

The 2017 Crabapple Season at Tianjin University

With the fragrance of the crabapple flowers, Tianjin University becomes a popular tourist attraction celebrating its famous annual Crabapple Season from April 1 to 10. The university will be open on April 3 for the festival. Residents, tourists, and alumni from afar are heading to the scenic Tianjin University campuses to enjoy crabapple blossoms and reminisce about their youth.

During the celebration, various activities, performances, and exhibitions will be held, totaling 51 events, such as campus tours, performances by Peiyang Arts Troupe and other organizations on the campus, Tianjin University History Museum tour, alumni reception, and various exhibitions of technology and culture, to name a few. (Please see the detail schedule as below)

Due to limited parking space on the campus, tourists are urged to adopt “green commuting” transport.

Transportation

Wei jin Road Campus

The Tianjin University Wei jin Road Campus is located at No. 92 Wei jin Road, Nankai District.

By Bus:

Visitors can take buses to “Tiandasushe” station at the Anshan West Road, and enter campus at the North Gate of Tianjin University; or come to the “Qilitai” station at Wei jin Road and enter the campus through the East Gate.

By Subway:

Visitors also can take subway to the stations of “Haiguangsi”, “Anshan Road” or “Xikang Road”, and walk about ten minutes to the campus.

Peiyang Park Campus

The Tianjin University Peiyang Park Campus is located at No. 135 Yaguan Road, Tianjin Haihe Education Park.

By Bus:

Visitors can take buses No.612, No.613 or No.615 to “Tianjin University East Gate” station, and then enter the campus through the East Gate. (For parking lots located in the southern part of campus, please enter through the South Gate.)

On that day, the Tianjin University Wei jin Road Campus will provide West Lecture hall for visitors as a retiring room. Visitors can pay cash meals on the third floor of Student Canteen No.4 at Wei jin Road Campus, or the second floor of the Student Canteen No.5 and the second floor of Canteen for Overseas Students (Liuyuan) at Peiyang Park Campus.

Schedule for the main activities

Tianjin University Weijin Road Campus

From March 27 to April 5

Online activities are delivering welcoming messages for alumni on the official microblog and WeChat (Chinese)

(Where: Tianjin University WeChat and Tianjin University micro-blog)

April 1

Lecture in Peiyang lecture hall on “The relationship between reading and creation”

(Where: Room B-103, Building No.26)

(When: 9:30 am)

From April 1 to April 8

The calligraphy and painting (Exhibitions of staff calligraphy and Chinese ink painting)

(Where: Wang Xuezhong Art Research Institute)

(When: 9:30 am-4:00 pm)

From April 1 to April 10

Micro-blog interactive # Tianjin University • Crabapple Season # topic

(Where: Sina micro-blog)

WeChat interactive activity

(Where: Tianjin University WeChat)

April 3

Activities

The opening ceremony of the rebuilt Qiushi Pavilion

(Where: Square in the east of Qiushi Pavilion)

(When: 10:00 am-10:30 am)

On-site Painting by Wang Xuezhong’s student Liu Jun; on-site calligraphy by faculty and students.

(Where: Back of the Wang Xuezhong Art Research Institute (In the garden on the north of Mingde Road))

(When: 8:00 am-4:00 pm)

Activities for alumni (take a picture for you with a baccalaureate gown and a blessing board; you can keep your photo after on-site printing. All for free.)

(Where: In the south of Building No.2 in Mingde Road)

(When: 8:30 am-4:00 pm)

Tianjin University History Museum tour

(Where: the History Museum which is located beside Building No.1)

(When: 8:30 am-4:00 pm) (Closed at 3:30 pm)

Laboratory Tour

(Where: Building No.17, Building No.21, and Building No.26)

(When: 8:30 am-4:00 pm)

Advisors answering enrollment enquiries (for middle school students)

(Where: Building No.2 in Mingde Road and the southeast of Building No.15)

(When: 8:30 am-4:00 pm)

Exhibitions by the XuanHuai class (cooking teaching hosted by Yue Bolun from Tianjin TV Station)

(Where: On the second floor of Students' Center)

(When: 9:00 am-11:00 am)

Opening of Ministry-level laboratories

(Where: Ministry-level laboratories)

(When: 9:00 am-11:45 am)

Advisors answering enrollment enquiries (for undergraduate)

(Where: Western of Building No.9)

(When: 9:00 am-12:00 am)

Exhibitions of technology and culture

(Where: Peiyang Square)

(When: 9:00 am-12:00 am)

Student activities (shows of paper cuts, tea ceremonies, calligraphy and so on)

(Where: East of Peiyang Square)

(When: 9:00 am-12:00 am)

A series of activities of Chinese culture (Calligraphy, paper-cut and tea cultures)

(Where: In the east of Peiyang Square)

(When: 9:00 am-12:00 am)

Sports events (including Volleyball, table tennis, billiards, archery)

(Where: In front of gymnasium)

(When: 9:00 am-3:00 pm)

Opening of major laboratories

(Where: National-level laboratories)

(When: 9:00 am-4:00 pm)

Exhibitions of technology and culture
(Where: The Tianjin University History Museum)
(When: 9:00 am-4:00 pm)

Exhibitions of Achievements of Student Scientific Awards
(Where: Peiyang Square)
(When: 9:00 am-4:00 pm)

Delivering blessings to Alma Mater of Tianjin University (add the WeChat of the alumni association and leave your delivery address, and you can then get a postcard delivered)
(Where: In the front of Building No.4 in Mingde Road)
(When: 9:00 am-4:00 pm)

