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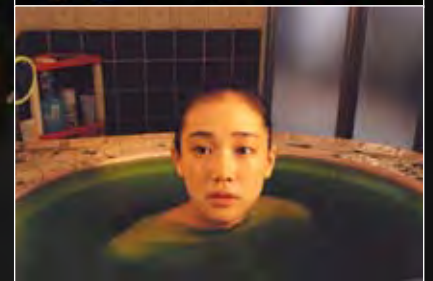


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Sakura Gala Honouring Seiji Ozawa
JCCC Annual Bazaar
Akira Katogi with Nagata Shachu Performance
April Movie: One Million Yen Girl

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JCCCバザー

「加藤木朗」と「永田社中」がくりひろげる日本芸能舞台
4月の映画：百万円と苦虫女



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April

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Thu	18	Origami Workshop
Sat	20	Sakura Gala
Mon	22	Manju Workshop
Thu	25	Movie Night "One Million Yen Girl"
Sat	27	Karaoke Club

May

Thu	2	Ken Fukushima Exhibit Opening
Sat	4	JCCC Bazaar
Sat	18	Karaoke Club
Mon	20	JCCC closed – Victoria Day
Thu	23	Origami workshop
Sat	25	Karaoke Club meeting
Thu	30	Movie Night

June

Sat	8	Karaoke Club meeting
Thu	13	Toronto Japanese Film Festival Opens
Mon	24	Annual General Meeting

Sakura Gala set to be a Spectacular and Memorable Evening



The Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre's Fifth Annual Sakura Gala is almost here! As we approach the gala date on **April 20, 2013**, preparations are intensifying. The Sakura Gala will celebrate the accomplishments of Seiji Ozawa and will honour him with the Sakura Award.

The gala itself is set to be a spectacular evening! Gala attendees will enjoy a meal featuring the best of Japanese cuisine, prepared by Edo. There will also be a special performance by members of the TSO who will connect the professional career of Seiji Ozawa from his early days as a conductor at the TSO to today.

The JCCC thanks its generous Sakura Gala Sponsors: TD Bank Group as Platinum Sponsor, Shiseido as VIP Reception Sponsor, RBC as Entertainment Partner, Sony

of Canada as Exhibit Sponsor, the Toronto Star as Print Media Partner, and Reprodux as Print Sponsor.

All proceeds raised through the Sakura Gala will be directed to the Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre's Legacy Campaign, which supports the ongoing cultural and heritage program, exhibits and events that take place throughout the year.

Please visit the gala website: www.sakuragala.com. To receive more information, to donate a Silent Auction item, or to purchase an ad in the Gala programme, please call or email Sarah Burd at 416-249-0788 or sarahb@jccc.on.ca.

JCCC Foundation Directs \$1.5 Million to Support Children Affected by the 3.11 Earthquake/Tsunami/Nuclear Disaster

At our March 2 Spring Festival celebration, the JCCC Foundation formally announced plans for the \$1.5 million collected to support the victims of the March 11, 2011 triple disaster in Japan.



Photo courtesy of David Ohashi.

The JCCC Foundation will distribute the money donated to its Japan Earthquake Relief Fund to help build the futures of Japanese youth directly affected by the disaster. Many students in the three prefectures of Miyagi, Iwate and Fukushima have had their futures altered by the losses they have suffered due to the disaster. Without financial aid, many will be unable to further their education. The JCCC Foundation funds will be dispersed to help those in need further their education at all levels of the educational system. To ensure maximum impact, the project has three distinctive elements.

1) Prefectural Government Funds - The JCCC Foundation will make a donation to each of the three prefectural government funds that have been established to assist the educational needs of affected children.

2) University Scholarships - The JCCC Foundation will, through selected universities in the three prefectures, set up fifteen scholarships of \$5000 (CAD) each in the first year and nine scholarships of \$5000 (CAD) in each year thereafter. The universities will administer the scholarships, but the JCCC Foundation will approve all recipients.

3) Grant to the Canadian Embassy in Japan's 'Hope for Youth' program - The JCCC Foundation will donate approximately \$15,000 to the program that has been set up to enable affected Japanese students to come to Canada to study in for a period of up to 6 months to enhance language and cultural skills.

In February, memberse of the JCCC Foundation visited the four participating universities in the Tohoku region to formally launch the scholarship program. The scholarships will be available for students who apply for Iwate Prefectural University,

Tohoku University, Fukushima Medical University and East Japan International University.

JCCC Foundation Chair, Shari Hosaki stated, "we are grateful to so many Canadians from every community for supporting the JCCC Foundation's Japan Earthquake Relief Fund. Special thanks go to the Japanese Ambassador to Canada, Ambassador Ishikawa, the Consul General of Japan in Toronto, Mr. Eiji Yamamoto, and the Canadian Ambassador to Japan, Ambassador Clugston and his staff at the Canadian Embassy in Tokyo for their assistance in bringing this project to life."

The \$1.5 million donation includes \$100,000 that the JCCC donated to the Canadian Red Cross for relief efforts in the days immediately following the disaster.

For more information please contact: Shari Hosaki, Chair of the JCCC Foundation at 647-385-7655 or shari@sakuralegal.com

April Movie Night: One Million Yen Girl



Yu Aoi shines in Yuki Tanada's charming comedy-drama about a young woman who has to choose between money, love and freedom.

Suzuko is twenty-one years old when a trivial incident lands her in prison, leaving her with a criminal record and an enormous sense of shame. Returning to her own family and neighborhood, the peering eyes of those around her quickly strengthen her urge to start all over again. She decides that she must earn one million yen and sets of to find her tiny fortune in a series of small jobs in different parts of Japan.

She delivers newspapers, works as a cleaning lady and in a resort hotel, finally making her way to the mountains where she happens upon a peach farm. Suzuko is welcomed by the farmers and is offered a job as a "Peach Girl," helping to promote their crops in stores. Suzuko's bankroll begins approach her million yen target when her new employers learn that she's done time in jail. It also starts Mirai Moriyama as the love interest.

One Million Yen Girl had its world premiere at the Cannes Film Festival.

Date: **Thursday April 25, 2013**

Time: 7:00pm

Admission: \$8 JCCC members, \$10 non-members

JCCC Annual Bazaar

The JCCC Annual Bazaar committee is busy organizing our biggest one-day fundraiser of the year! So mark your calendar for Saturday May 4, 2013 from 12:30pm to 4:00pm. You don't want to arrive and find that all the bargains are gone!!

As usual, the Annual Bazaar is a shopping extravaganza with great deals on Noritake tableware, logoware, lawn accessories, gardening items, baked goods, etc., plus lots of white/pink elephant treasures and of course our Silent Auction with some great products to bid on.

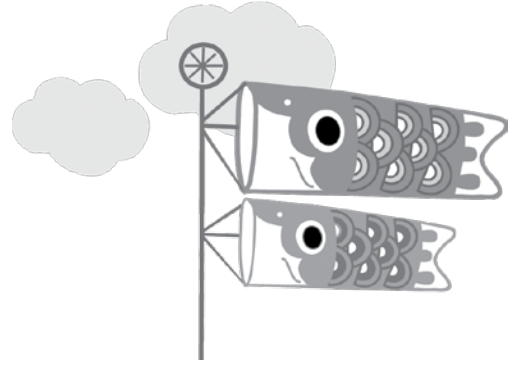
There will also be lots of food for sale such as sushi, mochi, udon, tempura - for take home or dining in while you take a break from your shopping spree.

Please come and support your JCCC!

We welcome donations of all kinds – baked goods (including cakes, pies, cookies, squares, etc), Japanese food (including manju, sekihan, chirashi, bentos, etc), white elephant, new products, etc. Non-perishable donations can be dropped off at the JCCC reception desk anytime. Perishable donations that can be refrigerated can be accepted on May 3rd and of course on the 4th.

While we appreciate everyone's generosity, we ask that you DO NOT donate clothing.

If you have any questions or need more information, please contact Christine Takasaki at 416-441-2345 ext. 221 or christinet@jccc.on.ca.



Date: Saturday May 4, 2013
Time: 12:30pm - 4:00pm
Admission: Free

Bazaar Volunteering Opportunities

From now to the day of the event, a lot of work is needed to ensure that our annual Bazaar is a success! We have many opportunities for volunteers of all ages. NO EXPERIENCE IS NECESSARY! There are jobs for everyone, from those who need high school volunteer hours to those of us who are "young at heart". Time commitments can be tailored according to your availability. Types of work in need of volunteer help are as follows:

Mochitsuki Day:

Sunday April 28, 2013 9:30am-4:00pm

- Making Mochi and packaging

Preparation Day: Friday May 3, 2013

- Setting up the areas for all JCCC sales (Anytime between 9:30am to 4:00pm)
- Making Inarizushi and other food preparations (12:30pm to 5:00pm)

On the day of the Bazaar: Saturday May 4, 2013

- Sushi Bee: before the doors open - making maki sushi (7:00am to 12:30pm)

During the Bazaar:

- Parking Attendant (10:00am to 12:30pm, 12:30pm to 3:00pm)
- Crowd Control at the door (11:00am to 2:00pm)
- Gift Shop (12:00pm to 4:30pm)
- Food Booth (10:00am to 4:30pm)
- Kitchen Help (9:30am to 4:30pm)
- Waiter/Waitress (11:00am to 4:30pm)

And many more!

