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China Golf Relaxation Tour

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Tour Code: CET-GF01

Length: 21 days and 20 nights

Cities Visited/Stayed: Beijing, Shanghai, Kunming, Dali, Lijiang, Guilin, (Hong Kong)

Highlight Attractions: Forbidden City, Great Wall, Summer Palace, Yu Yuan Garden, The Bund, The Stone Forest, Dali Ancient Town, Jade Dragon Snow Mountain (Yulong Xue Shan), The Ancient Town of Lijiang, Li River, Yangshuo

Experience & Features: 54-hole Beijing Country Golf Club, Shanghai Sun Island Golf Club, Kunming Spring City Golf & Lake Resort, Flowers and Birds Market, visit a local Bai Minority Family, Dali Stone Mountain Golf Club, Naxi Minority family visit, Jade Dragon Snow Mountain Golf Club, Guilin Merryland Golf Club

This tour is especially designed for those golf lovers. We choose some of the best golf courses for you to enjoy the activity. We begin our tour in Beijing, witness and climb the magnificent ancient construction of the Great Wall, get a brief impression of this big capital. Have fun at the Beijing Country Golf Club. Then we come to the largest city of China-Shanghai, which will amaze you by its modern atmosphere and traditional culture and art. Shanghai Sun Island Golf Club warmly welcomes you to have an unforgettable experience. Later we go to Yunnan province and you will be amazed by the wonderful golf courses in Kunming. Playing golf with Jade Dragon Snow Mountain in view will surely leave you deep impression. Our tour ends in Guilin. You experience a cruise on the world-wide famous Li River through stunning karst landscapes in Guilin and enjoy wonderful natural sceneries in Yangshuo. The golf course in the lovely Merryland makes you unwilling to leave. Also the golf course in Guilin would satisfy your desire. Come and join us. Let's begin this memorable golf relaxation tour.

Itinerary

Day 1: Beijing

Arrive in Beijing, our guide will meet you at the airport and transfer you to the hotel.

Stay overnight in Beijing.

Meals:

Day 2: Beijing

There is a famous saying goes "one cannot be a hero unless he climbs on the Great Wall." This morning we drive to the **[Jinshanling Great Wall]**, the most original and less commercial section of the Wall. This historic construction is somewhat a challenge to the climbers as it winds up and down the precipitous ranges. But as a reward, splendid views are available. People say that a visit to Beijing isn't complete without trying the crispy and tasty Peking duck, so we will recommend a dinner with Peking duck for you at one famous restaurant.

Stay overnight in Beijing.

Meals: (B, L)

Day 3: Beijing

This morning we drive to **[Beijing Country Golf Club]** --a 54 hole international standard golf club course with unique design. It is graceful and unique. The course is scenic and beautiful. Range upon range of tall and dense forest belts, boundless and waving man-made lakes, fishing islands and delicate exquisite jade bridges, all together with the luxuriant grass land dotted with green hills and orchards, it is filled with the local flavor of the nature everywhere. The challenging island-green, the sand fairways and the ingenious design be the fairways abstruse change which will satisfy players of different levels. In the late afternoon we drive back to the downtown.

Stay overnight in Beijing.

Meals: (B, L)

Day 4: Beijing

After breakfast, we go to pay a visit to the **[Temple of Heaven]**, which is a complex of ancient buildings, gardens, pathways and its organization indicates relationship between Earth and heaven. Then, enjoy a walk on the **[Tian'anmen Square]** -- one of the largest city squares in the world. It is located on the central axis of old Beijing. In the center of Tian'anmen Square stands the Monument to the People's Heroes. Then we go to the **[Forbidden City]** – the imperial palace for the emperors of the Ming and Qing dynasties. The city contains 800 ceremonial buildings, 9,999 rooms, and a courtyard that can hold 100,000 people. Best ancient Chinese architectural styles are well preserved here, consisting of an imposing view. Later the day is on your own to explore more about this city.

Stay overnight in Beijing.

Meals: (B, L)

Day 5: Beijing-Shanghai

This morning we go to visit the **[Summer Palace]** -- one of China's architectural masterpieces. The beauty of the Summer Palace is deliberated. The pavilions, kiosks, terraces, bridges, dikes, corridors are delicately crafted and placed, well displaying the thousand-year old Chinese landscape gardening. The scenic spots contain a nation's profound philosophical and aesthetic tradition. After lunch we drive to the airport for a pm flight to Shanghai. Upon arrival, be met by the guide and transferred to the hotel. The rest of the day is on your own to relax.

Stay overnight in Shanghai.

