Permanent Walking Tour to Feature Historic, Culturally Significant SF Japantown Landmarks

The San Francisco Japantown Japanese American History Walk — a public project led by the JCCNC and set to be completed by the end of this year — will be a permanent display featuring historically and culturally significant landmarks in the community.

“We’re trying to tell the story of Japantown in a way that will invite people to want to learn more,” says JCCNC Executive Director Paul Osaki.

Proposition 40 — the California Clean Water, Clean Air, Safe Neighborhood Parks, and Coastal Protection Act of 2002 — allocated $267.5 million for historical and cultural resource projects.

One million dollars of this money was appointed by former Governor Gray Davis to support capital cultural preservation projects in California’s three remaining Japantowns — Los Angeles, San Francisco and San Jose.

In San Francisco, an open bid process was conducted to determine how best to utilize its $300,000 share of the funds.

NDD Creative, aka Naganuma Design and Direction (NDD), was selected as the project team.

Although the original plan consisted of improvements to the Buchanan Mall, it was later redesigned to include the entire Japantown.

This cultural heritage tourism program — the first of its kind in San Francisco’s Japantown — will take visitors on a self-guided walking tour, led by informative plaques and interpretive signage.

The official tour begins in the Peace Plaza and continues to more than a dozen Japantown locations. These include Benkyodo manju shop, which celebrates its 100th anniversary this year; religious organizations such as Konko Church and Christ United Presbyterian Church; and historically significant sites such as Kinmon Gakuen, which served as a processing center during World War II when all “persons of Japanese ancestry” residing on the West Coast were forcibly interned in concentration camps.

While school and other groups may opt to take the full tour, it will also be accessible to the casual visitor, who may want to visit just a few plaques or signs at a time.

Another key part of the project will be a large, approximately 14 by 14-foot Japanese folding fan (sensu). This three-dimensional icon will be located on the Webster Street traffic median, between Post Street and Geary Boulevard.

“It’s a gateway, it’s to designate Japantown,” explains Osaki. “As it is right now, people drive by Geary corridor, or they drive up Webster Street on their way to the Marina, but there’s nothing that really says ‘This is Japantown.’”

Osaki says the fan symbol is "clearly a Japanese fan, it’s clearly identifiable, and it will be really aesthetically beautiful."

The project is currently going through the process of being approved by the owners of the properties on the tour. Since the project is being funded by bond money, the signage and plaques must be displayed for at least 20 years.

For the JCCNC, the project makes complete sense.

“It’s a way of furthering our mission to be able to continue to educate the broader community about the Japanese, Japanese American community,” says Osaki, “as well as help culturally preserve our history and our stories here in Japantown.”

He hopes that the project will be another way to draw people to the area, and provide them with a new, educational Japantown experience.

“It’ll be the first time that people can come to Japantown and do more than just shop, eat and drink. They’ll actually be able to come and learn about our historic community and hopefully leave a little differently than when they came.”
Message from the Executive Director

Celebrating 20 Years of Living the Vision

Over thirty years ago, the vision of the Japanese Cultural and Community Center of Northern California (JCCCNC) began with individuals from our Nikkei community who believed in providing for the future of our community and generations to follow. We respectfully honor the Issei, the first generation of Japanese who built the community, and to the Nisei, the succeeding generation who endured unimaginable hardships so that future generations could prosper in the American dream.

We are proud that JCCCNC still remains committed to the same vision of those generations. We acknowledge the individuals who first provided the leadership for the vision of the JCCCNC during this time period, in particular those who have since passed away. Their legacy lives on through all of our programs and services here at the Center – everyday, in every child, in every senior, and in everyone who enters our doors.

This year JCCCNC celebrates its 20th Anniversary of opening its doors to the community, which originally opened in May 1986. In these last 20 years the JCCCNC has been perceived as more than just a two-story building, it has become a home in the community – a place to bring family, see friends, explore culture and share experiences. This is abundantly clear as you look at the over quarter million smiling faces that have passed through our doors to attend a program, class, workshop, or special event.