For more information, please contact Yuki Hipsh at volunteer@jccc.on.ca or 416-441-2345 ext.235.



*From Bazaar 2012.
Photos courtesy of Constantin Dutescu.*

Donor Wall to be on Display at Opening of Moriyama Nikkei Heritage Centre

The Moriyama Nikkei Heritage Centre will open in the Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre's 50th Anniversary Year. At the Centre's opening, the Friends of the Moriyama Nikkei Heritage Centre donor wall will be on display.

You can become part of Nikkei history at the JCCC by supporting the Friends of the Moriyama Nikkei Heritage Centre project. Well over 100 individuals, groups and corporations have already given their support to this initiative. For a donation of \$500, you can dedicate an inscription for yourself, a friend or loved one. Corporate and Group inscriptions are also available at the \$2,000 giving level. Your gift will support the creation and ongoing operation of the permanent Nikkei heritage exhibit and archive.

To see your inscription on the Nikkei Heritage Centre Donor Wall, get your dedication today!

INDIVIDUALS / COUPLES

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Rose (Kato) Aihoshi - In Gratitude
Scottie and Iso Amemori
Dr. Arnold Tsuneo and Sadako Arai
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Kazumi and Ken Fukushima
Koji and Tosh Goto
Uncle Dave Tsutomu Hanada - In memory
Tats & Eileen Harada - In memory
Ted and Michiko Harada
Eddy Hendra
James and Masayo Heron
Lawrence and Dorothy Heron
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Teruko Ikeda
Sanaye Inouye
Arthur Asao and Tomo Ishii
Arthur Shinji Ito
Denjiro Ito - In memory
Jukichi and Suga Ito - In memory
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Dr. Richard Ito
Yoshimi Ito - In memory
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George and Barbara Iwata
Tak Iwata
Shizuko Kadoguchi
Shoichi & Yoshiko Kaneko - In gratitude
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Miki and Shoko Kobayashi
KOBO Isao
Hisako Kondo
Kiyoshi and Aiko Koyanagi - In memory
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Taeko Kumamoto - In memory
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Fred and Pat Kusano
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Harvey and Kathy Okawara
Louise Okawara
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George and Rose Oyagi
Tad and Jenny Oyagi
Tom and Doreen Oyagi
William and Lorraine Petruck

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Ruth Hiroye Sakamoto nee Nakamura
Ihei & Misao (Kodama) Sasaguchi
Naka and Fred Sasaki
Mickey and Satoko Sato - In memory
Takashi and Yoshiko Sawa
Sam and Masako (Kosaka) Seto
Kaz and Ruby Shikaze
Yoko Shimanuki
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Henry Masakazu and Helen Yasuko Shimoda
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Roy and Kay Shin - In memory
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Shig and Marge Suyama
Hideo and Naomi Takasaki
Tom and Sumie Takashima
Ronald Takeshi Tamaki
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Masaru and Tomoko Tanaka
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Cora Turnbull
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Dr. Koji Victor & Mutsuko Ujimoto
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Alan and Paul Wakayama
Peter and Ethel Wakayama
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Kumiko and Masuo Yamashita
Min and Lydia Yatabe
Charles Masato Yoshida, in memory
Shige and Sue Yoshida
Tak and Fumi Yoshida
Tetsuya and Takako Yoshimoto
Dr John M and Josie Yoshioka

GROUPS

Asahi Baseball Ichigun
Chado Urasenke Tankokai Toronto Association
DundeeWealth Inc. - Marty Kobayashi
Ghost Town Teachers Historical Society
Ikenobo Ikebana Society of Toronto
JCCC Judo Kai
Toronto Japanese Garden Club
Toronto Kohaku Utagassen

Announcement of the Moriyama Nikkei Heritage Centre

The JCCC is proud to announce the official naming of the newly constructed first floor space, as the Moriyama Nikkei Heritage Centre. Originally envisioned to be a museum to showcase Nikkei Heritage in Canada with volumes of content around the



Photo courtesy of Scott Kawaguchi.

years of internment, the concept has since grown to be more dynamic, inclusive, and forward-looking. In North America, Japanese Canadians and Japanese Americans have achieved so much success and garnered so much respect over the past 140 years that the desire – or need – to share the stories of the Nikkei community has grown exponentially throughout the localized communities of Nikkei. Inspired by the stories of our communities, and the relative dearth of and difficulties inherent with collaborative research into a more complete history, the vision behind the Centre's new space took shape.

The Board of the JCCC believes that this facility will be one of the most important elements of the Centre for generations to come. It leaves a lasting legacy to the Issei and Nisei pioneers who not only laid a path to success for all Japanese Canadians, but also laid the groundwork for the acceptance of all things Japanese – a people, a culture new and old, and socio-economic trade in a variety of avenues. However with this facility, it is also envisioned that the legacies of the pioneers will not be held static, but will engage visitors to carry forward this history. At a recent meeting held in Vancouver in October 2012 hosted by Ambassador Ishikawa (the Japanese Ambassador to Canada) the JCCC shared the vision behind the new facility with other Japanese Canadian representatives as well as with the diplomats from the Japanese Ministry of Foreign Affairs responsible for North America. While ambitious, the idea was presented for the move towards a powerful voice of multiple Centres of influence, collaborating to create a network of archived research material – to come together in building a narrative of voices towards a more complete and inclusive story of the Nikkei experience than any singular localized community of Japanese Canadians, or Japanese Americans could provide.

When the JCCC shared the exciting possibilities of this vision and project with Raymond and Sachi Moriyama, they made the decision to get involved in helping make this vision take shape, and come to life. Given that the vision is dynamic, collaborative, and forward-thinking, Mr. Moriyama suggested that the retrospective word 'museum' should be dropped in favour of a more encompassing 'Nikkei Heritage Centre' for the facility which will house not only an historic exhibition space but multiple resources, throwing his weight behind the project. Thus, the JCCC will be launching this new resource centre later this spring under the name "Moriyama Nikkei Heritage Centre". The planning committees are very excited to be engaged with the Moriyama's as active advisors, and look forward to completing the new space for its official opening.

Position Required at the JCCC

The Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre is looking for a part-time receptionist to work weekday evenings and/or weekend days. Job duties include greeting and directing visitors, dealing with telephone calls, membership and event registration, JCCC gift shop, and other light administrative duties.

Candidates should have excellent organizational and communication skills with fluency in English and Japanese preferred. Effective communication and client relationship skills, a friendly and helpful demeanor, attention to detail and basic computer skills are also a must.

Hours:

Weekdays from 4:00pm to 9:15pm

Saturdays from 8:30am to 4:00pm

Sundays from 8:30am to 4:00pm

Remuneration is commensurate with skills. Flexible time is preferable.

Please send resume by April 23, 2013 to the attention of:

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Chado – Japanese Tea Ceremony class starts at the JCCC this Spring

In the first course of this Spring, students will learn the basic procedures for making tea as well as how to integrate the spirit of tea into their study and daily lives. Classes will be taught by members of the Urasenke Tankokai Toronto Chapter.



Dates: Fridays, April 5, 12, 19, 26, May 10, 17, 24, 31, 2013

Time: Afternoon class -1:00pm to 3:00pm

Evening class - 7:00pm to 9:00pm

Fee: \$70 (+HST)

Tea and Sweets Fee: \$25 (to be paid at the first class)

Necessary equipment include Fukusa, Kobukusa, yo-ji, kaishi (special paper used in tea ceremony). They are available for purchase at the JCCC Giftshop.

Clothes: Casual Western clothes. Kimono is not required for the class but participants should wear either white socks or tabi.



Traditional Performing Arts from Japan

AKIRA KATO GI

renowned folk entertainer accompanied by his son Raiya

in collaboration with **NAGATA SHACHU**

This is a rare opportunity to see Akira Katogi, an acclaimed performer of Japanese folk dance, song, taiko, traditional theatre and street circus. Accompanied by his son Raiya, this date marks their first Toronto appearance.



Saturday, May 11, 2013 at 8 pm
Kobayashi Hall, Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre

Presented by Nagata Shachu
and the Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre

Tickets: \$35 (adults) / \$30 (JCCC members, students, seniors)

Price includes HST and service charges

Phone: **416-441-2345 (JCCC)**

On-line: ca.brownpapertickets.com



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Folk performer Akira Katogi in collaboration with Nagata Shachu

On **Saturday May 11, 2013** at 8:00pm, there will be a special performance by Akira Katogi, in collaboration with Nagata Shachu. Akira Katogi (taiko, dance, street performance), was born in Akita



Prefecture in 1967. Since early childhood, he was trained in the traditional Japanese dance theatre ensemble Warabi-za, whose internationally acclaimed performances are dedicated to preserving and performing traditional folk arts of Japan. Katogi later joined Dengaku-za, another Japanese folk and dance company based in Nagano Prefecture, and received lessons from the group's masters. In 1999, he established himself as an independent traditional Japanese folk entertainer.

