



ASIAN AMERICAN RESOURCE CENTER

JUNE 2019 EVENTS CALENDAR

Community Room 1 ①

Community Room 8 ⑧

Classrooms ③④
⑤⑥

Ballroom [B]

Conference Room [C]

Library/Computer
Lab [L]

Great Lawn [G]

All events listed are free
and open to the public
unless otherwise noted



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with the American Disabilities Act. If you
require special assistance for participation
in our programs or use of our facilities,
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1 SATURDAY

- 1:00 CHANG SEN XUE LONGEVITOLOGY ①
- 1:30 LEARN BATIK DEMO WITH RAKHEE JAIN DESAI ⑧

2 SUNDAY

- 6:00 CHAAND RAAT FESTIVAL [B]

3 MONDAY

- 10:45 RICE: QIGONG [B]
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧
- 12:30 RICE: BASIC ORIGAMI ⑧

4 TUESDAY

- 11:00 RICE: LINE DANCE [B]
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧

5 WEDNESDAY

- 10:30 RICE: GENTLE YOGA [B]
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧
- 3:00 FLINTCO MEET & GREET [B]
- 5:45 ACC ESL CLASS ④⑤⑥
- 6:30 APM TOASTMASTERS ⑧

6 THURSDAY

- 10:15 RICE: TAI CHI [B]
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧
- 5:45 ACC ESL CLASS ④⑤⑥
- 7:30 HULA HAULA KAAEPA DANCE CLASS ⑧

8 SATURDAY

- 9:30 AUSTIN JAPANESE MINYO GROUP ①
- 10:00 JOINT ARTS AND MUSIC COMMISSION MEETING REBOND FOR CREATIVE SPACE [B]
- LAST DAY: HERITAGE EXHIBIT**

10 MONDAY

- 10:45 RICE: QIGONG [B]
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧
- 12:15 RICE: ESL FOR CHINESE SPEAKERS ⑧

11 TUESDAY

- 11:00 RICE: LINE DANCE [B]
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧
- 12:30 RICE: BASIC ORIGAMI ⑧

12 WEDNESDAY

- 10:30 RICE: GENTLE YOGA [B]
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧
- 1:30 GAACC CONNECT FORUM [C]
- 5:45 ACC ESL CLASS ④⑤⑥

13 THURSDAY

- 10:15 RICE: TAI CHI [B]
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧
- 5:45 ACC ESL CLASS ④⑤⑥

15 SATURDAY

- 9:00 CHINESE OPERA CLUB ⑧
- 1:00 CHANG SEN XUE LONGEVITOLOGY ①
- 2:00 PRA TEXAS BTS BAND FUNDRAISER [C] ⑥

16 SUNDAY

- 4:00 EKAL ANNUAL FUNDRAISER AND THANK YOU [B]

17 MONDAY

- 10:45 RICE: QIGONG [B]
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧
- 12:15 RICE: ESL FOR CHINESE SPEAKERS ⑧

18 TUESDAY

- 11:00 RICE: LINE DANCE [B]
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧

19 WEDNESDAY

- 10:30 RICE: HEARTFULNESS MEDITATION [B]
- 12:30 RICE: BASIC ORIGAMI ⑧
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧
- 5:45 ACC ESL CLASS ④⑤⑥
- 6:30 APM TOASTMASTERS ⑧

20 THURSDAY

- 10:15 RICE: TAI CHI [B]
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧
- 5:45 ACC ESL CLASS ④⑤⑥
- 7:30 HULA HAULA KAAEPA DANCE CLASS ⑧

21 FRIDAY

- 7:30 LOUD & PROUD AAPI OPEN MIC [B]

22 SATURDAY

- 9:30 AUSTIN JAPANESE MINYO ⑧
- LAST DAY: PIONEER PAINTER EXHIBIT**

24 MONDAY

- 10:45 RICE: QIGONG [B]
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧
- 12:15 RICE: ESL FOR CHINESE SPEAKERS ⑧

25 TUESDAY

- 11:00 RICE: LINE DANCE [B]
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧
- 12:30 PRESENTATION WALKABILITY ⑧

26 WEDNESDAY

- 10:30 RICE: GENTLE YOGA [B]
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧
- 5:45 ACC ESL CLASS ④⑤⑥