Today, however, we are facing immediate challenges in preserving our culture and community, and the JCCCNC has been diligently working on your behalf to help save San Francisco’s Japantown, the oldest Japantown in the United States, and one of only three remaining. You play an important role supporting JCCCNC’s mission to be an everlasting foundation of our Japanese American ancestry, cultural heritage, and histories. Whether you are a member, donor, or volunteer, your support goes a long way to help the JCCCNC preserve what is important to our community. Without you we could not sustain these efforts.

A most sincere and grateful thank you to all of you.

Paul Osaki
Executive Director

Mission Statement

JCCCNC is a non-profit organization which strives to meet the evolving needs of the Japanese American community by offering programs, affordable services and administrative support and facilities for other local service organizations. JCCCNC also provides educational, cultural and recreational programs that meet and address the interests and concerns of the community. Our goals remain rooted in preserving the Japanese American cultural and historical heritage as well as fostering the foundation for the future generations of Japanese Americans.
Shinzen USA Nikkei Youth Goodwill Sports Program

Ten Years of Friendship and Goodwill

The JCCCNC hosted teams from the Osaka YMCA from August 1st to August 8th as part of the 10th Anniversary of its Shinzen USA Nikkei Youth Goodwill Sports Program.

Ten years ago, the need was felt by the JCCCNC and the Office of the Consulate General of Japan in San Francisco to foster and develop personal relationships and to create dialogue among the Nikkei youth of San Francisco and youth from Japan. The Shinzen Program was designed to develop and nurture young ambassadors between the United States and Japan; to provide an opportunity for friendship and spirited sports competition; to provide the opportunity for meaningful discussion on youth issues related to each others’ culture and heritage; and to promote U.S./Japan bilateral interest and responsibilities amongst young people.

Since the inaugural visit to Japan in 1997, over 1,000 participants (players and their families) have visited Japan or hosted a Japanese youth in their home for the Shinzen Program. Over the years, Shinzen Program alumni have continued to stay involved in the Japanese American community, as youth coaches, volunteers, community interns, and many have returned to Japan to continue to build and foster international relations and stay connected to their cultural heritage.

“The Shinzen Program is very special to the JCCCNC as it continues to provide unique opportunities for not only the exchange of friendly competition, but also for building a foundation for the exchange of ideas and important values of our young people today, ensuring a strong future for U.S./Japan relations,” commented Donna Kotake, President of JCCCNC.

“Love Letters” Reads A Success for JCCCN

A Heartwarming Play About Friendship, Romance, and Memories

The JCCCN presented “Love Letters” on Friday, July 7th, at the Herbst Theatre, where almost 1,000 community leaders, JCCCN members and supporters, and the general public attended the performance benefiting JCCCN. The one-night performance starred Nancy Kwan and James Shigeta, their first performance together in San Francisco since the groundbreaking film “Flower Drum Song” debuted in 1961. This was indeed a special performance as it was one of a very few times when two distinguished Asian American actors performed in this show.

“Love Letters” is comprised of letters exchanged over a lifetime between two people who grew up together, went their separate ways, but continued to share confidences. As the actors read their letters aloud, what is created is an evocative, touching, frequently funny but always telling pair of character studies in which what is implied is as revealing and meaningful as what is actually written down.

After the play ended, comments overheard from departing audience members were that people don’t write to each other any more. This is in reaction to one of the key scenes when the character Andy asks the question in one of his letters, “Is writing a dying art?” We agree that letter writing, as a form of communication, has been relegated to the list of lost arts. Yes, we are fortunate to live with the increasing speed of technology where emails, text messages, and instant messaging, are common in business and personal communications. However, this same technology works against us by not taking a personal approach to communicating with each other. Some folks feel that we are poorer for this development.

