# Dine-out and celebrate the Year of the Goat

Sunny Park has an extensive range of authentic Asian foods for you and your family to enjoy. Dine-in and takeaway, or choose from a wide range of groceries and fresh produce from our Asian supermarkets to make your own authentic meal at home.

Why not book now for a great night out to celebrate the Year of the Goat 2015!

Fortune Well Sichuan Restaurant	3345 6789
Glamorous Wok	3345 8887
Hana Zushi	3344 4999
KMusic	3219 6008
Lan Zhou Noodles	3423 7222
Lok Fok	3323 3919
Lunar Cuisine	3345 9877
Newway Karaoke	3219 6638
Parkland Restaurant	3345 4588
Qubick Korean BBQ Restaurant	3423 7719
Ramen Champion	3344 4832
Spice Gurus	3423 7999
Taste of Oriental Venice	3344 5958
Tasty – Taste of Asia	3345 9988
That Viet Place	0411 327 496
Top-Up Korean Takeaway	3219 5811

Dine-out & Takeaway

Asian Supermarkets & Fresh Food Fantastic Food House 3423 8969 0423 746 808 Juno Bakery 3345 3082 Woori Mart

# Program of events

	Wednesday 18 February	Thursday 19 February	Friday 20 February	Saturday 21 February	Sunday 22 February	
10.00am – 1.00pm				Chinese Face Painting Outside L&V Hair		
11.00am				Lion Dance & Kung Fu Outside Aldi		
11.00am – 3.00pm			Baby Animal Farm Outside Parkland			
12.00noon					Ice Carving Near Kafe Cafe	
1:00pm – 4.00pm	Chinese	Calligraphy Demo Outside Aldi				
2.00pm – 5.00pm	I	<b>Baby Animal Farm</b> Outside Parkland				
3.30pm		on Dance & Kung Dutside Woolworths				
8.00pm				Neon Lion Dance Dining Deck		

Times and activities are correct at time of printing however may be subject to change without notice.

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**Celebrate Chinese New Year** at Sunny Park

2015Year of the Goat

Your guide to celebrations and events **PLUS A FREE BANNER** 



The Chinese Calendar runs on a 60-year cycle and is made up of five 12 year cycles, with each of the 12 years named after an animal.

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The Legend

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# Lunar New Year

The Chinese Calendar is a lunar calendar, said to be the longest chronological record in history, dating from 2600 BC. Like the Western calendar, the Chinese Lunar Calendar is yearly, with the start of the lunar year being based on the cycles of the moon.

The New Year Festival is a dating cycle that is based on the track record of the new moon. Therefore, as the track of the moon varies from year to year, the beginning of the year falls anywhere between late January and the middle of February on the Western (or Gregorian) Calendar.

Both the Western (Gregorian) and traditional lunar calendars are used publicly in China and in North and South Korea, and two New Year's celebrations are held. In Taiwan, in overseas Chinese communities, and in Vietnam, the lunar calendar is used only to set the dates for traditional festivals, with the Gregorian system

According to Chinese legend, the twelve animals guarrelled one day as to who was to head the cycle of years. The gods were asked to decide and they held a contest: whoever was to reach the opposite bank of the river would be first, and the rest of the animals would receive their years according to



All the twelve animals gathered at the river bank and jumped in. Unknown to the ox, the rat had jumped upon his back. As the ox was about to jump ashore, the rat jumped off the ox's back, and won the race. The pig, who was very lazy, ended up last. That is why the rat is the first year of the animal cycle, the ox second, and the pig last.

The rotating cycle of twelve animal signs was a folk method for naming the years in traditional China.

### Characteristics

Horse: Popular, cheerful, hot-blooded and passionate.

**Goat:** Artistic, shy, passionate yet gentle.

Monkey: Erratic genius! Clever, flexible and original.

**Rooster:** Capable, outspoken, brave and talented.

Dog: Loyal, honest, make good leaders.

Pig: Chivalrous and gallant. Great thirst for knowledge.

Rat: Charming, attractive, hard-working perfectionists.

**Ox:** Patient, eccentric, eloquent and easygoing.

**Tiger:** Sensitive, thoughtful, courageous, short-tempered.

**Rabbit:** Talented, ambitious, conservative and reserved.

**Dragon:** Healthy, energetic, honest and stubborn.

Snake: Deep thinkers, wise, can be vain.

# The Year of the Goat (Sheep)



The Goat or Sheep, the eighth sign in the Chinese Zodiac, symbolises creativity, intelligence, dependability and calmness. Goats enjoy being part of a group but prefer to stay on the sidelines. Content passing time alone to ponder, Goats often express themselves through artistic means.

Their good health is said to be linked with their calm personality. While they may appear fragile, they are usually very healthy, particularly when they are happy. However, Goats become sick when they are unhappy, especially if their sadness is related to romance. Goats are very private and often only have a few close friends.

Power and status are not important to Goats, and they enjoy working in teams. The best career choices for Goats are: florist, interior designer, day care teacher, actor, editor, hair stylist, illustrator, musician, artist or art history teacher.

Rabbits and Pigs are Goats' best companions, and their least compatible signs are Rats and Oxen.

Under the Chinese Zodiac, you are a Goat (or Sheep) if you were born in 1931, 1943, 1955, 1967, 1979, 1991, 2003 and 2015.

## Find Your Animal Year!

Goat	Monkey	Rooster	, end and a second s	Pig	Rat	Ox RXX	Tiger	Rabbit	Dragon	Snake	Horse
1919	1920	1921	1922	1923	1924	1925	1926	1927	1928	1929	1930
1931	1932	1933	1934	1935	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940	1941	1942
1943	1944	1945	1946	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954
1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962	1963	1964	1965	1966
1967	1968	1969	1970	1971	1972	1973	1974	1975	1976	1977	1978
1979	1980	1981	1982	1983	1984	1985	1986	1987	1988	1989	1990
1991	1992	1993	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002
2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014
2015	2016	2017	2018	2019	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026





# Happy Chinese New Year











