Washington State Chinese Lantern Festival General Information

PERFORMANCES
In addition to the lantern displays, the main stage features daily performances by actors, artisans and acrobats. Performances are staged nightly - 6:30 pm & 8 pm, Sun-Thu; 7 pm & 9 pm, Fri-Sat. Performances include Face-Changing, Kung Fu Tea, Hula and Chinese Dance.

ARTS, CRAFTS & EXHIBITS
Arts and crafts viewing includes painting & calligraphy, palm fiber weaving, paper-cutting and more. The two cultural exhibits will highlight Terracotta Army Soldiers and the San Xingdi Civilization.

FOOD, DRINKING & DINING
In addition to casual festival fare (SUSHI), dining options include the Chinese Experience presented by James Beard nominated chef Jeremy Harrison (Sam's Restaurant & Charcuterie, Spokane). Chef Harrison has created Deng Chi — The Lantern Kitchen -- a pop-up restaurant on-site in Riverfront Park -- featuring the cuisines of five regions of China. Two dining options: limited menu Sun-Wed; larger menu and "Chef's Table" Thurs-Sat. Please see website for more information.

ABOUT
The Washington State Chinese Lantern Festival Spokane is presented by Avista and sponsored by many other organizations. The Festival, a creation of Tianyu Cultural Transmission Co. Ltd., in Tianjin, China, is locally managed by the City of Spokane-Riverfront Park, Downtown Spokane Partnership, Visit Spokane, Spokane Parks Foundation and Tianyu USA. This is Tianyu’s first North American show.

TICKETS
During Festival hours, tickets are available at the Riverfront Park Main Gate (see map on reverse side).

Order online anytime at Ticketswest.com

Evening ticket prices:
Adults - $17
Under 12 years old - $12

Kids 2 and under are always free!
Senior nights: Monday & Tuesday - $12
Festival pass (non-transferable) - $60
Group sales and private daytime tours available: 509 625 6612

WASHTON STATE
CHINESE
LANTERN
FESTIVAL
SPOKANE
PRESENTED BY AVISTA

Sept. 26-Nov. 15, 2015
Riverfront Park
Spokane, WA
Sun-Thu 5-10pm
Fri-Sat 5-11pm

Take a walking tour through Riverfront Park to see the 31 immense, dazzling lantern displays. Each exhibit is comprised of hundreds of individual parts — flowers, figurines, creatures and more. Beautiful in their own right, the displays are especially vibrant in the evening when they light up from within.
Washington State Chinese Lantern Festival (WSCLF) FAQ

1. **Where is this event being held and where can I purchase tickets?**
   WSCLF will be held inside of Spokane Riverfront Park, mainly in the Clock Tower Meadow, Lilac Bowl and East Havermale Point. Tickets can be purchased now through TicketsWest at [www.ticketswest.com](http://www.ticketswest.com) and via the Lantern Festival website [http://spokanelanternfestival.com](http://spokanelanternfestival.com). Starting September 26, tickets can also be purchased at the Riverfront Park ticket booth (located just west of the fountain).

2. **Is this an indoor or outdoor event?**
   This is an outdoor event, rain, snow or shine. Please check current weather conditions for your visit and dress appropriately.

3. **What does the ticket admission include?**
   All paid admission includes viewing all the amazing displays, exhibits, and authentic Chinese performances.

4. **What are the Chinese performances?**
   - Face-changing
   - Kungfu tea
   - Wushu (Kungfu).
   - Hulusi (Chinese musical instrument)
   - Rola-bola
   - Chinese dance
   - Tai chi
   * Five of the above acts will be performed each night.

5. **What Food and beverage choices do you offer?**
   DengChu, the Lantern Kitchen, will be run by James Beard Award Nominee Jeremy Hansen, owner of Santé Restaurant & Charcuterie. The restaurant will feature authentic Chinese cuisine, and will be open from Thursday to Saturday through November 1st, for hours after that, please check our website or Facebook page. Other food and beverage choices such as an Asian food truck, pizza, kettle corn and hot dogs are also available onsite.

6. **Where can we park?**
   There are plenty of parking options around the event site. You can park at Riverfront Park parking lots off Division, east of the Flour Mill, or off Post Street across from City Hall. Our partner, River Park Square, provides lots of indoor parking. Also, if you get here after 7pm, you can take advantage of free street parking as well.

7. **Do you offer a group discount?**
   Absolutely! We offer 10% off the ticket price for groups of more than 10 people. You can contact our group sales department at 509.625.6612 for details. When the site is not open to the public during weekdays, we also offer guided education and recreation tours. You can also call the same number for reservations.

8. **Do you have a ‘Lost and Found’?**
   We will have all lost and found items handled at the Guest Services booth by the Fountain Café Ticket Booth in Riverfront Park. For lost children, please make sure to check out the Pandas or Dinosaurs area first.

9. **Where can we sit to view performances?**
   There will be limited seating available in front of the main stage.

10. **Do you have special accommodations for transportation and seating?**
    We will have limited ability to shuttle people who have difficulty walking. Riverfront Park Tour Train will travel between the Butterfly at North Gate and Main Gate near the Fountain during peak hours between 6pm-9pm. Limited seating is also available for the stage performances.

11. **Do you allow animals?**
    For the enjoyment of all those attending this event, we do not allow animals except for registered service animals.

12. **Can I smoke onsite?**
    This event is a smoke free event. No smoking of any kind will be allowed. This includes vaping.

13. **If I cannot attend, can I get a refund for my tickets?**
    We do not offer refund for unused tickets.