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Subject: Re: ä°œå••ä»¸ç¬æ°(The 24 solar Terms)

Posted by: Elinor

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Here are some information form google:

<http://green.kyu.edu.tw/learn/cultures/abstract/24life-001.htm>

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Solar_term

I found the ended date of each solar term at the Wikipedia site that differs from Kathy's post. Do you know why there is a slight difference about the date? Thank you.

Here is an example:

Lichun

The traditional East Asian calendars divide a year into 24 solar terms (ç«œ°£). LÃ-chÃ«n (pÃ«nyÃ«n) or Risshun (rÃ•maji) (Chinese and Japanese: ç«œ¥; Korean: ìž...ìŒ; Vietnamese: Lá°-p xuÃ«n; literally: "start of spring") is the 1st solar term. It begins when the Sun reaches the celestial longitude of 315Â° and ends when it reaches the longitude of 330Â°. It more often refers in particular to the day when the Sun is exactly at the celestial longitude of 315Â°. In the Gregorian calendar, it usually begins around February 4 and ends around February 18 (February 19 East Asia time).

<http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Lichun>