

# CHARMING HOLIDAYS (USA) Fairview Jiangnan 9 Days Tour

Tour Code	Friday Departure, arrive Shanghai on Saturday			
	Adult	Child (w/bed)	Child (no bed)	Single
CJHD9	49	299	49	299

#### **Tour Feature**

- \* 5 stars accommodations for entire journey
- \* Exclusively stay at ALL NEW Nanjing Hilton Riverside Hotel and Renaissance Yangtze Hotel
- \* Visit the famous Grand Buddha at Lingshan, Jinshan Temple and Xijingdu Ancient Street at Zhenjiang

## Hometown + Shanghai

Depart from hometown to Shanghai today.

## Shanghai

Upon arrival at Shanghai, our tour guide will escort you to the 5-stars InterContinental Hotel for rest.

Hotel: Renaissance Yangtze Shanghai Hotel or similar

### Shanghai — Grand Buddha at Lingshan — Zhenjiang

Head towards Wuxi and visit the Grand Buddha Lingshan. Lingshan Grand Buddha is one of the premier attractions in the Wuxi area. Although it is a construction modern completed in 1996, the Buddha image conforms the traditional principles in the creation of such statues. Later in afternoon we move on to Zhenjiang - famous for her hilly scenery.



Upon arrival we shall visit Jinshan Temple and Xijingdu Ancient Street at your own expenses.

Hotel: Zhenjiang Crowne Plaza Hotel or similar

#### Night of West Lake

"Night of West Lake" is a dancing performance in context of the history of the beautiful West Lake. In a 60 minutes show time, more than 100 performers presenting the stories in martial arts, acrobatics, folk songs, Shaoxing opera, and other performing elements, reflecting the history, the present and the future of Hangzhou.

#### Night Cruise at Huangpu River

Enjoy the magnificent view of the Shanghai bund on a night cruise. The unique geographic location makes the Huangpu River the most attractive water landscape.

#### Suzhou Ancient Grand Canal

The Grand Canal in Suzhou, with wide surface, abundant and crystal clear water, has been the best part of the Grand Canal for shipping. The old canal is about 35km long from Hushu Pass to Wujiang City. On both sides of the bank, white walls and black tiles are dotted in the open green country. The 53-hole Belt Bridge first built in Tang Dynasty lies across the old canal like a rainbow floating on the wave. The ancient ferries, ancient towing tie paths, ancient bridges along the canal are all witnesses of the economic development of the area along the old canal.



## Zhenjiang — Nanjing

The highlight of today is a visit to Dongshuiguan Old City Wall Ruins. Later we shall also visit the Yangtze River Bridge - the first ever double-decked road-rail truss bridge designed and built by China's own technical strength back in the 50's. Also witness the magnificent crystal murals, and enjoy a traditional Nanjing Salty Duck this evening, and then visit the Confucian Temple and cruise along Qinhuai River.

Hotel: Nanjing Hilton Hotel Riverside



In the morning we shall first visit the burial ground of the Father of China - Dr. Sun Yat Sen. Afterward we stop at the Jade Museum and witness some of the finest iewelries. Enjoy a traditional lunch before heading to Wuxi - the Pearl of Lake Tai. We shall stop at Yuantouzhu, a perfect spot to experience the stunning beauty of Lake Tai. Prepare to act like an Emperor tonight since we are going to serve you a Qianlong Feast - the meal that Emperor Qianlong of Qin Dynasty took when he visited Jiangnan. (B/L/D)

Hotel: Wuxi Hilton Hotel or similar

## Wuxi — Suzhou

Visit Liyuan after breakfast; further admire the magnificent scenic of Lake Tai. Before lunch we shall stop by at the Pearl Breeding Center and Yixing Clay Teapot Museum. Later we proceed to Shan Tang Ancient Street for a brief city tour, and then move on to the historical Lingering

Garden – one of the four most famous gardens of China. It was a private garden for silk traders and local gentries, that is why everything in the garden is somewhat reflecting the life of the upper class people in the old time. Afterward we move on to Jinji Lake, a newly developed scenic area of Suzhou. We exclusively arranged a traditional Suzhou cuisine at a lake front restaurant for dinner tonight. After dinner we shall cruise along the ancient canal on your own

Hotel: Suzhou Grand Metro Park Hotel or similar

## Suzhou — Hangzhou

Experience the process of coloring of silk in the morning, and then we head towards Hangzhou and cruise on the West Lake. Enjoy some of the stunning scenic views such as Flower Pond, Orioles Singing in the Willows, and Three Ponds Mirroring the Moon. After dinner we are going to enjoy a massive dancing performance "Night of the West Lake" on your own expenses.

Hotel: Hangzhou Grand Metro Park Hotel or similar

## Hangzhou — Shanghai

Enjoy the Longjing tea in a tea village in the morning, then proceed to Shanghai after lunch. Visit the Chenghuang Temple old street to explore the old Shanghai people lives. Also visit Xintiandi Shanghai - an affluent car-free shopping, eating and entertainment district. After dinner we shall cruise along the Huangpu River at own expenses.

Hotel: Renaissance Yangtze Shanghai Hotel or similar

## Shanghai → Hometown

Transfer to Pudong International Airport for your flight home after breakfast. Wish you have a pleasant trip.

- Tour Guide Tips: US\$80/pax
- International Air fare
- Own expenses events: US\$150/pax
- Child fare applies to children age 2 to 11
- Must arrive via International flight
- We reserve the right to alter the order of the itinerary according to actual situation
- Passengers are required to follow through the entire journey; if decide to leave the tour, a RMB150/day penalty will be charged.

\*\* Please contact us for discounted International air fare \*\*