Exhibition of photos of female Professors in Cheongsam
(Where: In front of Building No. 15, Mingde Road)
(When: 9:00 am-4:00 pm)

Science popularization of "Peiyang Dynamics" racing cars
(Experiencing Formula racing car simulator, including viewing of parts of the car, and the racing skills)
(Where: Peiyang Square)
(When: 9:00 am-4:00 pm)

Various activities including traditional cultural games, recitation by the Voice of Peiyang and roadshow by Music Club, coffee skills show by baristas, display of folk and traditional culture, painting fans.
(Where: Mingde Road)
(When: 9:00 am-4:00 pm)

Performance the Peiyang Arts Troupe
(Performance by the groups of the Peiyang Arts Troupe, including Peiyang Chorus, Symphony Orchestra, Military Band, Folk Music Orchestra, Dance Group, and Folk Art and Drama Group. Chorus Festival kicks off.

9:00 am – 9:40 am

Performance by the Military Band

9:45 am – 9:55 am

Jazz performance

10:05 am – 10:25 am

Dancing

10:35 am – 11:15 am

Symphony Orchestra

11:25 am – 12:00 am

Chorus

1:00 pm – 1:40 pm

Shaoxing Opera

1:50 pm – 2:20 pm

Folk Music

2:30 pm – 3:10 pm

Comic Dialogue

3:20 pm – 4:00 pm

Beijing Opera)

(Where: In front of Conference Building, Mingde Road)

(When: 9:00 am-4:00 pm)

Talk bar

(Shoot a short video of visitors' opinions of the crabapple flowers.)

(Where: In front of Building No.15 in Mingde Road)

(When: 9:00 am-4:00 pm)

Wish to the wishing tree

(Where: In front of Building No.15 in Mingde Road)

(When: 9:00 am-4:00 pm)

Recitation held by teachers and students

(Where: At the back of Mingde Road library)

(When: 10:00 am)

Sports performance

(Including ceremonial performances, taekwondo, yoga, martial arts, Tai Chi, double stick)

(Where: In front of gymnasium)

(When: 10:00 am-12:00 am, 1:00 pm-2:00 pm)

Meeting with previous winners of Achievements of Students Scientific Awards (Previous winners back to their alma mater to share their experience)

(Where: On the second floor of Students' Center)

(When: 2:00 pm-4:00 pm)

From April 3 to April 10

Exhibitions:

Themed exhibition of family and country

(Where: Peiyang Square)

Exhibition of Tianjin University's historical archives

(Where: Peiyang Square)

Exhibition of Tianjin University's scenery (such as the Qiushi Pavilion and crabapple trees)

(Where: Peiyang Square)

April 8

Forum (New type of entrepreneurs coming to the university to share their experience with students)

(Where: on the first floor of Students' Center)

Tianjin University Peiyang Park Campus**April 1**

Planting crabapple trees by teachers and students

(Where: Mingde North Road)

(When: 10:30 am-11:30 am)

April 3

Sports' game (Kendo, dunk, rope skipping)

(Where: Tailei Square)

(When: 9:00 am – 3:00 pm)

Sports' culture feast (sports highlights, sports image playing and delicate souvenirs)

(Where: Swimming Pool B205)

(When: 9:00 am – 3:00 pm)

Exhibitions of photos of university's dormitories.

(Where: In the east of Zheng Dong Library (Shutian Square))

(When: 9:00 am-4:00 pm)

Yangliuqing New Year Paintings Exhibition

(Where: Zheng Dong Library)

(When: 9:00 am-4:00 pm)

Peiyang Arts Troupe enrollment, handcrafts shows, guessing competition etc.

(Where: Tailei Square)

(When: 9:00 am – 4:00 pm)

Some charming places provided for visitors to take photos, small games (such as riddle games and poetic games), setting of the crabapple capsule

(Where: Tailei Square)

(When: 9:00 am – 4:00 pm)

Performance by Peiyang Arts Troupe

(Performance by the groups of the Peiyang Arts Troupe, including Peiyang Chorus, Symphony Orchestra, Military Band, Folk Music Orchestra, Dance Group, and Folk Art and Drama Group.)

Chorus Festival also kicks off.

9:00 am – 9:30 am

Performance by the Military Band

9:35 am – 10:00 am

Chorus from the School of Science

10:10 am – 10:25 am

Ballroom Dancing

2:00 pm – 4:00 pm

Folk art and drama films)

(Where: Zheng Dong Library)

(When: 9:00 am – 4:00 pm)

The most beautiful library tour

(Where: Zheng Dong Library)

(When: 10:00 am-3:00 pm)

Poetry contest on Crabapple Season

(Where: Tailei Square)

(When: 10:00 am-3:00 pm)

From April 3 to April 10

Themed exhibition of family and country

(Where: Main Building (On the side of Qishi Hall))

From April 3 to April 15

Exhibition of Tianjin University's historical archives

(Where: Zheng Dong Library)

(When: 9:00 am – 4:00 pm)

April 6

Crabapple Lecture by Xie Zexiong and Wu Yi (first authors of articles published in 'Science')

(Where: Multifunctional hall which is located in the south of Zheng Dong Library)

(When: 6:00 pm – 8:00 pm)

April 8

Friendly football match between Tianjin University and Nankai University

(Where: University's north football court)

(When: 8:30 am – 10:30 am)

From April 19 to May 1

The calligraphy and painting annual shows (Exhibitions of staff's calligraphy and Chinese ink painting)

(Where: The Zhixue exhibition hall in Zheng Dong Library)