

ACTIVITIES, EXHIBITS, PRESENTATIONS:

A Building (see schedule)

A-138: Ikebana (Flower Arranging) Display (all day) & demos, Tea Ceremony Demos

B Building (see schedule)

B-101: Hiroshima-Nagasaki Atomic Bomb Exhibit, Hiroshima Photo panels (all day)

B-102: History of Japanese-Americans, "Within the Silence" WW2 Incarceration camp experiences, Kamishibai Storytelling, Japanese Business Etiquette, Sumie Painting Workshop

B-104: Atomic Bomb Survivors Film & Peace Memorial Park Tour (3 showings, see schedule), "Behind the Music - Composing for Games, Films, & Anime" w/special guest Kazuma Jinnouchi, Anime Trivia Contest

B-244: 2nd floor Planetarium Show / Japanese Story Time (see schedule)

C Building

C-Lobby: Information booth, Lost & Found. Community Table, Exhibitor Booths, 'GO' game demos/instruction, Calligraphy hands-on instruction, Origami, ...

C-Cafeteria: Martial Arts (see schedule), Exhibitor Booths, Echo Chorus, Evergreen Glee Club, COSPLAY contest (see schedule)

C-103: Kid's Playroom (trad. Japanese toys)

E Building (see schedule)

E-126: KARAOKE (all day)

Carlson Theater: 3 Taiko drum performances. Musical Play "Little Red Riding Hood: Another Story" performed in Japanese (see schedule)

L Building Lobby (all day)

15+ Exhibitors; Photo booth, Consulate, ...

R Building

R-East Lobby: Volunteer check-in

R-101 (see schedule): Kimono101, Furoshiki, Japanese Elem. School Life, Manga Drawing, Onigiri-making Workshop (ages15+)

R-102 / R-103: Manga Swap, Flea Markets

R-202 / R-203 / R-210: Anime Café, Dragon Ball / Super Mario Bros./ Pokémon Rooms

Outdoor Courtyards* (see schedule)

Food Trucks [E]; Omikoshi [C<-> E] (see schedule), Beyblade contests [E]; Paper Airplane Contests [E]; KENDAMA Contest [C]; Outdoor 'GO' games / demos [E]

BC Water Fountain: Catch Rubber Duckies

PERFORMERS, PRESENTERS, EXHIBITORS:

Allen Nakamoto, Arisa Nakamura, Bellevue Arts Museum, BC XR Lab, Cascade Kendo Kai, Consulate-General of Japan in Seattle, Echo Chorus, Evergreen Glee Club, Haiku Northwest, Hiroko Nagatomo, Hiroko Sugiyama, Hoshu Dojo, Ichigo Ichie Foundation (Omotesenke), Ikebana International – Seattle Chapter 19, Japan-America Society of the State of Washington, Japan America Transportation Historical Organization, Japan Business Association of Seattle (Shunjikai), Japanese Cultural & Community Center of Washington, Japan National Travel Organization, JIA Foundation, John Mark Dunn (Yagyu Shinkage Ryu Heihou), Johnny Kress, Joy Misato St. Germain, Kanako Koizumi, Kazuma Jinnouchi, Koichi Kitazumi, Living Voices, Lynn Miyauchi, Mai Yuasa Suratos Dance Team, Meito Shodo Kai Japanese Calligraphy Association, Mimibunko, Musokai, Neely Mansion Association, Nuclear Weapons Awareness, Okinawa Kenjin Kai Chijinshuu of WA State, Pacific Northwest Naginata Federation, Pat Terhune-Inverso, Pikake School, Prisca Kim, Puget Area Paperfolding Enthusiasts Roundtable (PAPER), Rain City Sumo, Sakura-Con / Asia Northwest Cultural Education Association, Seattle Go Center, Seattle Japanese Garden, Seattle Kimono Club, Seattle Kokon Taiko, Sugimoto Tea Company, Tanimoto Calligraphy Class, Temple University, Japan Campus, The Kenjinkai Clubs (Seattle Hiroshima Club | Seattle Fukushima Club | Seattle-Tacoma Fukuoka Kenjinkai | Miyazaki Kenjinkai), The School of Taiko, Vancouver Mikoshi Sakurakai Society, Voice Library in Japanese, Yakult USA

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2026 Japan Week @ Bellevue College

