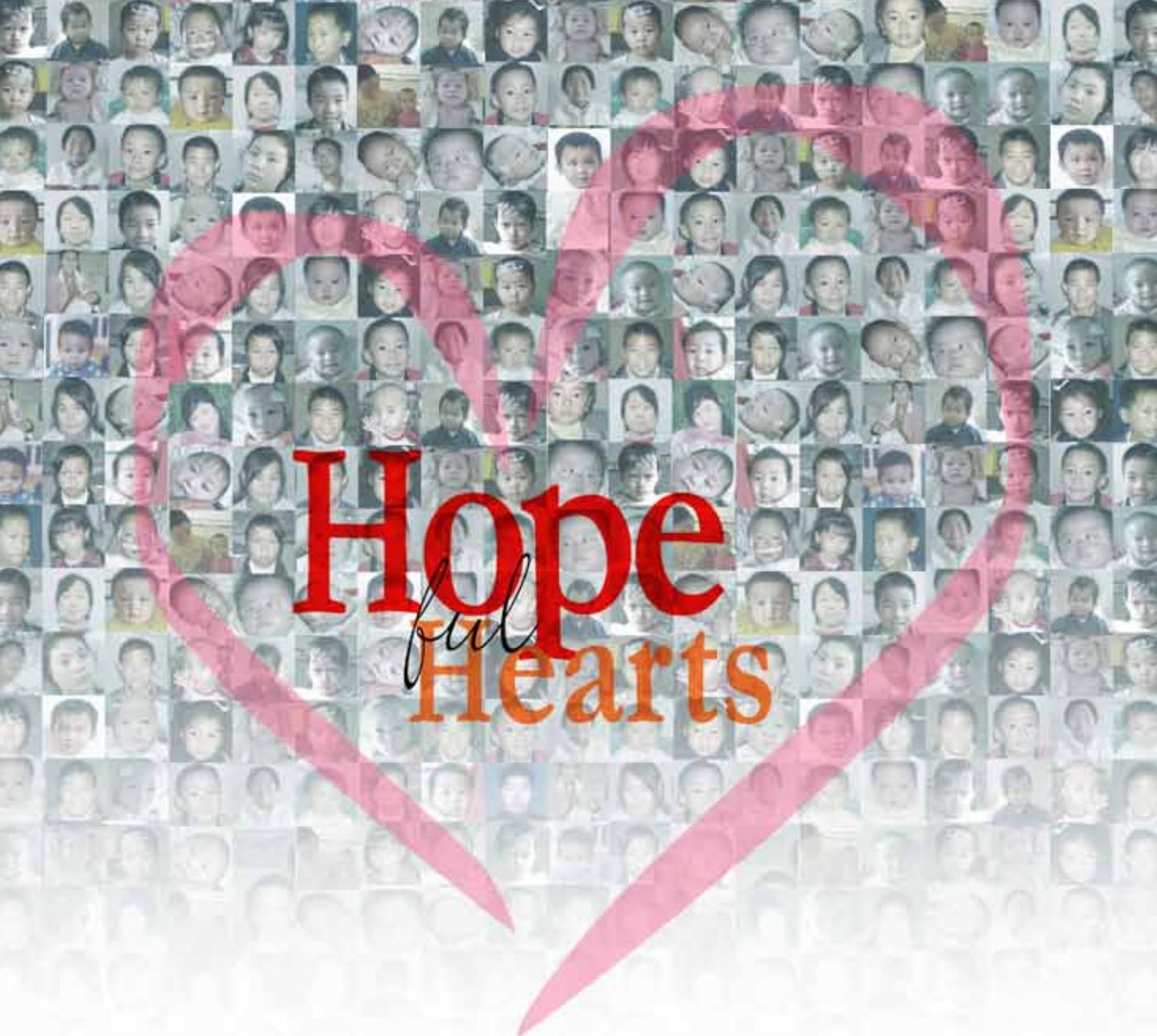
If you are not engaged, outside your work, in the pursuit of something positive, serious and potentially able to teach you, then you are not serious about improving your life or your career.

Character is important because it is a mixture of attitudes and beliefs as well as some personality traits that you have probably inherited. Be of "good character"; believe in honesty and behave honestly, trust in yourself and your integrity, never do anything that compromises you, give your maximum effort even if it is for minimum reward, cherish your time by managing it well and be industrious by always asking what you can do next for your task is never finished. Reflect on your actions and if you have been lazy, disengaged or feel you are out of the loop, fix it. Network and talk to people about what you want, not as a complaint about where you are, but as an aspiration of where you want to be. Tell yourself you deserve better and use every opportunity to move yourself closer to your dream.

Many people who go nowhere will provide the excuse that it is impossible and that they are not offered opportunities. Simply not true. What is true is that those who are successful have created their pathway to opportunity, often without help and support, and they have done it through sheer determination. Good luck, get off the couch or out of your comfort zone and get into it. This already is your life and career!



Send your questions and comments to coach@nanjingexpat.com



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Hopeful Hearts assists in funding life-saving heart operations for local children.

These children have often been abandoned because of their condition, or come from a farming community where their family may have an annual income of about 1,200RMB.

Your time, talents and donations would be greatly appreciated in helping save the lives of more children like these.
For more information on how you can help, please email: hopefulhearts10@yahoo.com

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