Katogi has performed throughout the US, Japan, Central and Eastern Europe. For this debut performance in Toronto, he will be accompanied by his son Raiya who has followed his father's footsteps since childhood. Together they will collaborate on several pieces with Toronto's own professional taiko group, Nagata Shachu. This performance, co-presented by the JCCC and Nagata Shachu, is a rare opportunity to see a true master of traditional Japanese performing arts. For details including ticket information, please see ad on page 6.

The following day, **Sunday, May 12**, Mr. Katogi will be giving a three-hour traditional dance workshop to the general public in Shokokai Court starting at 1:00pm. Workshop fee is \$50 (JCCC members)/\$55 non-members. For details, please contact the JCCC at 416-441-2345 or jccc@jccc.on.ca.

EISA: Exciting Okinawan Dance and Music

"Eisa" is an Okinawan ceremonial dance which has centuries-long history. It was originally performed to welcome and console the souls of one's ancestors during the Summer "Bon" season. Nowadays, it is performed throughout the year at various festivals and concerts. The performance includes soft feminine dances and dynamic masculine dances with various drums, singing and chanting accompanied by the Sanshin (Okinawan musical instrument that is precursor of Shamisen), as well as colourful and exotic costumes.



Please come and experience the exotic and dynamic performance at the JCCC this year!

Date: **Wednesday July 31, 2013**

More detailed information of the event will be in May newsletter.

Gentle Yoga for Wellness Yoga classes back at the JCCC

Yoga is a mind and body practice which includes body movements (posture), breathing techniques and meditations. Yoga promotes general health; such as enhancing energy, relaxing the body and mind as well as helping in healing process of physical, emotional and/or spiritual illness.

Gentle Yoga is suitable for everybody men and women and young and old alike. All experience levels are welcome.

The Gentle Yoga Classes will be taught by a certified Yoga Energetics Instructor, Tokiko Yoshihara-Lepik.

Course Schedule: Fridays, April 5 to May 31, 2013

(no class on May 3rd)

Time: 10:30am to 11:30am

Fee (8 sessions) : \$104 (+ HST) for JCCC members
\$120 (+ HST) for non-members

Late registration (after course starts): \$16/class x number of classes

Etegami – Picture Letter Workshops

Are you interested in drawing and watercolour painting but have never tried it before? Etegami (Picture Letter) is a perfect thing to try for someone like you! You do not have to have any experience in art. Etegami is a communication tool to send your feelings to someone whom you care about. Why not make an original postcard? Family participation welcome!

Instructor: Sachiko Hata Pereklita

Spring 2013 Workshops

April 13, 2:00pm to 4:00pm

Fruits and Blossoms from cherry, peach and apple trees

May 25, 2:00pm to 4:00pm

Thank you card for plants, nature, and families, Send an Etegami to a contest in Japan (details will be posted in the May newsletter.)

June 22, 2:00pm to 4:00pm

Etegami on a fan to welcome the summer

Age: From children** to adults

**Children have to be able to write the alphabet and/or hiragana.

Parental supervision required for children under age 13

Fee *(4 sessions):

\$60 (+ HST) for members, \$68 (+ HST) for non-members

Drop-In*:

\$18 (+ HST) for members, \$20 (+ HST) for non-members

*Material fee included.

Please bring your Etegami painting supplies if you have them.



Kamp Kodomo Summer Sessions



Photo courtesy of Jerome Geronimo.

Mark your calendars and don't miss out on all the summer fun at the JCCC!!! Kamp Kodomo's summer session has started registration. Join us for a busy week filled with sessions covering a wide range of activities including martial arts, Ikebana, origami, folklore, language, and so much more!

The camp operates from 9:00am to 4:30pm from Monday to Friday. Sessions will run on **July 8 – 12, July 15 – 19, and July 22 – 26.** Fees for this

program are \$200 per child for a 5-day session. A 10% discount will be applied for JCCC members and additional children from the same family will receive a 5% discount. If you register before April 30, you get the 2012 pricing of just \$180 per child!

Extended camp care is available from 8:00am to 9:00am and from 4:30pm to 6:00pm with an additional cost of \$35 per session. Camp fees cover all materials, two nutritious snacks per day, and a special activity each week. Campers are required to bring a lunch and drink.

Registration has already begun and the registration deadline is June 28, 2013. Kamp Kodomo's maximum attendance is 20 children per session.

For more information or to register, please consult the enclosed flyer, call 416-441-2345 or check the website at www.jccc.on.ca.

Kamp Kodomo March Break Review

15 children joined head instructor Jerome over the March Break to participate in a week filled with "Matsuri" madness. They made festive Japanese crafts, cooked takoyaki, and tried their hand at different martial arts. They also ventured out for a trip to the Royal Ontario Museum. To cap off the week, the kids had fun putting together a mini-festival for parents and visitors.



Many thanks to our high school volunteers for all their help. An even bigger thanks to Jerome, who will be leaving us this summer after 3 years of working with the program.



*Thank you for all the fun,
Jerome sensei
Photos courtesy of
Jerome Geronimo!*



Another Successful Spring Festival 2013

Although it was a cold and blustery weekend, with the remnants of the last snowfall still evident in the huge snow piles around the parking lot, the JCCC bravely tried to usher in the spring season on March 2 and 3. The building was filled with huge crowds attending the annual Spring Festival.

Upon entering the building, visitors were awed by the impressive Hina Ningyo doll display and stopped for a quick photo. Some visitors came already dressed for the occasion, but members of our Discover Japan program also offered the opportunity to wear traditional clothing so that you could capture the beauty with a picture. The theme of Dolls ensured there were many more dolls on display throughout the entire building.

In Kobayashi Hall visitors found a variety of vendors, and cultural crafts as well as live entertainment. Performances included all of the favourites, but saw many changes to make them new and exciting. The Sakura Kai, the Ayame Kai and the Himawari Buyo Kai all showcased their new repertoires. The koto and shamisen performances by the Canada Chikushi Kai and York University Japanese Music Ensemble were still as impressive as ever. Yakudo Traditional drummers included performances by the young students in their program. We also saw performances by Ohana Hula and Sakura Mai.

Of course, there were also the demonstrations of martial arts in the dojos, tea ceremonies, delicious Japanese food in the Shokokai Court and more vendors throughout the building. At the western end of our building, we had a bustling room of activities for children, including many enthusiastic Toronto Kite Fliers volunteers helping to make kites to take home and volunteers from the Origami Society of Canada.

With all that there was to see and do, it was no wonder why everyone had a great day!

The JCCC thanks the individuals, groups and organizations that provide the entertainment and demonstrations. We also thank all the great volunteers and staff, whom have all helped raise this great community tradition to new and greater heights!

Photos courtesy of Jerome Geronimo.

Building Your Family Legacy



THE JAPANESE-CANADIAN LEGACY PROJECT

With the slowly thawing weather of March, the Sedai Project has been forging new ground through building upon new connections, and looking forward to participation in the newly announced

Moriyama Nikkei Heritage Centre. The Sedai Project would like to thank Kay Higashi (father of Natalie Higashi, a well missed Sedai volunteer!) for contributing his family's piece of the Nikkei heritage puzzle to the Sedai collection. Sedai firmly believes in the value and power of leaving a family legacy – if you or someone you know is interested in helping build a legacy for your family, the Sedai Project is always happy to assist in not only helping to add to the community's voice through the Project, but also in creating a history on record for your loved ones to review.

As previously mentioned, Sedai is very proud to be participating in the creation of the newly announced Moriyama Nikkei Heritage Centre. We're very excited to be culling gems of information and individual perspectives to give a personal voice to the content that is developing in the new exhibit space. Sedai hopes that the voices that have been recorded will give added meaning and depth to the narrative of our community's history, and hopes that you will consider visiting upon opening, and engaging with the content the Project has provided.

Sedai will be visiting the Ottawa area late this April – we will continue to setup interviews, and as always, Sedai welcomes stories from across the spectrum of the history of Canadian Nikkei experience! If you or someone you know lives in the Ottawa area, and would like to have a story recorded, please contact Elizabeth Fujita, Sedai Project Coordinator, at elizabeth.fujita@jccc.on.ca, or by phone at 416-41-2345 ext 303 for further information.

Mark July 6th on your Calendar for Nostalgia Night!!

This year, Nostalgia Night is celebrating the Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre's 50th Anniversary by honouring the JCCC as a leader in the cultural and social development of our community.

There will be a sumptuous Japanese Canadian buffet dinner prepared by the Nostalgia Committee volunteers. There will be booth displays of the many clubs that have supported the cultural development and community building over the years. And, there will be a beer garden at the end of the day where everyone can join in the fun of karaoke, trivia contests, and much, much more!!

Registration is required to attend, which is offered at a special Anniversary cost:

Early Bird Registration by June 6, 2013*:

JCCC members:	\$10
Non-members:	\$15
Children: Ages 6 - 13:	\$ 5
Below 5:	free

* After June 6, late registrations for all adults, members and non-members, will be \$20.

Registration forms are included in this month's JCCC newsletter as well as at the JCCC reception desk and online at www.jccc.on.ca.