Saturday, Oct. 10 Festival Day

*Presented by the BC Japanese Culture
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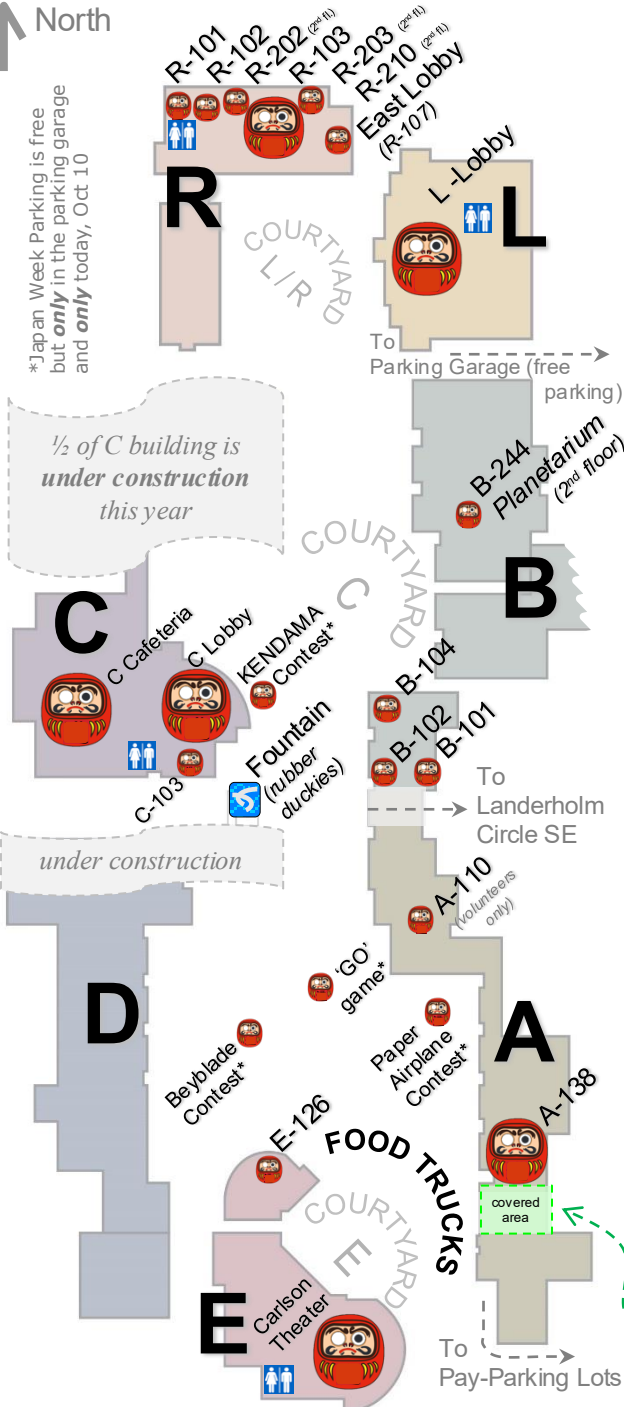


2026 BCJapan Week - Festival Day Program

Schedule of Events

(all-day exhibits and contest / activities = see reverse.)

For full details / last minute revisions, see <https://bit.ly/JapanWeekWebsite>)



10:00	Short Films:	B-104	2:00	KENDAMA contests (all ages)	C Courtyard
	"Hibakusha Interview" (~30 mins)		2:00	Beyblade Contests (2~4pm, age 13+)	E Courtyard
	"Hiroshima Peace Memorial Park" (~5 mins)		2:00	Naginata Tendōryū (martial arts)	C-Cafeteria
	3 showings during the day (see below)		2:00	Ikebana (Flower Arranging) demo	A-138
10:00	History of Japanese Americans	B-102	2:00	Japanese Business Etiquette	B-102
10:00	Kimono 101	R-101	2:15	Japanese Storytime, Planetarium	B-244
10:00	Beyblade Contests (until noon, ages 8~12)	E Courtyard		Constellation Show	
10:30	Paper Airplane contests (ages <12)	E Courtyard	2:30	Paper Airplane contests (age 13+)	E Courtyard
10:45	(2 nd showing) "Hibakusha Interview..."	B-104	2:30	Cascade KENDO KAI (martial arts)	C-Cafeteria
11:00	Hoshu Jodo (martial arts)	C-Cafeteria	2:30	Manga Drawing Workshop	R-101
11:30	Iaido Musokai (martial arts)	C-Cafeteria	2:45	Anime Trivia Contest	B-104
11:30	"Within the Silence" WW2 US Incarceration Camp Experiences	B-102	3:00	Ishu-jiai Match (martial arts)	C-Cafeteria
11:30	Furoshiki (Cloth Wrapping)	R-101		Pacific NW Naginata Fed. v. Cascade Kendo Kai	
12:00	Okinawan Taiko (drums)	Carlson	3:00	Omikoshi & Yosakoi Parade C<->E Courtyards	
12:30	Evergreen Glee Club	C-Cafeteria	3:00	doors open for 3:30 Musical	Carlson
12:30	(Omotesenke) Tea Ceremony #1	A-138	3:30	Musical Play: "Little Red Riding Hood: Another Story" (Performance in Japanese)	Carlson
12:30	special guest Kazuma Jinnouchi	B-104	3:30	(Omotesenke) Tea Ceremony #2	A-138
	"Behind the Music: Composing for Games, Films, & Anime"		3:30	Sumie Painting Workshop	B-102
12:45	Seattle Kokon Taiko (drums)	Carlson		(Limited to 20 participants)	
12:45	Paper Airplane contests (teens)	E Courtyard	3:30	Paper Airplane contests (ages <12)	E Courtyard
1:00	Kamishibai Storytelling	B-102	3:30	Cosplay contestants gather	C-Cafeteria
1:00	Elementary School Life in Japan	R-101	4:00~4:30	Cosplay Contest	C-Cafeteria
1:15	Echo Chorus	C Cafeteria	4:00	Onigiri Workshop <i>limited to 20 people</i>	R-101
1:30	The School of Taiko (drums)	Carlson	4:15	Paper Airplane contests (ages 18+)	E Courtyard
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1:45	(3 rd showing) "Hibakusha Interview..."	B-104			

* NOTE: In case of rain, outdoor events may move to covered areas near A-138

Many BC restrooms are closed on weekends, but open restrooms are in Buildings R, L, C, E (see map)