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Force of Nature: The David Suzuki Movie

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Guy Dixon, Globe and Mail

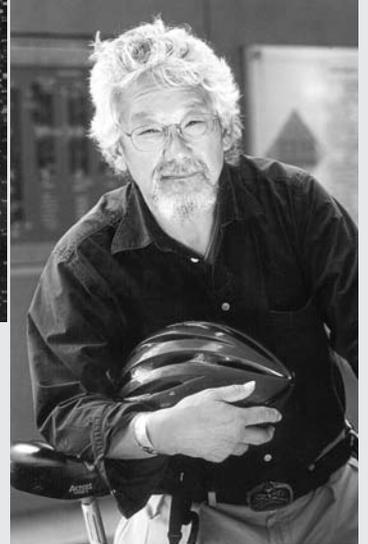
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Katherine Monk, The Vancouver Sun

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Glenn Sumi, NOW Magazine

As part of our celebration of Dr. David Suzuki, recipient of the 2011 Sakura Award, the JCCC is proud to present the recent film about Dr. Suzuki's life - Force of Nature: The David Suzuki Movie. **In attendance for this special screening is director Sturla Gunnarsson.**



David Suzuki holds 24 honorary degrees from academic institutions around the world and has written 48 books. A household name synonymous with nature and science, he was voted one of the top ten greatest Canadians of all time in 2004, ranking ahead of Wayne Gretzky and Sir John A. Macdonald. He is best known as the host of the long-running CBC TV show *The Nature of Things* and as a pioneering and passionate environmentalist. At the age of seventy-five, he shows no signs of slowing down.

By all measures David Suzuki is extraordinary, and you can't help but wish that everyone cared about the earth as much as he does. But what drove him to become the phenomenon he is? This engrossing documentary guides us through his life and reveals the key events and people that shaped him.

The occasion for the film is Suzuki's return to the University of British Columbia to deliver his legacy lecture - what he describes as "a distillation of my life and thoughts, my legacy, what I want to say before I die"- to a sold-out audience. Director Sturla Gunnarsson interweaves Suzuki's stirring and insightful address with candid interviews to create a captivating portrait. It is in these interviews that Suzuki shares his deeply personal reflections and stories, revealing a side of him previously unseen.

Most memorable is his painful recollection of the attack on Pearl Harbor that led to the forced relocation of his Canadian-born family from their home to a British Columbia internment camp for Japanese Canadians. The humiliation suffered by his family, particularly his father, during this dark time in Canadian history sheds light on the values and priorities that propelled Suzuki to the top of his field.

Suzuki is by turns touching and funny and, above all, endlessly engaging. His powerful words and inspiring life epitomize his commitment to making science vital and accessible to everyone. Gunnarsson's film is certain to make you reconsider how we live.

Date: Thursday March 24, 2011
Time: 7:30pm
Admission: \$6 JCCC Members, \$8 Non-members

Third Annual Sakura Ball

Bringing together the best of Canadian and Japanese entertainment, cuisine, culture, and style, the JCCC is excited to announce the Third Annual Sakura Ball. The Sakura Ball is an elegant social evening and the largest annual fundraising event the JCCC holds. Last year, the sold-out event set a new record by raising over \$250,000 for the JCCC Legacy Campaign, which supports ongoing cultural and heritage programming, exhibits, and events and ongoing capital projects.

One of the traditions of the Sakura Ball is the presentation of the Sakura Award. Awarded once a year by the JCCC, the Sakura Award recognizes exceptional contributions made by individuals to the promotion and exchange of Japanese culture and enhancing awareness of Nikkei heritage within Canada and abroad. The JCCC is honoured to present this year's Sakura Award to award-winning scientist, environmentalist and broadcaster, David Suzuki. Co-Founder of the David Suzuki Foundation, Dr. Suzuki is renowned for his radio and television programs that explain the complexities of the natural sciences in a compelling, easily understood way.

Please see ad on p.3 for ticket information.

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Wed	16	Japanese Film Appreciation Course
Mon	21	Spring Cultural Classes begin
Wed	23	Manju Workshop
Thu	24	Force of Nature: David Suzuki Movie
Sat	26	Karaoke Club meeting

April

Fri	1	Special Film Screening: Cold Fish
Sat	2	Karaoke Club meeting
Sat	9	Sakura Ball 2011
Thu	14	Origami Workshop
Wed	20	Manju Workshop
Fri	22	JCCC Closed - Good Friday
Thu	28	Movie Night
Sat	30	Karaoke Club meeting

May

Sun	1	Anime Movie –“Arashi no Yoru”
Tue	3	George Takei “A Nikkei Life from the internment to the Enterprise”
Sat	7	JCCC Bazaar
Thu	12	Origami Workshop
Sat	21	Karaoke Club meeting
Mon	23	JCCC closed –Victoria Day
Wed	25	Manju workshop
Thu	26	Movie Night “The Real Samurai”
Sat	28	Nostalgia Night
Sat	28	Washi Craft Workshop
Sat	28	Karaoke Club meeting

Special Screening: Cold Fish – Tsumetai Nettaigyō

Cold Fish is yet another step in Sion Sono's rise as one of Japan's most consistently bold and intriguing film makers....One of the most powerful, punishing works to come out of Japan this year." - Todd Brown, TWITCH

"Fearless. Absolutely fearless filmmaking." - Bob Turnbull, Toronto J-Film Pow Wow

From Sion Sono, director of the critically acclaimed 'Love Exposure', comes the newest masterpiece 'Cold Fish'

Shamoto runs a small tropical fish shop. His second wife, Taeko, does not get along with his daughter, Mitsuko, and this worries him. One day Mitsuko is caught shoplifting at a grocery store. There they meet a friendly man named Murata, who helps to settle things between Mitsuko and the store manager. Since Murata also runs a tropical fish shop, Shamoto establishes a bond with him and they become friends; Mitsuko even begins working for Murata and living at his house. What Shamoto doesn't know, however, is that Murata hides many dark secrets behind his friendly face. He sells cheap fish to his customers for high prices with his artful lies. If anyone detects his fraud or refuses to go along with his money-making schemes, they're murdered and their bodies disposed of by Murata and his wife in grisly ways. Shamoto is suddenly taken in by Murata's tactics, and by the time he realizes that Murata is insane, and a serial killer who has made over fifty people disappear, he is powerless to do anything about it. But now Mitsuko is a hostage at Murata's home, and Shamoto himself has become the killer's unwilling accomplice. Cruel murders gradually cripple his mind and finally the ordinary man being driven to the edge of the abyss.

This film, based on the real story of one of Japan's most prolific serial killers, is a thrilling and challenging mix of tension, dark humour, insanity, sex and bloodshed. The film was a hit at the 2010 Toronto International Film Festival and festivals around the world. Definitely not for the squeamish or the faint of heart.

Official site: www.coldfish.jp

Date: Friday April 1, 2011
Time: 7:30pm
Admission: \$10 (JCCC and CJST Members), \$12 (non-members)



THIRD ANNUAL
SAKURA BALL
HONOURING
DAVID SUZUKI
SATURDAY APRIL 9, 2011

**For tickets or more information,
please call James Heron at 416-441-2345 ex. 224
or email jamesh@jccc.on.ca**

From the JCCC Board

This month the JCCC Board is proud to report on the success of the “Just Add Shoyu” cookbook. To date we have sold over 2,500 books and are well on the way to 5,000 copies sold, a major benchmark in Canada for best selling cookbooks! Thanks to the marketing initiatives of the Heritage committee, the cookbook will be available for sale at selected Chapters/Indigo stores in March, will be in the editors column of the April issue of Canadian Living Magazine and promoted on their website, and is entered for a Canadian cookbook award.

