



Hungry Ghost Festival Celebrations 1–29 August 2019

The **Hungry Ghost Festival**, *Yu Lan*, is an ancient Chinese festival. Here in Hong Kong, the Chiu Chow communities celebrate with Chinese Opera performances and special ceremonies which are officially recognised as part of China's Intangible Cultural Heritage. Visit the following celebratory events for a first-hand experience of the occasion, and check out other happenings around the city.

Yu Lan Cultural Festival 2019 Date: 16–18 August | Time: 10am to 8pm

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| Highlight Activities | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Festival Treats Competition • Yu Lan Festival Offerings Competition • Exhibition of Historical Photos of Yu Lan • Yu Lan Culture in Asia • Yu Lan Theatre | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Festival Offerings - Wishing Area • Experiencing Yu Lan through VR • Yu Lan Culture Exhibition • 3-D Shooting Area • Yu Lan Choreography — Inviting the Lords (deities) |
| Venue | Soccer Pitch 1, Victoria Park, Causeway Bay | |
| How to get there | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • MTR Causeway Bay Station, Exit E, walk along Great George Street until you reach the park; or • MTR Tin Hau Station, Exit A2, turn left at the exit and continue ahead until you reach the park. | |

Chinese Opera Performances

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| Hong Kong Island | | | |
| 24–26 August | 7–11pm | Sun Yat Sen Memorial Park, Sai Ying Pun | MTR Sai Ying Pun Station Exit A2. Walk along Des Voeux Road West then turn right onto Eastern Street and walk for five to 10 minutes. |
| Kowloon | | | |
| 1–3 August | 7–10:30pm | Carpenter Road Park, Kowloon City | MTR Lok Fu Station Exit A and take a taxi for 10 to 15 minutes. |
| 13–15 August | 7–11pm | Hong Ning Road Playground, Kwun Tong | MTR Kwun Tong Station Exit A1. Walk along Kwun Tong Road then turn right onto Hong Ning Road and walk for 10 to 15 minutes. |
| 16–20 August | 7–11pm | Argyle Street Playground, Kowloon City | MTR Lok Fu Station Exit A and take a taxi for 10 to 15 minutes. |
| 24–26 August | 7–11pm | King George V Memorial Park, Jordan | MTR Jordan Station Exit C2. Walk along Bowring Street then turn right onto Shanghai Street and walk for five to 10 minutes. |
| 27–29 August | 7–11pm | Po On Road Playground, Cheung Sha Wan | MTR Cheung Sha Wan Station Exit A2. Walk along Tonkin Street then turn left onto Po On Road and walk for five to 10 minutes. |
| New Territories | | | |
| 7–9 August | 7:30–11pm | Tai Wo Hau Playground, Kwai Chung | MTR Tai Wo Hau Station Exit B and take a taxi for 10 to 15 minutes. |
| 21–24 August | 8–11pm | Sha Tin Sports Ground, Yuen Wo Road, Sha Tin | MTR Sha Tin Station Exit B and take a taxi for 10 to 15 minutes. |

Remarks:

- Admission to above performances is free although some will appreciate a donation.
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