The performance was followed by a first-class VIP reception and auction attended by over 250 JCCCN members and supporters. Both Nancy Kwan and James Shigeta had an opportunity to meet their fans and sign a few autographs. During the dinner program they both acknowledged they were pleased to support JCCCN by participating in the annual fundraiser which supports JCCCN’s programs and events.
Preserving California’s Japantowns Symposium

JCCCN C Organizes to Preserve Japantown

The one-day symposium on June 9 brought together experts and practitioners of historic and cultural preservation to discuss the preservation of California’s Japantowns, acknowledge the 2005 California Civil Liberties Public Education Program (CCLPEP) cultural and historic preservation projects, and honor the individuals and organizations that support and implement preservation efforts for past and present Japantown communities. It was a successful event that attracted over 140 participants from within the Japanese American community, as well as practitioners of historic and cultural preservation from across the state of California.

Keynote lunch speakers Dr. Anthea Hartig of the National Trust for Historic Preservation and Shigeru Kojima of the Japanese Overseas Migration Museum underscored the importance of preserving our ethnic and cultural communities.

In the Documenting our Communities: History, Culture, Stories, and Sites workshop, the Preserving California’s Japantowns project team facilitated discussion and shared methodologies used for the Preserving California’s Japantowns project, encouraging members of the Japanese American and other ethnic communities to document their history, culture, stories or sites and tie into local preservation efforts.

The Developing a Strategic Plan Toward Preserving Our Communities workshop explored the importance of ensuring a community’s survival by developing a plan for preserving both the tangible and intangible assets of the community’s heritage and resources, featuring a panel of historic and cultural preservation experts sharing best practices and out-of-the-box strategies for the preservation of Japantowns.

Symposium participants learned about how Cultural Economic Development and Business Improvement Districts provide valuable economic returns in the form of increased revenue, enhanced property values, increased jobs and expanded heritage tourism, and discussed how Community Benefit Agreements can help ensure that a local community can benefit from major developments in its vicinity in the Community Development/Community Benefits Agreements workshop.

At the Celebrating Our Japantowns reception we celebrated the past, present and future of California’s Japantown communities through music, food and other festivities, featuring the acclaimed Anthony Brown and Mark Izu Quartet.

This symposium achieved its goals in bringing together the Nikkei and non-Nikkei communities to acknowledge and discuss the imminent importance of maintaining the cultural integrity of California’s Japantowns while creating dialogue about how to carry preservation efforts into the future. Attendees learned about the unique history, opportunities and challenges of preserving our Japantown communities and how the latest in preservation tools and techniques can be applied to Japantowns. The discussions and outcomes of the symposium sessions help to shape the future directives and priorities for cultural and historic preservation efforts of California’s Japantowns.
JCCNC Presents Nikkei Youth Sports Scholarships

The JCCNC in partnership with the Ronald McDonald House Charities/Asian Students Increasing Achievement (RMHC/ASIA) awarded two graduating high school students a $1,000 Nikkei Youth Sports Scholarship (NYSS) each. This scholarship is an avenue whereby the JCCNC can help develop future leaders of our community by providing financial aid for graduating high school senior students who will be attending a university. Scholarship recipients were selected based on their community involvement, leadership development, personal qualities and strengths, and financial need. The two recipients of this year’s Nikkei Youth Sports Scholarship Award are as follows:

- **LINDSAY CHU** is a graduate of George Washington High School and will be attending the University of California at Santa Cruz seeking a major in mathematics. Lindsay is actively involved in high school with basketball, volleyball, soccer, Japanese National Honor Society, volunteerism through the Eagle Service Society, and she started the Wash House Athletics Magazine, which focuses on the school’s sports activities. She has volunteered with Konko Church, San Francisco Enchantees, and at JCCNC events such as Halloween Carnival, Day of Remembrance, Mochitsuki, and 2005 Salute to the Stars Annual Dinner.

Lindsay has decided to pursue a career in teaching, “I enjoy the emotions that go through my body from seeing a smile on a person’s face after I help him or her achieve their goal,” she said. Lindsay is the daughter of Alfred Chu and Kathy Inouye Chu of San Francisco.

- **ALEX GONG** is a graduate of Lowell High School. He plans on attending the University of California, Berkeley to pursue a double degree in Political Science and Business Administration. Alex was a four-year member of Lowell’s basketball team and a tutor. In addition to being a coach and referee for the San Francisco Associates’ Summer League, he has volunteered at JCCNC events such as Kudomo no Hi, Halloween Carnival, Cherry Blossom Basketball Jamboree/Food Booth, and most recently, helping to outreach the community meeting regarding the sale of the Kintetsu Mall.