Please note that the evening beer garden, starting at 8:00pm, is open to all and no registration or entry fee is required for this evening program. Even if you are unable to attend the dinner, you are welcome to drop in to enjoy the festivities in the beer garden afterwards.

So please mark **July 6** on your calendar and join us for this special Nostalgia Night celebrating the 50th Anniversary of the Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre. Don't forget to register early as seating is limited.

Ken Fukushima Exhibit @ JCCC Gallery

Architect, artist, black belt judo sensei and JCCC Board Member, Ken Fukushima is a remarkable person.

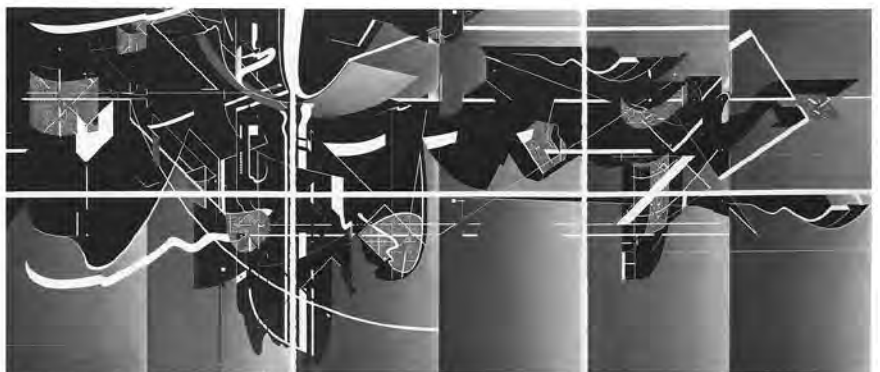
A graduate of the esteemed Cranbrook Academy of Art outside Detroit and mentored by world star-architect Daniel Libeskind, Fukushima had designed multiple building projects including the Art Gallery of Windsor, the Fredericton Convention Centre and the Actors Conservatory for the Canadian Film Centre. Most recently his architectural projects include a number of public library facilities and youth resource centres. His accomplishments, modesty and multiple contributions to the community sometimes overshadow his art projects.

Overshadowed no longer, on May 2 at 7:00pm, the JCCC Gallery will unveil a one person exhibition focusing on the art of Ken Fukushima. Besides his bold Japanese-landscape inspired drawings that have shown in Canada and the United States, Fukushima is launching new work that expresses his outlook on life in a series of art boxes. Inspired by the writing of novelist Kobo Abe who wrote, "Instead of leaving the box, I shall enclose the world within it. Now the world must have closed its eyes." Fukushima has been continuing his exploration of "near and far" in a series of mixed media constructions that will line a wall of the gallery.

Fukushima's exhibition is a powerful reflection of a sansei artist who thinks, philosophises and does. With the clean lines of a crisp kimono, his work reminds us to lead a life with perspective, determination and memory.

"Near and Far" the Art of Ken Fukushima runs from **May 2 to June 29, 2013** at the JCCC Gallery. The opening is May 2 at 7:00pm and the artist will be present. All are welcome.

The JCCC gratefully acknowledges financial support from the NAJC Endowment Fund for this project.



The Toronto Japanese Film Festival is Back and Bigger for 2013!

Last year the JCCC launched the Toronto Japanese Film Festival with 12 premieres of top Japanese films. The inaugural 2012 festival turned out to be a far greater success than we could have hoped for: we attracted 4000 people from all over the city with many screenings selling out while exit surveys indicated that audiences genuinely enjoyed the films. With the lectures, receptions, gallery exhibitions and performances that were part of the two-week festival, our visitors numbered in the tens of thousands. That was a year ago and we have been working hard to follow up this year with something even better.

The 2013 festival will be held from **June 13 to 28** and will feature 18 films including many North American and Canadian premieres. Some highlights include:

- The Canadian premiere of Yokiro (Departures) Takita's **TENCHI – THE SAMURAI ASTRONOMER**

- The Canadian premiere of Daihachi Yoshida's **THE KIRISHIMA THING**, winner of Japanese Academy Awards for Best Film, Best Director and Most Popular Film of the Year

- The Toronto premiere of Masayuki (Shall We Dance) Suo's **THE TERMINAL TRUST** with Yakusho Koji and Tamio Kusakari

- The Canadian premiere of Yoji (Tora-san, Twilight Samurai) Yamada's 50th anniversary film **TOKYO FAMILY**

- The Toronto premiere of the historical battle epic **THE FLOATING CASTLE**, nominated for 10 Japanese Academy Awards including best film

- The Toronto premiere of Ryoichi Kimizuka's heartbreaking 3.11 drama **REUNION** starring Toshiyuki Nishida

- The North American premiere of Miwa Ninagawa's wild and scandalous **HELTER SKELTER** starring Erika Sawajiri in an Academy Award nominated performance

- The North American premiere of Tezuka studios' charming family anime film **THE LIFE OF BUDORI GUSUKO**

- A TIFF encore presentation of the Uchida Kenji's hilarious **KEY OF LIFE**, winner of the Japanese Academy Award for Best Screenplay

- The North American premiere of Kazuyuki Izutsu's bank heist drama **FLY WITH THE GOLD** featuring an all-star cast

- One of South American's most celebrated films of last year, **DIRTY HEARTS**, a powerful drama about the post-war Nikkei experience in Brazil

And that's just the tip of the cinematic iceberg. Please check our website torontojff.com for more details.

Tickets go on sale May 1 at 10:00am. JCCC members are \$10 (\$40 for a 5 film pass, \$80 for 10 film pass) and non-members are \$12 (\$45 for a 5 film pass, \$90 for 10 film pass).

SHISEIDO CANADA our Lead Sponsor is offering bonus gifts valued \$49 at for 5 film pass buyers and \$79 for 10 film pass buyers. Gifts are in limited quantities, so please get yours either by calling us at 416-441-2345, coming in to the JCCC or through [ticketweb](http://ticketweb.com).



In the 50 years since the opening of the JCCC, film has been an important tool in creating friendship, understanding and exchange between the Japanese and broader Canadian communities.

The Toronto Japanese Film Festival is dedicated to showcasing the finest Japanese films that have been recognized for excellence by Japanese audiences and critics, international film festival audiences, the Japanese Film Academy.

Programming will again address popular genres such as historical (samurai) jidaigeki, contemporary dramas and comedies, pop culture manga-based action thrillers, art house fare, children's and anime films. For this year's festival, we have worked hard to find a wide range of films that represent the broad spectrum of great film created in Japan.

We invite you to join us and thank you in advance for being part of this year's festival.

Fifth Kyudo Introductory Course to begin in September

by Seikyu Kai

Kyudo is the Japanese martial art of archery, historically associated with the Samurai. Modern Kyudo is often described as “standing meditation” and focuses on attaining proper technique and attitude rather than hitting the target. This teaches the practitioner to react calmly and resolutely to his environment.

Seikyu Kai is pleased to announce a fifth, 15-week Introductory Course to be offered at the JCCC starting in September. Students without prior experience must complete the Introductory Course to be accepted in the regular kyudo program. Students with prior experience should inquire with JCCC.

The Introductory Course is divided into 5 stages:

- (1) Hassetsu (The Eight Stages of Shooting and Posture)
- (2) Gomu-yumi (Practice Bow)
- (3) Subiki (Drawing the bow without an arrow)
- (4) Makiwara (Shooting towards a short-distance target)
- (5) Taihai (ceremonial shooting)

By the time the course finishes, students will have acquired the basic skill and knowledge required to join the regular class and continue onto the next level.

Date: **Saturday September 7, 2013 – Saturday January 11, 2014**

Time: 2:45pm to 4:45pm

Fees: \$220 + HST (Please note that JCCC Membership is also required.)

Location: Tatami Dojo at the JCCC.

Equipment: Please wear loose, comfortable clothes and socks. All other equipment will be provided.

Classes are restricted to those 16 years & over.

There will be no classes on October 12, November 2, 9, December 28, 2013. Please note that some classes may be cancelled as a result of schedule changes requested by the JCCC. If this does happen, the course will be extended beyond January 11 to make a total of 15 classes. It is not mandatory to attend all 15 classes. If you cannot attend one or two classes there are enough instructors and assistants available so that those who miss a class can receive missed instruction the following week. However, we encourage everyone to attend as many classes as possible because material in each class will build on the last.

Registration Procedure

1. As a prerequisite to registration, all potential candidates must visit and watch a regular kyudo class for at least a half hour between 11:30am-12:30pm on any Saturday from May 11 to July 20 excluding June 29.
2. At the class, please introduce yourself to one of the instructors and your name will be recorded on a list indicating that you have visited a class, thereby meeting the registration pre-requisite. Please note that being on this list does not necessarily guarantee you a spot in the beginners' course. The intent of the visit is to ensure that you have some understanding of a typical kyudo class before deciding to join the course. So please feel free to ask questions while you are there.

3. Formal registration starts Monday, July 29, 2013 and you must register directly with the JCCC by phone or in person. The class size is limited to 20 people and spaces will be filled on a first come, first served basis starting July 29. You must pay at the time of your registration and your name must be on the aforementioned list in order to officially join the course.