The JCCC Board is starting up a Marketing committee as there are so many great events, projects and programming at the JCCC that we want to promote – we are looking for interested committee members and now have a volunteer email address volunteer@jccc.on.ca for any inquiries about volunteer opportunities.

Our active Leasing committee has secured a new tenant (Canadian Foundation for Physically Disabled Persons) and continues discussions with other potential tenants. Leasing is an important part of our financial plan and future sustainability and this committee is working hard and diligently to look for tenants that will complement the JCCC.

Nikkei Kids Day 2011

Spend some quality time with your children or grandchildren this March Break, by coming to the JCCC for an exciting day of activities at the annual Nikkei Kids Day. This year, this popular event designed specifically for children is taking place on **Monday March 14, 2011**.

There will be crafts, games, cooking, drawing, colouring, a memorial photo to take home, and much, much more. This event is a great opportunity for children to learn about their Japanese heritage.

For more details on the activities, please see the flyer.

There are two free sessions to choose from: morning (9:00am to 11:00am) or afternoon (1:00pm to 3:00pm). You can drop by at anytime during the session times. There is no charge to participate in this event, but a parent, grandparent, or adult guardian must accompany each participant for the entire session. Activities are most suited for children of ages 6 years and up.

Pre-registration is required. Please call the JCCC at 416-441-2345, or email jccc@jccc.on.ca to register.

Nikkei Kids Day is organized by the JCCC Heritage Committee.

Akiko Yano + Scoop on Somebody Live at the JCCC

Your chance to see two top Japanese recording artists in one exciting night!

The JCCC is excited to announce a very special concert featuring two flourishing Japanese recording artists, Akiko Yano and Scoop On Somebody (SOS) on Saturday March 12, 2011. It is a rare opportunity to hear performances from such outstanding artists of their differing genres on the same evening.

Singer, songwriter and pianist Akiko Yano appeared in the albums of Yellow Magic Orchestra (YMO) and has released 28 original albums including her most recent: “akiko”, produced by Grammy Award winning producer, T Bone Burnett. Some of her hits include “Harusaki Kobeni” and albums such as “Hitotsu Dake” and “Piano Akiko”. She composed the music for the film “My Neighbors, The Yamadas” created by Studio Ghibli of Hayao Miyazaki. She also voiced the character of Ponyo’s sister in the Japanese version of Miyazaki’s “Ponyo” (2008). For more information on Akiko Yano, please visit: www.akikoyano.com; www.myspace.com/akikoyano; <http://www.facebook.com/pages/Akiko-Yano/127575147819>

Scoop On Somebody is a powerful R&B duo who is attracting a great deal of attention in their native Japan. They are not only noticed for their vocals and choruses, but also their talent in song writing and performing. The duo is also active in writing and recording for TV commercials, movie themes and anime songs. They use the roots of R&B, soul, as well as African American Gospel music to create their unique genre that expresses the beauty of Japan through its melodies and lyrics. Recent concerts in Chicago drew huge crowds and strong and positive response from the audience. For more information on Scoop On Somebody, please visit: <http://www.skoop.jp/>

Date: Saturday March 12, 2011
Time: 7:00pm
Tickets: JCCC members \$30.97, Non-members \$35.40 (plus tax)

Tickets are now on sale at the JCCC Reception Desk. Tickets are non-refundable, no exceptions.



Akiko Yano



Scoop On Somebody

Origami Workshops

A new season of Origami workshops begins this March; once again led by John Jay Guppy of the Origami Society of Toronto. These workshops offer a terrific introduction to both traditional Origami and the new, exciting modern versions.

Over the last few years, John has conducted these workshops with the participation of both adults and children. Every session offers a range of models starting out easy and progressing to something a little more challenging. All paper is provided. For example, last year we explored several different kinds of paper to see how texture and colour affected the same models.

Please see the JCCC class brochure for further details.

Date: Thursday March 10, 2010

Time: 7:30pm to 9:00pm

Fee: \$7 for JCCC members; \$10 for non-members (plus HST)

NEW COURSE! Japanese Film Appreciation: From 1896 to Today

The JCCC brings some of the best films from Japan to Kobayashi Hall through its monthly Movie Nights and the annual Shinsedai Cinema Festival. Now JCCC members can expand their knowledge of the history of Japanese film with an 8-week course taught by Shinsedai Cinema Festival co-programmer and co-artistic director Chris MaGee.



From the very beginnings of motion picture history in Japan in the late 19th-century to today's indie auteurs, Japanese Film Appreciation will take participants on a fun and informative decade by decade exploration of key films, film makers and major cinematic movements and also provide added context of the past century of Japanese history.

Date: Wednesdays, March 16 - May 11, 2011

Time: 7:00pm - 9:00pm

Fee: \$70 (+HST), JCCC membership required

Please call 416-441-2345 or email jccc@jccc.on.ca to register.

JCCC Bazaar – Bargains! Baked Goods!! Mochi, Manju, Sushi and even more food!!!

Just a quick reminder that the Annual JCCC Bazaar is fast approaching. This year it is on **Saturday May 7, 2011** from 12:30pm to 4:00pm. We appreciate the fantastic support of all of the donors and the community. We hope that you will consider helping us out again this year. While we have previously accepted donations from early in the year, we ask that you do not bring them in until after March 31. We appreciate your generosity; however we have limited storage space for the many donations.

As always, we are also looking for volunteers to help with preparation before, and on the day of the Bazaar.

Baked goods are especially popular with bargain hunters. If you can, please help us with some homemade treats.

Thank you again for all your support. Please keep a lookout for more information in the April newsletter. We look forward to a successful 2011 Bazaar!

"Japanese in Cuba: It was no Vacation"

George Hewson has prepared another exciting workshop for us this Spring – "Japanese in Cuba: It was no Vacation". This workshop will look at how the experience of Japanese immigrants to Cuba was in some ways quite similar to those who came to Canada.



Photo courtesy of George Hewson.

The Nikkei in Cuba were also forcibly removed from their homes during World War II. This illustrated lecture will describe what happened in Cuba before, during and after World War II. A short, professionally made film on the topic will also be shown.

Date: Wednesday March 16, 2011

Time: 7:30pm – 9:30pm

Fee: \$15 JCCC members, \$20 Non-members (+HST)

Please call 416-441-2345 or email jccc@jccc.on.ca to register.

George Hewson, B.A., M.A., B.Ed., OCT is a 6th degree black belt martial arts instructor and the President of the Canadian Aikido Federation, a teacher at the Royal Ontario Museum, and a member of the JCCC Board of Directors. He has lived and studied in Japan.

HANASHI

**Nisei speak about wartime experiences
(large-format video excerpts from the Japanese Canadian
Experience Conference, held in November, 2010)**

Exhibition dates: February 16 – March 20, 2011

Location: JCCC Gallery

Gallery Hours: 10am - 4pm

The conference brought together 370 Japanese Canadians and Japanese Americans from Ontario, Manitoba, Alberta, Quebec, British Columbia and the United States to tell their stories to one another, and for the record.

Hanashi focuses on nine participants:

Jeanne Douglas, Jean Fujimoto, Tatsuo Fred Kagawa,
Kay Morishita, Koji Goto, Mary Kawasaki, Yukio Ode,
Hideo Nakagawa and Kunio Suyama.

The interviews reflect the sharing spirit of the gathering and give us insight into the rich complexity of our community.

Acknowledgements

Kathy Yamashita: videography, editing and photography.

Lisa Uyeda: research and text.

Hanashi is an exhibition organized by the
JCCC Heritage Committee.



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The Speaker Series Welcomes New NAJC President Ken Noma

by Norm Ibuki



Ken Noma, left, with his son. Photo courtesy of Ken Noma.

