





Women and men in local traditional clothes are lined up at Baam Equestrian Club in Tehran, on March 13, 2023, to celebrate Nowruz, the Iranian New Year, March 21, before the launch of the Nowruz horse

jumping cup competition.

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The remains of Iranian soldiers, who had fallen during the Iraqi-imposed war on Iran in the 1980s, are carried to the country from Iraq via the southwestern Shalmcheh border-crossing on March 14, 2023.

• MOHAMMAD AMIN ANSARI/ISNA







Colorful blossoming trees in gardens of Fars Province, southern Iran, are seen in this photo, taken on March 14, 2023.

MARYAM SADAT RAHIMZADEH/IQNA







The highway patrol exercise is held in Tehran on March 14, 2023, to measure the readiness of various related institutions of security services during Nowruz holidays, which begin on March 21.

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The picture shows the crowd on a street of the Grand Bazaar of Tehran on March 14, 2023.

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Floodwater from the Pajaro River is seen in Pajaro, California, U.S., on March 13, 2023.

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