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### Natsu Matsuri and Obon Festival 2013 Featuring Tanabata Celebrations!

The JCCC would like to invite everyone to come out on **Saturday July 13, 2013** for the 11th Annual Natsu Matsuri (3:00pm – 7:00pm) and Obon (7:00pm – end) Festival. Please join us for a lively festival atmosphere with games, great food and spectacular performances.

For the first time this year we will also be celebrating Tanabata, featuring a special Wishing Tree, Somen Bar and Tanabata activities for children (which will include book readings in the new Library). Tanabata is a summer star festival usually held on or near the 7th of July in Japan and is based off a folklore of two star-crossed lovers who can only meet once a year by crossing the Milky Way. Also, to commemorate the 50th anniversary of the JCCC, we will be featuring a cherry tree painting on which guests can leave their thumb prints as cherry blossoms. Come leave your thumbprint and be a part of JCCC history!"



Photo courtesy of Jerome Geronimo.

Many community organizations come together to make this a unique event. Weather permitting, the event will take place outside in the parking lot, or else it will be moved indoors to Kobayashi Hall.

We look forward to the 11th year of this exciting JCCC and Community tradition. We hope to see lots of new and familiar faces. Mark your calendars now! Everyone is welcome and admission is free!



### Volunteers Needed!

We will need many volunteers on Friday July 12 from 5:00pm to 8:00pm to decorate the inside and outside of the JCCC! We will also need many volunteers on Saturday July 13 including assisting in the kids area and food service areas. Please contact Yuki Hipsh at volunteer@jccc.on.ca if you are interested in being a part of this exciting event!

### Nostalgia Night coming up soon!







Don't forget to mark **Saturday July 6** for this year's Nostalgia Night! Registration cost is \$20 for all adults, which closes on July 2, so sign up now and you won't miss out!!

The program begins at 3:00pm when you sign in to get your nametag and then walk down memory lane. Booths of clubs and organizations that have been supported by the Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre over the past fifty years will have displays of their activities and information. Catch up with your friends, reminisce about your involvement in these clubs and organizations, or investigate current clubs and activities that continue to promote the Japanese Canadian culture. You'll be amazed at the variety of clubs and organizations and may even find some new ones to join!

You can also explore the exhibit of art by Japanese Canadian artists on display in the JCCC Gallery, take a peek at the new Nikkei Heritage Museum slated to open in the early summer, and then browse through the picture displays and photos of activities that have spanned the Centre's 50 years. Of course you'll also want to stop by the Heritage Archiving table to see if you can identify anybody in the photo collections on display.

At 4:00pm join us in Kobayashi Hall for the formal Nostalgia Night proceedings. As a special treat, the Sansei Choir, which represented the JCCC at many functions and opened the inaugural

proceedings of the JCCC 50 years ago, is reuniting to open the formal proceedings honouring the JCCC's 50 years of contributing to the cultural and social development of our Japanese Canadian community. Then of course, it is on to the delicious buffet dinner prepared by the many volunteers.

Once dinner is over and the formal Nostalgia Night event ends, at 8:00pm Kobayashi Hall will transform into the Beer Garden! There is no admission cost to this fun-filled event which will cap the celebrations with activities, karaoke, and of course favourite beverages.

So join us on July 6th for a full day of activities, memories, good food, and fun times!

# Friends of the Moriyama Nikkei Heritage Centre Donor Wall Soon to be Unveiled

The Friends of the Moriyama Nikkei Heritage Centre donor wall will be unveiled in July 2013. Inscriptions already purchased will be featured on the donor wall in July.

If you haven't already, you can still dedicate an inscription for yourself, a friend, or loved



Photo courtesy of Scott Kawaguchi.

one, for a donation of \$500. Corporate and Group inscriptions are also available at the \$2,000 level. Any inscriptions purchased after June 2013 will be part of the inscriptions added to the donor wall later in the year.

The Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre thanks everyone who dedicated Friends of the Moriyama Nikkei Heritage Centre inscriptions since the initiative was launched last fall. We are very close to reaching the \$150,000 mark. Proceeds will support the Moriyama Nikkei Heritage Centre's ongoing operation and programming. \*Listing of donor names are on page 13.

### JCCC's Toronto Japanese Film Festival Welcomes Japanese Academy Award Winner Daihachi Yoshida

With the 2103 Toronto Japanese Film Festival just around the corner, the excitement continues to build and tickets continue to sell at a record pace. In fact all 200 multi-film passes sold in the first 2 weeks! But fear not, there are lots of individual tickets still available.

With a line-up of 18 of Japan's biggest films from the last year, combined with all manner of cultural activities – tea ceremony,



Director Daihachi Yoshida.

taiko performance, tameshigi sword demonstrations, lots of sake and sushi – the TorontoJFF promises to be a unique and unforgettable two weeks.

We are also pleased to announce that director Daihachi Yoshida will be flying to Toronto for the closing night screening and reception. His film, THE KIRISHIMA THING, won the Japanese Academy Awards for Best Film and Best Director. Yoshida-san will introduce the film and take questions following the show. We hope you'll join us for this exceptional film and meet its creator.

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### **JCCC Annual General Meeting Notice**

The membership of the Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre is hereby given notice of the 2013 Annual General Meeting on **Monday June 24, 2013** at 7:30pm at the JCCC, 6 Garamond Court, Toronto. Applications for nomination to the JCCC Board of Directors must be received at the JCCC 30 days prior to the AGM. For more information. please contact the JCCC at 416-441-2345 The agenda and proxy form are enclosed with this issue.

### EISA: The rhythm of Okinawa

Tickets now on sale!

We are pleased to announce that the JCCC will be holding an Okinawa event on Wednesday July 31, 2013

The main event will feature the Okinawan Dance and Music show



"Eisa" at 7:30pm by the Japanese group, Karakoro, in Kobayashi Hall. Karakoro is a unique performing group consisting of a wide range of people from different age groups and backgrounds.

Before the show you will also have the opportunity to experience Okinawa by sampling the region's food and drinks, music, costumes and displays (among other things!). Ryoji, an Okinawan restaurant that opened in Toronto this year, will be selling authentic Okinawa food that can be enjoyed before the concert. Goya tea and snacks, specialties of Okinawa, will also be available. This pre-show event will be held in the Shokokai Court from 5:00pm.

"Eisa" is an Okinawan ceremonial dance dates back many centuries. 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 the precursor of Shamisen), as well as colourful and exotic costumes.

For the Toronto show, Karakoro will perform three different types of Eisa. The first act will be traditional Eisa, which includes dances with celebratory music along with dragon and lion dances. In the second act, the theme will be nursery songs. Then the third act will be Karakoro original Eisa, which starts with the Japanese song "Sakura"

Please come and experience Okinawa and this dynamic performance at the JCCC!

