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Ninegates Jazz Festival gets your jazz hands flying

Ninegates Jazz Fest

Two nights of excellent jazz at Yugong Yishan kick off with a performance by Colombian sextet Puerto Candelaria. These guys have played more than 20 international tours in front of over a million fans. The second night features the Honda Masato Quintet, a Japanese jazz group that first played Beijing back in 2009. Get your brain ready for some fun syncopated beats and head to the Ninegates Jazz festival. ¥50 per night.

Ninegates Jazz Festival at Yugong Yishan
Mon., Sep. 12-Tue., Sep. 13, 9pm, Tel: 6404-2711

Outdoor Hotpot

Experience twelve straight hours of outdoor chilling at 2 Kolegas as DJ Wordy rips up the decks in classic Hotpot style. Usually a staple at Punk, DJ Wordy brings his Hotpot tunes to 2 Kolegas for the first time. Expect nothing but the best electronic music in a range of styles all day and night long on the lawn. Chill out, sunbathe and enjoy the music with a few beers and good friends.

Outdoor Hotpot at 2 Kolegas, Saturday, September 10, 3pm, Tel: 135-5227-6845, 136-9118-0119

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stonebanks: "Local producers Verkytget and Black Mansions build on the rhythms and 87 bpm tempos from old-school hip-hop to unleash layered dance-floor tracks light years beyond the genre's conventions."

87FEI87 at Bed Bar, Saturday, September 10, 9pm, blake@paper-t.com



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DJ Vadim and Sabira Jade blend sultry with smooth

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Musical A-Team

Music's best with **DJ Vadim**, The Electric and Shaaw Brothers

Grammy-nominated DJ Vadim is bringing his crew to Beijing for an all-out party combining the best in electronic tunes with awesome hip-hop, rapping and sultry vocals. This attempt at creating the A-team of innovative music has gained positive acclaim and his shows have been sold out around the world. He hits Yugong Yishan on September 16.

DJ Vadim travels the globe searching out top musical talent, much like Dr. X does for mutants with superpowers. Daddy Vad, as he is called by his crew, found UK soulstress Sabira Jade and put her together with lyrical marvel MC Pugs Atomz to form The Electric. "We are super amazing, super funky, super slick and super sick," says Daddy Vad. With two albums out, the crew has a range of memorable songs to perform for Beijing's hungry music lovers.

With support from two of the most creative hip-hop artists in the U.S., the show takes an interesting turn as The Shaaw Brothers take the stage. These boys are a staple for anyone who considers themselves in-the-know for underground hip-hop in North America. The brother duo told CW they are "hip-hop smoked out on some left-field stuff with a skater feel/appeal to it." We can hardly wait.

The Shaaw Brothers are as versatile and innovative as DJ Vadim and his crew of super-powered musicians, and are the perfect sidekick for this group of musical mutants. Check out full interviews with the Shaaw brothers and The Electric at www.cityweekend.com.cn. ¥70 (presale at NLGX), ¥100 (door).

DJ Vadim and the Electric + Shaaw Brothers at Yugong Yishan, Friday, September 16, 9:30pm, Tel: 6404-8088