

Santa Fe JIN News for February 2010

Konnichiwa Members!

NEXT GENERAL MEETING:

Saturday February 6th 4 pm Shizuko's house --pot luck

It is important that everyone attend this meeting, as we are finalizing our plans for Matsuri.

Matsuri News:

The program is complete, and the flyers have been printed. Please distribute flyers everywhere you can.

They can be picked up at Shizuko's at the next general meeting.

There are still several artisan booths available. Please email Michael Smith michaelinsantafe@gmail.com if you want to have a booth at Matsuri.

We are still collecting raffle items. Please let Rose Himrod know if you have anything to donate, or know anyone who would like to donate to the raffle. santafejinhimrod@aol.com

The Japanese Culture program in the schools has 60 classroom visits scheduled. They are doing origami and haiku.

Scholarship applications are still being accepted till February 8. Email catherineweser@yahoo.com if you have any questions.

REMINDER: all memberships renew in January. The rates will be remaining the same: \$35 for a family, \$20 for a single, and \$10 for a student. Plan to bring your membership renewal to the next meeting or make sure to mail it in to:

Santa Fe JIN

PO Box 28081

Santa Fe NM 87592

and include any changes to your phone number, address, or email address.

UPCOMING EVENTS:

Board Meeting: Tuesday February 23rd 6 pm Shoko Café

Last General Meeting before Matsuri: Friday March 5th 6 pm at Shizuko's house --pot luck

MATSURI: Set up day, all volunteers welcome, March 12, 9-5 MATSURI: March 13, 10-5Volunteers

lunch: Sunday, March 14 at Buffalo Thunder Resort with a 1:30 Tate performance by our guests from Japan

Telling New Mexico Lecture Series at the NM History Museum in Santa Fe: Sunday, March 28, 2 pm: Gail Y. Okawa, a professor of English at Youngstown State University in Ohio, on the WWII Japanese internment camps in Santa Fe, including one that held her late grandfather. Tickets are \$10 each.

<http://www.museumfoundation.org/tellingnm>

If you have news to share, send Catherine Weser your information and it will be included in the next newsletter: catherineweser@yahoo.com

We intend to have a newsletter close to the First of every month.

Do not reply to this newsletter, send inquiries to #santafejin@gmail.com