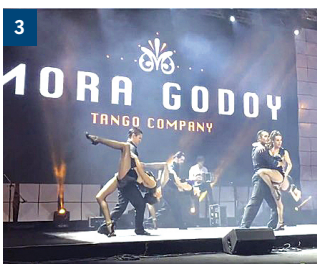
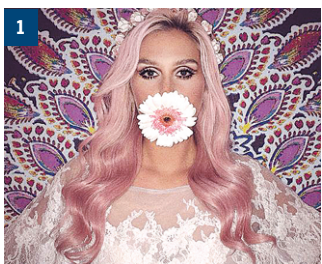


20 GOINGS ON

Best bets



1 Kesha 2016 World Tour Shanghai

Date: Oct 4 — 7:30 pm
Venue: Shanghai Grand Stage
Price: 299-999 yuan
Kesha Rose Seberty is an American singer, songwriter, and rapper. In 2005, at age 18, Kesha was signed to producer Dr. Luke's label Kemosabe Records. Her breakthrough came in early 2009 after appearing on American rapper Flo Rida's number-one single "Right Round". Her debut album, *Animal*, and her first extended play, *Cannibal*, were released in 2010. Kesha's music and image propelled her to immediate commercial success, with *Animal* debuting as the number-one album in the

2 Tan Dun's Film Score: China National Symphony Orchestra

Date: Sept 25 — 7:30 pm
Venue: National Center for the Performing Arts
Price: 80-500 yuan
The conceptual and multifaceted composer/conductor Tan Dun has made an indelible mark on the world's music scene with a creative repertoire that spans the boundaries of classical music,

multimedia performance, and Eastern and Western traditions. A winner of today's most prestigious honors including the Grammy Award, Oscar/Academy Award, Grawemeyer Award for classical composition and Musical America's Composer of The Year, Tan Dun's music has been played throughout the world by leading orchestras, opera houses, international festivals, and on the radio and television.

3 Mora Godoy Tango Company Argentine Tango

Date: Oct 3-6 — 7:30 pm
Venue: National Center for the Performing Arts
Price: 160-880 yuan
Mora Godoy is the most prestigious dancer and choreogra-

pher of the Argentine Tango. She started her study at the Instituto Superior de Arte del Teatro Colón, where she mastered as a classical ballerina. After she inherited her technique by up grading her studies of classical Ballet in Russia. Her trajectory marks a before and after in the way of dancing the tango, something that is widely recognized both in Argentina and abroad. Her love for tango, her classical training and her sensuality are the keys by which she got the world surrendered at her feet. Founded by Mora Godoy herself, the Mora Godoy Tango Company has toured worldwide for more than 10 years, having brought to the audience the tension installed in subtle emotions, every spin and touch that leave them breathless.

4 NCPA Drama Jane Eyre

Date: Sept 29-Oct 6—7:30 pm
Venue: National Center for the Performing Arts
The silent piano, closed suitcase ... under the spotlight, Jane Eyre, in a long gray skirt, bursts into the still life-like stage. In the misty fog, standing outside the Thornfield manor gate, Jane Eyre unintentionally starts the fate engine of the people in this old manor. To commemorate the 200th anniversary of the birth of the author of Jane Eyre, the English writer Charlotte Brontë, NCPA will once again stage the drama version of Jane Eyre, with famous Chinese actors Yuan Quan and Wang Luoyong playing the leading roles. The NCPA Drama Ensemble will also join this production.

Listings

SHOWS

Schaubuehne Tartuffe

Date: Sep 24 — 7:30 pm
Venue: NCPA
Price: 180-680 yuan
Tartuffe portrays the story of a sanctimonious hypocrite who wangles his way into the Orgon's family, trying to seduce Orgon's wife and possess his property, but is eventually caught and sent to prison. The play reveals the hideousness of the church and makes Tartuffe a symbol of hypocrite. This play, with its tightly knit structure, distinct personalities of the characters, dramatic conflicts, quick-witted language and edgy style, has had a deep influence on modern comedy.

MahuaFunAge

Production Li Cha's Aunt
Date: Sept 24-25 — 7:30 pm
Venue: Beijing Comedy Theater
Price: 50-1,080 yuan

Following the sold-out film *Goodbye Mr. Loser*, MahuaFunAge Production presents another commission Li Cha's Aunt, a story revolving around money, deceit and twisted life as a result. This drama, codirected by Wu Yuhan and Zhang Yiming, invites many famous actors. The highlights of this drama include the plots where the male actors dresses like women, changing clothes six times on stage in half an hour, speaking with a high-pitched voice and wearing high heels, making the Beijing Comedy Theatre a sea of joy.

