



JASCO Events:

- May 20** [10th annual JASCO Golf Outing fundraiser](#) also see information in [Japanese](#).
Golf Club of Dublin, Tuesday May 20 starting at 11:30 a.m.
- July** JASCO Japanese Language class being offered for kids
Both elementary and middle school classes will be offered - [See FLYER](#) for all details.
- Ongoing** The Columbus Symphony and JASCO have teamed up on a number of projects. We have always counted on them to help out when they can and they have always come through. We would like to encourage all our readers to learn how you can help the Symphony. [Open letter to Columbus](#).

Lectures and Seminars at OSU

- May 16** EASC/IJS Lecture Series, [The History of Popular Culture In Japan](#)
"The History of Shojo Manga (Girls Comics) in Japan", Dr. Deborah Shamoon, University of Notre Dame
1:30 p.m., 115 Mendenhall Lab
- May 21/22** OSHA 10-Hour General Industry Safety & Health Training Course
Free and open to the public but you must [REGISTER](#).
- May 30** EASC/IJS/KSI Lecture Series: Japanese-Korean Relations, Sonia Ryang, University of Iowa
1:30 p.m., 115 Mendenhall Lab

Festivals and Events:

- May 16** [Films at Wexner Center](#): Nikkatsu Studies: 1960's Japanese Action Cinema
Velvet Hustler and Roughneck, 7:00 p.m., Wexner Center
- May 17** [Dublin Taiko Group Workshops](#)
Davis Middle School, 9 a.m. and 1 p.m.
- May 18** [Japan Spring Festival](#) at OSU (Japanese Student Organization)
1:00 p.m.-6:00 p.m. Landmark's Event Space at South Campus Gateway
- May 23-25** International Performing Arts for Families: [The Japanese Garden](#)
May 23, 7:00 p.m., May 24, 11:00 a.m., 2:00 p.m., May 25, 12:30 p.m., 3:30 p.m., Wexner Center
- May 24-25** [Asian Festival 2008](#)
Franklin Park Conservatory. 10 a.m.—9 p.m. May 24 and 11 a.m.—7 p.m. on May 25.



IJS Summer Programs:

University of Shizuoka Summer Programs (June 15—July 26 and August 2—August 22)

Needed: **English Conversation Partners** ([PDF](#), [Word](#), [On-line](#)) **Host Families** ([PDF](#), [Word](#))

Saitama-Ohio Internship Program (July 15—August 22)

Needed: **Host Companies** ([Info](#), [PDF](#), [Word](#)) and **Host Families** ([PDF](#), [Word](#))

Other opportunities to host families.

Wellington School [Bunri Exchange Program](#) July 15 - August 3rd, 2008

Provide a place to stay and friendship to a Japanese high school student.

Other events/programs in Columbus area:

June 7

[Japanese Motorcycle Saturday](#)

Motorcycle Hall of Fame in Pickerington Ohio.

Through July

[Capture the Moment](#): The Pulitzer Prize Photos

Opens April 25 and runs through July 25 at Ohio Historical Society.

On-going

Asian American Community Services: [Family Support Program](#) (New)

On-going

[Shakuhachi lessons](#) on Saturdays/Sundays

On-going

[Volunteers needed at JASCO and IJS](#) please print and complete or Contact our office at jasco@osu.edu.

Around Ohio:

Through June

Zensai: The Horticulture of Japan: “[The Japanese Garden](#): Photographs by Haruzo Ohashi”

Now through June 29, 2008 at the Cleveland Botanical Gardens.

June 14/15

Open house at the [Schnormeier Gardens](#) in Gambier Ohio

Beautiful Asian inspired gardens rarely open to the public.

Job openings:

[Brake Systems Account Representative \(JOEM\)](#)

Informative Japan related Links:

[ConsulLink](#) (Consulate General of Japan in Detroit).

[Japanese Direct Investment in Ohio Survey](#) (Consulate General of Japan in Detroit).

[JETRO](#) Japan External Trade Organization

Columbus Council on World Affairs: [e-News](#).

View [Japan NOW](#) here.

For more information, visit our website: <http://jasco.osu.edu>

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