“I thought about how, with a lesser and altered community, Japantown might not be able to instill ethnic pride, critical values and a unique sense of culture in young Japanese Americans, as it once did for me,” said Alex. “(By being a leader) I can not only preserve Japantown but also take steps to expand the community’s exposure and breadth of influence.” Alex is the son of the late Mr. Howard Gong and Ms. Marilyn Oshiro of San Francisco.

For more information on the Nikkei Youth Sports Scholarship program, please contact Ken Maeshiro at the JCCNC at 415-567-5505 or kmaeshiro@jcccnc.org.

JCCNC Helps Nikkei Connect Online

For years now, the larger JCCNC community beyond the San Francisco city limits has been asking for ways to connect with all members, regardless of physical location. With the launch of the JCCNC online community, we have the opportunity to grow membership and consistent involvement, reaching well beyond the eight mile radius surrounding Japantown. This free member benefit is not just for those living outside of San Francisco, it is for all of us who have hectic schedules and have trouble connecting with the JCCNC community as often as they would like.

With your help, the success of this community will be easy to achieve. Sign up today. With the challenges we face today, now is the time to strengthen our bonds and extend our physical reach. JCCNC Members and friends are invited to sign up to the JCCNC online community at no cost. Keep in touch with other members, develop business relationships, meet new people, and find ways to help the community no matter where you live.

What some people are saying about the online community:

Gordon Sasamori (Mountain View). “I’ve been wanting to connect with the JCCNC community for years now, but living on the peninsula with my young family it has been difficult to attend events (and a little intimidating not knowing who will be there). Now that I am connected through the online community, I can see who is attending and even arrange to connect with others at events before I make the drive up. Thanks for this great community tool!”

Dave Kozuki (Honolulu). “I miss being connected to the JCCNC community after moving from San Francisco to Honolulu last year. The newsletters are great, but now I look forward to a more interactive relationship with the Center through the online community.”

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Building Future Community Leaders

The Nikkei Community Internship (NCI), sponsored by the California Japanese American Community Leadership Council (CJALC), is an eight-week program where youth are placed under the supervision of non-profit and community based organizations. This year, 14 interns were placed at ten different organizations located in San Francisco’s Nihonmachi and Los Angeles’ Little Tokyo, learning about fundraising, event planning, nonprofit programming, media and publication, political activism, and community rebuilding, among many other topics.

In addition, they address numerous community concerns, such as its changing demographics, cultural preservation, and planning future involvement of youth in the Japanese American community. These skills and networks provide a strong foundation for future leadership roles and intends to heighten enthusiasm for community participation. This summer, the JCCNC’s interns were Aya Ino and Vanessa Hatakeyama.

Aya Ino is a rising junior at UCLA, majoring in International Economics and Japanese. Originally from the heart of Japantown in San Francisco, she has always been involved with the Japanese American community, playing for the San Francisco Taiko Dojo, attending Kinmon Gakuen, and volunteering for the Cherry Blossom Festival. Regarding her internship at the JCCNC, Aya comments, “Being a Nisei with fluency in the Japanese language, I hope to take this opportunity to get involved and help out with keeping the JA community alive for future generations.”

Vanessa Hatakeyama will be entering her senior year at U.C. Berkeley this fall, majoring in Anthropology with a minor in Japanese or Buddhism. Upon graduation, she hopes to be accepted to the JET Program and to gain her certification in American Sign Language, possibly working as a translator. Her involvement in the Japanese American Community began with her involvement at the Buddhist Temple in Morgan Hill, where she grew up, and continues into her student life at Cal, where she will be the vice president of the Nikkei Student Union for 2006-2007. Through her internship at the JCCNC, she wants to learn about the inner workings of community based organizations and to help the Japanese American student community at Cal become more connected with the organizations in San Francisco Japantown. Vanessa comments, “I hope to take the skills and information learned in the internship back to the student community in hopes of inspiring youth to be active participants and leaders in the Japanese American community.”

