# World Times for Chinese New Year 2017 year of the Rooster

# Find out what time Chinese New Year 2017 starts in your country.

Are you really prepared for 2017?



**O**n January 28<sup>th</sup> 2017 (China time) we enter a new Lunar Chinese year (year 4715<sup>th</sup>) in the Chinese calendar), the year of the Yin Fire Rooster (Ding Yu). Please do not get confused with solar and lunar calendars, more on this below.

#### Chinese New Year 2017:

Chinese New Year (according to the lunar calendar) starts on the 28th January 2017 and is hugely celebrated worldwide by the Chinese. The Chinese New Year heralds new beginnings and a fresh start for all. On a social level, Chinese New Year is very much a family event and is a time of reunion, forgiveness, sharing and thanksgiving with festivities. In 2017 Chinese New Year falls on Saturday 28th January 2017 at 08.07 China (Lunar calendar), Saturday 28th at 00.07 United Kingdom, Friday 27th 16.07 California USA, and Saturday 28th 01.07 Barcelona Spain, a full list of all the other countries can be found below.

Due to time differences around the world, Chinese New Year will fall what appears to be a day early in some countries. Below you will find a Chinese New Year world time converter 2017 table to assist you. This is the date you celebrate the Chinese New Year with **Ang Pow**, fireworks etc and not the date you use to place your **2017 cures and enhancers** in Feng Shui (February 3<sup>rd</sup> 2017).

The Lunar Chinese New Year Day is very different from the Solar (Hsia) New Year Day. The Lunar Calendar formulates the days of the month according to the cycle of the moon whereas the solar year is governed by the sun. Although the Chinese solar year starts on a different date from the western year, the theory whereby the year is calculated on how long it takes the earth to go round the sun is the same.

The lunar cycle lasts approximately 29.5 days and in order that the start of the Lunar New Year is not too far removed from the Solar New Year, the Chinese insert an extra month, this being called an intercalary month, once every few years. This is why Chinese New Year Day falls on a different date in each of the two calendars.

Whilst the solar (Hsia) calendar starts the New Year at the beginning of Spring, which falls normally between the 3<sup>rd</sup> and 5th of February, the lunar (yueh) calendar marks the New Year on the second New moon after the winter solstice. In 2017, Lunar Chinese New Year also called the 'Spring Festival', falls on 28th January 2017 which is the New Year that is celebrated by all ethnic Chinese. The solar New Year (3rd February 2017) is not celebrated at all and only used for Feng Shui placement.

You may have come across a few websites stating that 2017 is the 4716th Chinese New Year, if you cannot find the reason, here is an answer for you:

The Yellow King's appointment was held in the spring of 2697 B.C. But they used the winter solstice day as the first day of the year. So the first winter solstice was on around December 23rd, 2698 B.C. Today's January 1st means nothing to the Yellow King. If we count that extra eight days in 2698 B.C. for a year, then year 2017 is the 4715th Chinese year.



## Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> January 2017, 08.07 Hong Kong time.

#### This is the date that Chinese New Year would be celebrated.

## Chinese New Year (Lunar calendar) World times converter.

Afghanistan - Kabul	Sat 04.37	Morocco - Casablanca	Sat 00.07
Algeria - Algiers	Sat 01.07	Myanmar - Yangon	Sat 06.37
Argentina - Buenos Aires	Fri 21.07	Nepal - Kathmandu	Sat 05.52
Australia - Canberra	Sat 11.07	Netherlands - Amsterdam	Sat 01.07
Australia - Sydney	Sat 11.07	New Zealand - Auckland	Sat 13.07
Australia - Darwin	Sat 09.37	New Zealand – Chatham Island	Sat 13.50
Australia - Brisbane	Sat 10.07	Nicaragua - Managua	Fri 18.07
Australia - Adelaide	Sat 10.37	Nigeria - Lagos	Sat 01.07
Australia - Melbourne	Sat 11.07	Norway - Oslo	Sat 01.07
Australia - Perth	Sat 08.07	Pakistan - Islamabad	Sat 05.07
Austria - Vienna	Sat 01.07	Pakistan - Karachi	Sat 05.07
Bahamas - Nassau	Fri 19.07	Pakistan - Lahore	Sat 05.07
Bangladesh - Dhaka	Sat 06.07	Paraguay - Asuncion	Fri 21.07
Belarus - Minsk	Sat 03.07	Peru - Lima	Fri 19.07
Belgium - Brussels	Sat 01.07	Philippines - Manila	Sat 08.07
Bolivia - La Paz	Fri 20.07	Poland - Warsaw	Sat 01.07

