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## EVENTI IN KAZAKHSTAN NEL 2017

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## Events and Festivals in Kazakhstan in 2017

### Kazakhstan in January 2017

Date	Event/Holiday/Festival
1-2 January	New Year
7-9 January	Orthodox Christmas Day
29 January - 8 February	Winter Universiade 2017 Location: Almaty <a href="http://www.almaty2017.com">www.almaty2017.com</a> The Universiade – an international multi-sport event which is organised for university athletes



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## Kazakhstan in February 2017

29 January - 8 February	Winter Universiade 2017 Location: Almaty  <a href="http://www.almaty2017.com">www.almaty2017.com</a>  The Universiade – an international multi-sport event which is organised for university athletes
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## Kazakhstan in March 2017

8 March	International Women's Day It's a serious holiday Central Asia. Wives, girlfriends and mothers receive gifts and flowers.
21-23 March	Nauruz Persian "New Year" and will be celebrated with festivals, dance and family celebrations.



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## Kazakhstan in April 2017

16 April	Russian Orthodox Easter
24 April	Almaty Marathon 2017 Location: Almaty <a href="http://www.almaty-marathon.kz/en">www.almaty-marathon.kz/en</a>

## Kazakhstan in May 2017

1 May	International Labour Day and National Unity Day
7 May	Day of the Defenders of the Fatherland The holiday is celebrated with parades and processions in honour of veterans, and women also give small gifts to men in their lives, especially husbands (or boyfriends, fiancés), fathers, sons and brothers.
9 May	Victory Day Military parades are held to memorialize the victory of the Soviet Union over Germany in the WWII.



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## Kazakhstan in June 2017

10 June - 10 September	Expo 2017 Location: Astana <a href="http://www.expo2017astana.com/en/">www.expo2017astana.com/en/</a>
June (tbd)	The Spirit of Tengri Location: Almaty <a href="#">Local tours</a> Ethnical music festival on Abay square in Almaty.
26 June	Orozo Ait Eid-al-Fitr is the first day of the Islamic month of Shawwal. It marks the end of Ramadan, which is a month of fasting and prayer.

## Kazakhstan in July 2017

10 June - 10 September	Expo 2017 Location: Astana <a href="http://www.expo2017astana.com/en/">www.expo2017astana.com/en/</a>
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July (tbd)	International Kite Festival 2017 Location: Astana
6 July	Day of the Capital Location: Astana <a href="#">Local tours</a> Big festival in Astana celebrating the anniversary of the capital.

## Kazakhstan in August 2017

10 June - 10 September	Expo 2017 Location: Astana <a href="http://www.expo2017astana.com/en/">www.expo2017astana.com/en/</a>
August (tbd)	Four E Location: Almaty Esoteric festival in Almaty with yoga-workshops and modern folk music.
30 August	Constitution Day Kazakhstan
31 August	Kurban Bairam The Feast of Sacrifice is the highest Islamic festival and is celebrated at the climax of the pilgrimage to Mecca.



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## Kazakhstan in September 2017

10 June - 10 September	Expo 2017 Location: Astana  <a href="http://www.expo2017astana.com/en/">www.expo2017astana.com/en/</a>
September (tbd)	Almaty Apple Festival 2017 Location: Almaty  <a href="#">Local tours</a> This festival celebrates the origin of the apple in Kazakhstan.

## Kazakhstan in October 2017

25 October	Republic Day Street festivals and other events are held around the country.
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## Kazakhstan in November 2017

## Kazakhstan in December 2017

1 December	Day of the First President
16 December	Independence Day Kazakhstan Independence from the Soviet Union is celebrated with parades and festivals.

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Per ulteriori informazioni relativamente agli eventi che si terranno in Kazakhstan nel 2017, e' possibile rivolgersi alla Segreteria dell'Associazione per il Commercio Italo-Kazako: [info@ccik.kz](mailto:info@ccik.kz), +7 701 515 56 94

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