San Francisco/Bay Area Nikkei Singles of JCCNC Offering Scholarship

One $1,500 scholarship is being offered by the San Francisco/Bay Area Nikkei Singles of the JCCNC.

An applicant must be a member of a single-parent household and a graduating high school senior or post-secondary student planning to attend or currently attending an institution of higher learning or a business or vocational college in the 2006-07 academic year. The scholarship will be awarded based on academic talent, social and community affiliation, and economic need.

Deadline for application is October 31, 2006. Application forms may be requested by writing to the San Francisco/Bay Area Nikkei Singles of JCCNC Scholarship Committee, c/o Bill Sakai, Chair, 316 Creekside Drive, Palo Alto, CA 94030, or by calling 650.493.2406.
JCCCNC Announces 12th Annual Nikkei Open Golf Tournament Results

Golfers from Hawaii, Nevada, Washington, and California competed in the JCCCNC’s Annual Nikkei Open Golf Tournament at the StoneTree Golf Club in Novato on June 22. The event, sponsored by Hanson Bridgett Marcus Vlahos & Rudy, LLP, attracted 120 golfers and raised over $7,000, which will provide support for JCCCNC programs and services.

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**JCCCN C Nikkei Open Raffle Winner**

Congratulations to Sam Maruyama, who won the Nikkei Open Raffle Grand Prize. The El Dorado Hotel Casino Reno Extraordinaire Package included two nights’ deluxe accommodations and breakfast for two, and golf for two on Robert Trent Jones Jr. Championship Course (Resort at Squaw Creek).

**JCCCNC Spring Sweepstakes Winners**

JCCCNC Spring Sweepstakes Winning tickets were also drawn and presented at this year’s golf tournament. Congratulations to the winners of the sweepstakes, and thank you to everyone who supported the sweepstakes this year:

- **Grand Prize** - Round trip airfare San Francisco to Tokyo plus three nights’ hotel accommodations for two, courtesy of All Nippon Airways and Kintetsu International Travel Consultants Company – Terry Morioka of Burlingame.
- **First Prize** - $2,000 cash – Mitsuko Kawashiri of Novato.
- **Second Prize** - $1,000 cash – James Higa of El Cerrito.
In March, the JCCCNC announced seven newly elected members on its Board of Directors.

Mr. Terry Akiyama
San Francisco, CA

Terry Akiyama is the District Manager, Residential and Commercial Mortgage Loan Specialist of BayCal Financial Corporation headquartered in Burlingame. Terry has an extensive background in banking, finance, real estate and marketing. He previously worked for Barclays Bank, Wells Fargo Bank, Sumitomo Bank and Homeowner’s Finance Center. Terry completed the Bachelor of Arts Program at the University of Hawaii in Political Science and the Human Relations and Organizational Behavior BS Program at the University of San Francisco. He deeply believes and values the JCCCNC’s mission to advance the causes of the Japanese American community and Japantown. Terry has been a resident of San Francisco for over 15 years.

Ms. Lynn Higa
El Cerrito, CA

Lynn Higa is currently the Customer Service Manager of Union Bank of California at Japan Center. She was born in Japan, but moved to Hawaii for about five years, and then settled in the East Bay. She received her B.A. in Sociology from San Francisco State University in 1972 where she was introduced to Asian Studies. During her college years she was active with the senior group at Hamilton Senior Citizen’s Center which led to the formation of Kimochi. Her contact with JCCCNC was primarily due to her sons’ basketball activities which were frequently held at the JCCCNC gym. Lynn resides in El Cerrito with her husband and two sons.

Mr. Jeff Maruyama
Hillsborough, CA

Jeff Maruyama is the CEO and Founder of i-Hire Inc. He is a graduate of the University of California at Berkeley. Jeff spent a number of year working at Intel Corporation as a Sr. Staffing Consultant. Using his process manufacturing background, he undertook the assignment of re-organizing the corporate staffing department. By centralizing the systems and procedures, and reorganizing responsibilities of the staffing resources, the staffing department was more efficient, responsive and scalable. These attributes were the foundation of the outsourced recruiting model of i-Hire Inc. Jeff enjoys spending his casual time watching his sons play basketball. He resides in Hillsborough with his wife and two sons.

