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JCCCNC and JCYC Annual Halloween Carnival

San Francisco (October 5, 2011) – Halloween fun will come alive in Japantown with the Annual Halloween Carnival on Friday, Oct. 28 from 6:00 to 8:30 p.m. at the Japanese Cultural and Community Center of Northern California (JCCCNC). The Halloween Carnival, a family friendly event, offers a haunted hallway, castle jumper, costume parade/ contest, assorted games with prizes, arts and crafts and trick or treating. The first 400 children to enter the Halloween Carnival will receive Halloween goody bags.

Children, ages 12 and under, are invited to dress in their favorite costumes for prizes in the scariest, cutest, funniest and most creative categories. There will also be a decorated area to provide the ideal backdrop for Halloween photos.

For the convenience of families an "Early Bat" dinner will be served at 5:00pm that will include Spaghetti and meatballs, garlic bread and salad. Cost is \$5/adults, \$3/kids. Food and refreshments will also be sold by JCYC after 6:00pm in the Gym. RSVP is required for the dinner.

The annual Halloween Carnival is presented by Japanese Cultural and Community Center of Northern California and Japanese Community Youth Council. Admission is \$5 per child and is free to children under 2 and seniors over 65. For more information and to RSVP for the early bat dinner, visit www.jcccnc.org or call Ryan Kimura at (415) 567-5505 or email rkimura@jcccnc.org.

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About the JCCCNC

Envisioned by the Japanese American community, JCCCNC will be an everlasting foundation of our Japanese American ancestry, cultural heritage, histories and traditions. The JCCCNC strives to meet the evolving needs of the Japanese American community through programs, affordable services and facility usage. The JCCCNC is a 501(c)3 non-profit community center based in San Francisco.

About the JCYC

Japanese Community Youth Council (JCYC) is a San Francisco based children and youth non-profit organization, which provides a broad range of child and youth development services. Since 1970, JCYC has grown to annually serve over 8,000 children and youth from all ethnic backgrounds in the San Francisco Bay Area. For more information, please visit www.jcyc.org.