March 2, 2021 See This Weekend Happy new Year

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

Feb 22-27 GVJCI virtual DOR <u>https://www.jci-gardena.org/</u>

Year of the Ox: Tales from the Chinese Zodiac by Oliver Chin

At The Huntington <u>https://www.huntington.org/story-time-year-of-the-ox</u>

Oct 3-4, 2020 Poston Virtual Pilgrimage <u>https://www.postonpreservation.org/virtualpilgrimage</u>

programming available online

For the foreseeable future, 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 From interactive, offline festivities for all ages to multi-lingual story times and play performances, welcome the Year of the Ox with JANM! Keep checking back for updates, then return here starting Sunday, January 3 to download the activities and watch the live events!

#### Some materials still available

# 2021 Oshogatsu Virtual Family Festival | Japanese American National Museum (janm.org)

Check out:

https://mail.google.com/mail/u/0/#search/day+of+remembrance/ FMfcgxwLsSXWPbHlkwpKDpGsfCjJgVjr

for DOR partnerships

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/

## Online Exhibition: Visions of an Enduring World: Jacoulet and the people of Oceania

This new online exhibition focuses attention on the material culture of Micronesian and Melanesian communities and Paul Jacoulet's portraits of these communities.

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! See CAMLA on Instagram

#### Tea Talk with Lisa See & Linda Louie

Attention all tea lovers and book worms! CAM is excited to announce our newest virtual series, "Tea Talk." Bring your favorite cup of tea and join Lisa See, Linda Louie and moderator, Lan Ong on Wednesday, September 23rd @ 5pm PDT.

Watch An Untold Past: Chinese Americans in the South

Last Thursday on August 27th, we held our first panel discussion of "An Untold Past" series. This discussion featured speakers, Dr. John Jung, Baldwin Chiu & Larissa Lam with moderator, Dr. Laureen D. Hom.

Thank you to those who were able to attend. In case you missed it, you can now watch the full recording on our **YouTube channel**.

#### http://camla.org/

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JACCC & SLT presents LITTLE TOKYO LITTLE PODCAST New Episodes Every 2 Weeks! June 12 & 26, July 10 & 24 + more In English, 日本語、한국어, español!

A special podcast from your Little Tokyo friends and neighbors! Have a stretch with Rajio Taiso, hear the seasons changing through haiku poems, listen to music from local musicians, and hear cute local news! New episodes every other week! [Just checked and it's up to 14 podcasts as of 12/8/2020] http://sustainablelittletokyo.org/projects/little-podcast https://www.janm.org/

Getty podcast:

Reflections: Amanda Berman on a Pair of Decorative Groups

https://blogs.getty.edu/iris/reflections-amanda-berman-on-a-pair-of-decorative-groups/

#### Getty read:

#### Before the War: The Japanese Camera Pictorialists of California

The J. Paul Getty Museum recently acquired a collection of nearly lost photographs assembled by collector Dennis Reed over the course of 35 years

#### LYRA KILSTON | AUGUST 18, 2020 | 5 MIN READ https://blogs.getty.edu/iris/before-the-war-the-japanese-camera-pictorialists-of-california/

Iva Toguri webinar is now available on Youtube: <u>https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCOMwVNR-S9HXsZq6kirBLng</u>

This Weekend and more:

Japan House Virtual Exhibition Exhibitions - 02.15.2021 - 05.31.2021 NATURE/SUPERNATURE Visions of This World and Beyond in Japanese Woodblock Prints Nature/Supernature | Exhibition | JAPAN HOUSE Los Angeles (japanhousela.com)

Events - 03.25.2021 Webinar Conversation | Yōkai Past and Present with Michael Dylan Foster and Zack Davisson Webinar Conversation | Yōkai Past and Present | Event | JAPAN HOUSE Los Angeles (japanhousela.com)

Events - 02.24.2021 - 03.10.2021 Film Screening True Mothers Date 02.24.2021 (Wed.) - 03.10.2021 (Wed.) Time Available at your leisure Location Online Fee Complimentary (Registration required) True Mothers Film Screening | Event | JAPAN HOUSE Los Angeles (japanhousela.com)

### UCLA

#### International Symposium on Global Chinese Philanthropy

Friday, March 19, 2021 - Saturday, March 20, 2021 This symposium is offered online via Zoom. **Times listed are US Pacific Daylight Time.** Start times for each session are also listed in several other time zones. **International Symposium on Global Chinese Philanthropy (ucla.edu)** 

#### Gardena Valley JCI Hinamatsuri and Kodomo no Hi online March and May 8 Hinamatsuri & Kodomo No Hi - GVJCI (jci-gardena.org)

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Where I went the past week:

Gardena Valley JCI DOR https://www.jci-gardena.org/

IP-CHUM with The New York Korean Performing Arts Center

Free

Celebrate Lunar New Year with a dance and musical performance by <u>The New York Korean Performing Arts</u> <u>Center</u> in The Met's Astor Court. Please note: This program is prerecorded.

