

Date	Name of Event	Description	Venue	Organiser	Enquiry
25/5/2009 – 14/7/2009	Hong Kong 18 Districts Drawing Competition in Celebration of the 60th Anniversary of the Founding of the PRC	<p>In celebration of the 60th Anniversary of the Founding of the PRC, Home Affairs Department has organised the Hong Kong 18 Districts Drawing Competition. The theme of the competition is “Happy Birthday to China”. The entries may be about modern China’s accomplishments in culture, sports, science and technology, social and infrastructure development as well as its people’s livelihood. There are two categories, Primary School Category (P. 4 – P. 6 students) and Secondary School Category (F. 1 – F. 4 students). In each of the 18 districts, there will be one first prize, one 1st runner-up, one 2nd runner-up and three merit award winners for each category. The first prize winner and the two runners-up from all districts will be invited to enter the 18 Districts Grand Final. The final assessment will select for each category one first prize, one 1st runner-up, one 2nd runner-up and three merit award winners of the grand final. Entries of the first prize and the two runner-up winners from all districts will be on display in a touring exhibition. Students can join the district drawing competition through schools they attend.</p>	18 Districts	Home Affairs Department	2835 2160 2835 2190 www.had.gov.hk
19/6/2009 – 23/6/2009	Beijing Express Tour	The Committee will conduct a “Beijing Express Tour” from 19 to 23 June in order to enhance Hong Kong secondary students’ understanding on our country’s culture and nation.	Hong Kong, Beijing	The Committee of “Passing on the Torch” National Education Platform	2892 5784 davidwan@edb.gov.hk

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6/2009 – 10/2009	National Day Bunting Design Competition and Bunting Display in Districts	The competition provides an opportunity for members of the public to display their creativity and talent in celebrating the 60 th Anniversary of the Founding of the PRC. The winning design from each district will be produced as a bunting to be mounted on lamp-posts in the main streets of the respective district from September to October.	18 Districts	Home Affairs Department, 18 District Offices	2835 2354
29/8/2009 15:00	Hong Kong 2009 East Asian Games 100-Day Countdown cum Torch Relay	The Hong Kong 2009 East Asian Games Torch Relay will be held on the afternoon of 29 August. The 100 Days Countdown Celebration Programme will be held after the torch relay in the evening.	To be confirmed	2009 East Asian Games (Hong Kong) Ltd., Leisure and Cultural Services Department	3692 5997 www.2009eastasiangames.hk
22/9/2009	Cultural Performance Show	A cultural performance show to celebrate the 60 th Anniversary of the Founding of the PRC.	Queen Elizabeth Stadium, Wan Chai	Hong Kong Federation of Education Workers	2770 3918
1/10/2009 8:00	Flag Raising Ceremony	The Government of the HKSAR will conduct a Flag Raising Ceremony on 1 October at Golden Bauhinia Square outside the Hong Kong Convention and Exhibition Centre to celebrate the 60 th Anniversary of the Founding of the PRC.	Golden Bauhinia Square, Wan Chai	The Government of the Hong Kong Special Administrative Region	2835 2354
1/10/2009 15:00	National Day Carnival	Activities include game booths organised by 18 District Offices, Mid-Autumn lantern displays and buntings display, prize presentation to winners of the Bunting Design Competition and a stage show.	Victoria Park	Home Affairs Department, Leisure and Cultural Services Department, community groups	2835 2355

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1/10/2009 20:00	National Day Fireworks Display	A spectacular fireworks display to celebrate the National Day.	Victoria Harbour	Home Affairs Bureau, Home Affairs Department, Leisure and Cultural Services Department	2591 1340 www.lcsd.gov.hk
2/10/2009 19:00	Cultural Show in Celebration of the 60th Anniversary of the Founding of the PRC	A large-scale cultural and entertainment programme featuring artists and performing groups from Hong Kong and the Mainland.	Hong Kong Coliseum	Association of Compatriots in Hong Kong for Celebration of the National Day of the PRC, Home Affairs Bureau, Home Affairs Department	2835 2355