Brazil - Distrito	Fri 22.07	Portugal - Lisbon	Sat 00.07
Federal			
Brazil - Rio de Janeiro	Fri 22.07	Puerto Rico - San Juan	Fri 20.07
Brazil - São Paulo	Fri 22.07	Romania - Bucharest	Sat 02.07
Bulgaria - Sofia	Sat 02.07	Russia - Anadyr	Sat 12.07
Canada - Edmonton	Fri 17.07	Russia - Moscow	Sat 03.07
Canada - Vancouver	Fri 16.07	Saudi Arabia - Riyadh	Sat 03.07
Canada - Winnipeg	Fri 18.07	Serbia - Belgrade	Sat 01.07
Canada - St. John's	Fri 20.37	Singapore	Sat 08.07
Canada - Halifax	Fri 20.07	South Africa - Cape Town	Sat 02.07
Canada - Ottawa	Fri 19.07	South Africa - Johannesburg	Sat 02.07
Canada - Toronto	Fri 19.07	South Korea - Seoul	Sat 09.07
Canada - Montreal	Fri 19.07	Spain - Barcelona	Sat 01.07
Chile - Santiago	Fri 21.07	Spain - Madrid	Sat 01.07
China - Beijing	Sat 08.07	Sudan - Khartoum	Sat 03.07
Colombia - Bogota	Fri 19.07	Sweden - Stockholm	Sat 01.07
Croatia - Zagreb	Sat 01.07	Switzerland Geneva	Sat 01.07
Cuba - Havana	Fri 19.07	Switzerland - Zürich	Sat 01.07
Czech Republic - Prague	Sat 01.07	Taiwan - Taipei	Sat 08.07

Denmark - Copenhagen	Sat 01.07	Thailand - Bangkok	Sat 07.07
Dominican Republic	Fri 20.07	Turkey - Ankara	Sat 02.07
Egypt - Cairo	Sat 02.07	Turkey - Istanbul	Sat 02.07
England - London	Sat 00.07	U.K England - London	Sat 00.07
Estonia - Tallinn	Sat 01.07	U.S.A Anchorage	Fri 15.07
Ethiopia - Addis Ababa	Sat 03.07	U.S.A Phoenix	Fri 17.07
Fiji - Suva	Sat 12.07	U.S.A Los Angeles	Fri 16.07
Finland - Helsinki	Sat 02.07	U.S.A San Francisco	Fri 16.07
France - Paris	Sat 01.07	U.S.A Denver	Fri 17.07
Germany - Berlin	Sat 01.07	U.S.A. – Washington DC	Fri 19.07
Germany - Frankfurt	Sat 01.07	U.S.A Miami	Fri 96.07
Greece - Athens	Sat 02.07	U.S.A Atlanta	Fri 19.07
Guatemala - Guatemala	Fri 18.07	U.S.A Honolulu	Fri 14.07
Honduras - Tegucigalpa	Fri 18.07	U.S.A Chicago	Fri 18.07
Hungary - Budapest	Sat 01.07	U.S.A Indianapolis	Fri 19.07
Iceland - Reykjavik	Sat 00.07	U.S.A New Orleans	Fri 18.07
India - Kolkata	Sat 05.07	U.S.A Boston	Fri 19.07