Date: Wednesday July 31, 2013
Time: Pre-show event starts at 5:00pm
Performance starts at 7:30pm

Tickets: \$13.27 + HST JCCC members, \$17.70 + HST non-members

(now on sale at the JCCC reception desk 416-441-2345)

# <u>Volunteers Needed for Toronto Japanese Film Festival (TJFF) June 13 -20, June 24-28, 2013</u> *All volunteers must be over 18 years old.*

- Helping during the opening and/or closing receptions
- Theatre helpers (Box office, crowd control, etc)
- Snack booth helpers (Sales at the snack booth)
- Bartender (Must be Smart Serve certified)

### Screening & Volunteering Schedule\*:

Thu. Jun 13	Opening Reception at 6:30pm , 7:30pm	5pm-End
Fri. Jun 14	7pm, 9:15pm	5:30pm-End
Sat. Jun 15	1:45pm, 4pm, 7pm	1 <sup>st</sup> shift: 12pm-5pm 2 <sup>nd</sup> shift: 5pm-End
Sun. Jun 16	1:45pm, 4pm, 6:30pm	1 <sup>st</sup> shift: 12pm-5pm 2 <sup>nd</sup> shift: 5pm-End
Mon. Jun 17	7pm	6pm-End
Tue. Jun 18	7pm	6pm-End
Wed. Jun 19	7pm	6pm-End
Thu. Jun 20	7pm	6pm-End
Mon. Jun 24	7pm	6pm-End
Tue. Jun 25	7pm	6pm-End
Wed. Jun 26	7pm	6pm-End
Thu. Jun 27	7pm	6pm-End
Fri. Jun 28	7pm followed by Closing Reception	6pm-End

<sup>\*</sup>Screening time may vary slightly. Final schedule for volunteers will be provided on orientation day.

### Volunteer Orientation: Tuesday, June 11, 2013 7:00pm-8:30pm

If this is your first time volunteering at TJFF, attendance is strongly recommended. If you are not able to attend, please inform us in advance. TJFF reserves the right to respectfully decline any offers of volunteers who have not contacted us prior to June 11.

For more information and registration, please contact Yuki Hipsh. Please let us know all of your available days and your preferred assignment from above.

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

### <u>トロント日本映画祭ボラ</u>ンティア募集

### 2013年6月13日(木)~6月20日(木)、6月24日(月)~6月28日(金)まで

映画好き集まれ!JCCCで開催される映画祭のお手伝い。ボランティアは18歳以上に限ります。

- オープニング、クロージングレセプションのお手伝い。
- ●映画上映前後のお手伝い (チケット販売、行列の整備など様々な仕事あり)
- スナックブースのお手伝い (スナック販売。)
- ・バーテンダー (スマートサーブの資格をお持ちの方に限ります)

上映日程とボランティア時間\*上記(英語)参照

\*映画開始時間が多少変更する場合がございますが、オリエンテーションまでには決定した日程をお知らせ致します。

### ボランティアオリエンテーション:6月11日(火)午後7時-8時半まで

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

### 2013 Kamp Kodomo Summer Sessions



Photo courtesy of Jerome Geronimo.

Don't miss out on the all the summer fun at the JCCC! Kamp Kodomo is returning for another summer filled with cultural activities. Kamp Kodomo's summer session has already started registration and all three weeks are more than half full. 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. 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.

We are also pleased to announce that we have a new Kamp leader in place. We hope that you will join us in welcoming Kristen to our Kamp Kodomo family. Kristen is a student at Humber College taking the Early Childhood Education program. She has also has past experience as a camp counsellor.

Registration deadline is June 28, 2013 and Kamp Kodomo's maximum attendance is 20 children per session. Some weeks are almost fully enrolled. Don't be disappointed by registering too late!

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

### Student volunteers needed!

Have you been keeping up with your volunteering hours? Do you have enough to fulfill your high school requirements? Do you want the opportunity to increase these hours? If you are motivated, looking for leadership opportunities, and enjoy working with children, this may be for you!

We are looking for up to four energetic student volunteers (minimum 14 yrs old) to assist the program leader with Kamp Kodomo. The Kamp runs from 9:00am to 4:30pm. There are three sessions during the summer, July 8 – 12, July 15 – 19 and July 22 – 26. We would prefer students that can commit to a full week at a time. Multiple weeks of volunteering are welcome too.

Interested volunteers should send their resume to Christine Takasaki at christinet@jccc.on.ca or at 416-441-2345 ext. 221.

### Volunteers for JCCC library needed

The JCCC is looking for volunteers for the JCCC library that is scheduled to open this summer.

Librarians or people who have experiences working in libraries are welcome.

Please contact harukoi@jccc.on.ca if you are interested.

### **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! Previous art experience is not required. 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**

### 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: \$18( + HST) JCCC members, \$20 (+ HST) non-members

\*Material fee included.

Please bring your Etegami painting supplies if you have them.

# Mika Matsubara Children's Cushion Concert

We invite you to come and enjoy a free concert with Mika Matsubara on **Sunday June 16, 2013** at 3:00pm. Mika started her career as "Robin" on the NHK children's show "Machikado Do Re Mi" and she has also performed frequently on other children's shows as "Mika Onesan." She's visiting Toronto and wants the opportunity to perform for her Canadian fans.

The concert will take place in our gallery. It will be an intimate gathering, so we encourage you to bring a



cushion, pillow or blanket to sit on while you enjoy the concert.

As space is limited we request that you pick up a ticket at our

As space is limited we request that you pick up a ticket at our reception desk for each person attending the performance. Only attendees with tickets will be permitted into the performance.

Enjoy the warm weather! Have a safe and fun summer! The next issue will be August.

### **Arigato Day**

The spirit of community and volunteerism is the foundation on which the JCCC is built. Throughout the year many individuals and groups selflessly support the many programs and special events operated by the JCCC. As a small token of our gratitude, the JCCC Board of Directors invites all JCCC volunteers to join us at Arigato Dav.

On **Sunday July 21, 2013** at 3:00pm, Arigato Day will start with an informal social time with some Bingo games and prizes to be won! Take this opportunity to relax and have some fun with your family and friends. At 5:00pm, you have the opportunity to meet the newly elected Board of Directors as they serve everyone a delicious dinner. Last but not least, the event will finish with an award ceremony, recognizing of the 2013 recipients of the Ontario Volunteer Service Awards sponsored by the Government of Ontario, and our own Nisei Vet Awards.

Registration is required this year so that we can make sure to accommodate everyone. Please call in to the JCCC at 416-441-2345 before Friday July 12.

### July Movie: EMPEROR

Japanese and American stars come together to tell the story of a hidden side of World War II

Emperor is a story of love and understanding set amidst the tensions and uncertainties of the days immediately Japanese following the surrender at the end of World War II. On the staff of General Douglas MacArthur (Jones). the de facto ruler of Japan as Supreme Commander of the occupying forces, a leading Japanese expert, General Bonner Fellers (Fox) is charged with reaching decision of historical importance: should Emperor Hirohito be tried and hanged as a war criminal?





Interwoven is the story of Fellers' love affair with Aya, a Japanese exchange student he had met years previously in the U.S. Memories of Aya and his quest to find her in the ravaged postwar landscape help Fellers to discover both his wisdom and his humanity and enable him to come to the momentous decision that changed the course of history and the future of two nations

Powerful and brilliantly acted. Tommy Lee Jones is remarkable as General Douglas MacArthur in a side of World War II that has remained hidden. Emperor premiered at the Toronto International Film Festival.

