Restaurants and Attractions

Shanghai, a vigorous and energetic international metro-polis, welcomes people from all over the world to enjoy its special atmosphere. This modern metropolis with its rich heritage of ancient Chinese culture has much to see and do.

Shanghai Snacks

He Feng Lou

He Feng Lou brings all Chinese snacks together and introduces 144 snacks and dishes from 8 major styles and their 16 sub-cuisines. The two-storey restaurant serves on the first floor buffet-style Chinese cuisine numbering 300 in kinds according to their origins such as Shanghai, Sichuan & Hunan, Taiwan, Jiangsu, etc. The second floor is featured with specialty Chinese and overseas snacks including Japanese Teppanyaki, popular with tourists.

Specialty: steamed juicy crab roe bun, marinated pond snail.

Address: 10 Wenchuang Road

Lu Bo Lang Restaurant

Lu Bo Lang Restaurant, located by nine-twist-bridge at Old City God Temple, has an archaic, elegant and peaceful surrounding matching the elegance of Mid-Pond-Pavilion tea house next door. It is well-known for carefully selected raw materials and meticulous preparations, highly praised by gourmands form home and abroad. The signature dish "osmanthus cake" is so sticky in texture that gets stuck on plate or chopsticks but not on tooth and feels smooth in the mouth carrying faint fragrance of rice wine, which puzzled former U.S President Clinton who had practiced with chopsticks for one month.

Specialty: eye brow-shaped crispy cake, sticky osmanthus cake.

Address: 115 Yuyuan Road

Nan Xiang Steamed Bun Restaurant

Nan Xiang Steamed Bun Restaurant, situated by nine-twist-bridge at Old City God Temple, is an attraction in Yu Garden area, formerly named marble boat hall. In the restaurant with lattice-work windows, it takes a short while to have hot steamed buns served. Without any hurry, you might gently pick one with chopsticks, bite a small hole, suck the juice and then dip into vinegar sauce before putting into your month—smooth, juicy and luscious.

Specialty: recipe-made crabmeat bun, juicy crab roe shrimp ball

Address: 85 Yuyuan Road

Shen Da Cheng Restaurant

Shen Da Cheng Restaurant was set up in 6th year of Qing Dynasty Emperor Guang Xu (1875). The founder Shen Ajin combined the best of dim-sum and traditional snacks, careful in selecting row materials and meticulous in preparations. Reputed as "king of dim-sum in Shanghai", some popular specialties include longevity peach-shaped cake, osmanthus cake slices, sticky rice dumpling in bamboo leaves. Shanghai-style dumping in bamboo leaves retain the feature of being fragrant, chewy and tasty, and curry chicken dumpling, the first of its kind, was produced. A glutinous rice dumpling in bamboo leaves going with a bowl of wanton soup sell very well at Shen Da Cheng.

Specialty: sticky rice cake slice, glutinous rice ball with bean paste, spinachdyed sticky rice ball with red bean paste.

Address: 636 Nanjing Road (E.)

Gong De Lin

Gong De Lin is the leading restaurant for "veggie food in the shape of meat dishes". The dishes are carefully selected, meticulously prepared and artistically presented. A variety of tasty and nutritional choice are good for health in all seasons. Gong De Lin's vegetarian buns and noodles are popular with diners. The vegetarian moon cakes have won the award "China best moon

cake" and "famous Chinese pasty".

Specialty: vegetarian bun, moon cake

Address: 445 Nanjing Road (W.)

Attractions

The Bund

The Bund is a stretch of shore along the Huangpu River, once the main artery for trade in Shanghai. Today it has become a promenade that offers some of the best views of Shanghai. To the Europeans, the Bund was Shanghai's answer to Wall Street. In the 1930s, the string of buildings hosted the city's financial and commercial centers, and the world's greatest banks and trading empires established a base here.

Nanjing Road Pedestrian Street

Nanjing Road Pedestrian Street, the main shopping street of Shanghai, is considered to be the "No. 1 commercial street in China". If you like shopping, do not miss it!

Yuyuan Bazaar

Yuyuan Bazaar features ancient architectures dated back to Ming and Qing Dynasty, and traditional street market. Built in 1559, the Yuyuan Garden within the Bazaar is one of the best examples of classical gardens in Shanghai and is a must for visitors who want to surround themselves in beauty and Zen.

Shanghai World Financial Center

Shanghai World Financial Center features the highest sightseeing observation decks in the world. There are 3 observation decks in Shanghai World Financial Center. The highest Sky Walk is 474m (1555 ft) high, on the 100th floor.

Shanghai Xintiandi

As a re-creation born out of the sprawls of Shikumen housing, which is the architectural symbol of Shanghai in the 20th century, Shanghai Xintiandi is an

urban tourist attraction imbued with the city's historical and cultural legacies. Shanghai Xintiandi is where "yesterday meets tomorrow in Shanghai today."

Shanghai Museum

Shanghai Museum is a veritable treasure house of ancient Chinese art and houses 120,000 precious relics. Bronzes, pottery, paintings and calligraphies are distinctive features of the Museum's collection.