

GENERAL MEETING

Date & Time

Friday, September 4th from 10:00 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. (the call will be available from 9am for members to connect and chat prior to the meeting commencing at 10am)
Login begins at 9:00 am

Place

Zoom chat room - The link is in the email sent out with this newsletter and will be sent again on September 3rd.

Program

1. After an extended discussion at the August board meeting AND after a majority vote of the board, the decision with regards to the September 4th meeting is as follows:

NO to in- person meeting at Will Aichi.
YES to a Zoom Chat meeting.

For the reasons mentioned in the email sent out with this newsletter.

2. Program topic: Ethnic Dress (National costumes)

What makes these clothes so unique? How does the area they originate from affect the design of the clothing? What type of embroidery or textile differences are there compared to everyday clothing we wear? Let's learn and appreciate a collection of different nations' unique styles of traditional clothing.



MESSAGE FROM THE PRESIDENT

Hello,

I have been a resident of Nagoya for over three years. I have been a member of CCEA for over 2 years. After meeting different members



around Nagoya, I decided to join. My first events were Happy Hour Hunters and then the Holiday Luncheon. At that time, I was used to going to casual meetups in America to connect with people with similar interests, but I quickly learned CCEA is more than that. There are strong histories and connections between its members, current and former, yet everyone is very welcoming. Over the years, CCEA and its members have allowed me to learn new skills, visit beautiful places, and try new things with a wonderful group of women from Japan and across the globe. This year I am honored to give back to CCEA as a board member and president, hoping other members can continue enjoying wonderful experiences and creating memories like I have.

Thank you, CCEA!
Gwyn Wilson

SNEAK PEEK OCTOBER



If you've ever wondered what makes a traditional Japanese garden different from other parks and gardens then you will love our October General Meeting!

At the General Meeting, we will explore some of the features that make these gardens so unique and interesting.

You will also get a chance to create a little garden to relieve stress and anxiety to take home and enjoy at home or in the office.

Please note that this topic may change if we are unable to have a face to face meeting in October.

SAVE THE DATE - IMPORTANT REMINDERS

General Meeting:
October 2, November 13,

Holiday Luncheon:
December 4

CHANGES TO INTEREST GROUPS

Due to the current COVID-19 situation and the requirements to reduce risk of infection within interest groups, unfortunately some of the groups are unable to continue this year. Community Service, Cultural Language Exchange and Entrepreneurship will no longer be running.



BOOK CLUB

***The Leavers* by Lisa Ko**

Please don't worry if you haven't finished the book, come join in the discussion. Events will be emailed to group members.

Book Meets: 10am-1pm, September 7

Place: Aichi International Plaza,
Naka-ku

COVID-19 Precautions: Announced in email sent.

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IKEBANA & CALLIGRAPHY

It is more than simply putting flowers in a container. It is a disciplined art form in which the arrangement is a living thing where nature and humanity are brought together. Class is limited to 4 persons this month. Events currently posted on the CCEA Ikebana and Calligraphy Facebook page.

Meets: 10am-11.30am
September 10th, 17th and 24th
Place: Atsuta-ku, 456-0012
Fee: TBC

For more information please contact:
Carina Bessa: Carinadasb@gmail.com

Calligraphy is an artistic way of writing and drawing using proper brush strokes, supplies and ink. There are three different styles of calligraphy which will be taught; traditional, stylish, and artistic. Class is limited to 4 persons this month.

Meets: 11.30am - 12.30pm
September 10th, 17th and 24th
Place: Atsuta-ku, 456-0012
Fee: TBC

COVID-19 Precautions: Announced on the Ikebana and Calligraphy page.

YAMATO-E

A style of Japanese painting inspired by Tang dynasty paintings and fully developed by the late Heian period. It is considered to be the classical Japanese style. Beginners are welcome.

Details will be sent to group members by email.

Meets: 10am-noon, September 11th
Place: TBA
Fee: TBA

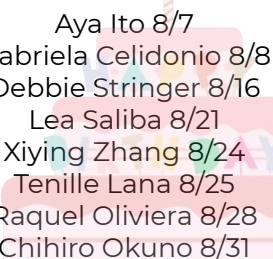
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For more information please contact:
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SEPTEMBER 2020

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
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AUGUST BIRTHDAY ANNOUNCEMENTS



Aya Ito 8/7
 Gabriela Celidonio 8/8
 Debbie Stringer 8/16
 Lea Saliba 8/21
 Xiyiing Zhang 8/24
 Tenille Lana 8/25
 Raquel Oliviera 8/28
 Chihiro Okuno 8/31

SEPTEMBER BIRTHDAY ANNOUNCEMENTS



Etsuko Makino 9/1
 Asaka Takeshima 9/1
 Mayra Cordeiro 9/6
 Sumiko Adams 9/7
 Mariko Ueda 9/10
 Erica Yuri Nishi 9/13
 Brittany Vetter 9/14

Natasha Klyueva 9/15
 Tammy Miller 9/15
 Eliane Cunha da Silva Sala 9/17
 Victoria Robkis 9/18
 Jeongmi Lee 9/23
 Miyuki Takashima 9/30

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