

Venice Japanese Community Center, Inc.

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The mission of the Venice Japanese Community Center is "To preserve, share and promote the Japanese – American culture and heritage and provide for the needs and interests of the Japanese – American Community through education and instruction."

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Arts & Crafts

Calligraphy (Japanese Brush Writing)

Bunka Shodo

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Card Making

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Knit & Crochet

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Sumi -e

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Watercolor

Alice Quock
(310) 822.3137

Boys Scouts

Meetings

Don Nishimoto
(310) 645.4336

Parent's Club

Royce Ito
(310) 390.7706

Bridge

Mike Shiraki
(310) 478.4348

Exercise

Tai Chi

Kenji Koda
(310) 839.7764

Yoga

Shigeko Fujihiro
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Dance

Ballroom

Kiyoka Kurumada
(310) 397.7452

Hawaiian Hula

Sharon Uyeda
(310) 398.5844

Japanese Odori

Dianne Fukuwa
(310) 217.0443

Line Dance

Tosh Aiboshi
(310) 397.3008

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Fishing Club

Tom Endo
(310) 479.0454

Gardeners Association

Toru Ino
(310) 822.8842

JACL(Venice/Culver)

Hitoshi Shimizu
(310) 391.8628

Japanese Culture

Bonsai

Shig Miya
(310) 822.7444

Ikebana.

Yoshiko Uyeno
(310) 670.8952

Japanese Language

Children

Mickey Fukunaga
(310) 545.5378

Adults

Tad Suzuki
(310) 398.9813

Adults(as a 2nd language)

Sharon Aratani
(310) 641.6618

Martial Arts

Aikido

Dave Kuramoto
(310) 398.6867

Iaido

Harry Takemura
(310) 822.7113

Judo

Dave Hirota
(310) 827.3112

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Karate

Shiro Musha
(818) 997.6080

Kendo

Jamie Inouye
(310) 815.1939

Music

Karaoke

William Ota
(310) 827.3224

Koto

Eiko Idota
(310) 397.6157

Shamisen

Naohide Murao
(310) 398.6366

Shigin(Kinyu Kai)

Shoko Kishi
(310) 391.5400

Shigin (Kokusei Kai)

Setsuji Nakao
(310) 391.5400

Taiko (Koshin)

Ginger Durgin
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Podiatrist

Kay Shimizu
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Senior

Nutrition

Shigeko Fujihira
(310) 836.1681

Pioneer Project

Eric Inouye
(310) 670.5009

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Sports

Basketball (Adult)

Glenn Ishikawa
(310) 822.8282

Basketball (VYC)

Jun Oyama
(310) 822.6861

Volleyball (Adult)

Jim Nakagiri
(310) 391.8614

Venice Youth Council

Harry Sagara
(310) 649.4439

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Abacus

Every Monday, 6:30pm

Bunka Shodo

Every Thursday, 7:00pm

Shodo (Ken kyukai)

Every Wednesday, 7:30pm

Card Making

1st and 3rd Week of the Month, Wednesday at 9:00am

Knit & Crochet

2nd and 4th Week of the Month, Wednesday at 9:00am

Sumi-e

Every Friday, 9:30am

Watercolor

1st and 3rd Week of the Month, Wednesday at 12:30pm

Boy Scouts Meetings

Every Tuesday, 7:30pm

Boy Scouts Parents' meeting

3rd Week of the Month, Tuesday at 7:30pm

Bridge

Every Wednesday, 12:30pm

Tai Chi

Every Wednesday, 10:00am

Yoga Sr.

Every Tuesday, 9:30 am

Ball Room

Every Tuesday, 12:30 pm

Hawaiian Hula

Every Saturday, 1:00pm and Sunday, 2:00pm

Japanese Odori

Every Saturday, 10:00am

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Line Dance Beginners

Every Friday, 9:30am

Line Dance Advanced Beginners

Every Friday, 10:30am

Line Dance Intermediate

Every Tuesday, 1:15pm

Line Dance Intermediate Advanced

Every Tuesday, 2:20pm

Fishing Club

3rd Week of the Month, Friday at 7:30pm

Gardeners

2nd Week of the Month, Thursday at 7:30pm

Bonsai

2nd Week of the Month, Friday at 7:30pm

Ikebana

Beginner: 2nd and 4th Week of the Month Wednesday, 10:00am

Advanced: 2nd and 4th Week of the Month Wednesday, 12:00pm

Japanese Language Children and Adults

Every Saturday, 8:30am

Japanese Conversation

Every Thursday, 9:00am

Japanese 2nd Language

Every Friday, 7:00pm

Aikido

Every Monday at 9:30am; Thursday at 5:15p; Saturday at 7:00am

Iaido

Every Wednesday, 8:00pm

Judo

Every Tuesday and Friday, 7:30pm

Karate

Every Monday and Thursday, 7:30pm

Kendo

Every Wednesday, 7:30pm

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Karaoke

Every Friday, 8:00pm

Koto

Every Monday, 6:30pm

Shamisen

Every Tuesday, 6:00pm

Shigin (kinyukai)

Every Monday, 7:30pm

Shigin (kokusei kai)

Every Tuesday, 7:30pm

Taiko Koshin

Every Tuesday, 7:00pm

Podiatrist

Last Tuesday of the Month, 1:00pm

Senior Nutrition

Monday –Friday, 11:00am

Senior Pioneer Project

Every Wednesday, 7:30pm

Basketball (Adult)

Every Sunday, 8:00pm

Basketball (VYC)

Every Monday and Thursday, 3:30pm
Every Tuesday, Wednesday and Friday at 4:00pm,
Saturday, 11:00am

Volleyball (Adult)

Every Sunday, 6:00pm

Venice Youth Council (Mtg)

2nd Wednesday of the Month, 7:30pm

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