Meals: (B, L)

Day 6: Shanghai

Enjoy a leisurely breakfast, and we go to visit the **[Yuyuan Garden]**, where you find more delicate handicrafts and tasty Chinese snacks. Today's tour also includes a visit to the **[Jade Buddha Temple]**, an elegant structure famous for its Buddha statue which is carved of a complete piece of solid white jade and decorated by jewels. Lunch is arranged at a characteristic Shanghai restaurant. After lunch our guide takes you to the **[Outer Bund]**, for a grand view of Shanghai and you may marvel at how modern this metropolis is while still containing its old traditions. Enjoy a walk on the **[Nanjing Road]**, the most prosperous commercial street. You can find lots of world famous brands setting along the street and enjoy a good time in shopping.

Stay overnight in Shanghai.

Meals: (B, L)

Day 7: Shanghai

This morning, enjoy your the golf-play at **[Shanghai Sun Island Golf Club]** (18 holes) . It's one of the five golf vacation villages in Asia. Its characteristic special design of "each hole is along the lake" attracts many golf lovers to come and enjoy. Also there are different restaurants and recreations around for you to choose and have fun. We will be transferred back to city in the afternoon.

Stay overnight in Shanghai.

Meals: (B, L)

Day 8: Shanghai-Kunming

After breakfast, we leave Shanghai for a flight to Kunming. Upon arrival, be met and transferred to the hotel. If time permits, we suggest you go to the Green Lake Park (Cuihu Gongyuan) - one of the most picturesque parks in downtown Kunming. All year round the park is venue of one sort of exhibition or another, and with its snug seclusion it is frequented by local residents who come here for few hours of leisure.

Stay overnight in Kunming.

Meals: (B, L)

Day 9: Kunming

Let's enjoy playing golf at **[Spring City Golf & Lake Resort]** (18 holes) in the morning. Nestled amidst rolling mountains and breathtaking lake, Spring City Golf & Lake Resort presents an idyllic resort in a pleasant and refreshing spring-like climate all year round. Located in Kunming, capital of Yunnan Province, it is well known as one of the best golf resorts in the world and the Asia golf paradise. The resort features two championship golf courses designed by Jack Nicklaus and Robert Trent Jones II respectively. Both courses have been voted by U.S Golf Digest as the No. 1 Golf Course in China and Hong Kong for consecutive three times. After golfing, we drive back to Kunming city and visit the **[Grand View Park]**. The park features blue water, long dikes and willow trees, flowers and lotus ponds and fish. There are buildings outside buildings and scenes within scenes. It boasts both the elegance of natural lake and hill and the beauty of ancient Chinese gardens.

Stay overnight in Kunming.

Meals: (B, L)

Day 10: Kunming-Dali

Let's have a day tour to the **[Stone Forest]**. Those magnificent stone masterpieces, various strange and steep intricate formations, and countless labyrinthine vistas make Stone Forest (Shi Lin in Chinese) worthy of the fame as the "First Wonder of the World". And there goes a local saying, "It is a waste of time without being in the Stone Forest while visiting Kunming". Later this afternoon we drive to Kunming Train Station to catch an overnight train to Dali.

Stay overnight on train.

Meals: (B, L)

Day 11: Dali

You are picked up by your guide at Dali Train Station in the morning, transferred to your hotel in the Old Town. The rest time in the morning will be your own. After lunch, we set out to visit a typical sight of Dali-the **[Three**

Pagoda Temple]. As its name implies, Three Pagodas are made of three ancient independent pagodas forming a symmetrical triangle. This is unique in China. And they are one of the most significant and majestic wonders in Dali and look magnificent. Then we continue to **[visit a local Bai Minority Family]** for the first hand experience of the local daily life. The people are hospitable and their traditional way of life and finished handicrafts will surely impress you.

Stay overnight in Dali Old Town.

Meals: (B, L)

Day 12: Dali

Today we go to **[Dali Stone Mountain Golf Club]** to play 18 holes round golf. The club has an international standard golf course with 18 holes and 72 standard markers. The total length of the fairway is 7710 yards. With 33 practice sites and double floodlit lamps, the golf course as well as the western styled clubhouse in which the Chinese or Western food restaurant, art salon and golf goods were collected to make the whole club elegant and excellent to some extent. The good and considerate service show from every aspects the glory and worshipful of playing golf. Afterwards we transfer back to Dali old town.

Stay overnight in a local hotel.

Meals: (B, L)

Day 13: Dali-Lijiang

Today we depart for Lijiang by private van/car/bus after lunch. It is roughly a 3.5 hours drive. The beautiful scenery on the way will surely give you some special feeling, and we may stop on the way for you to relax and take some photos. We will arrive in Lijiang by dinner time.

