

# Route E

## Taipei City Half Day Tour



- ✧ Date: Thursday, May 10, 2018
- ✧ Duration: 13:00 – 21:00 (8 hours)
- ✧ Pick up Time: 12:30~13:00
- ✧ Pick up Point: 1F, Lobby, TICC
- ✧ Departure Time: 13:00
- ✧ Tour Includes:
  - 1) Lunch Box; 2) Professional Chinese-English Guide; 3) Air-Conditioned Coach; 4) Drinking Water;
  - 5) Insurance; 6) Dinner

### Excursion Itineraries:



#### Tour Stops

#### Descriptions

Xinyi Public Hall  
(44 Southern Village)

Due to the land development and the reconstruction of the military families' quarters for the Xinyi Project Area, all residents of Si-Si Nan Cun (The Village) moved out in 1999. The buildings were destined for demolition. The Cultural Heritage Evaluation Committee, Taipei City, considered The Village an "historic edifice", and made a plan to preserve and rebuild four structures. On October 25, 2003, the Xinyi Public Assembly Hall and Cultural Park was inaugurated.

Presidential Square

The building was built during Japanese colonization period. It was the governor's mansion at that time. During the ending period of World War II, the building was seriously damaged due to the bombing. After Taiwan was reclaimed by R.O.C., the building was reconstructed in 1946. The building was re-named as "Jieshou Building" in celebration of the 60th birthday of former president Mr. Chiang Kai-shek. The building has been used as the presidential mansion after the central government of R.O.C. was reinstated in Taiwan.

Martyrs' Shrine

Officially the National Revolutionary Martyrs' Shrine, the shrine was built to honor the fallen Kuomintang soldiers after the Chinese Civil War (and subsequent government relocation to Taiwan) and is home to around 390,000 spirit tablets honoring the lives and sacrifices of the KMT

soldiers during the war against the communists in mainland China.

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Dihua Old Street Walking Tour	A walk through the Dihua Street Area gives visitors a feel of Taipei City's past. The old-town market has scores of shops selling a variety of traditional goods such as Chinese medicines and herbs, temple icons and incense, spices and dried food, colorful bolts of cloth, and bamboo and wooden crafts.
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Dinner at DienShuiLo Restaurant	In September of 2005, Namchow Group established its first restaurant, Dian Shui Lou, featuring its specialty on Jiang-Nan cuisine and snacks; the design of its menu covers diverse and delicate delicacies, including Hangzhou-styled, Jiangsu-styled, Huaiyang-style, Jianghui-styled, Yong (Ningbo)-styled cuisines and other famous cuisines. At present, there are several branch restaurants. The space at Nanjing Restaurant and Huaining Restaurant is praiseworthy; masters' calligraphy works and paintings, antiques and artworks, wooden carved-flower stand as well as interior design and landscapes are designed with good taste.
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Lung Shan Temple	Lungshan Temple is a famous old temple in Taiwan. It is for worshipping Guanshiyin Buddha and other divine spirits. Lungshan Temple is facing the South. Its architecture is a three-section design in shape. There is the front hall, the rear hall, and the right/left dragons protecting the middle hall. The layout is square and serene. The temple was built in Qianlong 5th year in Qing Dynasty. Due to natural disaster and damages caused by men, the temple was restored for several times.
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Manga Night Market walking tour	Manga night market is located in the Taiwan Taipei City Wanhua District, or called Wanhua night market, including Guangzhou Street, Wuzhou Street, Xichang Street. As a result of the city center area and adjacent to the famous attractions Manga Longshan Temple and Huaxi Street sightseeing night market, it also attracted a lot of diners, visitors come. Although Wanhua night market is a night market, especially in the evening lively, in fact, its business during the day also.
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