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Up in the Air

Federico Moro keeps spheres and infants airborne with the Juggling Club

What's the hardest part about learning to juggle? Getting over the feeling that "I'll never be able to do it" that everyone experiences in their first hour of practicing juggling. If you don't pay attention to that feeling

and just keep throwing balls, you'll learn. If you listen to this voice, you'll waste time just holding the objects in your hands. Time will pass and you'll learn nothing. **How many balls can you keep in the air at one time?** Five. **What's the first step in learning the art of juggling?** Deciding that you are going to learn it. **What's a typical juggling group meeting like?** We meet, practice

and chat for about two hours. Beginners follow me in some basic exercises, and the more advanced just do what they want. **What's the most unusual thing you've ever juggled?** Well, I can balance almost anything, and I like to experiment. Once I threw my 1-year-old cousin in the air, clapped my hands two times and caught him on the way down, to make his parents happy. I think they remember it as a very traumatic experience, but the baby was happy about it! **How did you get into juggling?** That's a quite a long story. But it changed my life!

When: Beijing Juggling Club
Where: Yagong Tiyuqian
When: Mondays, Sun

I can balance almost anything... I like to experiment

Federico has his hands full

I SPY BEIJING



Forbidden City | 4pm

"It's as if the Imperial crane is looking for the right season to take flight."

Joann Paek



Joann (@photoblog.com/joannpaek) wins a \$200 voucher to **Mughal's Restaurant** (2008-6082) for her photo. Send your best photo to laurea@ringlerasia.com



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Mughal's Restaurant

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THURSDAY, AUG 26

SinoScuba Diving Club

Join this group of scuba enthusiasts to swap stories and share tips on top diving spots in Asia. Many in the group are certified divers, but anyone with an interest in diving is welcome. 7pm

Union Bar & Grille 155-0118-5629
www.sinoscuba.com, sinoscuba.com

Vegan Cooking Class

This class is geared towards creating tasty dishes with many a bit of meat or animal product. Learn how to use different ingredients as substitutes for dairy products. \$220/\$200 (members). 7:15pm

The Hutong 159-0104-6121
www.thehutong.com, www.thehutong.com

ORIENTED Happy Hour

Join this professional networking night to make the connections you need to get ahead. Two-for-one drink specials all night. \$50 includes a drink and entrance to a lucky draw. 7pm

Loong Bar 2005-8995, www.oriental.com

THU, AUG 26-MON, AUG 30
Greening the Beige Volunteer Call

Get involved in Greening the Beige's environmentally friendly activities this year. Those interested in volunteering should get in touch.

Greening the Beige
info@greeningthebeige.org
www.greeningthebeige.org

SATURDAY, AUG 29

Survival Chinese: Ordering Food

Join this crash course to get your Chinese up to snuff for daily tasks and activities. \$200, 10am
Culture Yard 8405-4150
workshop@cultureyard.net
www.cultureyard.net

Tea Tasting Workshop

Learn the ins and outs of Chinese tea in this introductory workshop, which introduces students to a wide variety of regions and flavors. \$160/\$150 (members). 2pm

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