

Grand Opening of “Hoshino Resorts KASUKE Tiantai” On April 27th, 2021

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First Property to Operate in Mainland China for Hoshino Resorts

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Characteristic 1: Guest Rooms with a Beautiful View of the Mountains and Classic Gardens

The concept of the guest rooms is “Rokonseijyo (*1),” which is part of Zen Buddhism. Dengyo Daishi Saicho, the founder of the Tendai sect in Japan, studied Tendai teachings at the Tiantai Mountains. Our wish for guests to be able to spend a stress-free stay, relieved from the worries of daily life, at a place surrounded by nature and history is incorporated in the concept. The room is created in a way that makes one feel freed and relaxed by having large windows that frames the view, traditional Chinese furniture and decorations, and warm lighting.

*1 Rokonseijyo is to be pure by refusing the hesitation that arises from the “six roots (rokon)” (eyes, ears, nose, tongue, body, meaning) in the Zen language.

Room Types

<Mountain Type>

Suite KASUKE Mountain (260 square meters)

Suite Lotus Mountain (188 square meters)

Deluxe Moon Mountain (108-145 square meters)

Deluxe Dream Mountain (80-90 square meters)

Deluxe Cloud Mountain (55-65 square meters)

<Courtyard Type>

Superior Soul Courtyard (108-145 square meters)

Superior Eye Courtyard (80-90 square meters)

Superior Heart Courtyard (55-65 square meters)



View from the Mountain Type



Garden View from the Courtyard Type



Living room of Suite KASUKE Mountain

Characteristic 2: Dining incorporating the essences of Traditional Chinese and Japanese

The dining experience is organized into 3 areas, breakfast, dinner, and private rooms. The breakfast area faces the “Yangyunchi” pond, where guests can enjoy the sparkling reflection of the morning sun on the surface of the pond as they enjoy breakfast. The dinner area is designed in a way to enjoy the warmth of wood. There are 3 private dining rooms and a maximum of 16 people can gather.

The concept of the dining is “Washinkansai,” where its literal character translations are “wa” for Japanese, “shin” for heart, “kan” for mainland China and “sai” for side dishes. The word combines traditional Chinese cuisine with the seasons, beauty, and hospitality of Japan. Our experienced executive chef from Japan will be focusing on the aesthetics, temperature, texture, and seasoning of each dish to bring out the best of Chinese food culture.

For breakfast, a buffet of drinks and fruits in addition to the main breakfast set of either Japanese, Western or Chinese can be enjoyed. Dinner will be ala carte style. Many chefs gathered to Zhejiang Province because it was the capital back in the Song dynasty. In addition, the area is blessed with ingredients such as seafood from the East China Sea and a wide variety of vegetables from inlands, which led to the development of unique food culture. With these ingredients, a variety of dishes from local cuisine to Japanese will be served.

Characteristic 3: Tiantai Mountain -The Birthplace of Tendai sect

Tiantai Mountain district is China's "National 5A-class tourist attractions (*2)." Due to its religious and cultural background, and abundant nature, it is known as the birthplace of the Tendai sect and Taoism with beautiful mountains and water.



Temples are scattered around the valleys of the peaks at an altitude of around 1,200 meters, and one of them, the Guoqing Temple, is the birthplace of the Chinese Tendai sect, where it has been attracting those of the Buddhism faith since a long ago. Dengyo Daishi Saicho, the founder of Tendai sect in Japan, entered Tiantai Mountain in the Heian period to study Tendai teachings at Guoqing Temple and later opened the Tendai sect in Japan at Enryaku Temple located in the Hiei Mountain.

Since then, many Japanese monks have visited Tiantai Mountain and so, it is a place that has been in connection with Japan for a long time.

The abundant nature where you can feel the changing seasons is one of the features of this location and there are many scenic areas such as the Taizhou Shiliang Waterfall, Huading National Forest Park, and the Qiongtai Valley. Moreover, it is famous for the 1,000 different kinds of Chinese herbs that grow at high altitudes, such as high mountain Yunwu tea, and citrus fruits.

*2 National 5A-class tourist attractions: 5A is the highest class of tourist destinations, coordinated by the National Tourism Administration of the People's Republic of China

Other Facilities



View from the lobby lounge



"Yangyunchi" pond



"Lotus Fountain" at the Entrance



Lobby Lounge



Garden



Library Lounge

Details of the Property

Name: Hoshino Resorts KASUKE Tiantai

Location: Lotus Town, Tiantai Shan, Zhejiang Province, China 317-209

Number of Guest Rooms: 103

Facilities: Dining, pool, gym, spa, library lounge, etc

Check-in: 3:00 pm / Check-out: 12:00 pm

Price: From 2,888 CNY per person per room (for 2 persons in a room, includes tax and service fee, and breakfast)

Accessibility: About 4 hours by car from Pudong or Hongqiao International Airport in Shanghai

About Hoshino Resorts

Hoshino Resorts was first established as a Japanese inn/ryokan by Kasuke Hoshino in 1914 in Karuizawa in Nagano Prefecture before it began the operation of other resorts in Japan. Today, it has evolved into a highly influential hotel management company and is run by 4th-generation family member Yoshiharu Hoshino. Providing a unique experience focused on the local charms of each destination and a high level of omotenashi, Japanese-style hospitality, the company has expanded rapidly out of Karuizawa since 2001 and now operates more than 40 facilities both in and outside Japan under five distinct brands: HOSHINOYA, KAI, RISONARE, OMO, and BEB.

