



ASIAN AMERICAN RESOURCE CENTER

JUNE 2018 EVENTS CALENDAR

Community Room 1 ①

Community Room 8 ⑧

Classrooms ②③④
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Ballroom ⑧

Conference Room ①

Library/Computer Lab ①

Great Lawn ①

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

2 SATURDAY

- 9:00 MCSS DROP-IN HOURS ⑧
- 12:00 AUSTIN BRIGHT DANCE TROUPE ①
- 1:00 LONGEVITOLOGY ⑧
- 2:00 CHINESE OPERA CLUB OF AUSTIN ①
- 3:00 VESAK FESTIVAL AND CELEBRATION ⑧

4 MONDAY

- 10:30 RICE: TAI CHI ⑧
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧

5 TUESDAY

- 11:00 RICE: LINE DANCING ⑧
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧

6 WEDNESDAY

- 10:30 RICE: GENTLE YOGA ⑧
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧
- 6:00 COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT FOCUS GROUP FOR THE NEXT MANAGER OF THE AARC ⑧
- 7:00 ALL THINGS KOREAN ⑧
- 6:30 AUSTIN PM TOASTMASTERS ①

7 THURSDAY

- 10:30 RICE: TAI CHI ⑧
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧

9 SATURDAY

- 9:30 AUSTIN JAPANESE MINYO: BEGINNERS DANCE CLASS ⑧
- 12:00 PISTA SA NAYON ⑧
- 2:00 AUSTIN BRIGHT DANCE TROUPE ①
- 2:00 CHINESE OPERA CLUB OF AUSTIN ⑧

11 MONDAY

- 10:00 COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT FOCUS GROUP FOR THE NEXT MANAGER OF THE AARC ①
- 10:30 RICE: TAI CHI ⑧
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧

12 TUESDAY

- 11:00 RICE: LINE DANCING ⑧
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧

13 WEDNESDAY

- 10:30 RICE: GENTLE YOGA ⑧
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧

14 THURSDAY

- 10:00 RICE: TAI CHI ⑧
- 11:00 RICE: ACTIVE FITNESS ⑧
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧
- 6:00 ARTIST ACCESS PROGRAM: COMMUNITY ENGAGEMENT MEETING ⑧

16 SATURDAY

- 1:00 LONGEVITOLOGY ①
- 1:00 ART AND MINDFULNESS WORKSHOP: JAPANESE SUMINAGASHI ⑧

18 MONDAY

- 10:30 RICE: TAI CHI ⑧
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧

19 TUESDAY

- 11:00 RICE: LINE DANCING ⑧
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧

20 WEDNESDAY

- 10:30 RICE: HEARTFULNESS MEDITATION ⑧
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧
- 12:00 RICE: TECHNOLOGY 101 ⑧
- 7:00 ALL THINGS KOREAN ⑧

21 THURSDAY

- 10:30 RICE: TAI CHI ⑧
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧
- 3:00 JOB FAIR ⑧

23 SATURDAY

- 9:30 AUSTIN JAPANESE MINYO: BEGINNERS DANCE CLASS ⑧

25 MONDAY

- 10:30 RICE: TAI CHI ⑧
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧

26 TUESDAY

- 11:00 RICE: LINE DANCING ⑧
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧

27 WEDNESDAY

- 10:30 RICE: GENTLE YOGA ⑧
- 11:30 RICE: SENIOR LUNCH ⑧

28 THURSDAY

- 10:00 RICE: TAI CHI ⑧
- 11:00 RICE: ACTIVE FITNESS ⑧

30 SATURDAY

- 9:00 CIVIC LEADERSHIP AND CANDIDATES FORUM ⑧
- 9:30 AUSTIN JAPANESE MINYO: BEGINNERS DANCE CLASS ⑧



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JUNE 2018 EVENT DETAILS

Saturday, June 2, 10 AM-12 PM | Muslim Community Support Services (MCSS). First Saturdays. Members will be present the first Saturday of every month to field questions, help fill out forms, and help you navigate your new home here in Austin. Have questions about how to open a bank account, where to attend school, how to set your kids up for success in a country where you can barely speak the language? Come chat with MCSS. Community Room 8

Saturday, June 2, 12-2 PM and June 9, 2-5 PM | Austin Bright Dance Troupe. Austin Bright Dance Troupe is a group of people who like to try different styles. Most are around Chinese folk dance, but we also do Latin and jazz styles. All are welcome. RSVP to austinbrightdancetroupe@gmail.com. FREE. Community Room 1

Saturday, June 2 and 16, 1-5 PM | Chang Sen Xue Longevity Association Presents: Longevity Workshop. 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. Community Room 8 (June 2), Community Room 1 (June 16)

