

July 2, 2019



July Newsletter

JASDFW NEWS

CORPORATE MEMBERS

PLATINUM | \$5,000



Japan-America Friendship Night with the Texas Rangers

RSVP By: August 17

Monday, August 19 | 7:05 pm - 10:00 pm

Globe Life Park ([Map](#))

Tickets: \$10 - \$40



Japan America Friendship Night with the Texas Rangers is back! Purchase discounted tickets to enjoy America's pastime with your friends from JASDFW, the Dallas Japanese Association, and the Fort Worth Japanese Society. The Rangers will be playing the Los Angeles Angels and Japanese phenom Shohei Ohtani is expected to play. The first pitch will be thrown by a special guest!

[Click here to learn more and register online.](#)





Film Screening: Persona Non Grata

Wednesday, August 28 | 7:00 pm - 9:30 pm
UT Dallas ([Map](#))
FREE

JASDFW in partnership with the Jewish Community Center of Dallas, AJC Dallas, Consulate-General of Japan, and the Ackerman Center for Holocaust Studies at the University of Texas at Dallas are proud to present Persona Non Grata, the story of WWII-era Japanese diplomat Chiune Sugihara.

Chiune Sugihara believed in doing all he could for the benefit of his beloved Japan. The film begins during his early days in Manchuria to his eventual posting in Lithuania, where he came face-to-face with the plight of the European Jews as they tried to escape the onslaught of the Nazis and the rapidly advancing German army. Caught between the unbending politics of his country, now bound by treaty with Nazi Germany, and his awakening moral responsibilities, he must make a critical decision which could endanger his life and his family's survival.

[For more information and to register online, click here!](#)

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Save-the-Date: Otsukimi Moon-Viewing Festival 2019

Saturday, September 14 | 6:30 pm - 9:30 pm
Frisco Square ([Map](#))

Our biggest outdoor festival of the year returns once again, this time in Frisco, Texas! Mark your calendars for an exciting night of Japanese food, culture, and games. Details on activities and vendors are forthcoming. If you are interested in tabling or volunteering at this year's Otsukimi, you can reach out to us at Info@jasdfw.org for more information.

COMMUNITY EVENTS

CORPORATE MEMBERS

18th Annual Asian Film
Festival Dallas

GOLD | \$2,500



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Opening Night
Thursday, July 18 | 7:00 pm
Angelika Film Center
5321 E. Mockingbird Ln,
Suite 230, Dallas, TX
75206 ([Map](#))

The Asian Film Festival of Dallas invites you to join them for the opening night of this year's film festival. For over 15 years, the AFFD has shared the rich diversity of Asia through the medium of cinema. This year's festival features films from across the world and from Asian filmmakers here in the US. Opening night film and party details are forthcoming.

[Click here to learn more and register online.](#)



FWJS: July Luncheon Izakaya Pub Food
Sunday, July 21 | 12:30 pm
RSVP for Location
Adults \$15 | Children 8-12 \$12
Children 7 & Under FREE
* 20% Discount available for members age 70 and up.

Did you miss our Izakaya food event a while back? The Fort Worth Japanese Society has your back. This year's July luncheon will be izakaya style with a variety of Japanese small plates available at different stations. Menu items include yakisoba, onigiri, yakitori, dumplings and other favorites.

For more information and to RSVP, please email Harvey Yamagata at harvey@yamagata4.com or inquiries@fwjs.org.



Studio Ghibli Fest 2019: Kiki's Delivery Service
July 28, 29, 31
Select Theaters in North Texas

Celebrate the 30th Anniversary of this Miyazaki classic! Kiki is a creative young witch who's embarked on a journey to create her very own delivery service using her magical broom. Joined by her talking cat, Jiji, the two settle in a serene seaside village where Kiki faces challenge after challenge in this coming of age classic.

[For more information and to purchase tickets online, click here.](#)



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US Scholars Initiative Scholarship

Application Due: December 1, 2019

Are you a high school student wanting to study in Japan? Do you know someone who is interested in pursuing their undergraduate degree in Japan? The US Scholars Initiative Scholarship offers two incoming first-year students full-tuition support for four years of study starting in 2020. Applicants must be US citizens who have completed high school in the US, and must demonstrate interest in Japan, Japanese language, and liberal arts.

[Click here to learn more and apply online. The application process opens on September 1, 2019.](#)

Events Calendar

NEW MEMBERS

Corporate Members

Blue Sky Surveying & Mapping

Individual/Family

Renko Tomlinson
Masa Song
Paige Matke
Jeffrey Krause

UPCOMING:

- [July 1 - July 2 | Studio Ghibli Fest: Whisper of the Heart](#)
- [July 18 | 18th Annual Asian Film Festival @ Angelika Theatre](#)
- [July 21 | Fort Worth Japanese Society July Luncheon](#)
- [July 28, 20, 30 | Ghibli Fest: Kiki's Delivery Service](#)
- [August 19 | Japan America Friendship Night with the Texas Rangers](#)
- [August 28 | Persona Non Grata Screening](#)
- [November 3 - November 15 | WAC Houston Travel to Japan](#)

ONGOING:

- [Now - July 1 | the 29th Japan-America Grassroots Summit](#)
- [Now - July 14 | The Association of Oriental Arts: Four Seasons Exhibit](#)
- [Now - January 5, 2020 | Crow Museum of Asian Art: Hands and Earth - Contemporary Japanese Ceramics](#)

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