Starring Matthew Fox, Tommy Lee Jones, Eriko Hatsune, Toshiyuki Nishida, Kaori Momoi

Date: Thursday July 25, 2013

Time: 7:00pm

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

### **Calling all JC Artists!**

The annual and highly successful ARTSU MATSURI Art Exhibition at the JCCC is coming in July. Paintings, drawings, sculpture, collage and other visual art forms will be on display and for sale at the JCCC Gallery. This summer promises to be very busy at the JCCC and visibility of these art works will be high.

IMPORTANT DATES:

ARTSU MATSURI 2013 Art Exhibition Opening Date:

Thursday July 4 at 7:00pm

Delivery of Work: Thursday June 27 from 3:00 to 7:00

Sunday June 30 from 1:00 to 4:00pm

Pecha Kucha Presentation Date: Thursday July 18 at 7:00pm.

Pick-up Date: Sunday July 21

Up to 3 works may be submitted, at least 2 of them will be included in the exhibition. Work is insured on JCCC premises. Sales (artist/ JCCC, 75%/25%). Please consider doing a gallery-sitting shift to help keep the doors open as long as possible.

For entry form, please contact Toshiko Yamashita, Heritage Coordinator, 416-441-2345 ext, 227, heritage@jcccc.on.ca. See you at Artsu!



From Artsu Matsuri 2012. Photo courtesy of Jerome Geronimo.

We regret to announce that the JC Picnic is cancelled this year due to insurance issues. Pleae disregard the picnic information in the Newsletter.

### A Summer of Celebration



THE JAPANESE CANADIAN LEGACY PROJECT

The year 2013 marks the 50th Anniversary of the Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre. With a history that now extends over five decades of hard work, volunteer contribution, community building, resiliency, and most of all the

motto of 'Friendship through Culture', the Centre has much to be proud of – including the work of the Sedai Project. Interviews began as early as 2004 through the efforts of several volunteers and the leadership of the Sedai Project founder, Connie Sugiyama. Five years have now passed since the formal founding of the Sedai Project at the Centre (2008), and we graciously join the JCCC in a similar voice of thanks and recognition, celebrating the efforts of all our volunteers, interviewees, contributors, and friends.

As well, Sedai wishes to thank our newest additions to the interviewee database – Taketo Murata, and Takehiko ("Tak") Yoshida. We hope to continue building upon the stories and narratives of the community through the beauty of varied experience. Also, we continue to invite and reach out to our Storytellers from the Japanese Canadian Post War Experience Conference, in welcoming the opportunity to assist with providing a more in depth record of their experiences. If you have not yet completed an interview with the Sedai Project, please contact Elizabeth Fujita, Sedai Project Coordinator, at elizabeth.fujita@jccc.on.ca or 416 441 2345 ext 303, so that your memories can be preserved!

Our website, www.Sedai.ca, will also be seeing some minor changes in the coming weeks, ahead of the opening of the new Moriyama Nikkei Heritage Centre. We invite you to visit the website and provide feedback – whether in the way of an email (info@ sedai.ca), or in the comments section of the video archives – as we continue to make information accessible. As always, for up to the minute information, please follow us on Twitter (@JCCCSedai). As well, we continue to invite anyone with digital media production and design skills to get involved with some of these efforts – what better way to feel invested in your community's history!

The Sedai Project wishes everyone a safe, happy, and hopefully warm summer season!

# Tai Chi class by Master Emiko Hsuen restarts in August 2013

Popular Tai Chi class is back. All classes will be taught by Master Emiko Hsuen on Zhen Yuan Tai Chi (True Source Tai Chi), where students will learn the fundamentals of Tai Chi for good health, vitality and longevity. Beginners, returning students and advanced practitioners are all welcome. Class participants will train in a safe and fun environment.

Dates: Thursdays, August 8, September 5, October 3, 10,

17, 24, 31, November 7

Time: 10:00am to 11:30am

Course Fee: JCCC members - \$104 (8 sessions) + HST

Non-members - \$120 (8 sessions) + HST

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

classes

# Hula for Health & Ukulele Joint Annual Recital 2013

The 3rd Annual Hula Student Recital will be held in Kobayashi Hall, JCCC on Saturday September 7. Hula has been very popular since classes began at the JCCC. A large crowd of hula fans showed their support at our recital for the past two years and we hope you will join us again this year. The intermediate class and the Ukulele class will be performing as well.



There will be a snack booth and accessories for sale to help us fundraise on

our big day. Bring along your family and friends and enjoy the sound and sensation of Hawaii at the JCCC. We look forward to seeing you there! Please email ohanahulainfo@gmail.com for more information and to purchase tickets.

Date: Saturday September 7, 2013

Time: 3:00pm to 5:00pm (Snack booth opens at 2:00pm)

Place: JCCC Kobayashi Hall

Tickets: \$5

### **JCCC Family & Friends Golf Tournament**

The JCCC is hosting the 17th Annual Family & Friends Golf Tournament on **Sunday September 8**, **2013** at Rolling Hills Golf Club. This is a chance for families and friends to share a fun day of golf – all skill levels welcome and there are lots of prizes to be won! After a great day of golfing, there will be presentations and dinner back at the JCCC.

We encourage everyone to join with grandparents, aunts, uncles, brothers, sisters, moms and dads, or just a group of friends. You can play scramble or individual format. See the application form included in this newsletter or pick one up at the JCCC reception area. We also welcome hole sponsors – corporate or family - some sponsor levels include your green fees and contributes to our Heritage programming at the JCCC. Donation of prizes are also welcome too! Our biggest sponsor, DundeeWealth (Marty Kobayashi), is generously providing gifts for all and refreshments while out on the course.

So please come on out for a really fun day! For more information, please contact the JCCC at 416-441-2345 or email Sharon Marubashi (Co-chair) at marubashi@rogers.com.

### Goodbye and good luck Jerome!

The JCCC is sad to bid farewell to Jerome Geronimo who will be leaving us this summer in order to continue his teaching career in Fukuoka, along with his soon-to-be wife, Jennifer.

In his four years with the JCCC, Jerome has played many roles including receptionist, administrative support, DJ, photographer, the man behind our social media and most famously as our beloved Kamp Kodomo leader.

Jerome is a natural teacher and it is very good news for his students in Japan, but a tough one for all of us. Good luck Jerome. Mata o-ai shimashou!



Arigato Jerome!

Haiku Corner 俳句コーナ

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Silent flowers

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Mountains of spring

All rising so round

One above another.

### The JCCC Bazaar 2013

### A triumph of generosity, volunteerism and community spirit

May 4th was an exceptionally warm day. At 22 degrees celcius it was the perfect setting for the JCCC's Annual Bazaar. The line of waiting shoppers snaked all the way down to the street and beyond. To help bide the time and to avoid the line ups once the doors opened, there were pre sales on the dining room tickets and our commemorative 50th Anniversary environmental bags.