Saturday, June 2 and 9, 2-5 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. Community Room 1 (June 2), Community Room 8 (June 9)

Saturday, June 2, 3-6 PM | Vesak Festival and Celebration. Vesak is an annual celebration of the three great events (Themangula) of Gautama Buddha's life: the birth, enlightenment, and passing-away. This is traditionally observed by all Buddhists across Sri Lanka as well as in other countries across the world. On Vesak day, Buddhist devotees and followers assemble in temples before dawn for the ceremonial and honorable hoisting of the Buddhist flag and the reciting of verses in praise of the holy triple gem: the Buddha, the Dhamma (His teachings), and the Sangha (His disciples). FREE. Ballroom

Wednesday, June 6, 6-8 PM, and Monday, June 11, 10 AM-12 PM | Community Engagement Focus Group: The Next Manager of the AARC. The Austin Parks and Recreation Department would like to hear your thoughts on the desired competencies of the next manager of the Asian American Resource Center. We are asking the public to join us for a focus group to provide feedback on this topic. FREE. Ballroom (June 6), Community Room 1 (June 11)

Wednesday, June 6 and 20, 7-8:30 PM | All Things Korean: K-pop discussion and practice. All Things Korean practices a new K-pop dance every 3 meetings. It provides a good workout and a chance to hang out with new people from the community who share an interest in Korea and its music. Visit meetup.com/All-Things-Korean for more details. FREE. Community Room 8

Wednesday, June 6 and 20, 6:30-8 PM | Austin PM Toastmasters. Improve your public speaking and leadership skills. Please RSVP to vpm@apmtoastmasters.org. FREE. Community Room 1

Saturday, June 9 and 23, 9:30-11:30 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. Community Room 8

Saturday, June 9, 12-4 PM | Pista Sa Nayon. The Austin Filipino-American Association's annual Pista Sa Nayon is here again! The tradition of Pista sa Nayon dates back centuries ago to rural areas and towns in the Philippines. During Pista Sa Nayon, meaning "town festival", Filipinos gather in the middle of town to celebrate a good harvest, and to focus on their neighbors, families, and friends, solidifying the sense of community and hard work. Come join us in commemorating this centuries-old tradition with cultural exhibits, variety booths, Filipino cuisine, cultural presentations, and much more. FREE. Ballroom

Thursday, June 14, 6-8 PM | Artist Access Program: Community Engagement Meeting. Come learn more about the Artist Access Program of the Parks and Recreation Department's Museum and Cultural Programs division. FREE. Ballroom

Saturday, June 16, 1-3 PM | Art and Mindfulness Workshop: Japanese Suminagashi. Beginning with a storytime, the participants will learn about Japanese Marbling technique called the Suminagashi. The workshop will introduce participants to basic techniques and its basic background. The workshop includes materials. Registration is \$35 for residents, \$40 for non-residents. For more information, call 512-974-1700. Community Room 8

Thursday, June 21, 3-7 PM | Job Fair. This community job fair will have information about full- and part-time jobs, entry-level to high-level positions, and employment in blue-collar, skilled craft, and professional fields. Re-entry friendly. Food will be provided, and the fair child friendly. FREE. Ballroom

Saturday, June 30, 9 AM-3 PM | Civic Leadership and Candidates Forum. Join the APAPA Austin Texas Chapter, Indian American Coalition of Texas, and the Network of Asian American Organizations in a forum featuring candidates for city, county, state, and federal offices. Lunch will be provided. RSVP at 2018-civic-leadership-candidates-forum.eventbrite.com. FREE. Ballroom

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.

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., June 4, 11, 18, 25 10:30-11:30 AM | **Qigong/Tai Chi w/ Po Huang.** Ballroom
Tues., June 5, 12, 19, 26, 11 AM-12 PM | **Line Dancing w/ Leechu Cheng.** Ballroom
Wed., June 6, 13, 27, 10:30-11:30 AM | **Gentle Yoga.** Ballroom
Thurs., June 7 & 21, 10:30 AM-12 PM | **Ip Sun Tai Chi w/ Vince Cobalis.** Ballroom
Thurs., June 14 & 28, 10-11 AM | **Tai Chi w/ Frank Lee.** Ballroom
Thurs, June 14 & 28, 11 AM-12 PM | Active Fitness w/ Rosina Lee. Ballroom
Weds., June 20, 10:30-11:30 AM | **Heartfulness Meditation.** Ballroom
Weds., June 20, 12-1:15 PM | **Technology 101 w/ Randy Hsi.** Community Room 8