Stay overnight in Lijiang.

Meals: (B, L)

Day 14: Lijiang

Lijiang is an ancient town with unique architectural styles and people there still hold on their original way of living. This morning we go to the **[Jade Dragon Snow-capped Mountain]**. With skyscraping snow-capped peaks and its imposing body, it reflects in the interlaced rivers flowing under the old town, composing a fabulous picture. Viewed from afar, the snow-capped range resembles a silver dragon with snow curling up its middle. Rich forest, herb and animal resources thrive on the mountain and a giant tram cart up here is one of

the highest of its kind in China. We **[take cables to climb the mountain]** and be intoxicated in the picturesque scenery. And we also organize a **[Naxi Minority family visit]** for you in the afternoon.

Stay overnight in Lijiang.

Meals: (B, L)

Day 15: Lijiang-Kunming

Today we go to **[Jade Dragon Snow Mountain Golf Club]**. It is located at the scenery western foot of the Jade Dragon Mountain. The 18-hole Par 72 golf course is scrupulously designed by Neil Haworth. It enjoys the longest course of 8548 yards in the world. An altitude 3100 meters, weather here is fine through the year. The course is designed in consideration of the nature landscape to make it a different style and refine and concinnity, displaying the unusual verve of the unique snow mountain golf course to the greatest extent. After golfing, we take a flight back to Kunming.

Stay overnight in Kunming.

Meals: (B, L)

Day 16: Kunming-Guilin

Enjoy your free time in this beautiful highland city. Your guide will offer some information for your reference. Later the day, we leave Kunming to take a flight to Guilin.

Stay overnight in Guilin.

Meals: (B)

Day 17: Guilin-Xing'an (Merryland)

This morning we drive to **[Merryland Golf Club]** in Xing'an town, where you can play your golf (27 holes) while appreciating the picturesque scenery. Guilin Merryland golf club is the largest golf club in Guangxi. And it is also the only one in China with 27 holes foothill course of international standard. It is specially designed by American designer, Golden Louise. It is multi-functional golf course includes sports, entertainment, travelling and business meeting. While playing, you can also enjoy the special scenery. Professional manager of golf playing and international standard facilities are available. After playing, you can go to the exquisite royal golf club for a rest. The rest of the day in free at leisure.

Stay overnight in the hotel of Merryland Resort.

Meals: (B, L)

Day 18: Xing'an (Merryland)-Guilin

This morning is on your own. Enjoy a leisurely breakfast, and have a nice stroll in the Merryland Resort, after lunch we drive back to Guilin city. The afternoon is free at leisure. This evening, we suggest that you take a cruise in the city's central area on a water system, which will absolutely give you a deep impression of Guilin.

Stay overnight in Guilin.

Meals: (B, L)

Day 19: Guilin-Yangshuo

This morning we embark the boat for the **[Li River cruise]**. Cruising downstream with a pleasant breeze greeting, you can sit on cushion comfortably or enjoy the open-air viewing platform. Bring lots of films or be sure the memory card in your digital camera is with a large capacity, because this is a photographer's dreamland, where you are able to capture the dramatic landscapes that Chinese artists have been painting for centuries. Lunch will be served onboard. Disembark at Yangshuo Town and walk to the West Street, which has received countless foreigners from all over the world and reputed as "Global Village in China". Today, the 600 meters long street is over 300 cafes, restaurants, hotels art crafts and tourist stores, foreign language clubs, internet centers and Kungfu schools. This afternoon you are free at leisure. You can enjoy a coffee time in the West Street, or walk around the small Yangshuo town.

Stay overnight in Yangshuo.

Meals: (B, L)

Day 20: Yangshuo-Guilin

In the morning, we drive back to Guilin city, spend the rest of the day in Guilin to discover its shining scenic spots that make the city unique and especially beautiful. The **[Elephant Trunk Hill]** is the symbol of Guilin, standing in the Li River and looks like an elephant drinking water from the river. The **[Reed Flute Cave]** is one of the most spectacular caves displaying karst geographical formation in various shapes. After the visit, we will continue to the nearby **[South China Sea Pearl Museum]**, where we can learn some knowledge of pearls and have the chance to purchase real sea pearl at competitive prices.

Stay overnight in Guilin.

Meals: (B, L)

Day 21: Guilin-Hong Kong-Departure

Today is on your own to relax until you are transferred to the airport for a flight to Hong Kong to continue your tour or for departure. Our service ends at the Guilin airport.

Meals: (B)

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