

September 18, 2018 See This Weekend

MISSION STATEMENT: Promote full utilization of the capabilities of the Enterprise's employees and champion the betterment of the company and community. Promote interest in Asian Pacific issues and culture and act as a bridge to all groups within our community. (substitute in your Enterprise and company, etc...)

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Back issues of the newsletter for all of 2000-2017 are available at <http://www.ikemi.info/APPA/newsletters>. if you want to look up some past event. This newsletter was originally published under the auspices of the Hughes Asian Pacific Professional Association (no longer extant). It currently has no affiliation and is available to anyone who is interested in downloading it.

Please send in information on cultural events and news items to dkikemi@pacbell.net. You can also try dkikemi@icloud.com.

Long range calendar items:

Los Angeles Public Library: <http://www.lapl.org>

Japanese American National Museum events:

April 7-October 28 hapa.me

Sept 15- March 24 [Kaiju vs Heroes: Mark Nagata's Journey through the World of Japanese Toys](#)

Japanese American National Museum
100 North Central Avenue
Los Angeles California 90012
phone: (213) 625-0414
<http://www.janm.org/exhibits/kaiju-vs-heroes/events/>

Saturday, September 29, 2018

1:00 PM

Partnerships & Collaborations

From Japan to Mexico: A Nikkei Story from Veracruz

Julio Mizzumi Guerrero Kojima and Belen Torres Morales are descendants of immigrants who left Japan to work in the sugar plantations in Veracruz, Mexico, in the early 1900s. They are musicians with expertise in the Fandango, a tradition specific to Veracruz that is rooted in community convening and participation. They also are part of an environmental/community gardening project in Veracruz called Jardin Kojima. They will share their expertise in Fandango as well as talk about their environmental project. Included with museum admission. RSVPs are recommended

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phone: (213) 625-0414
<http://www.janm.org/events/>

Sept 29 The Art of Shamisen – The Three-Stringed Lute
2PM

Nihon Buyo Kai of California
<http://nihonbuyokai.org/upcoming-events>

James Armstrong Theatre in Torrance

3330 Civic Center Dr., near Torrance Boulevard and Madrona Avenue. Tickets are \$25 to \$40 and are available on the Torrance Cultural Arts Foundation website, torrancearts.org/shows. There is ample free parking

nihonbuyokai@gmail.com

<http://www.rafu.com/2018/09/the-art-of-shamisen-coming-to-armstrong-theatre/>

Sept 29 Yatai Festival

3-9PM

Yatai Festival - Japanese Food (Beer Garden) Live Entertainment & Japanese/
Japanese American culture.

Bringing the community together for a cultural experience, Japan Alliance is proud to co-host the 2017 Yatai Festival alongside the City of Los Angeles! We are shutting down the streets to bring you Japanese food (with a beer garden), live entertainment, and Japanese/Japanese American culture. Make sure to like and tune into our Facebook page to see the list of vendors who will participate. See you there!

Location 1581 W 186th St, Gardena, CA 90248-3951

(Between 196th Street between Harvard & Denker)

<https://www.facebook.com/events/139291289987746/>

Yamashiro's Night Market

Join us every Thursday from 5-9pm to experience our Night Market!

Hollywood locals come together throughout the summer to shop, dine and enjoy our view at our Mountain Palace.

PARKING

FREE SHUTTLE:

Market goers can catch the FREE shuttle service at Mosaic Church located at 7107 Hollywood Blvd., Hollywood CA 90068. The shuttle runs every 15 minutes starting at 5:00 PM and ending at 9:30 PM.

PARKING:

\$10 per car to park in lot with a FREE Shuttle to Farmers Market

<https://yamashirohollywood.com/nightmarket>

Oct 6-7 Autumn Moon Festival

Sat 11-6

Sun 11-5

7850 Hill Drive
Rosemead, CA 91770
http://gedatsu-usa.org/festivals_and_events

Oct 6-7 Fandango
JACCC, 1-4:30

Don't Believe the Hype: LA Asian Americans in Hip Hop
Opens May 18, 2018, Ends Nov 4
Don't Believe the Hype: LA Asian Americans in Hip Hop looks at hip hop in the greater Los Angeles region as a site of resistance, refuge, and reinvention for today's Asian American communities.
<http://camla.org/upcoming-exhibits/>