Ms. Donna Kimura
San Francisco, CA

Donna is a Senior Application Development Manager in the Healthcare Division of Perot Systems. Other outside activities include: President of the Buddhist Church of San Francisco Youth Athletic Organization, Board member of the East Bay Girls Athletic League, a member of the Nikkei Lion’s Club, and serving as an active Shinzen parent. Born and raised in San Francisco, she still resides in San Francisco with her husband and three children.

Ms. Charlene (Chuck) Shimada
San Francisco, CA

Charlene (Chuck) Sachi Shimada is a partner in Bingham McCutchen’s San Francisco office. She was managing partner of that office from 1996-1999. She has practiced complex commercial litigation at the firm since 1981. She specializes in securities fraud and business tort cases and has represented a broad range of clients, including issuing corporations, officers and directors, underwriters and public accounting firms, not only in private litigation but also in investigations by the United States Securities and Exchange Commission and the Office of the United States Attorney. Before entering private practice, Ms. Shimada served as a law clerk to the Honorable Martin Pence of the U.S. District Court for the District of Hawaii. She received her B.A. from Stanford University, and a law degree from the University of California Berkeley School of Law.

Ms. Dianne Fukami
Oakland, CA

Dianne Fukami is the president and co-founder of Bridge Media, Inc., which produces television programs and media projects. She is a former news executive with the CBS television station in San Francisco where she worked for nearly 15 years. She has produced and directed documentaries that have been broadcast on PBS television stations throughout the country. Her work has been recognized with a CINE Gold Eagle award and been nominated for a national Emmy. Her experience as a live television producer has afforded her the opportunity to work with Hillary Clinton and Goldie Hawn among others. She has served on the Board of Governors for the regional National Academy of Television Arts and Science and sits on the Board of several non-profit organizations in the San Francisco Bay Area. She received her B.A. in journalism from University of California at Berkeley.

Mr. Ted Yamasaki
San Francisco, CA

Ted Yamasaki is the managing deputy director of the Department of Human Resources, City & County of San Francisco. He specializes in general human resource management reflected in his work experience in the human resources of the City & County of San Francisco, California, and the City of Newark, California. He is originally from Hawaii. He holds a B.A. in Political Sciences from the University of Hawaii, and a Masters of Public Administration from the University of San Francisco.
Memorial gifts are a way to honor and remember a loved one, while also furthering the mission of JCCCNC. Through these meaningful and much appreciated gifts, we are able to honor the memory of a relative or friend.

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**Asian Americans on Broadway: Opening Doors**

Alan Muraoka (television’s SESAME STREET, Broadway’s MISS SAI-GON, and the Kennedy Center’s MAME) directs Christine Toy Johnson (Broadway’s THE MUSIC MAN, FLOWER DRUM SONG’s National Tour, and daytime’s ONE LIFE TO LIVE) along with Alvin Ing (original Flower Drum Song cast member) and a cast of the biggest Asian American talents working Broadway today for this limited three-show engagement.

This exciting 90-minute concert will feature Broadway’s biggest hits with personal anecdotes from the performers on how these songs have influenced or inspired them on their path to success in theater. These talented Asian Americans are traveling from New York exclusively for this JCCCNC production. The show will also feature special local guest star performances by Sophie Oda and Colette Ikemi.

Don’t miss this latest segment of the “Salute to the Stars” series, the JCCCNC’s tribute to live theater and performers from our community.

**Dates:**
- Friday, October 13th 8:00 p.m. featuring VIP reception with performers
- Saturday, October 14th 2:00 p.m. matinee
- Saturday, October 14th 7:00 p.m.

**Venue:**
Brava Theater Center, 2781 24th Street, San Francisco

For more information, including ticket levels, pricing and transportation, please contact the JCCCNC at 415-567-5505.