

31 Ways to Celebrate AAPI Heritage Month

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<p>1 Check out the AAPI Community Festival at Lincoln Square Park in Oakland Chinatown today from 1 p.m.-4 p.m. PT https://www.eventbrite.com/e/aapi-community-festival-tickets-315815622027</p>	<p>2 Documentary film <i>Try Harder</i>, featuring students from Lowell High School in San Francisco, premieres on PBS tonight! https://www.pbs.org/independentens/documentaries/try-harder/</p>	<p>3 Join San Francisco Public Library for its Workshop on Origami Books in Noe Valley at 3 p.m. PT https://sfpl.org/events/2022/05/03/workshop-origami-books</p>	<p>4 The APA Heritage Awards is a signature program of SF's celebration of Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders. Register to attend in-person at the Herbst Theater in San Francisco https://apasf.org/</p>	<p>5 Join our friends at The Indus Entrepreneurs (TiE) Silicon Valley for TiECon 2022, scheduled to take place virtually May 5-7 https://www.tiecon.org/register/2022</p>	<p>6 Check out actor Benedict Wong, who spoke at our 2020 Sundance Film Festival Panel (https://youtu.be/y4jUx9uxh4w), in the new Marvel movie, <i>Doctor Strange in the Multiverse of Madness</i>, out today!</p>	<p>7 Happy Saturday! The 2022 Taiwanese American Cultural Festival takes place today at SF Union Square from 10 a.m.-4 p.m. PT https://www.tafestival.org/</p>
<p>8 Watch Xian Zhang conduct Dvořák's New World Symphony at Davis Symphony Hall in San Francisco today at 2 p.m. PT https://www.sfsymphony.org/Buy-Tickets/2021-22/FROM-THE-NEW-WORLD</p>	<p>9 Asia Society Texas presents a new video series, Houston's Asian American Journeys. This series illuminates the voices that make up a vital part of the most diverse city in the U.S. https://asiasociety.org/texas/houston-asian-american-journeys</p>	<p>10 Catch <i>The Paper Dreams of Harry Chin</i> at SF Playhouse (May 4-June 18): https://www.sfplayhouse.org/sfph/2021-2022-season/the-paper-dreams-of-harry-chin/</p>	<p>11 Tune into Asia Society New York's virtual 2022 Global Talent, Diversity and Inclusion Symposium from 6:30 a.m. – 11:30 a.m. PT https://asiasociety.org/new-york/events/2022-global-talent-diversity-and-inclusion-symposium</p>	<p>12 Join Asia Society Northern California online at 5 p.m. PT for Cooking Along with Chef George Chen, part of Asia Society's Virtual Cooking Series during AAPI Heritage Month! https://asiasociety.org/northern-california/events/cooking-along-chef-george-chen</p>	<p>13 Celebrating its 40th year in 2022, CAAMFest is the nation's leading showcase for new Asian American and Asian film, food, and music programs (May 12-22) https://caamedia.org/join-give/caamfest2022-and-beyond/</p>	<p>14 Join Asia Society's Center for Global Education for its Stories of Heritage: Asian American Voices in Children's Literature reading series at 7:30 a.m. PT. https://asiasociety.org/new-york/events/my-tree</p>
<p>15 Spend some time outdoors and visit the Southeast Asia Cloud Forest at San Francisco Botanical Garden today! https://www.sfbg.org/</p>	<p>16 <i>Guo Pei: Couture Fantasy</i> at the Legion of Honor in San Francisco celebrates the extraordinary designs of Guo Pei in the past two decades from Beijing to Paris (April 16-September 5) https://legionofhonor.famsf.org/guo-pe</p>	<p>17 Check out the very first Asian Americans Building America interview with Kevin Rudd and San Francisco chef, Ranjan Dey (https://youtu.be/jSLXhBFkrk) and place an order tonight at New Delhi Restaurant https://newdelhirestaurant.com/</p>	<p>18 Learn about the Southeast Asian Street Art Workshops (SEASAW) in Oakland, a weekly arts and cultural gathering space for students https://www.artogether.org/event/seasaw-southeast-asian-street-art-workshop-2022-05-18/</p>	<p>19 Join Asia Society Northern California for our in-person program from 5 p.m.-7 p.m. PT on Emerging Tech in Asia featuring Consuls General from India, Indonesia, the Philippines and Australia. https://asiasociety.org/northern-california/events/emerging-tech-asia</p>	<p>20 Join the Asian Pacific Islander Cultural Center for the world premiere of <i>Sa Amin</i> and view the SOMA neighborhood in SF through the eyes of four Filipinas who have made it their home https://www.apiculturalcenter.org/sa-amin</p>	<p>21 Let's play ball! Japanese Cultural and Community Center of Northern California presents Japanese Heritage Day with the San Francisco Giants! https://www.jccnc.org/events/japanese-heritage-day-with-the-san-francisco-giants/</p>
<p>22 Check out <i>Music of Remembrance</i> featuring three Bay Area composers exploring issues of belonging and displacement at Presidio Theater today at 4 pm: https://www.presidiotheatre.org/show/2022musicofremembrance/</p>	<p>23 Watch this episode of SF Opera's video portrait series "In Song" featuring Pene Pati in his native Māngere, New Zealand with performances of "La'u Lupe" ("My Dove") and Paolo Tosti's "La Serenata" https://youtu.be/BjLYCvU5nc</p>	<p>24 Each year, Chinosity holds its #WhySpeakChinese contest where Chinese language students can share their stories on social media. View this year's submissions https://www.chinosity.com/2022/03/25/why-speak-chinese-2022-is-here/</p>	<p>25 Learn more about AAPI Youth Rising and its ONE/180 Pledge, which asks schools and teachers to teach at least one day of Asian American history and culture during the school year https://aapiyouthrising.org/</p>	<p>26 Visit the Cantor Arts Center at Stanford University and learn more about its Asian American Art Initiative https://museum.stanford.edu/AAAI</p>	<p>27 Happy Friday! Check out the 2nd Annual AAPI Heritage Night in San Carlos featuring great food and cultural performances! https://www.smdailyjournal.com/calendar/aapi-heritage-night/event_ffd630bc-a3c3-11ec-b1af-cff0880do2a3.html</p>	<p>28 Visit the Asian Art Museum in SF and catch the <i>Seeing Gender</i> exhibit (until Sep 5), a focused selection that reveals the complexities and nuances of gender across Asian art https://exhibitions.asianart.org/exhibitions/seeing-gender/</p>
<p>29 It's Sunday night! Go out to dinner or order take-out from our friend Chef Chu in Los Altos: http://www.chefchu.com/</p>	<p>30 Happy Memorial Day! Enjoy a walk through the Japanese Tea Garden in Golden Gate Park: https://www.japaneseteagardensf.com/</p>	<p>31 Watch interviews with Asian American students and faculty at UC Berkeley https://youtu.be/kxdWiQrz1hM</p>				