JCCC Judo Kai Wins Inaugural Hatashita Ontario Team Championships

by JCCC Judo Kai

On March 6, 2013, the JCCC hosted the inaugural Hatashita Ontario Team Championship in Kobayashi Hall. This was a 5 person (3 men, 2 women) judo team tournament with four teams from the GTA; Ajax Budokan Judo Club (Ajax), JCCC Judo Kai (Toronto), Kawasaki Rendokan Judo (Hamilton) and Taifu Judo Club (Concord). This was a new event in Ontario where club teams squared off in an intimate venue with a noisy crowd. Many of the participants were reigning or former national champions as well as international competitors. The audience was treated to many thrilling matches by high calibre judoka in a highly charged atmosphere.

In the exciting final the JCCC Judo Kai defeated Kawasaki Rendokan Judo 4-1, which culminated in a spectacular ura-nage by Takaki Nigami in the final match of the event. The winning team was comprised of Youssef Youssef (-66kg men), Diana Nasol (-57kg women), Mohab el Nahas (-81kg men), Priscilla Campos (+57kg women), Takaki Nigami (+81kg men), alternates Yassin Youssef and Shady el Nahas and Coach Robert Varga. Every participating club was allowed to invite one athlete from another club to be on their team. JCCC Judo-Kai chose Priscilla Campos (2010 U17 National Champion) who is a member of the Almaguin Highlands Judo Club in South River Ontario (between Huntsville and North Bay. Priscilla is a student at U of T.

Round 1

JCCC Judo Kai defeated Taifu Judo Club 3-2

Kawasaki Rendokan Judo defeated Ajax Budokan Judo Club 3-2

Bronze Medal Match

Ajax Budokan Judo Club defeated Taifu Judo Club 4-1

Gold Medal Match

JCCC Judo Kai defeated Kawasaki Rendokan Judo 4-1



JCCC Judo Kai winning team: (l-r) Takaki Nigami, Mohab el Nahas, Youssef Youssef, Priscilla Campos, Diana Nasol, Robert Varga (coach).

Photo courtesy of Russ Takashima.

Sixth Annual Japanese Calligraphy Competition in Canada 2013

by Shodo Canada



Shodo Canada invites submissions by adults and students of original works of Japanese calligraphy to their national open juried competition. Award ceremony to be held on Sunday, November 10, 2013. All selected work to be mounted on silk scrolls and exhibited at the Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre from November 10 to 23, 2013.

Entry Deadline: April 30, 2013

For more information and to

download the entry form, please visit our website at www.shodocanada.com or contact us at shodocanada@gmail.com.

Bon Odori 2013

Spring has sprung! Birds are singing, flowers are blooming and Bon Odori practices are about to begin at the Toronto Buddhist Temple. Get a little exercise learning Japanese folk dances. Newcomers are welcome as step-by-step instructions are given. Practices are held Tuesday and Fridays evenings, 8:00-9:30pm, beginning Tuesday **April 23, 2013**. They will also be held on the first and third Sundays after morning service, around 12:30pm. They run until early July when all of the dancers, dressed in yukata, perform the dances at the Obon festival at the Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre.

Bon odori is for all ages, the young and the young at heart. So come out to the TBT to learn odori, see old friends, make new ones, and have some fun! Toronto Buddhist Temple is located at 1011 Sheppard Ave West (just around the corner from the Downsview subway station), 416-534-4302.

Haiku Corner

俳句コーナー

打解けて 氷と水の 仲なほり
uchitokete kouri to mizuno nakanaori

貞室
Teishitsu

Ice and water,
Their difference resolved,
Are friends again.

春立つや 静に鶴の 一步より
harutatsuya shizukani tsuruno ipporyori

召波
Shoha

Spring begins
Quietly,
From the stork's first step.

Nihongo Art Contest Exhibition 2013

at the Japan Foundation , Toronto

by the Nihongo Art Contest Committee

Nihongo Art is a unique way to express inventive ideas about Japanese words through illustration using Kanji, Hiragana, and Katakana. Students currently studying Japanese at an educational institution or in private tutoring in Ontario from Grades 1 to 12 participated in this contest. Please come and see their creative artworks! Free admission



Date: April 26 to May 8, 2013

Gallery Hours :

Mon & Thurs, 11:30am – 7:00pm

Tues, Wed & Fri, 11:30am – 4:30pm

Saturday May 4, 12:00pm - 5:00pm

Location: The Japan Foundation, 131 Bloor Street W, Suite 213, Toronto

Awards Presentation and Art Workshop

Sunday April 28, 2013, 2:00pm-4:00pm

For more information, please visit www.geocities.jp/ontarionac/

Save the Date!

6th Annual Friends of Mike Golf Tournament and Dinner

by Friends of Mike Committee

Mark your calendars for **Sunday May 26, 2013**. The Sixth Annual Friends of Mike event will take place in just over two months and we are very excited to be able to bring the golf tournament portion back at Bushwood Golf Club. A delicious buffet style dinner catered by Toriichi Catering will follow at the Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre.

Michael Shin passed away in 2011 from Frontotemporal Degeneration (FTD) at the age of 52. FTD represents an estimated 10%-20% of all dementia cases and is recognized as one of the most common dementias affecting a younger population. It is estimated that FTD affects approximately 50,000-60,000 North Americans. While there are currently no treatments to slow or stop the progression of the disease, FTD research is expanding, producing a greater understanding of the disorders.

Mike's family has been so fortunate to have the support of so many people and this event has also increased awareness of FTD, furthered research opportunities and assisted his family in so many ways. Through the years, his wife June and children Thomas, Jaclyn and Erica have gained so much from the generosity and kindness extended to them and they are so thankful that this event has continued. We hope that many of you will come out for a day of golf and dinner and share memories of Mike.

Please join us on Sunday May 26th for a great day of golf and dinner to support the future needs of Michael's family and FTD research.

More details will be available shortly at www.FriendsofMike.ca.

Ball Players Needed for Sunday JC 3-PITCH League

by JC 3-Pitch League

The Japanese Canadian 3-Pitch Baseball League begin its 27th season of play at the end of May and we are looking for additional players.

Our non-profit league, founded in 1987, is co-ed, with women and men, between the ages of 18 and 60+ and skill levels from beginner to intermediate. The prime directive of the League is to provide a social, yet competitive environment for persons or families of Japanese ancestry to participate and integrate together, to meet others sharing similar culture, heritage and interests, to have fun and to make friends.

Games are on Sunday (excluding July and August long weekends) mornings (9:30am-12:00pm) from mid-May to the end of August in the Warden and Steeles Avenue area (Scarborough/Markham border). We host post-game BBQ's during the season and provide a subsidized banquet in September. Each team pitches to their own players (players hit every inning) in a slow pitch/lob ball format with each player receiving 3 (men) or 4 (women) pitches.

Membership Deadline: May 11, 2013

Membership Fee: \$75 (no increase in 11 years!)

Includes: Team sweater, team photograph, refreshments at all games, league BBQs, subsidized banquet with trophies & door prizes, all bases, bats, balls and other equipment, (players are asked to supply their own glove).

First Day of Play: Sunday May 19, 2013

If you would like additional information about the J.C. 3-Pitch League or would like to register to play, please call or email one of the following committee members or check out our website: www.jc3pitch.com or email us at: jc3pitch@gmail.com.

Glen Kawaguchi 416-755-6421

Rob Takimoto 905-458-0445 email: jc3pitch@gmail.com

Bob Doi email: jc3pitch@gmail.com



JC3-Pitch Committee Members (Left to Right):

Back Row: Michael Ogino, Rob Takimoto, Paul Takasaki, Jon Nagamatsu

Front Row: Glen Kawaguchi, Neil Nagamatsu, Bob Doi

Photo courtesy of Bob Doi.

Momiji's 8th Annual Bowlathon

by Momiji Health Care Society

Momiji Health Care Society 8th Annual Fundraising Bowlathon	
Date:	Saturday, May 11, 2013 2:00 - 5:00 p.m.
Place:	Thornccliffe Bowlerama 45 Overlea Blvd., Toronto
Cost:	Bowling only (5 or 10 pin) \$15 Bowling & dinner combo \$30 Dinner only \$18 Dinner & refreshments at Momiji Centre

Registration is only a first come, first served basis. The deadline for registration is Friday April 19, 2013.

Prize Categories for:

- Most sponsorship money
- Most sponsors
- 3-Strike level 10 sponsorship
- Most youth participation

Sponsorship forms and payment sheets available at www.momijihealthcare.com or contact us from the following:

Head Office:	(416) 779-8833
April Hill:	(905) 709-2727
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Register | Get Sponsors | Support Momiji
Join Us and Have Fun!

Attention bowlers! **Saturday May 11, 2013** is the date to mark on your calendar to participate in our 8th Annual Bowlathon. We welcome league bowlers, families and groups of friends to come out for an enjoyable day of camaraderie, family fun, and maybe a little friendly competition. We begin by bowling three games of 5-pin or 10-pin at Thornccliffe Bowlerama starting at 2:00pm and then move to the Momiji Seniors Residence for a delicious dinner, featuring prizes galore - Sponsorship Prizes, Blind Scores, Raffle and Door Prizes! And new

this year, Youth Prizes, for bowlers 16 years of age and under.

