May 20, 2020 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 2000-2019 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.

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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

# For this month (May) and in many cases next month, all museums and cultural resources are closed. Check websites for duration of closures and virtual events.

Japanese American National Museum 100 North Central Avenue Los Angeles California 90012 phone: 213.625.0414 Virtual Events http://www.janm.org

PACIFIC ASIA MUSEUM 46 North Los Robles Avenue Pasadena, California 91101 https://pacificasiamuseum.usc.edu/exhibitions/current/

#### PAM@Home

PACIFIC ASIA MUSEUM introduce, PAM@Home, their free and accessible virtual museum care package specially curated by USC PAM staff to help you, our community,

https://pacificasiamuseum.usc.edu/about/pamathome/

Podcasts and virtual events at the Japanese American Cultural Community Center

## http://www.jaccc.org/#japanese-american-cultural-community-center

#### **Chinese American Museum**

## To Stay Connected, CAM is Going Digital!

Follow us on **Instagram** and **Facebook** as we explore new ways to present history and the arts to your screens!

http://camla.org/

This Weekend:

*Memorial Day Weekend. Probably a good time to stay home and remember my uncle who was in MIS.* 

Keep wearing your face mask and don't linger in enclosed areas with other people. Staying in contact with Skype and now Zoom when required on a Chromebook.

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Where I went the past week:

I took a drive out to the Sepulveda Basin for a walk to Sepulveda Basin Wildlife Preserve, which is open. I parked outside of the Japanese Garden, which is still closed, and open only on weekends anyway. I have visited the garden a number, of times, but this was the first time I explored the area around it. A big surprise was that on the north side of the garden are the remains of Nike Missile base LA-96L. From the street you can still see the doors of the underground missile magazines within a restricted Air National Guard facility. A reminder that there were crazy times in the past, too.

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/

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 Community Cultural Center http://jaccc.org/

USC Pacifica Asia Museum https://pacificasiamuseum.usc.edu/

UCLA Asia Pacific Institute https://www.international.ucla.edu/asia/

Cultural News <u>ttp://www.culturalnews.com/</u> Los Angeles Public Library <u>p://www.lapl.org/events/</u>

Orange County Agricultural and Nikkei Heritage Museum http://fullertonarboretum.org/ museum\_nikkei.php

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Articles from the LA Times and other sources:

Column: Filipino nurses battled discrimination to work in American hospitals. Now they fight for PPE BY FRANK SHYONGCOLUMNIST MAY 18, 2020 6 AM https://www.latimes.com/california/story/2020-05-18/filipino-nurses-in-socal

The price of being 'essential': Latino service workers bear brunt of coronavirus BY HAILEY BRANSON-POTTS, ALEJANDRA REYES-VELARDE, MATT STILES, ANDREW J. CAMPA MAY 17, 2020 6 AM https://www.latimes.com/california/story/2020-05-17/latino-essential-workerscoronavirus

Column: Wondering if L.A.'s new mask rules are overkill? Look at the Hong Kong example BY STEVE LOPEZCOLUMNIST MAY 16, 2020 5:30 AM UPDATED 8:41 AM https://www.latimes.com/california/story/2020-05-16/column-wondering-if-l-a-s-newmask-rules-are-necessary-look-at-the-hong-kong-example

Rise in hate incidents toward Asian Americans during coronavirus crisis, officials say BY MATTHEW ORMSETHSTAFF WRITER MAY 13, 2020 8:30 PM UPDATED MAY 14, 2020 | 7:27 AM https://www.latimes.com/california/story/2020-05-13/hate-crimes-and-incidents-directedat-asian-americans-rise-during-pandemic-county-commission-says

Most California voters say coronavirus is increasing inequality, especially among blacks, poll finds BY SARAH PARVINISTAFF WRITER MAY 13, 2020 6 AM https://www.latimes.com/california/story/2020-05-13/la-me-coronavirus-race-disparitycalifornia-poll

Bryan Adams apologizes for racist rant linking coronavirus to animal cruelty BY TRACY BROWN DIGITAL EDITOR MAY 12, 2020 3:58 PM <u>https://www.latimes.com/entertainment-arts/story/2020-05-12/bryan-adams-apology-racist-coronavirus-rant</u>

Column: I've gotten hate mail my whole career. But I'm shocked by the anti-Semitic rants from Trump supporters lately BY NICHOLAS GOLDBERGCOLUMNIST MAY 19, 2020 3 AM https://www.latimes.com/opinion/story/2020-05-19/hate-mail-anti-semitic-tirades-trump