

Community Calendar 2007.09.01

Dear Friends,

Summer seems to have flown by, but fall brings new excitement.

Get ready to RACE WITH THE DRAGONS!  
3<sup>RD</sup> SAN DIEGO DRAGON BOAT FESTIVAL coming up  
Saturday, October 20, 9am-5pm

Gather your team: 16 colleagues, friends, family per boat  
No experience needed: same-day on-site training  
by international-award-winning SD Dragon Boat Team.  
Registration fees: \$500/16-member boat;  
\$640/16-member boat plus Festival t-shirts;  
half-price for student teams (with IDs)  
Unparalleled for team-building!

Also in September:

1)  
SD CHINESE HISTORICAL SOCIETY & MUSEUM'S  
Emblems of Ethereal Grace: Adornments Designed  
by Master Jeweler PAT TSENG  
Antique jade, amber, amethyst, coral, silver on silken cords  
Saturday, September 1, 2pm-4pm  
Reception follows in Museum Garden  
FREE with Museum admission \$2 (for both museums)

[www.sdchm.org](http://www.sdchm.org), [info@sdchm.org](mailto:info@sdchm.org)  
- Old Chinese Mission Building  
404 Third Ave at J St, SD 92101, 619.338.9888  
- Dr. Sun Yat-Sen Memorial Extension  
328 J Street at 3<sup>rd</sup> Ave, SD 92101, 619.595.1506

2)  
CJ GALLERY & YaddoArt (Singapore)  
Present GOH BENG KWAN's "Asian Journeys"  
Paintings, water collages, etchings  
At CJ Gallery, 343 Fourth Ave, SD 92101  
Saturday Sept 1 – Friday Sept 14  
[www.cjartgallery.com](http://www.cjartgallery.com), 619.595.0048

3)  
SINO-AMERICAN BIOMEDICAL & PHARMACEUTICAL  
PROFESSIONALS (SABPA) presents  
Beijing Biotech/Pharmaceutical Outlook 2007  
Wednesday, September 5, 9am-1pm  
San Diego Marriott La Jolla  
4240 La Jolla Village Drive, La Jolla 92037

Reps from leading biotech/pharmaceutical co's in Beijing:  
Beijing Tide Pharmaceutical, Youcare Pharmaceutical Group,  
Beijing Saisheng Pharmaceutical, Vector Gene Technology,  
and Beijing Luzhu Pharmaceutical

Also:

Zhou Weimin, deputy director-general of Beijing Investment Promotion Bureau (BIPB), & Zhao Yujie, Director of Beijing Economic-Technological Development Area Drug Adm (BDA)

To register: <http://www.apucc.org/eflyer/2007BeijingSep.html>

4)

VIETNAMESE FEDERATION of SD  
COUNTY SUPERVISOR RON ROBERTS  
DISTRICT ATTORNEY BONNIE DUMANIS co-host  
VIETNAMESE COMMUNITY PUBLIC SAFETY FORUM  
Saturday, September 8, 9:30am-1pm  
At Vietnamese Federation, 7833 Linda Vista Rd

FREE family-oriented community forum  
To hear experts on issues including  
child abuse, child protection services,  
internet predators, elder abuse, consumer  
protection, victim assistance, gangs

Refreshments will be provided  
For info: call Tiet Tran 858.967.0035

5)

CAMERINO PACIFIC RIM ART presents  
CAROLINE YOUNG: Women in Chinese myth & history  
Saturday, September 8, Sunday, September 9, 11am-5pm  
DoubleTree Hotel, 7450 Hazard Center Drive  
<http://www.camerinoart.com>

6)

UCSD DEPARTMENT of MUSIC &  
TAIWANESE AMERICAN FOUNDATION/TAIWAN CENTER  
Present FORMOSA DREAMING: MUSIC from TAIWAN  
By National Taiwan Normal Univ. Symphony Orchestra  
& Formosa Festival Chorus  
Saturday, September 8, 4-6:30pm  
University of California, San Diego  
Mandeville Auditorium  
Tickets \$10, students \$5 (UCSD students free w ID)

7)

MO'OLELO PERFORMING ARTS presents  
Your Mo`olelo Playwriting Class  
For beginning to intermediate-level playwrights  
Instructor: SEEMA SUEKO, Artistic Director

Tuesdays, 6-8:30pm, six sessions, September 11-October 16  
7071 Convoy Court, 2nd Floor Conference Room, SD 92111  
Fee: \$250 / \$200 for AASD or AEA members  
& early bird registration (by September 1, 2007)  
To register: call 619.342.7395, email [classes@moolelo.net](mailto:classes@moolelo.net)