Sponsors from past Bowlathons have helped pay for several capital projects, and we are excited to show you what has been most recently completed, from the proceeds of previous bowlathons.

If you wish to form a team, or join a team, please call Scott at 416-261-6683 for a registration package, or get it on our website, www.Momiji.on.ca. Spaces are limited, so register today and start rounding up sponsors!

Registrations must be submitted by April 19.

Sogetsu Ikebana Toronto East Branch 43rd Ikebana Show

Sogetsu Ikebana Show on **Sunday May 26, 2013** from 1:00pm to 5:00pm at the JCCC. Opening Ceremony will be at 1:30pm, followed by Ikebana demonstration. There will be sales of hand-made pottery, and a tearoom will also be available.

Sogetsu Ikebana brings expression of beauty and peace of mind by placing plant material in different kinds of spaces, which includes contemporary living architectural spaces such as shop windows, streets and stages.

General admission \$5, children under 12 free. Everyone is welcome to join us all afternoon.

For information, please contact Mrs. Abe at 416-491-7705.

**FORTY-THIRD
SOGETSU IKEBANA SHOW**

Official Opening: 1:30 pm

**Sunday, May 26, 2013
1:00 to 5:00 pm**

Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre
6 Garamond Court
Toronto, Ontario
(Don Valley Parkway & Wynford Dr.)

**Ikebana Demonstration
2:30 pm**

**Admission \$5.00
Under 12 Free**

Tearoom, Pottery Sale

For information: 416-491-7705

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\$13.28 JCCC members
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Tickets available at 416.441.2345

Wednesday July 31, 2013 @7pm

With a centuries-long history "EISA" is Okinawan Dance and Music. Presenting soft feminine dances and dynamic masculine dances with various drums, singing and chanting accompanied by the Sanshin (Okinawan lute) as well as colourful and exotic costumes.



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Mr. and Mrs. Shizuhiko Nishisato	110
Mr. and Mrs. Mack Oikawa	110
Ms. Fumi Sasaki	150
Mr. Noriyuki Tanahashi	146
Dr. Jane Toyota	127
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Friends of the Nikkei Heritage Centre

Mrs. Betty Lou Arai	500
Mrs. Michelle Chibba	500
Mrs. Amy Hanada-Nagahara	500
Ikenobo Ikebana Society of Toronto	2,000
Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Ishii	1,000
Mr. and Mrs. George Iwata	500
Mr. Takashi Iwata	500
Mr. and Mrs. Stan Kimura	1,000
Mr. Arthur Kobayashi & Mrs Jean Peasah	500
Mr. Dick Kumamoto	500
Ms. Mitsue Kuwahara	500
Mr. and Mrs. Robert Marubashi	500
Ms. Kay Nagao	1,000
Ms. Phyllis Nakagawa	500
Ms. Nana Nishimura	500
Ms. Christine Okawara	500
Mr. & Mrs. Tad & Jenny Oyagi	500
Mr. and Mrs. Takashi Sawa	500
Dr. and Mrs. Alan Shiozaki	500
Mrs. Miyeko Sugamori	500
Mr. and Mrs. Kazuharu Tsuchida	500
Mr. George Tsushima	500
Mrs. Leatrice M. Willson Chan	500



NATIONAL ASSOCIATION OF JAPANESE CANADIANS

NAJC SUSTAINING FUND

Art Miki



A Need for Vigilance

This year, as we celebrate the 25th Anniversary of the Japanese Canadian redress settlement, it is a time to reflect on the achievements of NAJC and what the future holds for us. In achieving redress, the NAJC demonstrated that perseverance and faith in our democratic system finally led to the achievement of redress and reinforced Canada's commitment to human rights. Our redress agreement became a precedent for the Canadian government to deal with and apologize for other past injustices such as the Chinese head tax, the Ukrainian internment and Indian residential schools.

Today, there is more of a need than ever to be vigilant, as racism and injustices continue to be inflicted upon our citizens, many of whom do not have the means to fight back. The NAJC, through the Human Rights Committee, continues to monitor, and speak out against, violations against other groups and peoples. It is to carry out this mandate that we seek your support and contribution for the Sustaining Fund so that the NAJC can better represent the efforts of Japanese Canadians to combat racism and discrimination and to ensure a more harmonious, equitable society. We look forward to your continued support and interest in NAJC's efforts to further Canada's human rights initiatives.

Please donate generously to the NAJC Sustaining Fund.
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The 25th Redress Anniversary banquet will be held on Saturday, September 21, 2013 at the Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre, Kobayashi Hall. Keynote speaker will be past president Art Miki. Details of the event will be posted in this and other publications. The banquet is organized by the Greater Toronto Chapter NAJC in conjunction with the national NAJC AGM being held in Toronto.

Arthur Miki has had a distinguished career as an educator and community activist. He has worked to promote improved race relations and to increase awareness of human rights issues in Canada. An active leader in the Japanese Canadian community having served as president of the National Association of Japanese Canadians from 1984-1992, Mr. Miki led the negotiations to achieve a just redress settlement for Japanese Canadians interned during the Second World War. In 1991 he received this country's highest recognition, the Order of Canada. Mr. Miki is currently a Citizenship Judge for Manitoba and Saskatchewan. ♻️



I want to support the NAJC Sustaining Fund

Please accept my donation of

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Phone: (204) 943-2910 Fax: (888) 515 3192 Email: National@najc.ca

今後の行事予定

4月

6・7日(土日)	ヘリテージカンファレンス
13日(土)	カラオケクラブ会合
18日(木)	折り紙ワークショップ
20日(土)	桜ガラ
22日(月)	饅頭作りワークショップ
25日(木)	映画鑑賞会「百万円と苦虫女」
27日(土)	カラオケクラブ会合

5月

2日(木)	ケン・フクシマ展示オープニング
4日(土)	JCCCバザー
18日(土)	カラオケクラブ会合
20日(月)	JCCC 休館日-Victoria Day
23日(木)	折り紙ワークショップ
25日(土)	カラオケクラブ会合
30日(木)	映画鑑賞会

6月

8日(土)	カラオケクラブ会合
13日(木)	トロント日本映画国際開幕
24日(月)	年次総会

JCCCの本格的茶室 で茶道クラス

この春から茶道クラスがJCCCで始まります。最初のコースでは基本的なお茶の点前と茶道の精神を学びます。指導は裏千家淡交会トロント支部の先生方です。



クラス日時: 2013年4月5日から5月31日までの毎週金曜日

午後のクラス: 午後1時から3時まで

午前のクラス: 午後7時から9時まで

クラス費: \$70 + HST

クラスでは白いソックスか足袋の着用が基本となります。クラス費とは別途にお茶菓子代として\$25を最初のクラスでお支払い下さい。

持ち物: 袱紗、古袱紗、楊枝、懐紙(これらのものはJCCCギフトショップでお買い求めいただくことができます。)

JCCC基金-3.11に被災した子供達向けに 150万ドルの支援プロジェクトを実施

先日3月2日開催の春祭りの会場に於いて、2011年3月11日に日本を襲った三重苦災害の被害者にJCCC基金より150万ドルの支援を行う計画があることを正式に発表しました。

JCCC基金はその支援金をこの災害により被害をこうむった日本の子供たちの為に運用する計画です。この未曾有の大災害は宮城、岩手、福島の子供達から沢山のものを奪い、彼らの将来に影響を与えています。経済的な援助なくしては、十分な教育を受けられない子供も多くいます。JCCC基金はそのような子供たちに焦点を当てあるゆる方面での支援を行います。そして最大最良の効果を期して、以下運用の三案を決定しました:

1) 地方自治体への支援 - 三県それぞれが設けている被災児童学生への支援基金へ、JCCC基金から寄付を送ります。

2) 大学奨学金制度 - 三県それぞれで選出された各大学毎に奨学金制度を設立し、初年度は15名に各5千カナダドルを、翌年からは毎年9名に各5千カナダドルを支給します。この奨学金はそれぞれの大学が管理運営しますが、学生の選出についてはJCCC基金の承認が必要です。

3) 在日カナダ大使館の“カナダ留学ホープ・プロジェクト”への協力 - JCCC基金は約1万5千カナダドルをプロジェクトへ寄付する用意があります。これで被災した生徒一人分のカナダへの最高半年間の語学や文化留学の費用を補うことが出来ます。

2月にはJCCC基金の代表が東北の四大学を訪問し、奨学金制度が正式に発足しました。岩手県立大学、東北大学、福島県立医科大学、東日本国際大学の四校の学生が2012/13年度の奨学金を受けられます。

JCCC基金代表のシェリ・ホサキ氏は「多様な人種で形成されるカナダの多くの市民からJCCC基金の日本地震救援基金にご賛同を頂き、非常にうれしく思っています。在カナダ日本国大使館の石川薫大使、在トロント日本国総領事館の山本栄二総領事、クラグストーン駐日カナダ大使、そして東京のカナダ大使館の職員の皆様には、私共のプロジェクト実現に向けて特にご尽力を頂き、ここに感謝を申し上げます。」と述べました。

