

The End of an Era is the Beginning of Another Journey

The 100th Anniversary Projects

Celebrating its 100th Anniversary in the Summer of 2007

Commemoration Ceremony at the Sendai International Center on August 27, 2007 with guests from 20 overseas countries present.

On August 25 and 26, the university held the Tohoku University 100th Anniversary Commemoration Festival, where about 27,000 citizens were entertained at Katahira Campus with concerts and various lectures. There were different zones for introducing research, for

international exchange, and for exchange with local people. Thus the 100th anniversary was celebrated by many people.

Tohoku University held other events to commemorate its 100th anniversary, such as the 100th Anniversary Commemoration Exhibitions at the Edo-Tokyo Museum and the Sendai City Museum, and the Citizens' Concert.



100th Anniversary Commemoration Ceremony



100th Anniversary Commemoration Festival



Establishment ceremony for the school emblem and school color



100th Anniversary Celebration



Citizens' Concert



100th Commemoration Special Exhibition, "Great Author Soseki Natsume" (Edo-Tokyo Museum)



100th Anniversary Commemoration Exhibition (Sendai City Museum)

First "Homecoming Day"

Tohoku University invites its graduates to the university regularly so that its current status can be presented to them. They have reunions with their teachers and classmates, or participate in exchanges with students. The day is called Homecoming Day.

The first Homecoming Day was held on October 6 and 7,



Presentation ceremony of the first Abe Jiro Commemoration Prize for Essays of Youth

2007, when various events, such as the 100th Anniversary Sendai Seminar, the presentation ceremony for the first Abe Jiro Memorial Prize for Essays by Young People, and social parties for graduates and students, and campus tours, took place.



Social party for current students and graduates: Listen to senior people

Tohoku University Alumni Association Inaugurated

At the General Alumni Meeting of Tohoku University held in October 2007, the establishment of the Tohoku University Alumni Association was recognized.

On the occasion of the 100th anniversary, this Association was organized as a development of the university-wide alumni association of Tohoku University to include current students and their parents, current and former teaching staff, as well as old boys and girls.



Tohoku University Alumni General Meeting

"Tohoku University Fund" Created

Tohoku University created the Tohoku University Fund in April 2008 as a 100th Anniversary Commemoration Project, funded with a part of the donations collected through the fund-raising campaign for the Project mainly by the Foundation Support Research & Education & Project. This Fund will be used to improve the environment for research and education, and support for students including scholarships.



Presentation of Letters of Appreciation for donations to create the fund