8)

ASIAN BUSINESS ASS'N's

**Members Appreciation Mixer (FREE for members)**  
Thursday, September 13, 5:30pm-8:30pm  
No-host bar and live music

ABA members complimentary with RSVP  
Call 858.277.2822, or email [admin@abasd.org](mailto:admin@abasd.org)  
Members must register guests \$10/person.  
Non-members \$20; at door \$30 (after Sept 10)

San Diego Wine & Culinary Institute  
200 Harbor Drive, Suite 120, SD 92101  
(Across from SD Convention Center)  
[www.sdwineculinary.com](http://www.sdwineculinary.com)

9)  
**FILIPINO AMERICAN CHAMBER of COMMERCE**  
invites you to "BACK TO BUSINESS MIXER"  
Town & Country Hotel, Tiki Pavilion  
Thursday, September 13, 5- 8pm  
Guest speaker: Dan McAlister, Treasurer  
County of San Diego Tax Collector

Info: Myrna T.F. Reyes, [president@faccsd.com](mailto:president@faccsd.com)  
619.885.3081, [myrnatfreyes@gmail.com](mailto:myrnatfreyes@gmail.com)

10)  
**SD MUSIC AWARDS ACOUSTIC FESTIVAL**  
September 14, 7pm-1am  
Claire de Lune, North Park on University near 30<sup>th</sup>, SD  
San Diego Music Awards Acoustic Festival  
Cost: \$10 to hear some of SD's best acoustic acts;  
TERRY MATSUOKA plays 10:40pm  
All proceeds to buy Taylor Guitars for SD elementary schools

11)  
**SINGMA CLUB of SD celebrates last week of summer**  
With CURRY MADNESS!  
At Dana Landing, 1400 Dana Landing Rd, Sd 92109  
Saturday, September 15, 12:30pm

FREE for family if you bring a curry dish for 8 people  
Otherwise \$10 per adult, \$5 per child  
Fun, games, prizes; bring lawn chairs & blankets

RSVP what type of curry dishes you will bring  
[singmaclubofsandiego@yahoo.com](mailto:singmaclubofsandiego@yahoo.com)

12)  
**TAIWANESE AMERICAN AERONAUTICS & SPACE ASS'N**  
**N. AMERICAN TAIWANESE PROFESSORS ASS'N SoCAL**  
**NATIONAL SCIENCE COUNCIL, TAIWAN**  
**CALIFORNIA INSTITUTE for TELECOMMUNICATIONS**  
**& INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY (Calit2) co-sponsor**

**Taiwan-America Science and Technology Conference 2007**  
**AEROSPACE & NANOTECHNOLOGY**

Saturday, September 15, 8:45am-6pm  
UC Irvine, Calit2 Bldg, Auditorium  
For info:  
Kuang-Tai Yen, [taasa\\_mail@yahoo.com](mailto:taasa_mail@yahoo.com), [www.taasa-web.org](http://www.taasa-web.org)  
Joe Chou, [jchou@hp.com](mailto:jchou@hp.com), <http://zen.sandiego.edu/natpa>

13)  
CITY of SAN DIEGO LIBRARY & ASIAN STORY THEATER present  
Stage adaptation of *DEAR MISS BREED* by Joanne Oppenheim  
Directed by Andy Lowe at Lyceum Space Theater at Horton Plaza  
Sunday September 16-Sunday September 30  
[www.sandiegorep.com/pages/about/lyceumevents.html](http://www.sandiegorep.com/pages/about/lyceumevents.html)  
For more info, contact Andy Lowe  
[Sunwugong81@Yahoo.com](mailto:Sunwugong81@Yahoo.com), 619.504.0461

14)  
MO'OLELO PERFORMING ARTS presents  
FREE Class for Actors!  
Monday, September 17, 7-9pm  
AASD Rehearsal Space, Suite 204  
2650 Truxtun Road, SD 92106

Movement Intensive for the Working Actor – FREE DEMO  
Taught by Mo`olelo Associate Director KIMBER LEE &  
Narrative Improvisational Theatre Specialist JOHN HAZELWOOD  
RSVP: Limited spots available!  
Contact Kimber Lee, 858.761.1280, [kimber@moolelo.net](mailto:kimber@moolelo.net)