The JCCC Heritage Committee's Speaker Series is pleased to present a talk with newly elected National Association of Japanese Canadians (NAJC) president, Ken Noma, on **Saturday March 26, 2011** at 1:00pm in the Heritage Lounge of the JCCC. Admission is free.

Mr. Noma, 60, former chair of the JCCC Heritage Committee and Redress activist, will be speaking with Nikkei Voice newspaper writer, Norm Ibuki. (An in depth interview with Mr. Noma available at discovernikkei.org.)

The retired Toronto high school history teacher points out: "I have always been active as a volunteer in the Japanese Canadian community since 1975... My good friend, Henry Kojima is quite a salesman and he persuaded me to come back 'home' to the NAJC by running for the office of President. I am glad that I did and I am grateful to those who encouraged me and supported my candidacy, especially members of the Toronto and Hamilton Nikkei community."

As the first NAJC president from east of Manitoba, Mr. Noma says that the NAJC will be upgrading its website and that the newly formed Heritage Committee will be undertaking "Digital Storytelling" (DST) projects under the leadership of David Tanaka of Lethbridge (Alberta) and Mike Murakami of Toronto.

Come join us for this rare public opportunity to hear the NAJC president talk about issues from preserving our heritage, the future of the Nikkei Voice newspaper, Mr. Noma's personal vision for the community and strategies to make the NAJC work for all of us from coast to coast.

Kamp Kodomo Summer Sessions 2011

Mark your calendars and don't miss out on the all the summer fun at the JCCC!!! Kamp Kodomo's summer session is getting ready to start registration. Join us for a busy week filled with 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. There will be three sessions offered: **July 4 – 8, July 11 – 15, and July 18 – 22**. Fees for this program are \$180 per child for a 5-day session (same price as last year!). 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.

Registration begins Monday March 21 and the registration deadline is June 27, 2011 and 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.

HULA for Health 2011

Hula for Health Spring session (10 weeks) will be starting soon! Please register by March 16, 2011.

Beginner Class

Wednesday Class

Date: March 30-June 1, 2011

Time: 7:00 to 8:30pm

Fee: \$50 (plus HST), JCCC membership required

*Some spaces are available for new students.

Monday Class

Date: March 28- June 6 (No class on May 23)

The instructor will be in class on March 28, April 4, May 2, May 16, and May 30. (and possibly some more days)

Time: 10:00am to 11:30am

*Fee: \$35 (plus HST) due to the teacher's absence during the session.

* New students are NOT accepted in this class.

Intermediate Class

Monday (Class A & Class B)

Date: March 28-June 6 (no class on May 23)

Time: 7:00pm-8:30pm

Fee: \$50 (plus HST), JCCC membership required

* Returning students are accepted to this class.

Please call at 416-441-2345 or email jccc@jccc.on.ca for registration and inquiries.

Hula for Health is looking for a hula instructor who can teach hula on a long term basis starting from September 2011, from 10:00am to 12:00pm. Day to be determined. Teaching experience required. Must speak English, Japanese is optional. Please send resume to yukin@jccc.on.ca.

Haiku Corner

俳句コーナー

若楓 石の窪に 水たまる 酒竹
wakakaede ishino kubomini mizu tamaru Shyuchiku

Water

In a hollow stone,

A young maple tree over it.

鴛鴦の羽に 薄雪つもる 静さよ 子規
oshi no hane ni usuyuki tsumoru shizukasayo Shiki

Snow falls lightly

On the wings of Mandarin ducks:

The stillness!

Sedai Corner

The Sedai Project is committed to collecting, documenting, preserving and sharing the history of the Japanese Canadians. We, the Sedai Committee, collect and preserve the Japanese Canadian history through audio and video recordings in a relaxed interview format. We continue to search for all Japanese Canadians who were born in the pre-war and war years to come and share their stories with us.

The Sedai Project is pleased to report on another successful month. As of January 31, 2011, 81 individuals have assisted us in documenting and preserving the Japanese Canadian history by sharing their stories with us in a Sedai interview. We would like to extend our heartfelt thank you to Pollie and Tak Nishino, Arthur Ikeda, Masashi Shin, Miyoko Nakamura, and Nick Yoshida for allowing us to preserve their unique stories.

A special thank you goes to Dr. Arnold Arai, Mickey Matsubayashi, Keo Shibatani, Hideo Takahashi, and Toshiko Usami for their generous donations to the Sedai Project. Every contribution is significantly beneficial in our progress. Whether your support is a story or a monetary donation, it is greatly appreciated by the Sedai Committee.

Many individuals have been inquiring about the footage documented at the Japanese Canadian Experience Conference: sharing your stories of the war years on November 19-21, 2010. Currently, we are in the process of transcribing the stories that were shared the weekend of the conference. The Sedai Project would like to thank Megan Marubashi for volunteering to assist us on this enormous task. Megan plays an integral role in the post-conference work and we appreciate her dedication to the conference and Sedai Project.

The Sedai Project's current goal is to complete over 100 interviews before the end of April 2011. We would like to ask those who have a story to please help us reach our goal and preserve the Japanese Canadian history for our future generations. Anyone who wishes to share their story or who wishes to learn more about our history as Japanese Canadians please contact Lisa Uyeda at 6 Garamond Court, Toronto, ON, M3C 1Z5 or lisa.uyeda@jccc.on.ca or info@sedai.ca or by telephone at 416-441-2345 ext 303. In the meantime you can also find more information about the project at www.sedai.ca.

We look forward to hearing from you!



*From the Japanese Canadian Experience Conference.
Photo courtesy of Kristin Kobayashi.*

New Contact Number for Caledon Place

If you are interested in renting Caledon Place, please contact Dick Kumamoto at 1-519-927-5386. Caledon Place is private property that is available for rental for picnics and gatherings.

Henry's Glasses

In a Japanese Canadian internment camp in 1945, Henry, an eight-year-old boy has a mystical gift that makes the extraordinary happen. Even to the old and devastated Mr. Yamamoto, this gift may hold the power to make a skeptic believe.

Brendan Uegama's long awaited film, Henry's Glasses, will soon be available for purchase. Henry's Glasses was the feature film during the Japanese Canadian Experience Conference in November 2010. Henry's Glasses will be available in the JCCC Gift Shop within the next few weeks. In the meantime, if you would like to pre-order and reserve your copy of the movie please contact the JCCC at 416-441-2345. Henry's Glasses is also available for purchase online at www.blacktreepictures.com. For more information about Henry's Glasses please visit <http://henrysglasses.wordpress.com>.

Looking for Host Families for the 3rd Annual Shinsedai Film Festival

This July the Shinsedai Film Festival will be celebrating its 3rd year at the JCCC. As always, we are inviting actors and directors on the cutting edge of Japanese cinema, to come as guests to interact with members of the community. To that end, we are looking for host families to accommodate our guests from overseas, and enjoy the Shinsedai Film Festival along with them.

If you are interested, please contact James Heron at 416-441-2345, ext. 224 for further details.

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Toronto Kumamoto Kenjin-kai, 60th Annual Shinbokukai

by Toronto Kumamoto Kenjin-kai

Come and join the Toronto Kumamoto Kenjin-kai's 60th Annual Shinbokukai (Heritage and Friendship party). It will be held on **Saturday March 12, 2011** at the Toronto Buddhist Church (1011 Sheppard Avenue West) from 12:30pm to 5:30pm.

The day will consist of a memorial service, annual general meeting, and awards by the Governor of Kumamoto. Entertainment includes Hinokuni No Matsuri, bingo, music, songs, odori, door prizes and bento.

