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Spend more time enjoying the sights as Ngong Ping cable car extends service hours this August

(Hong Kong, 20 July 2011) This August, visitors will be able to spend more time at their favourite tourist destination as Ngong Ping 360 offers night service and a more exciting Shaolin Kung Fu Showcase every Saturday evening throughout the month.

Night Ride Service in August

Managing Director of Ngong Ping 360 Mr Y T Li said, "The summer holidays are a good time for enjoying outdoor fun at Ngong Ping 360. The extended cable car service will offer guests the spectacular experience of flying over Tung Chung and the airport at sunset, with plenty of time to enjoy their visit to Ngong Ping 360 and nearby attractions."

Service hours for Ngong Ping Cable Car and Ngong Ping Village will be extended by 3.5 hours every Saturday in August, with the last cabin departing Ngong Ping Village at 9:30pm. Package prices remain unchanged.

"This is the first time we extend our service hours during summer," adds Mr Li. "We are confident that this will be a great opportunity for our guests to experience the Shaolin Kung Fu Showcase as well as to learn the routines and special martial arts movements up close with the Kung Fu Masters."

Ngong Ping Shaolin Kung Fu Showcase

Twenty Shaolin Kung Fu Masters from the Mainland have been showcasing breath-taking martial arts since the launch of the showcase in July, receiving an enthusiastic welcome by guests from around the world. In response to its high popularity, during the month of August, the showcase will present nightly performance sessions every Saturday evening.

In August, the show would be an unforgettable one for everyone visiting Ngong Ping Village. The masters will demonstrate traditional martial arts during the day time such as the Mantis Fist (螳螂拳), Monkey Fist (猴拳), Monkey Stick (猴棍), Leopard first (豹拳) and Eagle Boxing (鷹拳) to show guests the versatility and flexibility of Shaolin Kung Fu.

In addition, a number of classic routines such as, the Linhuan Fist(連環拳), Shaolin Tongbi Fist (少林通臂拳), Bodhidharma Swordplay (少林達摩劍) and close combats will also be shown during the nightly performance to elevate the experience to whole new heights!

Ngong Ping 360 package tickets now available at Circle-K

Ngong Ping 360 Journey of Enlightenment ("JOE") package tickets will be available for purchase at 320 designated Circle-K outlets.

"Circle-K is an ideal place to get Ngong Ping 360 JOE packages as their stores can be found almost everywhere in Hong Kong and there's always one near you," said Mr Y T Li.

The JOE package includes a round-trip cable car journey and admission to entertaining shows at Ngong Ping Village's "Monkey's Tale Theatre" and "Walking With Buddha" attractions.

In addition to Circle-K, package tickets can be purchased at all Ngong Ping 360 ticket counters in Tung Chung and Ngong Ping Cable Car Terminals, online via the Ngong Ping 360 website, appointed travel agents and 8 designated MTR Stations.

For details on these and other summer holiday promotions at Ngong Ping 360, call the Ngong Ping 360 hotline at (852) 3666 0606 or visit our website at www.np360.com.hk.

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**Ngong Ping Shaolin Kung Fu Showcase 2011
Schedule
(Until 31 August 2011)**

<u>Date</u>	<u>Performance and Workshop</u>
Sat – Night Ride Specials (6, 13, 20, 27 August)	Kung Fu Master Performance at Ngong Ping Village: 12:30 pm 2:55 pm 8:00 pm Shaolin Qixingquan Training (少林七星拳學堂): 1:50 pm 4:15 pm Photo-taking Session: 1:10 pm 3:35 pm 8:35 pm
Sat, Sun, public holidays (23, 24, 30,31 July; 7, 14, 21, 28 August)	Kung Fu Master Performance at Ngong Ping Village: 12:30 pm 2:55 pm Shaolin Qixingquan Training (少林七星拳學堂): 1:50 pm 4:15 pm Photo-taking Session: 1:10 pm 3:35 pm
Weekdays (20-22, 25-29 July; 1-5, 8-12, 15-19, 22-26, 29-31 August)	Kung Fu Master Performance at Ngong Ping Village: 12:30 pm 3:00 pm Shaolin Qixingquan Training (少林七星拳學堂): 1:50 pm Photo-taking Session: 1:10 pm 3:40 pm
until 31 Aug 2011 Daily	Kung Fu game booths

* Limited space is available for the interactive workshops and photo sessions. Free coupons will be distributed at Ngong Ping Village on a first-come first-served basis. Visitors can also call the Ngong Ping 360 Customer Service Hotline at 852 - 3666 0606 for reservations.

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1. During the month of August, the Shaolin Kung Fu Showcase will present nightly performance sessions every Saturday evening. Guests will be thrilled with awe-inspiring displays of martial arts by the Shaolin Kung Fu Masters in the unique outdoor setting at Ngong Ping Village.



2. Imitative-style fists are one of the many challenging Kung Fu styles the Shaolin Kung Fu Masters will be performing during the month of August, including Tiger fist, Monkey fist, Eagle fist, Monkey stick and Praying Mantis first.



3. Ngong Ping 360 will extend its night service in August, enabling visitors to experience the stunning night view along the cable car journey.