Once the doors opened, the shoppers poured into the building. Whether they were looking for great items at the silent auction or a box of sushi or a bento, few shoppers were disappointed. For some, a trip to the car to unload their many purchases was standard operating procedure.

Without the tremendous commitment and cooperation of many community members and organizations, this Bazaar would be an impossible event to coordinate. We would like to offer our sincere thanks to the organizing committee, the wonderful volunteers and the community for making this year's

bazaar a huge succes! Photos courtesy of Jamie Papanastasiou.





# Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre Honours Seiji Ozawa with Prestigious Sakura Award at the Sakura Gala

At the Fifth Annual Sakura Gala on April 20, 2013, the Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre (JCCC) honoured Japanese conductor Seiji Ozawa with the Sakura Award. While Mr. Ozawa has received awards and honours for his work all over the world, he has not yet been recognized in Canada until the Sakura Gala.

The Sakura Award recognizes for the first time Mr. Ozawa's achievements as Music Director of the Toronto Symphony Orchestra (TSO) from 1965-1969. Almost 50 years following Mr. Ozawa's tenure at the TSO and subsequent international acclaim, Toronto is honouring his shining legacy. Mr. Ozawa considers himself grateful to the TSO, the people of Toronto and former TSO Managing Director Walter Homburger for giving him his first major orchestra to conduct and mould into his own.

In recent years Mr. Ozawa has experienced major setbacks in his efforts to continue conducting due to his ill health from esophageal cancer. While his health is recovering, he is not yet at the point where he is able to travel and could not travel to Toronto to accept the Sakura Award in person. Seiji Ozawa, in a recorded acceptance speech played at the Sakura Gala, reminisced about the TSO saying, "It was a big, big challenge, but for me it was a

wonderful memory. My music life really started there."

Mr. Ozawa's reminiscing may soon turn into an actual trip down memory lane. He hopes to return to Toronto in the future and make his dream of a final performance with the TSO a reality, once he gets his strength back. His daughter, Seira Ozawa, attended the Sakura Gala on her father's behalf. Ms. Ozawa spoke at the gala, conveying her father's appreciation saying, "He is so very grateful and honoured to be given such a prestigious award [by his community]."



From left to right: Sakura Gala Co-Chair David Tsubouchi, Seira Ozawa, Sakura Gala Co-Chair Janice Fukakusa, JCCC President Gary Kawaguchi. Photo courtesy of Scott Kawaguchi.

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### 7 Boxes of Ken Fukushima

by John Ota

Architect, artist, black belt judo sensei and JCCC Board Member, Ken Fukushima uses art boxes to describe the varied aspects of his life.

### Box: Architect.

A graduate of the Cranbrook Academy who studied under stararchitect Daniel Libeskind, Fukushima has designed prestigious projects including the Art Gallery of Windsor, the Fredericton Convention Centre and designs for the Canadian Film Centre. His 25 year architectural career, modesty and multiple contributions to the community sometimes overshadow his art projects.

A prominent client of his practice is the Ministry of the Attorney General where he is highly respected by courthouse users for his design smarts. Fukushima listens to the needs of the client to get to the best possible solution for them.

"He is a fantastic architect and his work is greatly valued by the entire justice system," says Sue Patterson, a Director in the Ministry. "When Ken presents his ideas, the judges look to him for guidance and coming up with out of the box solutions."

### Box: Artist.

The inspiration for the exhibition is the writing of Japanese 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".

While the exhibition is titled "Near and Far", Fukushima coins "Unfinished Business" as a subtitle. With all his works, Fukushima's canvasses and boxes can be placed vertically, horizontally or individually to fit together like a puzzle. His theory of architecture and art is that a person never sees the whole picture in architecture.

"People might see a building from one view or they might see one element, but you never see the whole thing'" says Fukushima. "You only see things in pieces. You have to come back and reflect. The boxes are like my house. I never 'finish' the whole thing. I keep on working on the pieces and come back to them again and again."

### Box: Business.

While Fukushima is grateful to craft architectural designs and contribute to people's lives, he has a realistic perspective about the business of the profession.

"Fundamentally the business of architecture is kind of stupid," says the artist architect. "Because as architects, we work really hard to put ourselves out of business: We work closely with our clients to come up with a creative way to enable their businesses to flourish. When our work is done, the clients move forward benefiting from our effort, but we have to go find more work."

### Box: Judo.

Black belt judo instructor at the JCCC, Fukushima has studied the martial art since he was 9 years old. Fukushima's commitment is big as he spends three nights a week at the JCCC teaching judo as well as coaching at matches across Canada.

"One thing I appreciate about judo is that you can go to any country in the world and practice judo and be welcomed," says Sensei Fukushima. "At the JCCC we are able to meet people from all over the world and all walks of life through judo. We all can engage with and learn from each other."

Sensei Fukushima says now his favorite judo move is seeing the students – whether young, old, beginner or competitor – when they "catch on to something" I'm really happy to have students who are better at judo than I am."

### Box: Japan.

To learn more about his culture and himself, in the late 1980's, Fukushima packed his bags to study at the Kodokan Judo Institute in Tokyo where he practiced judo, waited on tables and lived in a tiny apartment for a year and a half.

His initial impressions of Tokyo were overwhelming. "For a kid from Toronto, Tokyo was like being on another planet," he remarks. "The organized bustle and sensory overload… But it was also was the first time when I've felt illiterate. At first I felt I was an outsider who looked like an insider — a visitor in a Japanese costume."

Nevertheless, Fukushima affirms that all Sansei should visit Japan. "It's become a lost part of our ancestry," he says. "Most of the Issei are gone and the Nisei, too. It's a shared history that has become distant."

### Box: Home.

A positive outcome from the Japan experience was that it was where Fukushima met his wife, Kazumi. Now married for 25 years with a son in university, Kazumi and Ken met through mutual friends at a gathering place for ex-pats in Tokyo. He describes the episode as: "Japanese Canadian Architect from Rexdale meets Japanese Brazilian Lawyer from the Amazon in an English Pub in Tokyo."

Both Fukushima's parents still live in the family house in Rexdale and while their experience of being interned during WW2 was almost never discussed, he credits them with being supportive of all his architecture and judo studies while growing up. "My parents both lost a parent when young. I never had the chance to know my grandparents, so I'm really grateful that my son knows and appreciates his grandparents and that my folks have such joy in their grandchildren and now even great-grandchildren."

### Box: Values.

Honesty and respect are two values that are at the core of Fukushima. It is not surprising then that much of his architectural practice is connected with libraries and youth organizations. "A community without a library or a vibrant youth centre, to constructively engage with each other, is a community with a stark future," he says.

Fukushima makes a poignant comparison of his life compared to the lives of his parents who were interned. "The problems I may have with my computer, or traffic are pretty trivial compared to the rest of the world," he says. "We live and work with people who've witnessed genocide, experienced war and been shot at. The question is: how can we avoid wasting the luxury that we find ourselves in?"

Constantly shifting, turning and reshuffling, the boxes of Fukushima move in multiple combinations that fit together and compliment each other. Very much like Fukushima himself, the exterior appearance of the boxes are clean, natural and contained, but once the doors are opened, the interiors pop with a rich life of art, memory and significant influence on others.