Membership fee \$5 per person, bento \$15, free bento for members over 80 years
For reservation please call Martha Sato 416-466-9096 or Arthur Ikeda 416-444-3702.

Hiroshima Kenjinkai Shinbokukai

by Hiroshima Kenjinkai

Plan to meet old and new friends and join in the fun at the Hiroshima kenjinkai annual gathering at the Toronto Buddhist Temple (1011 Sheppard Ave. W.) on **Saturday March 19, 2011**.

Registration and reception starts at 12:30pm and there will be a Buddhist memorial service for those interested at 1:00pm. A short business meeting will be followed by Bingo, Karaoke, group sing-song, obento and door prize draws. Arrangements are pending for a guest speaker. Obento is \$15 per person but free for those over 80 years of age. A membership fee of \$5 applies to all attendees. Those planning to attend are asked to contact one of the following before March 12.

Kay Yaguchi 416-757-4306
George Nakano 905-785-9381
Mike Honda 1-905-385-6325 (Hamilton)

* A few volunteers are needed to help set up tables and chairs at 11:00am as well as a few volunteers to supply dessert.

Toronto Fukuoka Kenjinkai AGM and Social

by Toronto Fukuoka Kenjinkai

The Toronto Fukuoka Kanjinkai will be holding its AGM and Social on **Saturday March 26, 2011** from 1:00pm to 6:00pm at the JCCC. Join us with family and friends -meeting, games and entertainment. Donated door prizes will be greatly appreciated! Free bento for members 80 and over. Annual Membership fee: \$5; Bento \$5

Please RSVP by March 19 to one of the following:
Suenori Tominaga 416-266-5746, Yosh Suyama 416-461-2384, Asaye Amemori 416-781-4997, or Joan Hirano 905-883-1835

Joy of Spring - A Musical Celebration

by Hiroko Barall

A musical program of beautiful Japanese songs and selections of piano and opera favourites. Sponsored by Hiroko Barall, featuring Chor Trillium, Sayaka Morita (piano), Megumi Okamoto (piano), Takako Yanagida-Lordly (Soprano).

Date: Sunday April 3, 2011

Time: 2:00pm

Location: JCCC Kobayashi Hall

Admission: \$15

For more information, please call Hiroko Barall 416-447-0805

Momiji Health Care Society Bazaar

by Chris Okawara

Winter got you down? Get an early jump on Spring, and at the same time help the Momiji Community Bazaar, which will be held on **Saturday March 26, 2011** from 12:00pm to 3:30pm.

Take cuttings of plants; set aside things you no longer need such as books of all kinds, toys, Japanese wares; cuddle up in front of the TV and use your favorite handicraft to make items to be sold.

The manju, baked goods, sushi, pies and karinto/savouries booths will be glad of contributions from your kitchen: they are always early sell-outs. In keeping with current trends we are also baking less sweet things, like scones and cheese biscuits, and adding pickles and preserves to our offerings. Please let us know the ingredients of baked goods and savouries so we can properly label what we sell.

Become involved as a volunteer. Come help at our manju and sushi bees the day before - pass on your skills to the next generation (we have jobs for the inexperienced too!); offer your help in setting up, tearing down and in manning the various stations. If you are able to help in any of these tasks, please contact Jovel Patricio at the Momiji office 416-261-6683 to be put in touch with the correct team.

Come out March 26 and meet your friends, hunt for treasures and enjoy some Japanese cuisine. We hope to see you all there!



出演
Chor Trillium コールトリリアム 女声合唱
Sayaka Morita 森田清香 Piano
Megumi Okamoto 岡本めぐみ Piano
Takako Yanagida-Lordly ロードリー柳田幸子 Soprano

The program will include beautiful Japanese songs and a selection of piano and opera favourites.

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48th Annual Ikenobo Ikebana Floral Exhibition & Demonstration "Tsutae yo Hana no Kokoro"

by the Ikenobo Ikebana Society of Toronto

The Ikenobo Ikebana Society of Toronto invites you to welcome spring at their Annual Floral Exhibition and Demonstration, entitled "Tsutae yo Hana no Kokoro" (Essence of Flowers). This year's exhibition will be held on Sunday March 27, 2011 at the JCCC. Each spring, the Ikenobo Ikebana Society looks forward to displaying their floral arrangements and learning from the visiting professor from Kyoto, Japan. We look forward to sharing this experience with you.

Following the opening ceremonies at 2:00pm, Professor Hirota Furukawa from Ikenobo Headquarters of Kyoto, Japan will be giving a demonstration. Last year, Professor Tsuchiya created floral arrangements to an audience of over 160 guests. Come and see how these stunning floral arrangements are created.

Interested in learning more about Ikenobo Ikebana? Check out the classes offered at the JCCC.

The tearoom will once again serve delightful snacks. Enjoy sushi, sandwiches and sweets.

Admission is \$5. The doors are open from 12:00pm to 5:00pm. For more information, call 416-229-9950 or 416-467-4962 or email ikenoboto@sympatico.ca.

For Ikenobo students, there will be a workshop. Contact your teacher for more details and to sign up for the workshop.

Come and take in the beauty of Ikenobo Ikebana arrangements!

Attention all former/current Matsutake hunters/picker/lovers!

by Alejandro Yoshizawa

The Hunt For Matsutake is a film currently in production which will look at the history of Japanese Canadian matsutake hunting, part of a broader study of Japanese Canadian history being conducted by Concordia University (Montreal) graduate student Alejandro Yoshizawa. Matsutake – a delicacy in Japanese cuisine – can only be found in the wild, and is both a commercial and cultural symbol. The film will chronicle a Japanese Canadian family's annual trip into the forests of British Columbia to search for the elusive and much sought-after mushroom, in addition to featuring other people's stories and photographs. Alejandro Yoshizawa is a sansei from Vancouver, British Columbia.

The Hunt For Matsutake project is currently seeking anyone in the Japanese Canadian community who may wish to participate by contributing their own matsutake stories, photographs, or video. The project is dependent on community participation, and anyone interested in helping is encouraged to contact Alejandro directly at al.yoshizawa@gmail.com. Filming/research will continue through November this year. All help is greatly appreciated!

A preview trailer for *The Hunt For Matsutake* can be viewed here: <http://www.youtube.com/watch?v=eyR7J3UWOCw>
Also, please take a moment to visit the project website: <http://thehuntformatsutake.wordpress.com>
Help fund the project by pre-ordering your copy of the film here: <http://www.indiegogo.com/The-Hunt-For-Matsutake>

3rd Annual Beauties of Asia Contest

by Jason Ying

The 3rd annual Beauties of Asia contest finals will be held on **Sunday May 29, 2011** at 7:00pm at the Grand York ballroom Sheraton Parkway. Beauties of Asia is organized by the Global Asian Interactive Youth Association (GAIYA) working in partnership with the Canadian Multicultural Council Asians in Ontario (CMC). This event is designed to encourage youth between the ages of 16-26 years old to celebrate their heritage and become involved within their communities.

The JCCC and Japanese community are now looking for Japanese contestants to represent and act as ambassadors for our community.

For more information please see: www.beautiesofasia.com
For contact information please call Jason Ying 416-871-7888 /416-479-2911 or email jasonying888@yahoo.com.

Asian Heritage Month Gala Dinner

by Sid Ikeda

Outstanding Asian Canadian Award "Honouring Pioneers in our community" will be held on **Saturday April 30, 2011** at the Premiere Ballroom & Convention Centre (9019 Leslie Street, Richmond Hill, ON. L4B 4A3, 905-709-1759). Reception at 6:00pm, dinner at 7:00pm. Admission is \$100 VIP, \$50 regular.