<u>IP-CHUM with The New York Korean Performing Arts Center | The Metropolitan</u> <u>Museum of Art (metruseum.org)</u>

(Still available online)

JANM past events:

Past Events Media | Japanese American National Museum (janm.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 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/

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

www.golittletokyo.com

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Articles from the LA Times and other sources:

Hate crimes against Asian Americans rose in L.A. in 2020, mirroring national trend BY KEVIN RECTORSTAFF WRITER MARCH 2, 2021 UPDATED 4:41 PM PT <u>Hate crimes against Asian Americans rose in L.A. in 2020 - Los Angeles Times</u> (latimes.com)

An Asian American family in O.C. was being harassed. Now their neighbors stand guard BY HANNAH FRY MARCH 2, 2021 5 AM PT <u>Neighbors protect O.C. family from anti-Asian hate crimes - Los Angeles Times</u> (latimes.com)

Coronavirus Today: Fighting anti-Asian racism BY THUC NHI NGUYENSTAFF WRITER MARCH 2, 2021 8:01 PM PT <u>Coronavirus Today: Fighting anti-Asian racism - Los Angeles Times (latimes.com)</u>

COVID-19 vaccine rates in Brentwood, Santa Monica twice as high as poorer L.A. County areas BY RONG-GONG LIN II, <u>LUKE MONEY</u> MARCH 2, 2021 UPDATED 3:04 PM PT <u>COVID-19 vaccine rates in rich L.A. areas double poor areas - Los Angeles Times</u> (latimes.com) 6 Dr. Seuss books will no longer be published due to insensitive images By MARK PRATT ASSOCIATED PRESS MARCH 2, 2021 UPDATED 9:01 AM PT <u>6 Dr. Seuss books won't be published due to racist images - Los Angeles Times</u> (latimes.com)

Amazon worker sues company, claiming race and gender bias in corporate hires BY ERIK LARSONBLOOMBERG MARCH 1, 2021 4:05 PM PT Amazon worker sues company, claiming race and gender bias in corporate hires - Los Angeles Times (latimes.com)

Sacramento Zoom class shows school employee making slant-eyed gesture, disparaging Asians BY FAITH E. PINHOSTAFF WRITER MARCH 1, 2021 2:52 PM PT School employee makes slant-eyed gesture, disparaging Asians - Los Angeles Times (latimes.com)

What to expect in Viet Thanh Nguyen's sequel to his Pulitzer-Prize winning 'The Sympathizer' By AGATHA FRENCH MARCH 1, 2021 1:16 PM PT 'The Committed' by Viet Thanh Nguyen: What to expect - Los Angeles Times (latimes.com)

Review: 'Raya and the Last Dragon,' featuring Disney's first Southeast Asian heroine, is a moving adventure BY JUSTIN CHANGFILM CRITIC MARCH 1, 2021 9 AM PT 'Raya and the Last Dragon' review: Disney makes history - Los Angeles Times (latimes.com)

Column: How did a home built for Japanese American seniors become the state's deadliest nursing facility? BY FRANK SHYONGCOLUMNIST MARCH 1, 2021 5 AM PT Hospital transfers spark COVID surge at L.A. nursing homes - Los Angeles Times (latimes.com) Op-Ed: How the business and tech communities can help erase the digital divide By MEKA EGWUEKWE MARCH 1, 2021 3:05 AM PT <u>Op-Ed: How tech communities can help erase the digital divide - Los Angeles Times</u> (latimes.com)

Where to watch the 2021 Golden Globes film winners, from 'Minari' to 'Nomadland' BY CHRISTI CARRASSTAFF WRITER FEB. 28, 2021 9:27 PM PT Golden Globes 2021: Where to watch all the movie winners - Los Angeles Times (latimes.com)

*Minari* and the Real Korean-American Immigrants Who Have Farmed U.S. Soil for More Than a Century BY ANDREW R. CHOW

FEBRUARY 12, 2021 3:33 PM EST Korean American Farmers on 'Minari' and Their Own Experience | Time

How the creator of 'Final Fantasy' challenges himself: A game made with 150 dioramas BY TODD MARTENSGAME CRITIC MARCH 2, 2021 11:07 AM PT Famed 'Final Fantasy' creator has a new game: What to know - Los Angeles Times (latimes.com)