India - Mumbai	Sat 05.07	U.S.A Detroit	Fri 19.07
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India - New Delhi	Sat 05.07	U.S.A Minneapolis	Fri 18.07
Indonesia - Java - Jakarta	Sat 07.07	U.S.A New York	Fri 19.07
Iran - Tehran	Sat 03.37	U.S.A Philadelphia	Fri 19.07
Iraq - Baghdad	Sat 03.07	U.S.A Houston	Fri 18.07
Ireland - Dublin	Sat 00.07	U.S.A Seattle	Fri 16.07
Israel - Jerusalem	Sat 02.07	Ukraine - Kyiv	Sat 02.07
Italy - Rome	Sat 01.07	UAE - Dubai	Sat 04.07
Jamaica - Kingston	Fri 19.07	Uruguay - Montevideo	Fri 21.07
Japan - Tokyo	Sat 09.07	Uzbekistan - Tashkent	Sat 05.07
Jordan - Amman	Sat 02.07	Venezuela - Caracas	Fri 20.07
Kenya - Nairobi	Sat 03.07	Vietnam - Hanoi	Sat 07.07
Kiribati - Kiritimati	Sat 14.07	Yemen - Aden	Sat 03.07
Kuwait - Kuwait City	Sat 03.07	Zimbabwe - Harare	Sat 02.07
Lebanon - Beirut	Sat 02.07		
Madagascar - Antananarivo	Sat 03.07		
Malaysia - Kuala Lumpur	Sat 08.07		
Mexico - Mexico City	Fri 18.07		



#### Chinese (Solar calendar) New Year 2017

# Friday, 3 February 2017, 23:34 Hong Kong time. The solar calendar is what we use when placing annual Feng Shui cures and not the day you would celebrate the New Year (times below).

#### Chinese New Year (solar calendar) World times converter.

Afghanistan - Kabul	Fri 20.04	Morocco - Casablanca	Fri 15.34
Algeria - Algiers	Fri 16.34	Myanmar - Yangon	Fri 22.04
Argentina - Buenos Aires	Fri 12.34	Nepal - Kathmandu	Fri 21.19
Australia - Canberra	Sat 02.34	Netherlands - Amsterdam	Fri 16.34
Australia - Sydney	Sat 02.34	New Zealand - Auckland	Sat 04.34
Australia - Brisbane	Sat 01.34	Nicaragua - Managua	Fri 09.34
Australia - Adelaide	Sat 02.04	Nigeria - Lagos	Fri 16.34
Australia - Melbourne	Sat 02.34	Norway - Oslo	Fri 16.34
Australia - Perth	Fri 23.34	Pakistan - Islamabad	Fri 20.34
Austria - Vienna	Fri 16.34	Pakistan - Karachi	Fri 20.34
Bahamas - Nassau	Fri 10.34	Pakistan - Lahore	Fri 20.34
Bangladesh - Dhaka	Fri 21.34	Paraguay - Asuncion	Fri 12.34

Belarus - Minsk	Fri 18.34	Peru - Lima	Fri 10.34
Belgium - Brussels	Fri 16.34	Philippines - Manila	Fri 23.34
Bolivia - La Paz	Fri 11.34	Poland - Warsaw	Fri 16.34
Brazil – Distrito Federal	Fri 13.34	Portugal - Lisbon	Fri 15.34
Brazil - Rio de Janeiro	Fri 13.34	Puerto Rico - San Juan	Fri 11.34
Brazil - São Paulo	Fri 13.34	Romania - Bucharest	Fri 17.34
Bulgaria - Sofia	Fri 17.34	Russia - Anadyr	Sat 03.34
Canada - Edmonton	Fri 08.34	Russia - Moscow	Fri 18.34
Canada - Vancouver	Fri 07.34	Saudi Arabia - Riyadh	Fri 18.34
Canada - Winnipeg	Fri 09.34	Serbia - Belgrade	Fri 16.34
Canada - St. John's	Fri 12.04	Singapore	Fri 23.34
Canada - Halifax	Fri 11.34	South Africa - Cape Town	Fri 17.34
Canada - Ottawa	Fri 10.34	South Africa - Johannesburg	Fri 17.34
Canada - Toronto	Fri 10.34	South Korea - Seoul	Fri 00.34
Canada - Montreal	Fri 10.34	Spain - Barcelona	Fri 16.34
Chile - Santiago	Fri 12.34	Spain - Madrid	Fri 16.34
China - Beijing	Fri 23.34	Sudan - Khartoum	Fri 18.34

