

# 46th Annual **Bunka-Sai**

Japanese Cultural Festival

Saturday & Sunday

April 13 and 14, 2019

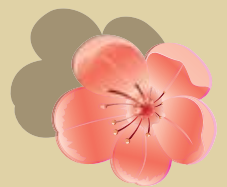
11:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

Ken Miller Recreation Center

3341 Torrance Boulevard (At Madrona Avenue)



Enjoy children's games and activities, tasty plate lunches, baked goodies, craft items, and cultural performances



**\$250  
Grand  
Prize!**

**FREE  
Admission  
&  
Parking**



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## Bunka-Sai Performance Schedule - April 13-14

Ken Miller Recreation Center Stage, Assembly Room, & Torino Plaza Stage

### SATURDAY, APRIL 13

#### Ken Miller Recreation Center Stage

11:00 am	Tea Ceremony	Soyu Kubo and Sochoku Onizuka Urasenke Tea School
11:40 am	Koto Music	Yuki Yasuda and LA Koto Ensemble
12:20 pm	Announcement	Anime Contest Winners
12:30 pm	Kimono Dressing	LA Kimono Club
1:10 pm	Taiko	Taiko Center of Los Angeles
1:50 pm	Martial Arts	South Bay Judo
2:30 pm	Dance	Wakahisa Kai Classical Japanese Dance
3:10 pm	Martial Arts	Torrance Naginata Dojo
3:45 pm	Dance	Bando Hidesomi Nihon Buyo Class
4:20 pm	Taiko	Ryukyukoko Matsuri Daiko

#### Ken Miller Assembly Room

11:30, 3:30 pm	Story Reading	Kamishibai; in Japanese and English
12:30 pm	Ikebana	Flower arranging by Instructor Minamitani Semho
1:30 pm	Book Reading	Japanese-themed children's book(s) by author Susan Lendroth
2:30 pm	Bonsai	Bonsai and saikei by Jason Saito
1:00-4:00 pm	Calligraphy	Hands-on Shodo demonstrations
11:00-5:00 pm	Origami	Hands-on lessons with Pam and Hisako

#### Torino Plaza Stage

12:10-12:30 pm	Taiko	Nakama Daiko youth drum ensemble
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### SUNDAY, APRIL 14

#### Ken Miller Recreation Center Stage

11:00 am	Shakuhachi Music	Shoshi Watanabe, Kazue Matsumoto, and Shawnee Schroeder
11:40 am	Music	Matsutoyo Kai Minyo Japanese folk music
12:20 pm	Martial Arts	Torrance Aikido
1:00 pm	Tea	Urasenke Sofu Hamano Shachu of Urasenke School
1:40 pm	Calligraphy	Beikokoku Shodo Kenkyu Kai
2:20 pm	Dance	Mai No Kai Bando Hiromiya traditional dance
3:00 pm	Music	Awaya Koto Music Conservatory
3:40 pm	Music	Shikino Kai & Fuji Japanese Music: classical music
4:20 pm	Taiko	Los Angeles Taiko Institute

#### Ken Miller Assembly Room

11:30; 1:30; 3:30	Story Reading	Kamishibai in Japanese and English
12:30; 2:30 pm	Bonsai	Bonsai and saikei by Jason Saito
12:00-3:00 pm	Calligraphy	Hands-on shodo demonstration
11:00-5:00 pm	Origami	Hands-on lessons

#### Torino Plaza - Outdoor Stage

12:00-5:00 pm	Amezaiku	Candy sculpture artistry by Shan Ichiyanagi
12:00-12:30 pm	Karate	Wado-Ryu Karate Do Torrance YMCA