Dadao Culture The Stage

Date: Sept 29-Oct 7 — 7:30 pm
Venue: Beijing Comedy Theater
Price: 100-680 yuan

The Stage is a large and original stage comedy in 2015. It is produced by Dadao Culture, written by famous playwright Yu Yue, directed by famous comedy performance artist Chen Peisi and starring Chen Peisi and Yang Lixin. In over a 2-hour performance, more than 20 characters display a story of the survival of a drama ensemble in troubled times, advocating the Chinese tradi-

tional culture represented by Peking opera and inspiring the audience to reflect on the traditional cultural inheritance. The script took almost 2 years to complete. The comedy made its debut as the opening drama of the Beijing Comedy Theatre on July 16, 2015, caused a sensation throughout Beijing, continually sold out and attracted great attention from different fields of the society.

Huang Ying Studio Production A Pipe Dream

Date: Oct 1-5 — 7:30 pm
Venue: NCPA
Price: 160-280 yuan

In 2011, the modern Chinese drama *A Pipe Dream* premiered at Festival d'Avignon. This drama was staged for 24 times in a row and was acclaimed as 'the most Chinese-style program'. Then, it was restaged at Beijing Fringe Festival and presented at the NCPA at the same year. In 2013, it was specially performed in Singapore, invited by Singapore's Huayi Chinese Festival of Arts. In the following year, it toured in Hamburg and Frankfurt, Germany, enjoying tremendous popularity. Also, it was staged as a closing program at the 22nd BeSeTo Festival in 2015.

Boundless Arts Collection

Date: Through Oct 8
Venue: Boundless Arts Collection
Price: Free entry

Seventeen exhibits from Boundless Arts Collection reflect French art masters' dynamic artistic heritage at the Silk Road (Dunhuang) International Cultural Expo. Rich in themes and embodying the unique qualities of French art, the chosen pieces also link to the French's Chinese perspectives. In a world where each individual try to seek their roots, dialogues between civilizations is all the more necessary. The Silk Road serves as a charming and magical bond, in which Eastern and Western art, poetry, language and thought have reached a great degree of integration.

BRIDGE NIGHT

In some situations, you may acquiesce to temptation

By PHILLIP ALDER

Lane Olinghouse, an author of self-help articles, said, "Those who flee temptation generally leave a forwarding address."

In yesterday's deal, East had to resist the temptation to play third hand high when his highest card was only an eight. Then, it was right to give count by playing low from a tripleton. This permitted partner to work out that declarer had

started with only two cards in this suit.

What is the situation today? May East succumb to third-hand-high temptation?

South is in three no-trump, and West leads his fourth-highest spade four.

When declarer covers West's spade four with dummy's five, East may play third hand high because he has a doubleton in that suit. He starts an echo, a high-low.

A clever South will take that trick with his jack, not with the eight. From East's play, South knows that West started with the spade ace and queen. As long as East does not win a trick, declarer still has a spade stopper.

South then leads his low heart to dummy's king and runs the club queen. After taking the trick with his king, what should West do next? West will be tempted not to

believe his partner and to cash the spade ace, thinking it will drop South's king. Here, though, that lets the contract make. Instead, West should trust East, not South. If South still has two spades left, East must be put on lead. West should shift to the diamond nine, top of nothing. Then East should win with his ace and return the spade two. This allows the defenders to take one club, one diamond and four spades for down two.

North		08-04-16	
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♦	5 2	♣	Q J 8 7
West		East	
♠	A Q 9 4 3	♥	7 2
♦	7 2	♣	J 10 9 8 4
♥	8 6 3	♦	A 10 7 4
♣	K 4	♠	5 3
South		Dealer: South	
♠	K J 8	Vulnerable: East-West	
♥	Q 5		
♦	K Q 3		
♣	A 10 9 6 2		
South		West	
1NT	Pass	2♣	Pass
2♦	Pass	3NT	All Pass
Opening lead: ♠ 4			

Economic zone sparks industrial growth

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Since its registration in Shuangliu Southwest Airport Economic Development Zone, Chengdu Eoptolink Technology has developed into the country's leading optical transceiver module developer and manufacturer in just five years.

Optical transceiver modules are the basic elements for optical communications and have a broad range of applications in many fields.

According to Gao Guangrong, chairman of the company, Eoptolink is now exporting its products to overseas markets including Europe, North America, the Middle East and Southeast Asia, while meeting the demands of the domestic market.

The company was just listed on the China Growth Enterprise Market in March. At present, its market capitalization surpassed 8 billion yuan (\$1.2 billion), according to Gao.

Gao said his company has been "nurtured by the fertile land" of the development zone.

He specifically mentioned the zone's advantageous location, the excellent environment for business and living, and the efficient government services.

"The zone is next door to the Chengdu Shuangliu International Airport, which makes it possible for our products and services to reach global clients as quickly as possible," said the chairman.

He said Shuangliu is a satellite city of Chengdu. It has a good ecology, high-quality and cost-effective living communities and shares all educational, scientific and cultural resources with Chengdu, which are all factors attracting investors and professionals from home and abroad.



