

Report on installation of 小島 Bird Free at the Chinese Tea House, Luisenpark, Mannheim, Germany, 21 November 2013.



Named after the Grand Duchess Luise von Baden, daughter of Kaizer Wilhelm I, the Luisenpark Mannheim was completed in 1903. The park contains amusements and gardens, including The Rose Garden, Arboretum and Chinese Garden. The Tea House, built in co-operation with Mannheim's twin city of Zhenjiang, was opened in 2001.





There are many nooks and crannies within the roof of The Tea House, while these afford ideal nesting/roosting sites for starlings, they are not easily accessible to humans. This report shows the work carried out on 21 November 2013, including removal of two starling nests, to demonstrate the deterrent effect of 小島 *Bird Free*. In order to completely eliminate the starling infestation at The Tea House further work will be required to remove all nests and treat all infested areas with 小島 *Bird Free*. Specialists access equipment will be needed to complete this work.







Dishes of 小島 *Bird Free* were fixed to infested areas on either side of the main entrance.







A nest was removed from inside the roof of the building to the left of the main entrance and the gap treated with 小島 *Bird Free*. The beams of the roof of the corridor connecting this building with the main entrance were also treated.



The tops of six pillars at the rear of The Tea House (top left) were treated with 小島 Bird Free. A nest was removed from the corner of the roof to the rear (top right), and dishes of 小島 Bird Free were applied. The dishes of 小島 Bird Free were applied so as to make them as unobtrusive as possible. The starlings did not return in 2014.