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MEDIA ALERT

China Lights Press Event Aug. 8

China Lights: Panda-Mania, a celebration of Asian culture featuring 45 larger-than-life sculptural lantern displays and Chinese folk-culture entertainment, will set the Boerner Botanical Gardens aglow this fall, Sept. 21–Oct. 21. For the past two years, the wildly popular festival has attracted more than 100,000 visitors. To announce enhancements to the 2018 show, a press event will take place Aug. 8 at 10:08 a.m. at the Botanical Gardens. In addition to the announcements, the press event will include a demonstration on how a lantern is made.

Speaking at the event will be Guy Smith, Director, Milwaukee County Parks; a representative from Tri City National Bank, the show's presenting sponsor; Shirley Walczak, Director, Boerner Botanical Gardens; and Huiyuan Liu, North American Representative, Tianyu Arts and Culture, Inc.

WHEN: Aug. 8, 2018 at 10:08 a.m.
(The date and time allude to the number eight's association with good fortune in Chinese culture)

WHERE: Boerner Botanical Gardens, 9400 Boerner Drive, Hales Corners—
at the fountain next to the Garden House

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