Aircraft maintenance is a key industry in the Shuangliu Southwest Airport Economic Development Zone. PHOTOS PROVIDED TO CHINA DAILY



Quality products and premium brands from many countries are available in the exhibition and sales center for consumer goods (right) or the Times Outlets, both in the development zone.



Chengdu HiWafer Technology Co Ltd is another example of a business benefiting from the zone's top-notch services.

HiWafer is China's first pure-wafer foundry service provider, which provides six-inch GaAs/GaN monolithic microwave integrated circuits.

The company began to invest in the airport zone in 2010, with investments totaling 2.09 billion yuan.

Lin Li, deputy president of the company, said: "We have enjoyed strong support from the local government."

The administrative committee of the airport zone has applied to the National

Development and Reform Commission for financing a special development fund, totaling 2.66 billion yuan, to support local high-tech companies.

According to Lin, her company is on the list for support, and is eligible to get 100 million yuan worth of funding.

"With strong backing from the government, I believe our company will become an industry player with global influence," Lin said.

Hu Tangxiang, president of Chengdu Jieyi Electronic Co Ltd, said he appreciates the "Shuangliu speed" and

efficient services offered by the government.

It took less than 10 months for the company to go all the way from business registration, to construction, to installation and to trial operation.

"The highly efficient one-stop shop for administrative services is definitely a surprise to companies like us. We are confident in the future of the development zone," Lin said.

Shuangliu Southwest Airport Economic Development Zone located in Shuangliu district, Chengdu, was established in May 1992. It is the

earliest provincial-level development zone in Sichuan.

The zone is now home to 168 large and medium-sized enterprises, including operations of 16 companies on the Fortune Global 500 list, 34 listed companies and 93 high-tech firms.

The zone contributes more than 60 percent of the GDP to Shuangliu district, making it the most powerful engine for local growth.

The zone is adjacent to the Chengdu Shuangliu International Airport, the fifth-largest airport in China, enjoying easy connections to the country and the world.

The total planned area of the zone is 85.6 square kilometers, with functional zones dedicated to industry, residential communities, higher learning and research.

There are also supporting facilities like shopping malls, star-rated hotels, primary and middle schools, and entertainment and sports venues.

The four-sq-km Shuangliu Comprehensive Bonded Area is inside the zone, offering a range of trade facilities for local companies.

The zone sticks to a new approach of industrialization by highlighting such emerging industries as electronics, advanced manufacturing, biomedicine and new energy.

The zone is home to 41 higher learning and research institutions, 11 national key laboratories and a number of other research and development facilities, offering strong technological and intelligent support to local businesses.

In addition to the effective government services, local companies can also enjoy support from professional companies for financial, legal and intellectual property-related services.

Shuangliu special

Sichuan's FTZ offers amenities to new businesses

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The central government recently announced that free trade zones will be set up in seven provinces and municipalities, including Sichuan. Shuangliu district in the southwest of Chengdu is expected to have a big role to play.

According to officials at the Sichuan Bureau of Commerce, the Sichuan FTZ will be mainly in the provincial capital of Chengdu.

Officials also said the Sichuan FTZ will be developed by integrating the existing industrial zones and parks.

Shuangliu district is expected to pilot the development of Sichuan's FTZ, as it contains a number of establishments for trade facilitation, according to officials at the district government.

The district has a comprehensive bonded area, the largest airport in western China and an airport bonded logistics center, which are crucial facilities for the development of a free trade zone.

The Shuangliu Comprehensive Bonded Area is a combination of the former Chengdu Export Processing Zone and the Chengdu Bonded Logistics Center. It was established in November 2010 and was operational by July 2012.

The bonded area offers businesses with such services as warehousing, exhibition and customs services.

Inside the area, companies can enjoy a number of incentives in taxation,

warehousing, financing and customs clearance. Manufacturing enterprises can be exempted from import duties when importing raw materials and equipment from overseas.

There is a 5,000-square-meter exhibition and sales center for consumer goods, which is a great facility for importers in Chengdu and exporters from around the world.

The center is now home to outlets for more than 40 companies, displaying and selling imported food, beverages, cosmetics and other consumer goods.

To date, the bonded area is home to about 70 enterprises, in fields including manufacturing, biomedicine, equipment leasing, aircraft repair, warehousing, logistics, trade and e-commerce.

The heavyweight projects in the area including the manufacturing facilities invested by Taiwan's electronics giants Compal and Wistron.

The Compal and Wistron projects, each with investments of \$500 million, are among the largest laptop computer manufacturing facilities in Chengdu.

From 2012 to now, enterprises in the area generated 150 billion yuan (\$22.5 billion) worth of revenue in total.

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the total revenue generated by enterprises in the Shuangliu Comprehensive Bonded Area since 2012