China - Hong Kong	Fri 23.34	Sweden - Stockholm	Fri 16.34
China - Shanghai	Fri 23.34	Switzerland - Geneva	Fri 16.34
Colombia - Bogota	Fri 10.34	Switzerland - Zürich	Fri 16.34
Croatia - Zagreb	Fri 16.34	Taiwan - Taipei	Fri 23.34
Cuba - Havana	Fri 10.34	Thailand - Bangkok	Fri 22.34
Czech Republic - Prague	Fri 16.34	Turkey - Ankara	Fri 17.34
Denmark - Copenhagen	Fri 16.34	Turkey - Istanbul	Fri 17.34
Dominican Republic	Fri 11.34	U.K England - London	Fri 15.34
Egypt - Cairo	Fri 17.34	U.S.A Anchorage	Fri 06.34
England - London	Fri 15.34	U.S.A Phoenix	Fri 08.34
Estonia - Tallinn	Fri 17.34	U.S.A Los Angeles	Fri 07.34
Ethiopia - Addis Ababa	Fri 18.34	U.S.A San Francisco	Fri 07.34
Fiji - Suva	Sat 03.34	U.S.A Denver	Fri 08.34
Finland - Helsinki	Fri 17.34	U.S.A. – Washington DC	Fri 10.34
France - Paris	Fri 16.34	U.S.A Miami	Fri 10.34
Germany - Berlin	Fri 16.34	U.S.A Atlanta	Fri 10.34
Germany -	Fri 16.34	U.S.A Honolulu	Fri 05.34

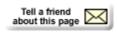
Frankfurt			
Greece - Athens	Fri 17.34	U.S.A Chicago	Fri 09.34
Guatemala - Guatemala	Fri 09.34	U.S.A Indianapolis	Fri 10.34
Honduras - Tegucigalpa	Fri 09.34	U.S.A New Orleans	Fri 09.34
Hungary - Budapest	Fri 16.34	U.S.A Boston	Fri 10.34
Iceland - Reykjavik	Fri 15.34	U.S.A Detroit	Fri 10.34
India - Kolkata	Fri 21.04	U.S.A Minneapolis	Fri 09.34
India - Mumbai	Fri 21.04	U.S.A New York	Fri 10.34
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Iraq - Baghdad	Fri 18.34	Ukraine - Kyiv	Fri 17.34
Ireland - Dublin	Fri 15.34	UAE - Dubai	Fri 19.34
Israel - Jerusalem	Fri 17.34	Uruguay - Montevideo	Fri 12.34
Italy - Rome	Fri 16.34	Uzbekistan - Tashkent	Fri 20.34
Jamaica - Kingston	Fri 10.34	Venezuela - Caracas	Fri 11.34
Japan - Tokyo	Fri 00.34	Vietnam - Hanoi	Fri 22.34
Jordan - Amman	Fri 17.34	Yemen - Aden	Fri 18.34

Kenya - Nairobi	Fri 18.34	Zimbabwe - Harare	Fri 17.34
Kiribati - Kiritimati	Sat 05.34		
Kuwait – Kuwait City	Fri 18.34		
Lebanon - Beirut	Fri 17.34		
Madagascar - Antananarivo	Fri 18.34		
Malaysia - Kuala Lumpur	Fri 23.34		
Mexico - Mexico City	Fri 09.34		

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