尚150万ドルには、JCCC基金から災害直後にカナダ赤十字を通じて送られた義援金10万ドルも含まれます。

本件に関するお問合せ先: シェリ・ホサキ、日系文化会館内JCCC基金代表 Tel 647-385-7655、e-mail:shari@sakuralegal.com

4月映画: 百万円と苦虫女

4月はタナダユキ監督作品、蒼井優主演「百万円と苦虫女」(2008年)を4月25日(木)午後7時から上映します。入場料はJCCC会員\$8、非会員\$10です。



あらすじ: 就職浪人中の鈴子(蒼井優)は、アルバイトをしながら実家で暮らしていた。彼女は仲間とルームシェアを始めるが、それが思いも寄らぬ事件に発展し、警察の世話になる。中学受験を控えた弟(齋藤隆成)にも責められ家に居づらくなった彼女は家を出て、1か所所100万円貯まったら次の場所に引っ越すという根無し草のような生活を始める。(Yahoo映画より)

第5回桜ガラ

第5回桜ガラが4月20日に開催される今年、日系文化会館は会館設立50周年という記念すべき節目を迎えます。今年はそれを記念して様々なイベントが開催される予定ですがその中でもこの桜ガラは重要な行事の一つであり、カナダと日本からの最高のエンターテインメント、料理、芸術、ビジネス、スタイルを一つに融合した他に類を見ないファンディングイベントです。

また、イベントのハイライトとしてカナダ国内外において日系の歴史そして文化遺産の理解と発展に貢献されてきた各個人を称え「桜アワード」の贈呈が行われます。これまで開催されてきました桜ガラは企業スポンサーやコミュニティ団体そしてJCCCコミュニティメンバーの皆様からの寛大なごサポートを受け大成功をおさめてきました。

今年はトロント交響楽団そしてボストン交響楽団など世界トップクラスの交響楽団や歌劇団においてこれまで世界的指揮者として精力的に活躍されてきた小沢征爾氏をお迎えする運びとなりました。

桜ガラウェブサイト www.sakuragala.com もご覧下さい。その他個人チケット・グループチケット、スポンサーシップ、サイレントオークションへの出品寄付そしてプログラムへの広告掲載に件に関しては、Sarah Burd at 416-249-0788 もしくは sarahb@jccc.on.ca までお問い合わせ下さい。



JCCCバザーボランティア募集

JCCCでは今年も5月4日(土)に恒例の『バザー』を開催いたします。そこで現在このイベントをお手伝いしていただけるボランティアを募集しています。

もちつきデー 2013年4月28日(日) 午前9時半～午後4時くらいまで毎年JCCCのバザーで販売しているお餅は、ボランティアの皆さんが作っています。大人気で開場から2時間ぐらいうちに完売してしまいます。高校生の皆さんでボランティアアワーが必要な方、ぜひご参加下さい。お餅作りのノウハウも習えます。

・ バザーで販売するお餅作りとそのパッケージング。

バザー 2013年5月4日(土) 午後12時半～午後4時毎年JCCC恒例のファンディングイベントです。開場前は長蛇の列ができるほどのビッグイベントなので大勢のボランティアの皆さんのご協力をお願いしています。

キッチン用品やガーデニング用品などの日用品から、サイレントオークション、日本食の販売などたくさんの催しを予定しています。高校生の皆さんでボランティアアワーが必要な方、沢山の仕事があります!ぜひお越し下さい。

JCCCバザー

毎年恒例のJCCCバザーが今年も**5月4日(土)** 午後12時半から午後4時まで開催されます。

バザーはJCCCにとって一番大きなファンディングイベントです。キッチン用品やガーデニング用品などの日用品から、サイレントオークション、日本食の販売などたくさんの催しを予定しています。

バザーへのご寄付も受け付けています。焼き菓子、大福、饅頭、お赤飯、ちらし寿司などの食品類はバザー当日にお持ちになって下さい。そのほか中古品でまだ使用できるもの、新品のもののご寄付はなどを4月1日から受け付けます。ただし服や本のご寄付はご遠慮しておりますのであらかじめご了承下さい。

また高校生の皆さんでボランティアアワーが必要な方、沢山の仕事があります!

毎年開場前から長蛇の列ができる人気イベントです。お友達、ご家族とお誘いあわせのうえ、ぜひお越し下さい。

沖縄の演舞、エイサー

沖縄のお祭りパフォーマンス「エイサー」がこの夏JCCCにやってきます。

エイサーとは沖縄のお祭りで披露されるダンスと音楽。もともとはお盆の時期にご先祖様の霊を迎え入れるためにお行われたもので、現在では年間を通して折々の沖縄のお祭りで見られる演舞です。エイサーは女性の各種太鼓に合わせたやさしい女性の踊り、男性の力強い踊りに加え、三線(サンシンー三味線の元祖)にあわせた歌やお囃子、それにエキゾチックで色鮮やかな衣装も見どころの一つです。ダイナミックなエイサーの演舞を是非お楽しみに。

日: **2013年7月31日(月)**

イベントの詳細は5月ニュースレターに掲載されます。

準備と当日のボランティアスケジュール:

バザー前日の準備 2013年5月3日(金)

- ・ 販売ブースのセットアップや館内の地図やサインを貼る仕事など。(9:30am-4pmの間で可能な時間帯)
- ・ いなり寿司作りと軽食の下ごしらえなど。(12:30pm-5pm)

バザー当日: 開場前の午前7時～午後12時くらいまで

- ・ のり巻き作り (沢山作ります。)

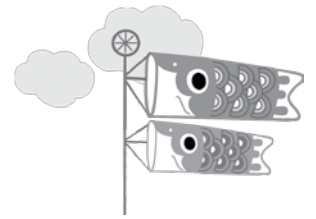
バザー当日の寿司作り以外の主な仕事:

- ・ パーキング誘導 (10am-12:30pm, 12:30pm-3pm)
 - ・ 入口付近の整備 (11am-3pm)
 - ・ ギフトショップ販売 (12pm-4:30pm)
 - ・ フードブースでの販売 (10am-4:30pm)
 - ・ キッチンヘルプ (9:30am-4:30pm)
 - ・ ウェイター/ウェイトレス (11am-4:30pm)
- 等。他にも沢山あります!

お菓子作りが得意な方、好きな方、焼き菓子のドネーションも大歓迎です!クッキー、パイ、ブレッド等なんでもOK! バザーの前日又は当日にJCCCまでお持ち下さい。

ボランティアに興味のある方は、担当ヒプシユ由希までご連絡下さい。追って詳細をご連絡いたします。

Email: volunteer@jccc.on.ca Tel: 416-441-2345 ext.235



絵てがみワークショップ

絵てがみとは。。。大好きな人、気にかかる人、励ましたい人、感謝したい人への直筆の絵入りの手紙です。だから、ヘタでいい。へたがいい。気持ちが伝わればいい。書道筆を用いて、絵を描く。下書きなしの一発真剣勝負。色は日本画用の顔彩を用い、透明感のある明るい彩色。あとは、気持ちを伝える素直な言葉でてがみを書き、仕上げは宛先。ポストイン。あなたの心を届けましょう。



初めての方、親子参加、絵てがみ上級者、どんな方も気軽に参加できるワークショップです。スケジュールは以下の通りです。

4月13日(土)

果樹に咲く花爛漫「桜・桃・林檎 花の絵手紙」

5月25日(土)

植物、大自然、家族へ「感謝の絵手紙」、第16回『ありがとうのちょっと大きな絵てがみ大賞』に参加しよう!(詳細は5月号ニュースレターをご覧ください。)

6月22日(土)

手作り今年夏を盛り上げる「扇子に描く夏模様」

受講費*(4回分):\$60+HST(JCCC会員) / \$68+HST(非会員)

初めての方、ドロップ・イン大歓迎!

一回につき\$18+HST(JCCC会員)、\$20+HST(非会員)

*材料費込み。

年齢対象:小人はアルファベット又はひらがな、カタカナが書けること。13歳以下は保護者同伴。

筆、梅皿、硯などの絵てがみ道具をお持ちの方はご持参下さい。

心身の健康にジェントルヨガクラス

この春JCCCにヨガクラスが戻ってきます。

健康促進に効果があると言われるヨガには体の動き(ポスター)呼吸法、瞑想が含まれ、エネルギーアップ、体と心のリラックス、そして心身の不調の改善に役立ちます。ジェントルヨガはヨガエナジェスティックス講師の免許を持つレピック吉原とこ子さんが教えるクラスで、性別、年齢、経験を問わず全ての人に楽しんでいただけます。

クラス日時: 金曜日、4月5日から5月31日まで

(5月3日はお休み)

午前10時半から11時半まで

クラス費(8クラス):会員\$104+HST 非会員\$120+HST

コース開始後のお申し込みは\$16+HST x 残りのクラスの回数

月例映画鑑賞会をお手伝いして下さるボランティア募集!