April 28–October 21, 2018 | 2018年4月28日～10月21日

Little Tokyo transforms into an outdoor art exhibition with 11 artworks displayed on windows across our historic, 134-year-old Japanese American neighborhood.
<http://sustainablelittletokyo.org/pages/windows>

October 2018 Chinatown Los Angeles Mid-Autumn Moon Festival 2018

STUDIO GHIBLI FEST

My Neighbor Totoro September 30, October 1, 3

Spirited Away October 28, 29, 30

Castle in the Sky November 18, 19, 20

7PM, check your local theaters

This weekend (give or take a little)

Sept 24 Farm Walk for Childhood Cancer
9:00 AM 10:00 AM

Tanaka Farms supports the Farm Walk for Childhood Cancer sponsored by OCO, JAO, and SOC. This is a one-mile walk around Tanaka Farms with 10 fruit/vegetable sampling stations along the route. These stations will be staffed by various childhood cancer organizations. They will pass out produce samples, provide information about the cancer fighting benefits of the produce item and promote the mission of their organization.

You are invited to support this fundraiser. Please visit www.farmwalkforchildhoodcancer.org for information and tickets.

Sept. 22, Asian Cultural Festival!
Saturday, 11:00 AM – 4:30 PM.
West Los Angeles United Methodist Church
1913 Purdue Avenue, Los Angeles, CA 90025
310-479-1379
<http://wlaumc.com/get-involved/festival2018/>

Sept 22 Fall Festival at First Presbyterian Church of Altadena
4-8PM
Food, games, taiko
2775 Lincoln Ave., Altadena

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Where I went the past week:

Don't Believe the Hype: LA Asian Americans in Hip Hop
at CAMLA
Olvera Street

[Kaiju vs Heroes: Mark Nagata's Journey through the World of Japanese Toys](#)

Hunchback of Notre Dame at Whittier Community Theatre
Relevant to immigration, Me.Too, sexual predators

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Resources: LACMA calendar: <http://www.lacma.org/events/Calendar.aspx>

UCLA Asia Institute calendar: <http://www.international.ucla.edu/asia/events/index.asp?action=monthview>

Japanese American National Museum <http://www.janm.org/events/>

<http://camla.org/events/calendar.htm>

Historic Trails, Modern Tales

New sites were added to our historic trails. Visit trails.camla.org for a self-guided tour of Chinatown. Use your mobile device along the path and explore the histories of the community.

Korean Cultural Center <http://www.kccla.org/>

Japanese American Community Cultural Center <http://jaccc.org/>

Pacifica Asian Museum <http://www.pacificasiamuseum.org/calendar/whatsnew.htm>
Cultural News <http://www.culturalnews.com/>

Los Angeles Public Library <http://www.lapl.org/events/>

Orange County Agricultural and Nikkei Heritage Museum http://fullertonarboretum.org/museum_nikkei.php

Articles from the LA Times:

California professor wants FBI inquiry before testifying about sexual assault allegation against Kavanaugh

By JENNIFER HABERKORN

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WASHINGTON

<http://www.latimes.com/politics/la-na-pol-kavanaugh-allegations-20180918-story.html>

L.A. activists and civil libertarians protest proposed crackdown on City Hall disruptions

By EMILY ALPERT REYES and DAVID ZAHNISER

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<http://www.latimes.com/local/lanow/la-me-ln-council-rules-20180918-story.html>

California's children fall behind before they start school, and some never catch up, study finds
By HOWARD BLUME

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<http://www.latimes.com/local/education/la-me-edu-california-early-education-20180918-story.html>

Death of UC Riverside student raises question of fraternity hazing

By HANNAH FRY

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<http://www.latimes.com/local/lanow/la-me-ln-riverside-student-death-20180918-story.html>

Six months after Stephon Clark's death, Black Lives Matter protesters climb into makeshift coffins outside police conference

By ALENE TCHEKMEDYIAN

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<http://www.latimes.com/local/lanow/la-me-ln-sacramento-blm-protest-20180918-story.html>

In nationwide protest, McDonald's workers allege culture of sexual harassment has gone unchecked for years

By ALEJANDRA REYES-VELARDE and RUBEN VIVES

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<http://www.latimes.com/local/lanow/la-me-ln-mcdonalds-strike-20180918-story.html>

ICE held an American man in custody for 1,273 days. He's not the only one who had to prove his citizenship

By PAIGE ST. JOHN and JOEL RUBIN

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<http://www.latimes.com/local/lanow/la-me-citizens-ice-20180427-htlstory.html>