

## List of Holidays - 2017

It is hereby notified that the holidays enumerated in the schedule below shall be observed as Public Holidays in the public offices under the Punjab Government during the Calendar Year 2017 -

### SCHEDULE

S. No.	Name of the Holiday(s)	Date on which they fall	Day of the week
1	All Saturdays		
2	All Sundays		

### Other Holidays

S. No.	Name of the Holiday(s)	Date on which they fall	Day of the week
1	Parkash Gurburab Sri Guru Gobind Singh Ji	5 <sup>th</sup> January	Thursday
2	Republic Day	26 <sup>th</sup> January	Thursday
3	Basant Panchmi / Birthday of Satguru Ram Singh Ji	1 <sup>st</sup> February	Wednesday
4	Birthday of Sri Guru Ravidas Ji	10 <sup>th</sup> February	Friday
5	Maha Shivaratri	24 <sup>th</sup> February	Friday
6	Holi	13 <sup>th</sup> March	Monday
7	Shahidi Divas S. Bhagat Singh Ji	23 <sup>rd</sup> March	Thursday
8	Ram Navami	4 <sup>th</sup> April	Tuesday
9	Mahavir Jayanti	8 <sup>th</sup> April	Sunday
10	Vaisakhi	13 <sup>th</sup> April	Thursday
11	Good Friday	14 <sup>th</sup> April	Friday
12	Birthday of Dr. B.R. Ambedkar	14 <sup>th</sup> April	Friday
13	Lord Parshuram Jayanti	28 <sup>th</sup> April	Friday
14	May Day	1 <sup>st</sup> May	Monday
15	Martyrdom Day of Sri Guru Arjun Dev Ji	29 <sup>th</sup> May	Monday
16	Kabir Jayanti	8 <sup>th</sup> June	Friday
17	Idu'l Fitr	28 <sup>th</sup> June	Monday
18	Martyrdom Day of Shahid Udham Singh	31 <sup>st</sup> July	Monday

19	Independence Day	15 <sup>th</sup> August	Tuesday
20	Janmashtami	15 <sup>th</sup> August	Tuesday
21	Parkash Utsav Sri Guru Granth Sahib Ji	22 <sup>nd</sup> August	Tuesday
22	Birthday of Baba Sri Chand Ji	30 <sup>th</sup> August	Wednesday
23	Id-ul-Zuha (Bakrid)	2 <sup>nd</sup> September	Saturday
24	Maharaj Agarsain Jayanti	21 <sup>th</sup> September	Thursday
25	Birthday of S. Bhagat Singh Ji	28 <sup>th</sup> September	Thursday
26	Dussehra	30 <sup>th</sup> September	Saturday
27	Birthday of Mahatma Gandhi Ji	2 <sup>nd</sup> October	Monday
28	Birthday of Maharishi Valmiki Ji	5 <sup>th</sup> October	Thursday
29	Parkash Gurburab of Sri Guru Ram Dass Ji	7 <sup>th</sup> October	Saturday
30	Diwali	19 <sup>th</sup> October	Thursday
31	Vishwakarma Day	20 <sup>th</sup> October	Friday
32	Parkash Gurburab of Sri Guru Nanak Dev Ji	4 <sup>th</sup> November	Saturday
33	Shahidi Divas S. Kartar Singh Srabha Ji	16 <sup>th</sup> November	Thursday
34	Martyrdom Day of Sri Guru Teg Bahadur Ji	23 <sup>rd</sup> November	Thursday
35	Christmas day	25 <sup>th</sup> December	Monday

**Note 1:** Besides the above holidays, each employee will also be permitted to avail himself/herself any two (2) holidays to be chosen by him/her out of the Restricted Holidays below during the Calendar Year 2017 -

S. No.	Name of the Holiday(s)	Date on which they fall	Day of the week
1	New Year Day	1 <sup>st</sup> January	Sunday
2	Lohri	13 <sup>th</sup> January	Friday
3	Nirwan Diwas of Bhagwan Adinath ji	26 <sup>th</sup> January	Thursday
4	International Women Day	8 <sup>th</sup> March	Wednesday
5	Holla Mohalla	13 <sup>th</sup> March	Monday
6	Buddh Purnima	10 <sup>th</sup> May	Wednesday
7	Nirjala Ekadashi	5 <sup>th</sup> June	Monday
8	Death Anniversary of Maharaja Ranjit Singh Ji	29 <sup>th</sup> June	Thursday
9	Birthday of Baba Jiwan Singh Ji	5 <sup>th</sup> September	Tuesday
10	Anant Chaturdashi	5 <sup>th</sup> September	Tuesday
11	Muharram	1 <sup>st</sup> October	Sunday
12	Karva Chauth	8 <sup>th</sup> October	Sunday
13	Birthday of Baba Banda Singh Ji Bahadur	16 <sup>th</sup> October	Monday
14	Goverdhan Pooja	20 <sup>th</sup> October	Friday
15	Birthday of Sant Nam Dev Ji	31 <sup>st</sup> October	Tuesday

16	New Punjab Day	1 <sup>st</sup> November	Wednesday
17	Birthday of Prophet Mohammad Sahib (Milad-un-Nabi or Id-e-Milad)	2 <sup>nd</sup> December	Saturday
18	Jor Mela Sri Fatehgarh Sahib	25 <sup>th</sup> , 26 <sup>th</sup> & 27 <sup>th</sup> December	Monday, Tuesday & Wednesday

In addition to the above holidays each employee will be permitted to avail himself/herself any four (4) second half day holidays to be chosen by him/her to join the Nagar Kirtan/Sobha Yatra in connection with the list of occasions given below during the Calendar Year, 2017 and the concerned Controlling Authority shall ensure to maintain the record of such holidays -

1. Parkash Gurburab of Sri Guru Gobind Singh Ji
2. Birthday of Sri Guru Ravi Dass Ji
3. Maha Shivaratri
4. Ram Navmi
5. Mahavir Jayanti
6. Vaisakhi
7. Martyrdom day of Sri Guru Arjun Dev Ji
8. Janmashtami
9. Idu'l Fitr
10. Parkash Gurburab of Sri Guru Ram Dass Ji
11. Idu'l Zuha (Bakrid)
12. Birthday of Maharishi Valmiki Ji
13. Parkash Gurburab of Sri Guru Nanak Dev Ji
14. Martyrdom day of Sri Guru Teg Bahadur Ji
15. Christmas Day

The rules applicable in the Restricted Holidays will also be applicable for these half day holidays.

**Note 2:** The festival of 'Raksha Bandhan' falls on 7<sup>th</sup> August, 2017 which falls on Monday, Punjab Government Offices will be opened at 11:00AM on that day.