



Asian American & Pacific Islanders



**Heritage Festival
& Exhibit**

by AAPIEC Inc.

**Welcome to the Celebration
Learn about AAPI Contributions
to American History**

AAPI History is part of American History

MAY 17, 2025

SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

- 11:00 am** Welcome remarks – Regina Au, MC and President of AAPIEC Inc.
- 11:15 am** Trivia and prize
- 11:30 am** State Representative, Tackey Chan
- 12 noon** Tinolabong Dance by Philippine Dance and Culture Organization
Patricia Somera, Nelia Francisco, Liz Medua, Lilibeth Trilling, Beth Pioscos, and Diana Castro
- 12:30 pm** “The Dance of the Golden Snake” performed by Bingyu Kuang with the Chinese PIPA
- 1:00 pm** Asian Indian performance - Ekam Boston, Director Nagasree Chakka Puneeth Gurralla - Veena, Sri Harsha Lakkapragada - Mrudangam, Krupa Annie Vinu – Violin
- 1:15 pm** Trivia and prize
- 1:30 pm** Susu Wong, Founder and CEO of Tomo360 and Women Accelerators
- 2:00 pm** “Aka Tonbo”- Red Dragonfly, Japanese song performed by Sarah Curtis, vocalist and Emma Trowbridge, pianist
- 2:15 pm** Trivia and prize
- 2:30 pm** Tevada Der Soun and Songkran Puti Por, Cambodian dances by Indras’ Artistic Creations, Director Kennis Yin Maddox Yang, Audrey Soun, Ida Borin, Mean ChiengMai Ngoy, Thyda Tang and Nathon Vannabouathong
- 3:00 pm** 1) Ikaw Ang Mahal Ko by Tito Arevalo/ Levi Celerio
2) Makikiliti Kaby Fulgencio Tolentino
3) Gaano Ko Ikaw Kamahal by Ernani Cuenco – Operatic Duets by Duo Filipino
Lauren Florek, soprano, Carlo Miguel Bunyi, baritone, and Marceline Merrill, pianist
- 3:15 pm** Trivia and prize
- 3:30 pm** Sayaw Sa Bakya Dance by Philippine Dance and Culture Organization
Patricia Somera, Nelia Francisco, Liz Medua, Lilibeth Trilling, Beth Pioscos, and Diana Castro
- 4:00 pm** Trivia Grand Prize and Closing Celebration – Regina Au, AAPIEC Inc.

Cultural Exhibitors

Asian Indian - Ekam - Nagasree Chakka, Arya Kodumuru, Sheethal Kundoor

Cambodian American - Kirirath Saing

Chinese American – Chinese Historical Society - Alice Kane

Filipino American – Pamana Inc. - Jelyn Masa and Stacey Domingo

Native Hawaiian American – AAPIEC Inc. – Regina Au

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