"Near and Far" the Art of Ken Fukushima is currently running until June 29, 2013 at the JCCC Gallery.

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

### George Nakashima Exhibit

by Gallery Mjölk

George Nakashima is perhaps the most important figure in contemporary North American furniture crafts. In 1983 Nakashima received the Third Order of the Sacred Treasure from the Emperor and Government of Japan, and was later marked as a "Living treasure" in the United States. Beyond his many awards from the AIA and other prestigious institutions, he left his mark on an entire society. You can clearly see his influence in any piece of contemporary live-edge styled furniture, but most importantly of all, he made woodworking an honest and respected profession.

George Nakashima evokes the soul of each tree used in his furniture: he sees the potential of the rich form and grain in raw timber and breathes new life into dead wood. Nakashima works within the confines of the natural slab of solid wood, leaving the live edges natural and free. The knots and inconsistencies are left, and only necessary mending is made using his now iconic rosewood butterfly joints. It is this respect and honor of natural forms, which propelled his furniture to a work of art. Each piece of wood is individual and different from the next so each piece of furniture therefore had to be a unique piece unto itself.



George Nakashima was born in Spokane, Washington, in 1905, attended the University of Washington in Forestry and Architecture, and received both scholarship and prize from the École des Beaux Arts in Fontainebleau, France in 1929, and a Master's degree in Architecture in 1930 from MIT.

After working during the Great Depression in the United States, he spent some time in France, travelled to Tokyo and got a job in the architectural firm of Antonin Raymond, which sent him to oversee the first reinforced concrete building in India for the Ashram of Sri Aurobindo in Pondicherry. After becoming one of the first disciples of Sri Aurobindo in 1938, he reluctantly returned to the United States by way of Tokyo, where he met his future wife, Marion Okajima, whom he married in Los Angeles in 1941.

When the war broke they were sent to the concentration camps in Minidoka, Idaho in 1942 with their infant daughter, Mira. Through the sponsorship of Antonin Raymond, Nakashima came to work on his farm in Bucks County, subsequently rented a small house on Aquetong Road and then purchased a parcel of land where he designed and built his workshop and house. He continued to build his legacy of architecture and furniture until his death in 1990.

Although the Nakashima studio has exhibited 10 times in Japan, twice in Korea, and many places in the United States including the Wing Luke Museum in Seattle last year, and once at the Moderne Gallery in Philadelphia this coming September, this is the very first time Nakashima has ever had a show in Canada. Japanese and Scandinavian interiors shop and gallery Mjölk will be hosting the exhibition. showcasing a large collection of iconic works by George Nakashima as well as new works from his daughter Mira Nakashima's Keisho (continuation) collection. Mira Nakashima, along with her daughter Maria, and granddaughter Maya will be special guests in attendance.

The Nakashima furniture collection will be complemented by a curated collection of art by some of Japan's most famous contemporary artisans. This group of artists include potters Masanobu Ando and Koichi Uchida, wood artisans Ryuji Mitani and Shinji Tsukuda, and metal artists Takejiro and Mami Hasegawa.

The group of artisans will provide a living context to the Nakashima collection and offer visitors an exclusive opportunity to see and purchase works by artists who seldom show work outside of their native Japan.

### Exhibition runs July 24 to August 19, 2013.



Opening reception: July 24, 7:00pm to 10:00pm

with Mira Nakashima.

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8日(土)カラオケクラブ会合8日(土)七夕飾り作りワークショップ13日(木)トロント日本映画祭開幕24日(月)年次総会

28日(金)

トロント日本映画祭閉幕

7月

1日(月)JCCC休館日一Canada Day6日(土)ノスタルジアナイト8日(月)アーツ祭り13日(土)夏祭りと盆踊り17日(水)ペチャクチャナイト

20日(土)

カラオケクラブ会合 ありがとうデー

21日(日) 25日(木)

映画鑑賞会:「終戦のエンペラー」

27日(土) 31日(水) カラオケクラブ会合 エイサー沖縄舞踊公演

8月

5日(月) J C C C 休館日—Civic Holiday

17日(土)カラオケクラブ会合24日(土)カラオケクラブ会合

29日(木) 映画鑑賞会:「逆転裁判」

### トロント日本映画祭6月13日-28日開催

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、話題の作品を上映いたします。上映される作品は、カナダを含む北米でより幅広い評価を受け、脚光を浴びる第一歩をここで踏み出すことになるでしょう。

観客の皆様に楽しんで頂けるよう、時代劇から現代ドラマ、コメディ、アニメーション、ドキュメンタリーなど様々な分野から幅広く選出致しました。一部の特別上映作品を除き、全ての作品がカナダ・プレミアあるいはトロント初上映となります。

なお上映映画の詳細などは http://jccc.on.ca/torontojff/をご覧下さい。

### JCCC年次総会のお知らせ

2013年度JCCC年次総会が**2012年6月24日(月)**午後7時半から行われます。会員の方はぜひご出席下さい。議事次第と委任状はこのニュースレターに同封されています。詳細は416-441-2345までどうぞ。

今号は6月•7月合併号です。次号は8月号になります。 みなさま、良い夏休みをお過ごし下さい。

### 絵でがみワークショップ

絵でがみとは。。。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。



初めての方、親子参加、絵てがみルは以下の通りです。

### 6月22日(土)

手作りで今年の夏を盛り上げる「扇子に描く夏模様」

### 受講費

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、硯などの絵でがみ道具をお持ちの方はご持参下さい。

### /スタルジアナイト2013

2013年7月6日(土) 午後3:00から午後8:00

今年のノスタルジア・ナイトは日系文化会館(JCCC)の50周年を記念して、トロントの日系コミュニティーの文化的、社会的リーダーとして歩んできたJCCCの軌跡を称えます。日系カナダ人におなじみのお料理がずらっと並ぶ恒例のビュッフェディナーに加え、今までJCCCを活動の拠点としてきた数々のサークルや団体のブース展示、そして夜は特別にビアガーデンも開催されます。(ビアガーデンは午後8:00から\*)

参加費は大人\$20、子供(6-13)\$5、5歳以下の子供無料。表示料金は税込み。申込みの最終締め切りは7月2日(火)です。

どうぞ皆様,お誘いあわせのうえ、ぜひご参加下さい!