JCCCでは毎月第4木曜日に行われる映画鑑賞会で午後6時から7時半までチケット販売のお手伝いをしていただけるボランティアを募集しています。お手伝いして頂いたあとは、ゆっくり映画を楽しんでいただけます。ご興味のある方は、volunteer@jccc.on.ca または416 441 2345までお問い合わせください。

加藤木朗と永田社中がくりひろげる日本芸能舞台

「舞台とは現代社会の祭祀の場」という思いのもとに、日本各地の伝統芸能を自己のカラダに浸透させ、そこから湧き出た動きや律動を素にふるさとを想い、幸せを願い、心の祈りを伝え捧げる時空間としての舞台芸能を創造しているアーティスト、加藤木朗(かとうぎ あきら)の初カナダ公演。

今回の注目は長男の加藤木磊也(らいや)との親子共演。そして、トロントで活躍するプロ和楽器演奏グループ「永田社中」とのコラボレーションも見所のひとつです。

永田社中とトロント日系文化会館とが協力してお届けするこの特別な舞台は、まさに日本芸能と呼ぶにふさわしい伝統美と生命の力そのもの。このパワーをじかに肌で感じる、またとない機会をお見逃しなく!チケット販売の詳細はp6の広告をご覧ください。

5月11日土曜日のトロント日系文化会館小林ホールでの公演のあと、翌日12日の1時より会館内の商工会ホールにて3時間の日本芸能ワークショップを行います。どなたでも参加できます。詳しいお問い合わせはJCCCまで。

加藤木朗(和太鼓、日本舞踊、神楽、お囃子、大道芸などの古典芸能)

1967年秋田県生まれ。両親が秋田を拠点にする民俗芸能を基盤にした日本国内有数の劇団わらび座のメンバーであったことから、わらび座で生まれ、日本舞踊、神楽、お囃子、日本各地の伝統芸能を身につけながら育つ。高校生の時に家族とともにわらび座を離れた後、日本各地の様々な名人上手に師事し技芸を吸収、長野県の田楽座などに所属後、1999年に独立し、個人の活動を開始。日本だけでなくアメリカ、ヨーロッパや世界各地で演奏活動を続けている。

第43回目、草月生け花展

by 草月生け花トロント東支部

あらゆる植物を空間に取り入れ想像力を基調に無限の自己表現の生け花展が来る2013年5月26日(日)にトロント日系文化会館に於いて午後1時から5時まで開催されます。

当日は開会式に続きデモンストレーションが予定されており、お茶室の用意もあり、好評の手作り花器なども即売されます。

ご家族、友人をお誘い合わせの上春のひとときをエンジョイして頂きたいと当会では希望しております。

入場料は大人\$5.00 12才以下無料

お問合せは416-491-7705 阿部まで

カエテ文庫開館のお知らせ

- 4月の開館日:4月13日(土)、4月27日(土)
- 開館時間:両日とも午後1時から午後4時まで
- 開館場所:JCCC日系文化会館2階 ハマサキ・ルーム

新しく文庫に加わった本も多数あります。以下はその主なものです。

<ハードカバー>

「道化師の蝶」円城 塔 - 芥川賞受賞

「蝸ノ記」葉室 麟 - 直木賞受賞

「ナミヤ雑貨店の奇蹟」東野 圭吾

<文庫本>

「上と外」恩田 陸

「希望ヶ丘の人びと」重松 清

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2013年トロント日本映画祭

トロント日本映画祭 (Toronto JFF) では、日本で観客や映画評論家から高い評価を得た作品、また海外の映画祭や日本アカデミー賞などで受賞するなど話題の作品を上映します。Toronto JFFでは、この映画祭がカナダの観客や日本の映画制作関係者、そして日本映画産業界をサポートする皆さんの出会いの場となればと考えます。Toronto JFFは日本とカナダ北米の映画産業界の、特に配給の面での大きな架け橋ともなるでしょう。Toronto JFFで上映される作品の数々は、カナダ・北米で広く認知され受け入れられる為のまず第一歩をここで印すことになるでしょう。第2回Toronto JFFは、日系文化会館 (JCCC) を会場として、2013年は6月13日から6月27日の15日間で開催されます。上映される映画は、時代劇から現代ドラマ、コメディ、人気コミックを原作としたアクションスリラー、子供向け映画、アニメなど人気の分野から幅広く選出されます。一部の特別上映作品を除き、どの作品もTJFFでの上映がカナダあるいはトロント封切となります。JCCCでは日本で評判となっている映画や、日本アカデミー賞受賞作などの話題の作品を上映します。それゆえ、これらの映画は“日本で選出された”作品と言っても過言ではないでしょう。

辛い強制収容所と困難な再定住の経験ののち、トロントの日系コミュニティがJCCCを築き上げてきた理由の一つには、自分たちの存在とその文化をより多くのカナダに住む人々に紹介し、知ってもらうことでした。戦時中における日系人への迫害の要因のひとつにはカナダ人の日系人に対する知識不足があったと信じています。無知が恐れを生み、その恐れが日系コミュニティに対する不当な扱いを招いたのです。JCCCが設立されて今年で50周年を迎えます。これまで“文化がわかる。心がかよ。”のモットーを掲げ多くの人々に日本文化を紹介し、相互理解を深めることに力を注いできました。そしてこの精神のもとトロント日本映画祭が立ち上げられました。

全12本の作品を上映し約4000人の観客動員数を得た第一回Toronto JFFでは期待以上の大成功をおさめ、トロント市内外の幅広い映画ファン層の心を掴みました。またToronto JFF期間中は、映画の上映の他に映画関連のパフォーマンスや講演などのイベントなども行われ、何万人もの来館者を迎えました。

Toronto JFF実行委員会では2013年の開催に向け、皆様の要望そして期待に沿えるよう幅広いジャンルの作品選出に力を注いできました。今年もさらに多くの人々に楽しんでいただけることと思います。

第一回トロント日本映画祭の収益の一部はJCCCファウンデーション日本地震救済基金へ寄付されました。東日本大震災で甚大な被害を受けた東北地方救援の為に設立されたこの基金へは、これまで総額1.5億ドルが寄せられました。今年の映画祭の収益は年間200,000人の来館者に日系カナダ人コミュニティの現在に至るまでの歩み、不当な人種差別経験から得た教訓と異文化への容認の大切さを学ぶ機会をもつていただく場となる日系カナダヘリテージセンター・ミュージアムに充てられます。

小林アワード(観客賞)

実際にご覧いただいた観客の投票により、最も評価を集めた作品を小林アワード(観客賞)として選出します。この賞は、日系2世の故コビー & ヨネ小林夫妻にちなんで設けられました。小林夫妻はその生前50年以上の間、トロントの日系コミュニティに深く貢献されました。特に資金面での貢献は多大なものがありますが、同時に精神的なリーダー、またイベント時には自らボランティアとして活動するなど、日系文化会館の設立から、活動、そして発展に尽力されました。トロント日本映画祭の会場となるホールは、そのコビー & ヨネ小林夫妻の名が冠され小林ホールと呼ばれています。

2012年度小林アワードはオープニングナイトで上映されました成島出監督の作品“八日目の蝉”が選ばれました。この作品は日本アカデミー賞でベストピクチャー賞を含む10つ賞を受賞しました。特別賞には多くの人々から高い評価を受けた松井久子監督による“LEONIE”が選ばれました。

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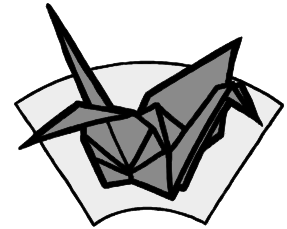
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Kamp Kodomo Summer 2013



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Who can register?

Children ages 6 to 12 Years

Dates

Session 1 – July 8 – 12

Session 2 – July 15 – 19

Session 3 – July 22 – 26

Times

Camp Hours are from 9:00 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.

Extended camp care is available daily from 8:00 to 9:00 a.m. and from 4:30 to 6:00 p.m.

Fee

\$ 200/week

Early bird discount \$180/week if paid in full by April 30, 2013

10% discount for JCCC Members

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Extended care is \$ 35/week per child.

What is included?

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Drama

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Music

Cooking

Dance

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Arts and Crafts

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Children must bring a nutritious lunch and drink each day.

Why register?

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How to register

Submit one (1) Registration Form for each child (see reverse). Return to the JCCC via mail, in person or via fax. Enrollment is limited to 20 children per week. **Registrations will not be**

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Registration deadline June 28, 2013



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Kamp Kodomo Registration Form

July 8 - 26, 2013

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Last First

Child's Home Address: _____
Number Street Apt/Suite

City _____ Postal Code _____ Telephone, include area code _____

Birth Date: _____ Sex: Male Female Age: _____
Date Month Year

Ontario Health Insurance Number _____ Doctor's Name _____ Phone No. _____

Name of Parent or Guardian: _____
Last First

Relationship to Child: Mother Father Other, please specify: _____

Contact During the Day: _____
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Is there other important information about your child that you would like us to know? For example, friends at the program, special interests, sports, musical instruments or arts and crafts: _____

Medical Conditions/Food & Other Allergies: _____

Program Fees	= _____	(\$180.00 per week before April 30 th)	Specify week:
No. of weeks	= _____		() Week 1: Jul 8 - 12
Sub-total	= _____	(\$200.00 per week after April 30 th)	() Week 2: Jul 15 - 19
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2013年7月6日(土)

3:00pm から 8:00pm
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