The 2011 Honoree representing the Japanese Community is Dr. Fred Sunahara.

Please contact Sid Ikeda for information and tickets 416-447-0986 or cell 416-452-9765, email: ikeda.consultants@sympatico.ca.

JAPANESE FLORAL EXHIBITION

"Tsutae yo Hana no Kokoro"
(Essence of Flowers)

Sunday, March 27, 2011

Noon to 5:00 pm

at the

Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre

Demonstration

Professor Hirota Furukawa

Kyoto, Japan

Ikebana Displays

Tea Room

Admission \$5.00 at the door

For further information, phone: 416-229-9950 or
416-467-4962 or email: ikenoboto@sympatico.ca

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Join Sing For Your Heart 2011, Open yourself to more possibilities

by Canadian Multicultural Council Asians in Ontario

Are you between the ages of 15 to 30 and singing is your passion? Are you looking for a stage to share your talent with other Asian communities? Are you proud you are Asian and would like to be part of the promotion of Asian Heritage Month? Here is the opportunity for you!

Canadian Multicultural Council Asians in Ontario is holding Asian Canadian Talent Search 2011 and continue their annual sing for your heart contest. CMC invites individual who love their culture and would like to share their culture with other communities to join the competition. Be part of the contest, open yourself to more possibilities!!

Registration:

Anna Do / Anh Tran: singforyourheart2011register@gmail.com

General Inquiry:

Mai Nguyen / Minnie Wang: singforyourheart2011info@gmail.com

Sponsorship:

Minnie Wang / Mai Nguyen: singforyourheartsponsor@gmail.com

Sing for your heart website: <http://www.cmcasians.com/pages/idol/>

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As of February 10, 2011

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In memory of Masanori Mitoma in Japan

Mr. and Mrs. Harry Mitoma	100
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In memory of Phyllis Yagi

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In honour of Pat Adachi

Mr. and Mrs. Ritz Kinoshita	100
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Thank you, JCCC

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Correction:

The following donation was omitted from our previous newsletter:

Mrs. Joanne Kiyonaga 100
We apologize for the error.

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Updated Dedictions between February 2005 – February 2011
The JCCC gratefully acknowledges the following donations:

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- 410 In memory Tameo G & Kiyoo Aoki - Bill & Mary Aoki & Family** Mr & Mrs Bill Aoki
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- 412 In memory of Kenneth Iwai from Mrs Elaine Iwai, Darryl and Dean Iwai** Mrs Elaine Iwai
- 413 Mrs Christine Takashima** Mr & Mrs Thomas Takashima
- 414 Tina Chan** Mr & Mrs Thomas Takashima
- 415 In loving memory of Ichitaro and Senkame Hamasaki**
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- 417 In memory of my beloved wife Molly Nishikawa - Rick** Dr Rick Nishikawa
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- 422 In memory of Harold Haruo Tazumi, from wife Kay** Mrs Kay Tazumi
- 423 Shig and Marge Suyama** Mr & Mrs Shig Suyama
- 424 In memory of Kimie Aoki sister of Chieko Nishizawa & Tony & Andy Aoki** Mr Toshiro Aoki
- 425 Alan & Betty Bruton - 70th Birthday 2008**
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Mr Fred Yamamoto
- 426 To The Future Sakura Kai Odori Dancers - Lily Kai** Ms Lily Kai
- 427 Dr Jan Ollers, a father, farfar, artist, friend** Ms Victoria Ollers
- 428 邢春江朱文瑛 T&F Yamanaka We love you Geoffrey&Jason Ying** Mr. Jason Ying
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From Mr Rick Takashima, Mr Terry Takashima, Mr Russ Takashima, Mr Darrell Curry, Mr Lindsay Takashima,
Mrs Christine Okawara, Mrs Kathryn Murray, Mrs Patricia Williams
- 436 Honouring Joe & Michi Hamade from their Children** Hamade Family
- 437 Anniversary "61" C.R. Ebata** Mr and Mrs Chuta Roy Ebata

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Let's Hit the Slopes!

みんなでスキーに行こうよ!

Saturday, March 26, 2011

Meeting Place & Time: JCCC parking lot @ 8:45am
Departure Time: 9am Return Time: 9:30pm



Fee:

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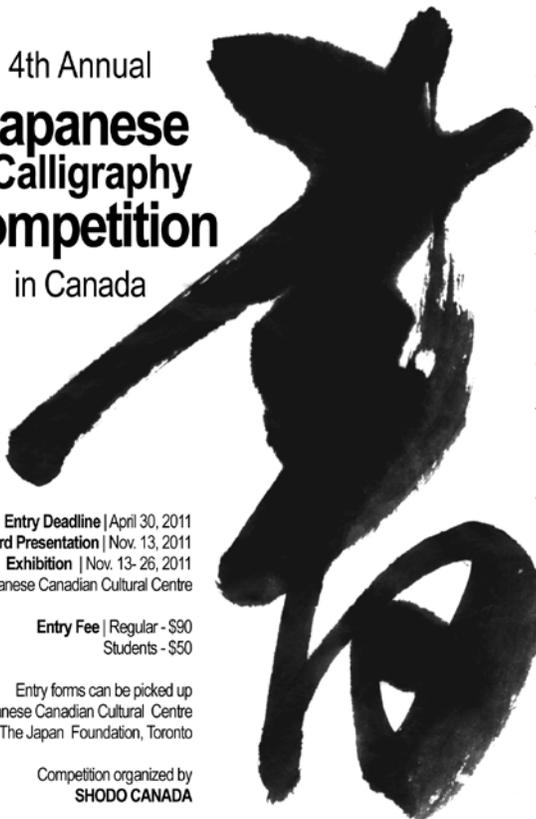
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作品例

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絵がみワークショップに参加の方には、もれなく同日上映予定の
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JCCC理事会報告

今月のJCCC理事会報告では大成功をおさめているヘリテージ委員会の"Just Add Shoyu"クックブックについて報告したいと思います。今日現在までにおよそ2,500冊以上が売れ、5,000冊達成まで順調に売れています。ヘリテージ委員会の懸命なマーケティングへの取り組みにより、3月にはChapters, Indigoの数店舗で販売されることになりました。また、Canadian Living Magazine4月号のエディターコラムの記事への掲載され、ウェブサイトのほうでも宣伝される予定です。そして、今回"Canadian Cookbook Award"にも応募しました。JCCC理事会では今後のJCCCで行われる様々なイベント、プログラム等の宣伝促進を図るために、マーケティング委員会の立ち上げを計画中で、現在そのボランティアを募集しております。ボランティアにご興味のある方、ご質問等がございましたら、こちらのメールアドレスまでお問い合わせください。volunteer@jccc.on.ca

また、賃貸事業委員会の積極的な働きにより、JCCCでは今回新しいテナントとしてCanadian Foundation for Physically Disabled Personsを迎えることとなりました。委員会としては今後も引き続き可能性のあるテナントとの話し合いを進めていき、テナント確保に懸命に尽力をつくしていきたいと思っております。

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ボランティア募集!

只今、JCCCで毎年行われるイベントやお祭りに設けられるボランティアルームの食事係をして下さる方を探しています。仕事内容は、イベント当日にボランティアのためのランチの世話をします。スープを温めたり、サンドイッチの材料を並べたり、クッキー補充、テーブル周りを清潔に保つなど、比較的簡単な仕事です。飲食関係経験者に適しています。調理はほとんどしませんので資格は必要ありません。多くのボランティアの皆さんと出会う機会もあります。長期できる方大歓迎!

