

PRESS RELEASE

RESTAURANTEURS BEHIND THE EIGHT AND YIQI TO LAUNCH 3RD CONCEPT, SANHAO, IN CHINATOWN LONDON

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Shaftesbury Capital has announced that SanHao, a restaurant focused on hand-pulled noodles and soups, will be debuting within Chinatown London's vibrant food landscape, bringing traditional delicacies and culinary innovation to 3 Gerrard Street.

Set to open its doors later this year, SanHao is the latest addition to Chinatown London from the restaurateurs behind Hong Kong style café, The Eight, and Pan-Asian concept, YiQi. The menu will focus on traditional hand-pulled noodle dishes, from Ban Mian to soups from across China and Southeast Asia, as well as cooked to order, pan-fried buns. Highlights will include *Alaska Crab Noodles*, *Black Truffle Wild Mushroom Noodle Soup*, and *Cappuccino Free Range Chicken Noodle Soup*.

Occupying a prominent 3,000 sq ft space, on the corner of Chinatown London's iconic Gerrard Street and Gerrard Place, SanHao will join the diverse range of ESEA-inspired restaurants across the destination. The restaurant's interior has been inspired by the elegant, contemporary style of Jiangnan in Eastern China, a sophisticated and luxurious design palette of black, white, and grey.

Keng Yew Leong, Founder of SanHao, added: *"SanHao's debut in Chinatown London marks another successful collaboration with Shaftesbury Capital and we are delighted to bring an authentic experience to what is the leading ESEA cultural hub in the UK. The success of The Eight and YiQi fills us with great confidence in how our SanHao concept will be received by visitors and we look forward to opening our doors to the Chinatown London community later this year."*

The restaurateurs behind SanHao launched Pan-Asian concept, YiQi, earlier this year. Celebrating a range of cuisines from across the ESEA region, YiQi's menu creates a dynamic dining experience in the heart of Chinatown London.

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Notes to Editors

Chinatown London

As the largest Chinatown in Europe, Chinatown London is the go-to destination for regional Chinese and Pan-Asian cuisine. Its twelve predominately pedestrianised and interconnected streets, lined with iconic red lanterns, are home to an ever-evolving mix of traditional and new concepts that reflect emerging dining trends from cities such as Shanghai, Beijing, Tokyo, and Seoul.



Equally thriving day and night, the area's restaurants, bars, shops and cafés, as well as its unique mix of ESEA supermarkets, authentic Asian retail stores and more, attract large numbers of Londoners, tourists, international students and local workers.

中国城

作为欧洲最大的中国城，伦敦中国城是追求地道中餐和亚洲美食的热门去处。这里有十二条以步行为主、互相连接的街道，路边挂满了标志性的红灯笼。中国城的美食也在不断演变，融合了传统与新潮的美食概念，将来自上海、北京、东京和首尔等城市的新兴餐饮趋势带给大家。

无论白天还是夜晚，这里的餐厅、酒吧、商店和咖啡馆，以及特色的东南亚超市、正宗亚洲零售店等，无不吸引着在伦敦学习，工作，旅游和生活的每一个人。

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