\*午後8時から開催されるビアガーデンは入場無料ですので、事前申込は不要です。ノスタルジア・ナイトには参加できない方も、ビアガーデンだけの参加も可能です。

### ありがとうデー

JCCC理事会役員並びにスタッフー同より、今年もJCCCでボランティアをして下さった多くの皆さんに多大なる感謝を申し上げます。毎度同じ事を申し上げておりますが、ボランティアの皆さんのご協力なくしてはJCCCで行われる全てのイベント、クラス、ワークショップは成り立ちません。これからも更なる向上目指し、皆が誇れる日系コミュニティーを作り上げていきましょう。

JCCC理事より、日頃の感謝を込めて、JCCCでご活躍されている全てのボランティアの皆さんをありがとうデーにご招待致します。ありがとうデーでは、毎年オンタリオ州により表彰される『オンタリオボランティアサービスアワード』2013年受賞者の授与式が行われます。この賞は長期色々な分野で活躍して下さっている方々が受賞されます。又、この日はビンゴゲームもあり、賞品が当たる確立ありです!ボランティアの皆さん全員が唯一集まり、ゆったりとディナーを楽しめる日でもあり、新しくいろいろな人と出会える機会ですので、皆さんぜひ出席し楽しい一時をお過ごしください。

日時: 2013年7月21日(日)午後3時から7時まで

場所: JCCC小林ホール

出席ご希望の方はJCCC受付に7月12日(金)までにご連絡下さい。

### 第11回夏祭り&盆踊り JCCC50周年を記念して七夕を祝おう!



Photo courtesy of Jerome Geronimo.

いた短冊を飾り、そうめんバーも開いて七夕の雰囲気を味わっていただきます。さらに、オープン間近のJCCC図書館にて、トロント在住の絵本作家をお招きし、子供向けに日英両語で朗読会を行います。又、50周年を記念して、大きなキャンバスに参加者の皆さんの指プリントで桜の花びらを描きます。仏教会主催の毎年恒例盆踊りは7時からスタート!沢山のコミュニティグループが集まるユニークな行事となるよう現在企画中です。

今年で11周年を迎えるこの夏祭りは、JCCC駐車場と館内で行われます。(雨天の場合は館内のみ。) 今からカレンダーに印をつけ、ご家族、お友達をお誘いあわせの上、是非、ご来場下さい。



### ボランティア募集!

準備と片付け、当日のヘルパーとして多くの皆さんの協力が必要です!7月12日(金)夕方午後5時から8時まで、館内と駐車場の飾りつけ、13日(土)お祭り当日はキッズアクティビティエリアやゲーム、フードサービングエリア等にも沢山のお手伝いが必要です。ボランティアご希望の方は、可能な日程をvolunteer@jccc.on.caまで担当のヒプシュ由希宛にご連絡下さい。

今年のJCコミュニティーピクニックは保険の都合によりキャンセルとなりました。 ニュースレターで発行されたピクニックに関する記事、フライヤーは無視して下さい。

### 沖縄の心-演舞エイサーと沖縄文化 チケット絶賛発売中

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。 日本からはるばる来てくださるのはカラコロという、年齢層が厚くバックグランドも異なる人たちの集まり、ユニークなグループです。



公演は小林ホールで午後7時半開演ですが、まずは公演前、午後5時より商工会コートで沖縄を満喫してください。沖縄の食べ物や飲み物、沖縄音楽と踊り、民族衣装、それに種々のディスプレイなどで商工会コートが沖縄一色になります。

今年1月にオープンした沖縄料理のレストラン、りょう次が郷土料理を販売する他、沖縄のお菓子やゴーヤ茶などが並びます。コンサート前の腹でしらえはこれでばっちり。そしてうらら民舞会の皆様による音楽にあわせた安里屋ユンタ踊りも楽しめます。

さて、メインイベントの「エイサー」とは何でしょう。それ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。

今回のカラコロトロント公演では、第一部に伝統エイサー。祝いの席で踊られる曲を使った演舞や龍舞と獅子舞が披露されます。第二部は童謡エイサー。子守唄から始まり、可愛らしくて懐かしい童歌の舞台です。休憩をはさみ、第三部は創作エイサーで、日本の歌「さくら」から始まり、からころのオリジナルの曲も演奏されます。 ダイナミックなカラコロのエイサーの演舞そして、公演前の沖縄のいろいろを是非お楽しみに。

日時: 2013年7月31日(水)

午後7時半開演

(午後5時よりコンサート前の沖縄イベント)

チケット:会員: \$13.27 + HST、一般: \$17.70 + HST

(JCCC受付にて販売中)

### 太極拳クラス再開!

シュエン恵美子先生の人気太極拳クラスが、8月より下記のスケジュールで開催されます。

クラスでは健康、活力、長寿のための基礎を学びます。初心者やこれまでクラスを取ったことのある生徒さんから上級者までどなたでも楽しんでいただき、効果を生み出すことの出来るコースです。安全で楽しいクラスを皆で楽しみましょう。

日時: 木曜日(8月8日,9月5日、10月3日、10日、17日、

24日、31日、11月7日)

午前10時から午前11時半まで

料金: \$104(8クラス)+税(JCCC 会員)

\$120(8クラス)+税(非会員) コース開始後は\$16/クラス+税

### 女性のための女性のイベント! なでしこDAY

「たまには女性だけで楽し める日があったら」なんて思 ったことはありませんか?そ んな皆様にも、そんなことは 考えてもみなかった方にも、 今秋10月27日(日)の女 性が輝くイベントのお知ら せです。その名も「JCCCなで しこDAY」。そしてイベントテ ーマは、女性なら誰しもが興 味のある「美」。

一言で「美」といっても、 それは内面の美から外見の 美まで、広範囲にわたるテー マですが、秋の日曜日の午 後に様々な美をたっぷり皆



様に楽しんでいただく趣向を凝らしています。

なでしこDAYは、各分野でご活躍の3名の女性、起業家でファッ ションデザイナーの瀬戸山久子さん、書道家、前田典子さん、そして 資生堂美容部員トレーナーの西田智津子さんによるパネルディスカ ッションで幕が開きます。いつも美しく輝いていらっしゃるお三方の お話しをお聞きしましょう。その後のトーク&体験セミナー会場では「 より美しくなるためのメークアップ法」「ホリスティックで内から綺麗 になるお話」「姿勢矯正のコツ」「フラメンコで綺麗な身のこなし」が 楽しめます。

トーク&体験セミナー会場と平行して、美容関連、セラピー関 連、販売関連とそれぞれのお部屋が用意され、美に関連したブース が並びます。美容相談やお化粧品グッズ、マッサージや指圧、マニキ ュアやヘアアレンジなど、それに健康食品や装飾品など美しくあるた めの色々なアイディアの詰まったワクワクするブースです。

当日の交流コーナーの特設カフェも目玉の一つ。ベンダーさん の美味しいお菓子や飲み物と共に寛ぎのひと時をお過ごし下さい。

この日は女性が主役の日、つまりお客様として参加される方も、 ベンダーの皆様も、トーク&セミナーの特別講師も全てが女性です。 企画委員会(JCCC「日本語で学ぼう・楽しもう」)もJCCCの女性スタッ フと各方面で活躍するボランティアからなるチームです。

参加する全ての皆様に「新しい自分発見」や「自分へのごほうび」「ま ったりした午後」を味わっていただきたいと思います。お一人でも、 お友達同士でも、親子でも、あなたなりの楽しい午後をお過ごしくだ さい。

JCCCなでしこDayのフェイスブックも始めました。出店が決ま ったベンダーさんたちの情報なども随時流していきます。是非お友 達登録をして、いち早い情報をゲットしてください。

日時: 2013年10月27日(日)