興味のある方は担当のヒプシュ・由希までvolunteer@jccc.on.caにご連絡下さい。

第3回新世代映画祭ホストファミリー募集

今年で3年目を迎える新世代映画祭がJCCCで開催されます。今年も日本から新鋭の映画監督、関係者の皆様をゲストにお迎えし多くのコミュニティーの人々との交流をはかりたいと思っています。そこで、JCCCでは各ゲストのホストファミリーを募集しております。ゲストの方々とともにこの新世代映画祭を楽しんでい頂けることと思います。ご興味のある方はジェームス・ヘロン 416- 441-1234 ext:224までご連絡ください。

3・4・5月の行事予定

3月

5-6日(土日)	春祭り
12日(土)	矢野顕子とSkoop On Somebody ジョイントコンサート
14-18日(月一金)	キャンプこども
14日(月)	日系キッズデー
16日(水)	「キューバの日系人」講座
16日(水)	日本映画に親しもう講座
21日(月)	春期クラス開講
24日(木)	デービッド・スズキ映画
31日(木)	映画鑑賞会
23日(水)	饅頭ワークショップ
26日(土)	カラオケクラブ会合

4月

1日(金)	「冷たい熱帯魚」特別上映
2日(土)	カラオケクラブ会合
9日(土)	2011年桜ガラ
14日(木)	折り紙ワークショップ
20日(水)	饅頭ワークショップ
22日(金)	JCCC休館—Good Friday
28日(木)	映画鑑賞会
30日(土)	カラオケクラブ会合

5月

1日(日)	アニメ映画「あらしのよる」
3日(火)	ジョージ・タケイさんトーク
7日(土)	JCCCバザー
12日(木)	折り紙ワークショップ
21日(土)	カラオケクラブ会合
23日(月)	JCCC休館—Victoria Day
25日(水)	饅頭ワークショップ
26日(木)	映画鑑賞会
28日(土)	ノスタルジアナイト
28日(土)	和紙クラフトワークショップ
28日(土)	カラオケクラブ会合

日系キッズデー

春休み恒例となったJCCCヘリテージ委員会主催「日系キッズデー」が今年も3月14日(月)に行われます。おじいちゃん、おばあちゃん、お父さん、お母さんと共に子供が自分のルーツを探ることに興味を持たせ、促す良い機会です。今年のテーマは「凧」です。



午前の部(午前9時から11時まで)と午後の部(午後1時から3時まで)からお選びいただけます。参加費は無料です。6歳児以上を対象としており、参加する子供には必ず保護者の付き添いが必要です。事前登録は416-441-2345またはjccc@jccc.on.caまでどうぞ。多くの子供たちの参加をお待ちしています。

初めての絵てがみ

ワークショップスペシャル!

第15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!

日本で大人気の「絵てがみ」のワークショップが去年からJCCCで始まり、トロントの絵てがみ人口も少しずつ増えてきています。この春、JCCCでは、講師に秦・ペレクリタ・さちこさんをお迎えし、コンクールに出展する作品を描く絵てがみワークショップを予定しています。テーマは『ありがとう』。絵と文字を使って感謝の気持ちを表現します。書初めのように床に大きめの紙を広げて、自由に楽しく描いていきます。個人、ご家族、お友達同士などみんなで参加してみませんか?

ベテランの方から初心者の方まで、どなたでも参加していただけます。特にご家族でのご参加は大歓迎です!昨年ミシサガから参加されたグループはほとんどの方が初心者でしたが、半分以上の方が入賞しました!

日時:2011年5月1日(日) 午前10時から午後2時まで

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特典!

絵てがみワークショップに参加の方には、もれなく同日小林ホールで上映予定のアニメーション映画『あらしのよるに』のチケット差し上げます。(申し込み時、又は当日にお受け取り下さい。)

ランチ時間を設定しておりませんが、必要と思われる方は各自ご持参下さい。JCCC館内の売店「春夏秋冬」にて軽食やスナックなども販売しております。

矢野顕子 & Skoop On Somebody 初ジョイントコンサート：歌声比べ

2011年3月12日(土)日系文化会館ではNYから矢野顕子さん、そして日本からSkoop On Somebody(通称SOS)さんをお迎えし、コンサートが行われます。矢野さん、SOSのお二人TakeさんとKoichiroさんは音楽のジャンルは違いますが、どちらも素敵な歌声と、ピアノ(矢野さん)キーボード(SOS)が光る素敵な音楽を聞かせてくださいます。

ピアノ弾き語りで聴く人を魅了する矢野顕子さんの音楽活動は、1976年にLAでのレコーディング「JAPANESE GIRL」でソロデビューをして以来、30年以上にも及びます。1979-80年、YMOの2度のワールドツアーにサポートメンバーとして同行。1981年に大ヒットしたシングル「春咲小紅」を覚えていらっしゃる方は多いことでしょう。

歌声が心に響くSOSは、ヴォーカルのTAKEとキーボードとコーラスのKO-ICHIROの二人組。ボーカル、コーラスはもちろんのこと、ソングライティングから演奏まで其のほとんどを自分達でこなす才能豊かなバンドで、映画主題歌やCM、アニメソングなども手がけ、幅広い音楽活動を続けています。SOSの音楽は「R&Bからソウル、ゴスペルと黒人音楽をルーツにしながら、歌詞やメロディを通して日本の美しさを伝える日本のオリジナル音楽」だそうです。昨年夏にシカゴで行われたコンサートは大反響を呼び、今回二度目の北米ツアーとなりました。3月12日のカナダ初公演でトロントの皆さんにSOSの音楽を楽しんでいただきたいと思います。

今回は特別に英語のカバー曲も何曲か歌ってくださいます。

日時:2011年3月12日(土)午後7時開演

場所:日系文化会館小林ホール

チケット:一般\$35.40、JCCC会員\$30.97(プラス税)

チケットの発売は2011年1月5日より、JCCC受付にて始まります。

チケットの払い戻しは一切お断りしておりますので、あらかじめご了承ください。

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コールトリリアムによる 日本の叙情歌、若手ピアニストによる ピアノの名曲ソプラノ ロードリー柳田孝子が日本のうた、世界の名曲、オペラをお届けします。 スポンサー:バラル博子

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岡本めぐみ(Piano)、ロードリー柳田孝子(Soprano)

日時: 2011年4月3日(日曜)

時間: 午後2時 開演

場所: 日系文化会館小林ホール

チケット:\$15

詳細:バラル博子 416-447-0805

3月の映画鑑賞会: Force of Nature (自然の力)

3月の映画はSturla Gunnarsson監督作品、Force of Nature: The David Suzuki Movieを上映します。

デービッド・スズキさんはカナダを代表する生物学者、環境運動家です。75歳になる現在もなお各方面で活躍されています。

この映画はスズキさんがブリティッシュ・コロンビア大学で行った、ご本人いわく「最後の講義」をインタビューなどを交えて収録したものです。自分がこの世を去る前に伝えておきたいこと、残せること、思っていること...スズキさんの話しはおもしろおかしく、そして感動を誘います。ぜひご覧ください。当日はGunnarsson監督もいらっしゃいます。

日時:2011年3月24日(木)午後7時半

入場料:JCCC会員\$6、一般\$8

なお今年の4月9日に行われる第3回桜ガラではデービッド・スズキさんの功績を称えます。チケットなどに関する詳細はジェームス・ヘロン416-441-2345x224までお問い合わせ下さい。



カナダの日系史を学ぼう!

