

# Cherry trees blossom just in time for festival

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Cherry blossoms are at their peak under sunny blue skies in Vancouver on Wednesday, April 2, 2014. The Cherry Blossom Festival kicks off on April 3  
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Nature has delivered a bumper crop of Vancouver's 54 varieties of flowering cherry trees just in time for the Thursday kickoff of the Vancouver Cherry Blossom Festival. A noon-hour concert under a grove of blossom-laden cherry trees at the Burrard SkyTrain station kicks off the 26-day fest, with the popular Sakura Days Japan Fair set for Saturday and Sunday at VanDusen Botanical Gardens.

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