午後12時から5時まで

一般\$20、JCCC会員\$15(税込み) \*チャイルドケア(2歳から小学校入学前の児童)及び家族待合室 完備

### 図書ボランティア募集中

日系文化会館では今年オープンする図書館に関する業務をお手伝 いしてくださるボランティアを募集しています。図書館での仕事経験 者大歓迎です。ご興味のある方は416-441-2345内線228までご連絡 ください。

### 2013年「健康のためのフラ」と 「ウクレレ」クラスリサイタル

今年で第3回目となるフラクラスの生徒たちに よるリサイタルが9月7日(土)午後3時から5時 にJCCC小林ホールにて開催されます。

JCCCでのフラブームは今だ健在、どのクラ スも満員になる人気です。過去2回リサイタル を開催しました際は、大勢の方にご来場いた だきました。今年は更に時間を延長して2時 間の公演となり、現在ある3クラスが、今まで の練習成果をご披露します。又、今年もJCCCウ クレレクラスの皆さんも参加しますので、ゆっ



たりとしたウクレレの音色でハワイアンミュージックを堪能して頂き

このリサイタルを開催するためのファンドレイジングとして、当 日はスナック販売やアクセサリー販売もいたします。JCCCでちょ っとしたハワイアンルアウ(ハワイ式宴)を楽しんで頂けるよう只 今計画中ですので、ご家族やお友達をお誘いの上ご来場下さい! 近日中にチケット販売開始致しますのでチケットのお申し込みは ohanahulainfo@gmail.com までご連絡下さい。

日程: 2013年9月7日(土)

時間:午後3時~午後5時まで (午後2時よりブースオープン)

場所:JCCC小林ホール

チケット:\$5

### 稲城子どもミュージカル創立20周年記念公演 「しあわせの青い鳥」アンサンブル賛助出演者募集

日程:

[稽古] 2013年7月25日、28日、29日

\*稽古場所と時間は追って連絡します。

「公演」 2013年7月31日(場当たり・GP)8月1日(本番2回)

公演会場:パルテノン多摩 大ホール(東京都多摩市)

website: http://inagikm.com/index.shtml

- ・過去4回JCCCで開催されたミュージカルワークショップに一度で も参加した事があるかた
- ・日本語を理解出来るかた
- •年龄、性別不問
- ・上記の全ての稽古・公演に参加できるかた

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### 注意事項:

- ・公演参加費なし
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- ・希望者には都内劇団員宅でのホームステイ紹介(金額・詳細未
- ・国内での稽古場や劇場までの交通手段は参加者責任



### JCCC なでしこ Day (女性の日) ベンダー出店要項

### JCCC なでしこ Day について:

日程 2013年10月27日(日)

・時間 12:00:00p.m.-5:00p.m.

・内容 パネルディスカッション、セミナー、SPA、セラピー

• 場所 日系文化会館 2 F

・ 運営 JCCC なでしこ Day 運営委員会

テーマ 「美」

・目的 JCCCの『日本語で学ぼう・楽しもう』プロジェクトグループは日本語話者、特

に女性を対象に今までに料理教室やセミナーなどを開催しています。企画実行を担当するのは、JCCCの女性スタッフとボランティアからなるグループです。今年は今までと趣向を変えてやや規模の大きなイベントに挑戦することになりました。そして決まったのが"JCCCなでしこ Day"というイベントです。これは今までのイベントの集大成といえるものかもしれません。JCCCの2階部分をこの日は女性だけに解放して、セミナーや美容相談、体験コーナー等をもうけます。特設のカフェは交流コーナーとして活用していただきます。この日は女性が主役の日、つまりお客様として参加される方も、お客さまを受け入れるベンダーの皆様も、セミナー、ワークショップの特別講師も全てが女性です。テーマは「美」。色々な体験を通して参加者には新しい自分を発見していただければと願っています。またトロント日系社会に暮らす女性達の交流を深める場になればと思います。

### 美容とセラピーの女性サービス提供者募集

このイベントで、美容(ネイル、ヘア・メイク等)関係のスペシャリストとマッサージ等のできるセラピストを探しています。トロント日系社会から多くの女性客を期待できるイベントでのサービス提供は、素晴らしいプロモーションの機会になることでしょう。サービス提供者の情報は事前にJCCCのニュースレターやフェイスブック等で広く宣伝する予定です。詳しくは担当までお問い合わせ下さい。

担当: 石原治子 メール: harukoi@jccc.on.ca Tel: 416-441-2345

### 物品販売ベンダー募集要項:

- ・お申し込み 申込書にご記入の上、期間内(6月12日~8月16日)に担当までご提出下さい。 申込書をご希望の方は下記の担当までお問い合わせ下さい。
- ・ 出店料金 JCCC 会員\$15.00 + HST 非会員\$20.00 + HST \*電源使用料は別途
- ・出店条件 。当日会場に入れるのは、参加者もベンダーも**女性のみ**です。
  - •ブースの場所はこちらで決定させて頂きます。場所は当日発表します。
- ブースでの運営について
  - 。安全や品質の保証できないもの、危険物, イベントのテーマに そぐわないものは出店できません。基本的に美に繋がるもの。
  - ∘会場で飲食するための食べ物の販売は交流コーナーのみとなります。 (ただし試食用は例外とします)
- ・ 設営 当日イベント開始の時間までに各自御用意をお願いします。

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### July Movie: Emperor



Thursday July 25, 2013 @ 7:00pm \$8 JCCC members, \$10 non-members

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### Notice of Annual General Meeting - Monday, June 24 2013

Members of the Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre are requested to attend the Annual General Meeting on Monday, June 24 2013 at 7:30 pm at the JCCC, 6 Garamond Court, Toronto, Ontario M3C 1Z5.

### **AGENDA**

- Sharon Marubashi Approve Minutes of AGM – June 25 2012 1) 2) Report from the Treasurer Chris Reid 3) Appointment of Auditor for the ensuing year Chris Reid Appreciation to Retiring Board Members 4) Gary Kawaguchi Approve Nominations to the Board Sharon Marubashi Closing of Official Business 6) Presentations: Executive Director/ Legacy / Foundation/Leasing/ Heritage and
- Presentations: Executive Director/ Legacy / Foundation/Leasing/ Heritage and Presidents Messsage

Any member who will not be present in person is requested to sign the attached Proxy Form. Members may only vote in person or by completing the attached Proxy Form and returning it to the JCCC office prior to the commencement of the Annual General Meeting.

Dated at Toronto, Ontario, this 21stday of May 2013.	By order of the Board of Directors,  Sharon Marubashi, Secretary
In accordance with the By-Laws of the JCCC, Proxies may be JCCC Board of Directors or any other member of the JCCC in may exercise a maximum of 5 proxy votes.	• •
I/We* hereby appoint as proxy for the undersigned on all matters to be put before the Annual Countries to be held at 7:30 pm on Monday, June 24 2013 at	General Meeting of the members of

\* Family membership entitles each of the 2 adults in the same family and residing at the same address to exercise one vote each. You may leave the appointment name blank; your proxies will be exercised by a member of the JCCC Executive Committee or JCCC Board of Directors.