トロント日系文化会館で日系史の講座開講

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主催は日系文化会館のJ-Commで、講師は長年「日系ボイス」の日本語版の編集を担ってきた田中裕介氏です。氏は2000年以来、毎年日本の大学や学会で特別講師として日系史や多文化共生論を講義しています。尚、講義は全て日本語で行われます。

講座の要項は以下の通りです。

開催期日:全8回、毎月第3土曜日(1月、9月例外)午後2時から4時

2011年日程表

第一部:~1941年まで

- 1月29日:第一回 日系通史(揺籃期)一済
- 2月19日:第二回 日系通史(成長期)一済
- 3月19日:第三回 日系通史(成熟期)

第二部:1941年~から現在まで

- 4月16日:第四回 日系通史(コミュニティーの崩壊:強制収容)
- 5月21日:第五回 日系通史(戦後復興期からリドレスまで)
- 6月18日:第六回 日系通史(リドレスから現在まで)

第三部:テーマ別講座

- 7月16日:第七回 他国の日系史(米国、ハワイ、ブラジル他)
- 9月24日:第八回 トロントの日系社会と日系文化会館

注)日程は、変更になる場合があります。

参加資格:JCCC会員

参加費:\$25.00(全8回)

協力団体:bits、e-nikka、日系ボイス、JCCCヘリテージ委員会

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特別上映：冷たい熱帯魚

2011年4月1日(金)午後7時半から園子温監督作品「冷たい熱帯魚」(2010年)を上映します。トロント映画祭でも上映され、現実には起きた事件からインスパイアされた本作は死と暴力に満ち溢れた衝撃的な作品です。入場料：JCCC&CJST会員\$10、一般\$12

あらすじ：小さな熱帯魚屋を経営する社本信行は、ある夜、娘の美津子がスーパーで万引きをしたため、妻の妙子とともに店に呼び出された。その場を救ってくれたのは、スーパーの店長と知り合いの村田幸雄。村田は巨大な熱帯魚店、アマゾンゴールドのオーナーだった。帰り道、村田に誘われ店に寄る事に。そこで美津子を住み込みの従業員として預かる事を提案され、無力にも了承する社本。さらに数日後、村田から「儲け話」をもちかけられる。(goo映画より)



日本語で学ぼう・楽しもう 春のケーキ教室

4月の日本語で学ぼう・楽しもうは、久しぶりのケーキ教室です。講師に日本でパティシエとしての経験のある水野佑香さんをお迎えして、本格的なケーキ作りに挑戦します。この機会にプロならではのテクニックを学びましょう。2種類のお菓子をレッスンし、作ったお菓子は土産としてお持ち帰りいただきます。材料にもこだわりオーガニックの牛乳や卵を使います。



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春の果物イチゴをふんだんに使ったケーキ。スポンジケーキの間にカスタードクリームとイチゴがぎっしりと詰まった、見た目にも華やかなケーキです。

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講師：水野 佑香さん — 大学卒業後、熊本市内の洋菓子店『アントルメ菓樹』に入社し、パティシエとして3年勤務。新商品のアイデアを募るための社内コンテストで作ったケーキが採用され、商品化されたことがあります。今でも、シーズン商品として店頭で並ぶそうです。小さい頃大好きだった絵本に出てきたレモンパイを思い浮かべながら作ったケーキで、リモーネと名付けたそうです。トロントでは趣味でお菓子作りを続け、特にフルーツを使ったデコレーションケーキなどのフレッシュなお菓子づくりが好きだそうです。

日時： 2011年4月17日(日)午後1時から午後4時

参加費： \$35(非会員) \$30(JCCC会員) *16歳未満のお子様の参加はご遠慮ください。

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申し込み： 日系文化会館受付にて、直接またはお電話416-441-2345でお申し込みください。人数に制限がありますので、早めにお申し込みください。



第2回キッズ&ユース ミュージカルワークショップと 公演：歌って・踊って

今年のワークショップは公演日を含め合計で12日間(日程は下記をご参照ください)。最初の6日間(月から土まで)はカナダからの参加者のみのワークショップで、ばっちり基礎(ストレッチやダンス、基本発生、開口、滑舌など)を学び、ミュージカル公演の歌や振り付け、台詞などの練習を行います。指導に当たってくださるのは、もちろん「大きな夢」の指導陣です。この6日間で後半から合流する日本の劇団員にできるだけ近づける様に頑張ります。

後半の6日間(月から土まで)は日本から「大きな夢」の劇団員が合流。すぐに合同での公演に向け稽古を進めていきます。金曜日は最終リハーサル、そして最終日の土曜日が小林ホールでの成果披露公演です。ワークショップの総仕上げとして行われる公演では日本、カナダ両参加者が全員舞台上に立ちます。舞台上で一生懸命演じ、お客様から拍手をいただくことは、かけがえのない思い出となることと思います。

ワークショップ中及び公演の指導は全て日本語で行われます。ミュージカル公演は日本語を話さない方々にも楽しんでいただける様、英語の歌を入れるとともに、字幕をご用意する予定です。なお指導は全て「大きな夢」劇団員が行います。

2011年キッズ&ユースワークショップと公演

参加者年齢枠： Gr1からGr12まで(8月の時点で)

日程： 前半：8月15日(月)ー8月20日(土)

後半：8月22日(月)ー8月27日(土) 合計12日間

時間： 午前9時から午後4時まで

参加費： 一般 \$500、JCCC会員 \$480(15歳以上：プラス税)

場所： 日系文化会館

2011年幼児対象ワークショップと公演

参加者年齢枠： 5歳以上の幼稚園児(8月の時点で)

日程(6日間)： 8月22日(月)ー8月27日(土)

時間： 午前9時から午後4時まで

参加費： 一般 \$240・JCCC会員 \$220

場所： 日系文化会館

(3月現在で定員に達しています。ウェーティングリストあり)

*公演日時：8月27日(土)開演、午後4時、当日の集合時間は追ってお知らせします。

*参加費は兄弟姉妹で二人以上参加の場合は二人目から10%割引

*参加者は日本語を理解できること、ひらがなが読めることが原則。

*公演を目標とするワークショップであるため、12日間(幼児特別プログラムは6日間)を通して参加できるお子様のみに限らせていただきますので、ご了承ください。

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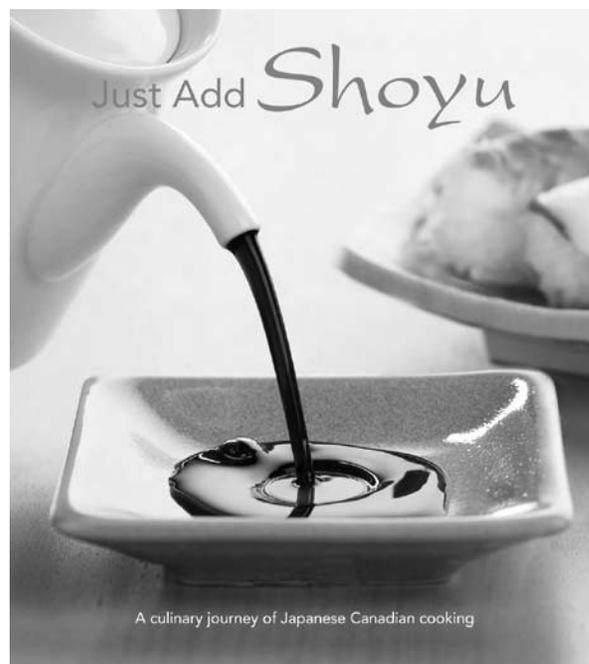
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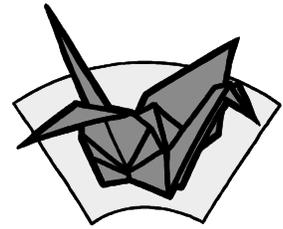
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Child's Home Address: _____
Number Street Apt/Suite

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: _____
Work Telephone Number Cellular Phone/Pager Number

