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THE WATERHOUSE CLUB INVITES YOU TO

CHINA'S INCREDIBLE DINOSAURS

The importance of exciting fossil discoveries in China

Presented by Professor John Long
Strategic Professor of Palaeontology, Flinders University.

Tuesday 26 November 2019 - 6.00 to 7.30 pm
upstairs in the Armoury at the rear of the South Australian Museum

Expeditioners on the Club's March 2020 Expedition to China, along with any club members and friends who are interested, are invited to this presentation by Professor John Long.

China has one of the world's richest fossil records demonstrating the history of Life on Earth. It includes some of the earliest and best-preserved Cambrian fossils at the UNESCO World Heritage Cheng Jiang sites in Yunnan, a great diversity of highly significant early fish fossils, and without any doubt the world's best-preserved faunas from the age of dinosaurs (called the Jehol Biota). These show clearly the origin of birds from dinosaurs and the diversification of the modern mammal groups.

Our human evolution is intimately linked to the discovery of "Peking Man" (*Homo erectus*) near Beijing and since then many important fossils have been unearthed that shed further light on human evolution such as feathered dinosaurs, early mammals, spectacular winged pterosaurs as well as associated life such as insects, fishes, plants, amphibians and bizarre marine reptiles.

The Waterhouse Club's expedition will be visiting some of the most significant dinosaur sites on earth, including a "behind the scenes" tour at the world's largest Palaeontological Institution in Beijing, the Institute for Vertebrate Palaeontology and Palaeoanthropology (IVPP). We will be visiting several other palaeontology museums, and hopefully some actual fossil sites, as well as many iconic tourist destinations including The Great Wall, the Xian Warriors, the Pandas at Chengdu and the Shilin Stone Forrest.

Following the presentation, Tim Tolley, Expedition Leader, will provide updates on the expedition and answer questions. Expeditioners will be provided with information on travel, Chinese visas and other information for this exciting visit to China.

Wine and canapes will be served from 6.00 pm, and the presentation will commence at approximately 6.30 for around 45 minutes.

No charge for China Expeditioners – Members: \$55.00: Non-Members \$60.00

Please RSVP by 19 November by completing and returning the attached booking form or contacting Natalie at the Club office, telephone 8203 9802

Event Co-Ordinator: Tim Tolley, Expedition Leader, mobile 0407 610 420



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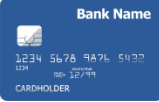

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		<p>Visa or Mastercard</p> <p>No _____ / _____ / _____ / _____ Expiry Date: _____ / _____</p> <p>Name on Card _____</p> <p>Or telephone the office to make your booking and payment: (08) 8203 9802</p> <p>A 1% bank fee surcharge will apply to credit card payments of \$1,000.00 and over.</p>
		<p>Personal or bank cheque payable to the Waterhouse Club</p>

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- **Office Hours:** Monday, Tuesday, Thursday 8.30 am to 1.30 pm.