27 THURSDAY

- 10:15 RICE: TAI CHI [B]
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧
- 5:45 ACC ESL CLASS ④⑤⑥

29 SATURDAY

- 9:00 CHINESE OPERA CLUB ⑧
- 3:30 SATSANG AMERICA: TEXAS ANNUAL GRAND SATSANG [B]



JUNE 2019 EVENT DETAILS

Saturday, June 1, 2019 - Session 1 - 1:30 - 2:30 PM or Session 2 - 2:30 - 3:30 PM | Learn Batik with Rakhee Jain Desai. Batik is a traditional South Asian textile art that originates from Indonesia. It involves a hot wax resist process and colorful dyes. You'll get to work with celebrated local Austin artist Rakhee Jain Desai, and make a special piece you can take home. Two Sessions: Saturday, June 1; Session 1: 1:30 - 2:30pm, or Session 2: 2:30 - 3:30pm. Ages 12 and up, all skill levels welcome. Tools and materials will be provided. Admission is FREE with RSVP to rachel.stewart@austintexas.gov. For more information please visit facebook.com/events/865993077072810/. **FREE w/ RSVP. Classroom 8**

Saturday, June 1, 15, 1-5 PM | Chang Sen Xue Longevity Association Presents: Longevity Longevity practice improves our body's healing ability through channeling and adjusting energy flow in the body. The practice is offered, free of charge, to those who are interested in maintaining health without medical intervention. Visit longevity.org for more details. **FREE. Classroom 1**

Sunday, June 2, 6-11 PM | Grand Chand Raat Festival. Austin Biggest Cultural Festival is back! There will be lots of vendors, arts & craft, free kids activities, henna artists, authentic food and much more! Free admission and free parking. This event is free and open to the public. Visit facebook.com/events/280987862589340/ for more information. **FREE. Ballroom**

Wednesday, June 5, 19, 6:30-7:30 PM | Austin PM Toastmasters. Improve your public speaking and leadership skills. Please RSVP to vp@apmtoastmasters.org. **FREE. Classroom 8**

Wednesday, June 5, 3:00-4:30 PM | Flintco Meet & Greet. Meet & Greet with HUB's and subcontractors to learn about the main package coming up for bid. **FREE. Ballroom**

Thursday, June 6, 20, 7:30-8:30 PM | Hula Haula Kaaepa Dance Class. Beginning and Intermediate Hawaiian Hula Dance Classes by Hula Halau Kaaepa Hawaiian Dance Company. Please RSVP to Kanani at 808-989-5172. **FREE. Classroom 8**

Saturday, June 8, 22, 10-11 AM | Austin Japanese Minyo: Beginners Japanese Folk Dance Class. Learn traditional Japanese folk dances led by Suzuko "Suzie" Claywell. Visit facebook.com/austinminyo for more information. **FREE. (6/8 Classroom 1), (6/22 Classroom 8)**

Saturday, June 8, 10-1 PM | Joint Arts and Music Commission Meeting. The Arts and Music Commissions then convened a Joint Arts & Music Commissions Working Group to discuss options to most efficiently and effectively program funding. To learn more please visit speakupaustin.org/bond-for-creative-space. **FREE. Ballroom**

Wednesday June 12, 1:30 PM - 3:00 PM | Connect Forum Winning Federal & Defense Contracts. Are you a minority, woman, veteran, small disadvantaged and/or Federal HUB Zone located business owner interested in selling your products/services to Federal Government and Defense Agencies? Come to this federal contracting certification workshop by the U.S. Small Business Administration. The presenter for this workshop is the San Antonio District Director for the Small Business Administration (SBA). Mr. Anthony Ruiz, MBA/JD. This event is presented in partnership with AARC. This workshop is free and open to the public but please register here: bit.ly/2LvdQvw. **FREE. Conference Room**

The Calendar of Events provides a listing of events scheduled at the AARC. Only AARC sponsored events, confirmed rental events and public reservations are listed on the event calendar. Every attempt is made to provide accurate listings, but we cannot guarantee accuracy, service or quality of the listings presented due to unforeseen changes. While we strive to be up to date, the information provided may not always be the most recent information.

