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WORLD CHOIR GAMES 2010

Shaoxing is a city traditionally celebrating culture with various events over the year. In 2010 the world's largest choral event will be one of the city's most important occasions.

WORLD CHOIR GAMES means a large-scale international music festival combined with a choral competition being the essential feature. Hundreds of choirs from all over the world meet and perform in more than 500 encounter concerts, gala concerts on the highest level, seminars and workshops for the further development of the singing society and many other opportunities. As an option they compete in 20 categories for medals and diplomas, celebrating the Olympic spirit of fair and peaceful competition: "Everyone's a winner!"

The festival will bring a very special atmosphere to the city: there will be spontaneous performances and encounter concerts in various locations. Thousands of singers and musicians from about 80 nations and all continents will turn Shaoxing into a "singing city" with a festival not exclusively but especially to the world's youth.

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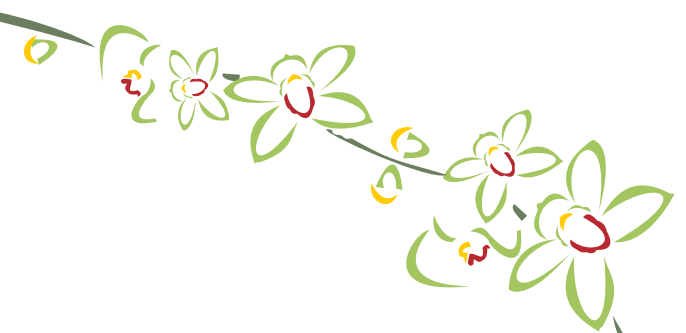
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With its more than 4000 stone bridges Shaoxing is also called the "Oriental Venice". There are numerous touristic spots in and around the city mirroring the flair of ancient Chinese history like the old waterways, the East Lake, the Great Mercy Pagoda, Tashan Mountain with its fantastic Yintian Tower, Jishan Mountain Park, scenic spots like the Zhuji Wuxie Waterfalls, the Chuan Yan Shi Jiu Feng (Nineteen Peaks) or the Great Buddha Temple, which was built over one thousand years ago and houses the biggest Buddha stone statue in South China. Shaoxing is among the top rankings of the famous cities of China's history and culture. It is located in the southern wing of the Yangtze River Delta, around 200 km southwest of Shanghai and 65 km east of Hangzhou and is known as the "city of waters and bridges".

In 2010, two years after the Olympic Games, China again is in the limelight of publicity with other world events: the WORLD EXPO will be held in Shanghai and Shaoxing will celebrate its 2500th birthday. Reason enough to be the host city for the 6th WORLD CHOIR GAMES, another highlight of the year 2010!

As a result of the extraordinary hospitality we experienced in China during the 4th WORLD CHOIR GAMES 2006 we are sure that this event again will be another milestone in the history of the WORLD CHOIR GAMES. Come and join us! Be part of the festival! You will find more information on our website www.worldchoirgames.com.