Email Address: _____

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)	(<input type="checkbox"/>)	Week 1: Jul 4-8
No. of weeks	=	_____		(<input type="checkbox"/>)	Week 2: Jul 11-15
Sub-total	=	_____		(<input type="checkbox"/>)	Week 3: Jul 18-22
Deduct 10% if you have JCCC Family Membership	=	_____			
Deduct 5% for additional children from same family	=	_____			
Additional Extended Program Fee	=	_____	(\$35.00 per week)		Specify week:
Total	=	_____			

Payment is included by: Cheque (Payable to JCCC) (Debit Card payment accepted at JCCC reception desk)

MasterCard VISA AMEX _____
Number Expiry Date

Payment and Withdrawal information: Fees can be made by current dated cheques, VISA, MasterCard, AMEX or debit card. Indicate the children's names on the reverse side of all cheques. Include your VISA, MasterCard or AMEX information on this registration form if you wish to pay by credit card or if you are faxing your forms. Please note there is a \$10.00 administrative charge for all NSF Cheques returned or for VISA, MasterCard or AMEX declines. Debit card payment in person only. Full payment must be made prior to session start date. Refund Policy: Refunds, less a \$25.00 administrative charge per registrant, will be issued for all program session cancellation received in writing. Refunds are not available within one week prior to the program start date. Medical & Emergency Information: Please ensure that you provide all information requested on the registration form. A minimum of one program supervisor, coordinator or assistant is certified in Emergency First Aid Care and CPR. Special needs: Please contact the JCCC office and we will endeavor to accommodate them. Release: I hereby agree to the terms and conditions outlined above and hereby release and agree to indemnify and hold harmless the Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre, its directors and offices, its staff, employees and volunteers from any liability concerning our child(ren)'s involvement in JCCC's Kamp Kodomo and further agree that the use of all JCCC facilities is made at the risk of the applicant. The child(ren) & parent(s) agree, that any pictures taken during the program can be used in any promotion or advertisement by the JCCC. By signing below, parents/guardians and child (ren) agree to abide by all rules, regulations & standards of conduct as required by the program staff for the session for the enjoyment & benefit of all participants.

Parent/Guardian Signature _____ Date _____

If you are registering more than one child, submit one (1) Registration Form for each child. Return to the JCCC via mail, in person or via fax. Enrollment is limited to 40 children per week. **Registrations will be accepted after March 28, 2011. Registration deadline June 27, 2011.**
JCCC, 6 Garamond Court, Toronto, Ontario M3C 1Z5 Phone: (416)441-2345 Fax: (416)441-2347 www.jccc.on.ca

For Office Use only		
Receipt Number _____	Amount _____	Date _____

Come to the JCCC for a fun day of activities at

Nikkei Kids Day

Monday, March 14, 2011

Two free sessions to choose from:

Morning (9 to 11 a.m.) or Afternoon (1 to 3 p.m.)

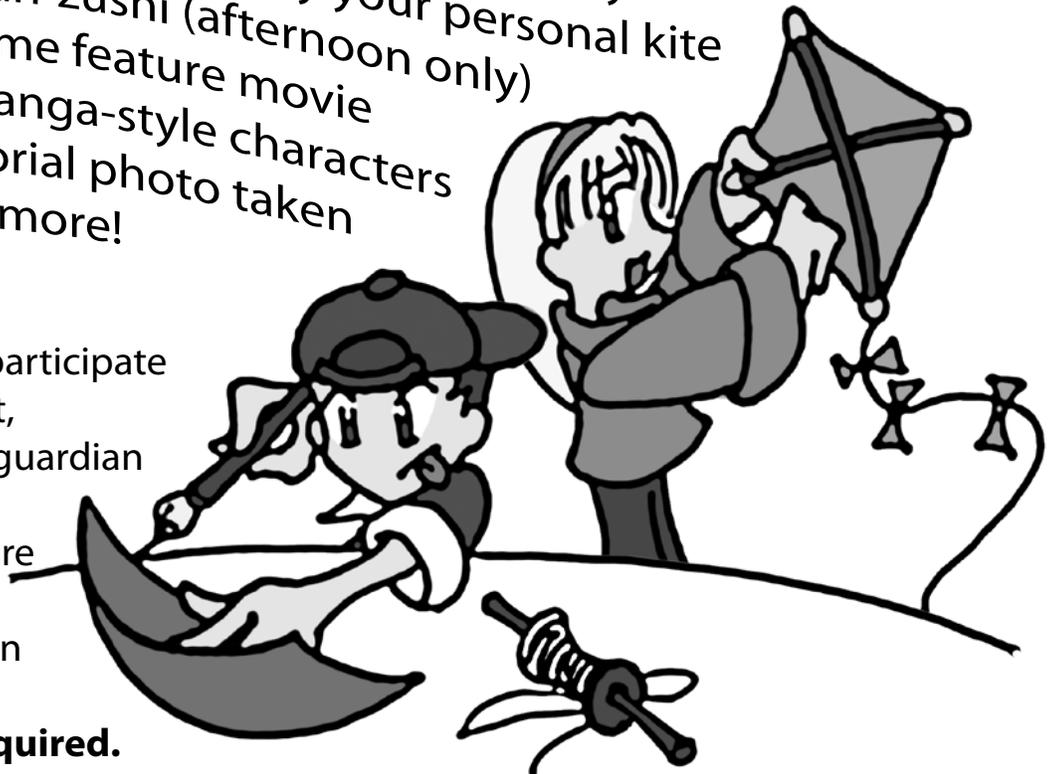
This year's theme: KITES

Learn about Japanese prefectures at the Kenjinkai display tables
Experience taiko drumming and minyo dancing
Try out some children's activities of the WW2 detention camp days
Have your name written in Japanese calligraphy
Make a kite with origami paper and watch it fly
Create, decorate and display your personal kite
Stuff your own inari-zushi (afternoon only)
Watch an anime feature movie
Colour anime / manga-style characters
Have a memorial photo taken
And much, much more!

There is no charge to participate in this event. A parent, grandparent, or adult guardian must accompany each participant for the entire session. Activities are most suited for children 6 years old and up.

Pre-registration is required.

Please call the Japanese Canadian Cultural Centre at **416-441-2345**, or email **jccc@jccc.on.ca** to register.



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JCCCに遊びにおいでよ!

日系キッズデー

2011年3月14日(月)

無料セッション:午前または午後どちらかをお選び下さい。

午前の部(9:00am to 11:00am) 午後の部(1:00pm to 3:00 pm)

県人会による展示で日本の県について学ぼう
和太鼓と民謡踊りをやってみよう
収容所時代の子供の遊びを体験してみよう
名前を毛筆で書いてもらおう
自分のオリジナル凧を作ってみよう
いなり寿司を作ってみよう
記念写真を撮ろう
アニメ映画を見よう
そのほか企画が盛りだくさん!

今年のテーマは凧

このイベントは参加費無料です。イベント参加中は必ず大人の保護者の方が同伴して下さい。イベント内容は主に6歳以上を対象としています。

参加するには事前登録が必要です。

登録ご希望の方はJCCC受付

416-441-2345または

jccc@jccc.on.caまでご連絡下さい。

祖父母・親・子供が共にさまざまなアクティビティーを通して日系というルーツに興味を持ち、さらに探りたくなる—そのきっかけを作るのが日系キッズデーです。

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Calling all History Buffs!!

Are you interested in history?
Do you want to be a part of something great?

The Heritage Committee at the JCCC is looking for volunteers to help catalogue it's collection of Japanese Canadian artifacts, photos, newspapers and books. This collection will be the basis for the Nikkei Heritage Resource Center, but we need your help to ensure that it is properly recorded!

For more information about our upcoming information session, please contact heritage@jccc.on.ca.