The AARC is a public facility with free community rooms available for non-commercial usage and also includes spaces for rental including the AARC Ballroom, Classrooms, Conference Room and Foyer available for public and private functions. To confirm availability of space for a rental booking, please contact Bianca Galvan, Event Coordinator, at 512-974-1696 or bianca.galvan@austintexas.gov.

Saturday, June 15, 29, 9-12 PM | Chinese Opera Club of Austin.

The Chinese Opera Club of Austin is dedicated to an effort of introducing and presenting to the public the Peking Opera as an unique part of Chinese culture and tradition. The club is where the amateurs and fans of Chinese Opera from Austin gather to study, practice, perform and entertain. The club has an open-door policy, anyone who is interested is welcome to join. Contact Frank Yang at fyanggm@gmail.com for more details. **FREE. Classroom 8**

Saturday, June 15, 2-4 PM | PRA Texas BTS Band Fundraiser. By attending this event you'll not only get to meet ARMYs and fan-bases from around the state of Texas (and beyond) you'll play part in helping feed Austin students in need! This event will help raise funds to contribute to the \$10,000 Austin ISD Courtesy Lunch Fundraiser goal. Learn how you can support here give.livingtree.com/c/20182019-help-keep-student-meal-accounts-current. **Conference Room, Classroom 6**

Sunday, June 16, 4-9 PM | Ekal Annual Fundraiser and Thank You.

Ekal Annual Fundraiser presents a night of food, stories, and bollywood music for a good cause, to help eradicate illiteracy. To purchase tickets please visit ekal.org/events. **Ballroom**

Friday, June 21, 6-8 PM | Loud & Proud AAPI Open Mic. Hot Pot Comedy and Y'all We Asian, local Asian American improvisation groups, hosts Loud and Proud Open Mic Night, a quarterly series bringing talent across Austin on stage at the AARC! Come out and share your written work, music, and performances! For more information and to RSVP please visit aarcatx.eventbrite.com. **FREE. Ballroom**

Saturday, June 29, 3:30-7:30 PM | Satsang America: Texas Annual Grand Satsang. All are welcome to a blissful evening filled with prayers, meditation, cultural dance performances, devotional songs, and spiritual discourses. Drawing contest and craft making for children from 4-5pm. Dinner prasad will be served. **FREE. Ballroom**

EXHIBITS (ONGOING)

April 12 - June 22 | Pioneer Painter

Rose Chin Wong (1915-2012) was a prominent artist and owner of several East Austin grocery stores. She became well known for her naturalistic portraits of children in oils, pastel, and watercolor. **FREE. AARC Foyer and Ballroom**

April 12 - June 8 | HERITAGE

Rakhee Jain Desai combines the centuries-old textile dyeing technique, Batik, with the weight and texture of oils to push an Eastern art into a modern application. **FREE. AARC Hallways**

RICE (ONGOING)

Mon.-Thurs., 9:30-11:30 AM | **Senior Tea & Coffee.** Community Room 8
 Mon.-Thurs., 11:30 AM-12:30 PM | **Senior Lunch Social.** Community Room 8
 Mon.-Thurs., June 3, 11, 19, 27, 12:30-1:15 PM | **Basic Origami.** Community Room 8
 Mon., June 3, 10, 17, 24, 10:45-11:45 AM | **Qigong w/ Dong Po Huang.** Ballroom
 Mon., June 10, 17, 24, 12:15-1:15 PM | **ESL for Chinese Speakers.** Community Room 8
 Tues., June 4, 11, 18, 25, 11:15-12:00 PM | **Line Dance w/ Martina Yee** Ballroom
 Wed., June 5, 12, 26 10:30-11:30 AM | **Gentle Yoga.** Ballroom
 Wed., June 19, 10:30-11:30 AM | **Heartfulness Meditation.** Ballroom
 Thurs., June 6, 20, 10:15 AM-11:45 AM | **Ip Sun Tai Chi w/ Vince Cobalis.** Ballroom
 Thurs., June 13, 27, 10:15-11:45 AM | **Tai Chi w/ Frank Lee.** Ballroom