Signature of 2<sup>nd</sup> Member

Please Print Name

Dated this \_\_\_\_\_\_, 2013.

Membership No.

Signature of 1<sup>st</sup> Member

Please Print Name



# Saturday July 13, 2013

3pm to 7pm (Natsu Matsuri) 7pm to end (Bon Odori) Admission: FREE

- Vendors with fascinating traditional
   Japanese toys, crafts, and other items
- Delicious food & fun family activities
- Magnificent performances throughout the day, including TAIKO and over 100 Yukata-clad dancers (at 7:00pm)

### **Tanabata Activities:**

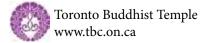
- Special Wishing TreeSomen Bar
- ★ Tanabata Activities for Children
- Book Readings in the New Library
- Suikawari (Watermelon Smashing Game)

For more information please contact

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# 2013年7月13日(土)

午後3時~午後7時 (夏祭り) 午後7時~ (盆踊り) 入場無料

- 日本の伝統おもちゃ、クラフトなどの屋台
- ・ 美味しい日本食、家族で楽しめるアクティビティー
- ・ 和太鼓などの素晴らしいパフォーマンス
- ・ 盆踊り大会。浴衣での参加大歓迎!(7時から)

### 七夕アクティビティー

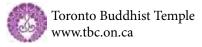
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- **★ そうめんバー**
- ★ 子供向け七夕アクティビティー
- ★ 新設図書館で絵本の朗読会
- ★ スイカ割り

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# Nostalgia Night 2013

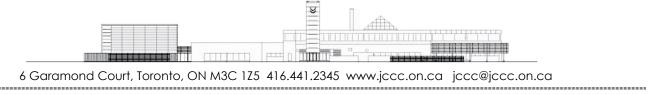
Saturday July 6, 2013 3:00pm to 8:00pm

(beer garden from 8:00pm\*)



Nostalgia Night is celebrating the Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre's 50th Anniversary and honouring the JCCC as a leader in the cultural and social development of our community. As well as the delicious Nostalgia Night dinner, there will be booth displays of the community clubs that have contributed to and supported the JCCC over the years, and a special beer garden at the end of the day, where everyone can join in the fun of karaoke, trivia contests, and much more!

\* 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.



### Nostalgia Night Registration Form

Name:		
Adults	\$20 x =	
Child (6-13)	\$5 x =	For office use only
Children 5 and under free		,
Total # of people:	Total fee:	Receipt #:



# Saturday July 6, 2013 @ 8pm Free Admission! 入場無料!



What better way to celebrate summer than with good company and beer!! Following Nostalgia Night, we welcome you to join us for a little fun! Meet new friends! Catch up with some not-so-old ones!

一夜限定の特別ビアガーデンで夏に乾杯! 仲間と一緒に一杯いかがですか? ちょっとした楽しい企画もありますので、たくさんのご参加お待ちしています!







# ARIGATO DAY ありがとうデー

The Spirit of Community and Volunteerism is the Foundation on which the JCCC is built.

Sunday, July 21, 2013
3pm-7pm
(Dinner starts at 5pm)

JCCC, Kobayashi Hall





The JCCC Board of Directors would like to express their appreciation to all of the volunteers who so selflessly support the JCCC and its activities throughout the year. We will also be recognizing the 2013 recipients of the Ontario Volunteer Service Awards, which is sponsored annually by the Government of Ontario.

JCCC理事より、ボランティアの皆さんへ日頃の感謝を込めて『ありがとうデー』を行います。今年、JCCCでボランティアとしてお手伝い下さった全ての皆さんがこの会にご招待されています。 又、毎年オンタリオ州により表彰される『オンタリオボランティアサービスアワード』の2013年受賞者の授与式が行われます。

# Registration is required this year!

Please contact JCCC reception to RSVP by Fri. July 12. 出席ご希望の方はJCCC受付に7月12日(金)までにご連絡ください。



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# Artsu Matsuri

An open, non-juried exhibition of work by Japanese Canadian Artists

July 4 - 21, 2013

Opening: Thursday July 4, 7 - 9:30 p.m. Refreshments, Cash Bar, and Artsu Matsuri artists Pechu Kucha Thursday July 18, 7:30 p.m.



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# Kamp Kodomo Summer 2013



### **Our Mission**

To provide a stimulating and educational Japanese and Japanese Canadian cultural experience for young children.

### Who can register?

Children ages 6 (as of December 31, 2012) 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 5% discount for additional siblings attending the same session Extended care is \$ 35/week per child.

### What is included?

Children get to participate in a variety of hands-on sessions including:

Drama Dance Geography
Martial Arts Language And More!!!
Music History

Music History
Cooking Arts and Crafts

There are two snacks each day and one special activity day per week that may include an offsite trip.

Children must bring a nutritious lunch and drink each day.

### Why register?

Kamp Kodomo is run by a head instructor as well as many dedicated volunteers. This team knows that exposure to culture is the best way to ignite interest and to hand over tradition to the next generation. Together, they work to ensure that the children have a wonderful time in a safe environment.

### **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** 

accepted until after March 18, 2013
Early bird registration deadline is April 30, 2013
Registration deadline June 28, 2013



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## Kamp Kodomo Registration Form

July 8 - 26, 2013 Please Print Clearly One Form for Each Child

Child's Name:						
	Last			First		
Child's Home Address:	Number		Street		Apt/Su	ite
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### JCCC 17<sup>TH</sup> ANNUAL

# FAMILY & FRIENDS GOLF TOURNAMENT

In Support of JCCC Heritage Programs

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 2013



Rolling Hills Golf Club – Classic Course 12808 Warden Avenue Stouffville, ON L4A 7X5 Ph: (905) 888-1955

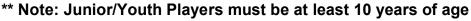
### Entry Fee: \$90.00 (Members \$80.00)

Includes: Green Fees, Musubi Lunch, Awards Dinner, Prizes

- Scramble or Individual Tournament Format
- Enter as an individual player, or partner with a family/friend
- Cart <u>not</u> included Please indicate if required

### "Regular" Golf Categories Include:

- ~ Husband/Wife
- ~ Parent/Child
- ~ Grandparent/Grandchild
- ~ Other (e.g. Cousins, Sisters, Brothers, Friends etc.)



\*\*\*See application form on reverse - deadline September 2, 2013

Sponsorships also welcome –Family or Corporate (contact JCCC for sponsor information)

Dinner and Prize Presentations will be held at the Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre @ 6 Garamond Court following the tournament (Dinner only \$30 pp – proceeds to JCCC Heritage)



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### JCCC 17TH ANNUAL FAMILY & FRIENDS GOLF TOURNAMENT - ENTRY FORM

- Entry Deadline: Monday, September 2, 2013
- Tee offs between 8:30-11:30am Player 1 will be notified of tee-off via email or phone Handicap Based on 6 hidden holes
- Soft Spikes or Running Shoes only (metal spikes not allowed)
- Awards Presentation and Dinner at JCCC 5:30 pm
- Junior/Youth Players must be at least 10 years old

(\* Fields which **must** be filled out)

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