15)  
PIFA SAN DIEGO 2007 celebrates  
13<sup>th</sup> annual SD PACIFIC ISLANDER FESTIVAL  
“SONGS of OUR HERITAGE: Melanesia, Microsnesia, Polynesia”  
Sat September 22, 9am-4pm; Sun September 23, 8am-4pm  
Ski Beach, Mission Bay Park  
Continuous entertainment both days  
with food, arts & crafts, & informational booths  
[www.pifasandiego.com](http://www.pifasandiego.com)

**VOLUNTEERS NEEDED!** Volunter 4.5 hours,  
Get free PIFA t-shirt, free parking pass, free food  
Counts as Community Service for students

Choose time: Saturday or Sunday :  
8am-12:30pm, 11am-3:30pm, 1:30-5:30pm  
What size t-shirt & color: black, olive or tan?  
Call 619.941.2667, 619.647.0608  
Email: [Noralie\\_Lannon@yahoo.com](mailto:Noralie_Lannon@yahoo.com)

16)  
TERRY MATSUOKA at Kirin Sushi  
Sushi bar at 4111 Voltaire St, SD 92107  
Saturday, September 22, 7pm  
Terry says, Get loaded on sushi, sake and beer

17)  
ASIAN BUSINESS ASS'N

September Rice Club Luncheon  
Tuesday, September 25, 12- 1:30pm  
Guest Speaker: Honorable Bobby Barrett  
Tribal Chairman, Viejas Band of Kumeyaay Indians

Jasmine Seafood Restaurant, 4609 Convoy  
Members \$25, non-members \$35, at door \$40  
Registration deadline: Friday, September 21  
[www.abasd.org](http://www.abasd.org), 858.277.2822

18)  
MULTICULTURAL MONDAY@CAL STATE SAN MARCOS  
Monday, September 25, Noon-12:50pm  
SD Asian Film Festival staff  
& GREG TOYA, Associate Dean of Students  
Cal State San Marcos at Markstein Hall 101

19)  
SD CHINESE HISTORICAL SOCIETY & MUSEUM is  
CELEBRATING the CHINESE MOON FESTIVAL  
Saturday, September 29, 12-1:30PM

Children learn to retell legend of Chang Er & Jade Rabbit  
& how they ended up on the moon; make paper cuts  
of Chinese character for happiness & other crafts & games;  
plus there will be mooncakes & red bean ice cream!  
FREE with Museum admission \$2 (for both museums)

Reservations please!  
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404 Third Ave at J St, SD 92101, 619.338.9888

20)  
TULA PRODUCTIONS presents  
Hawaiian Style Comedy Show starring AUGIE T  
with guests San Diego Island Boys  
September 30, 7pm (must be 18 & over with ID)  
Portuguese Hall, 2818 Avenida de Portugal, SD 92106  
\$20 presale, \$25.00 at door

Buy tickets through [www.seatadvisor.com](http://www.seatadvisor.com), or  
Motu Hawaii (Pacific Beach) 858.272.6688  
Momilani's (Oceanside) 760.754.1276  
Yokozuna's (Chula Vista) 619.392.1677  
Or check to Tula Productions, 6681 DelfernSt, SD 92120

#### UPCOMING ALLIANCE EVENTS

1)  
3rd Annual SAN DIEGO DRAGON BOAT FESTIVAL  
Saturday, October 20, 9am-5pm,  
Playa Pacifica, Mission Bay Park, SD

Dragon boat races, pan-Asian performing arts,  
Arts from heritage crafts to emerging artists

**Food, friends, fun!!**

**2)**

**Cheryl Cox, Mayor of Chula Vista,  
on "Community Development and  
Chula Vista's Urban Core Specific Plan"  
Saturday, November 3, 10am-11:30am  
Chula Vista Public Library at Civic Center**

**3)**

**Empowering San Diego's Asian Communities II:  
Meeting California's Asian Americans in Elected Office,  
Saturday, November 10**

**4)**

**Alliance fundraiser!  
Join Alliance and friends at  
MO'OLELO PEPRFORMING ARTS'  
production of COWBOY VERSUS SAMURAI,  
Michael Golamco, playwright; Kimber Lee, director,  
2pm Sunday matinee, December 2,  
with after-show talk with playwright, director & cast  
at 10th Ave Theatre in downtown SD;  
buy tickets for fundraiser through Alliance  
Details to come**

**Thank you, as always, for supporting  
our Asian Pacific Islander communities!**

**Sincerely,**

**Linda**