



Chinese Cultural Society of Stockton

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August 2013



Bus Trip to Fiddletown and Jackson Rancheria

JOIN US!

Saturday, August 24, 2013

Come see the brick CCSS contributed to as well as other Chinese artifacts.
See the enclosed flyer for more details.



Welcome Our New Board Members and Administrative Assistant

Please welcome our new Board members, **Elizabeth Blanchard**, **Janwyn Funamura**, **Elise Liu** and **Bill Yee**! We're glad to have them aboard! Also welcome our new administrative assistant, **Bonnie Sharlow**! She will be conducting some of the administrative duties for CCSS. If you have any questions or need info, you can contact her at ccsinfo@att.net.

SAVE THE DATE!!

CCSS Moon Festival

Saturday, September 21, 2013
San Joaquin Delta College
Danner Hall
5151 Pacific Ave., Stockton
(More details to follow)



Fundraiser for Jene Wah Dinner & Music on the Patio at

Sam's Café
2328 Pacific Ave. - On the Miracle Mile
Tri-Tip, Potato, Green Salad, Beverage
\$15 per person
Monday, September 9, 2013 * 5 p.m. to 8 p.m.
For tickets, call 209.463.7654

Take Me Out to the Ballgame!

CCSS members, family and friends enjoyed a night out at the Stockton Ports ballgame on Friday, July 27. The Ports won!!



Calendar Events and Things of Interest

(Look for Future CCSS Events in Future Issues)

- **Saturday, August 3, 2013.** 10am. Information session for Chung Wah Mandarin School. 212 E. Lafayette, Stockton. More info: 209.462.6442.
- **Saturday, August 10, 2013.** 1pm. 50th Anniversary of the March on Washington (Chinese Americans in the Civil Rights Movement). Details at the Chinese Historical Society of America website: www.chsa.org/events.
- **Saturday, August 17, 2013.** 9:00am. Chung Wah Mandarin School begins fall semester.
- **Saturday, August 24, 2013.** Bus trip to Fiddletown and Jackson Rancheria.
- **Saturday, September 21, 2013.** CCSS Moon Festival, San Joaquin Delta College, Danner Hall.
- **Sunday, September 22, 2013.** 10am to 5pm. Chinese Benevolent Association Open House.



Delta Dragons Seek New Captain

We're still seeking a new captain for the 2013 dragon boat event. If you're interested, contact Colleen Lee, 209-986-7582, for more information. *Who are we???.....Delta, Delta, Dragunnnsss!!!!*

Descendants, Acquaintances Wanted

I would like to contact relatives, friends, or acquaintances of the following people in regards to a book I'm writing on the Chinese of Fiddletown and Amador County:

Fong Chow Yow or "Jimmie" Chow of Fiddletown -- anyone who may have known him. He visited Stockton and purchased merchandise there between the 1920s-1950s.

Mrs. Jow Moke (first name Yee, from Fiddletown, friend of Chow), Moke Jow or Yow (husband) -- lived and worked from the 1920s-1950s in Stockton, Ripon, and Manteca. Sons: Ming and Donald Jow or Yow or Moke).

Joseph Won, born in Lone --- from 1960s, lived in Stockton for many years, married to Dr. Irene Fontaine Won.

Contact: Elaine Zorbas, P.O. Box 92, Fiddletown, CA 95669 (209) 245-3643 or ezorbas@alumni.usc.edu

Cartus Seeks Mandarin Language Instructor

Instructor for private lessons in Modesto area beginning in August. For more info, contact Colleen Blosser or send a resume to colleen.blosser@cartus.com or call 203-205-1813.

Late Imperial China co-editor **Tobie Meyer-Fong**, discusses the journal, which is the principal journal for scholars of China's Ming and Qing dynasties in the latest episode of **In Other Words**. She focuses on several important articles on gender and medical history. The journal is the official publication of the Society for Qing Studies. To view video, go to: http://www.press.jhu.edu/journals/in_other_words.html

Chinese Community Reunion 2013

It promises to be an exciting event, the likes of which has not been seen at Chung Wah since the massive fund-raising effort during World War II. The Chinese Benevolent Association of Stockton is celebrating the culmination of its four-year renovation of the Confucius Church of Stockton, 212 E. Lafayette. Everyone who has memories of the once-bustling heart of the Chinese community, or wants to know about it, is invited to a gala Open House on Sunday, September 22nd from 10-5. A highlight will be the 11 a.m. dedication of the former Chinese Christian Center as the Dr. George H. Colliver Building, with Rev. Leo T. Fong officiating. There will be food, drink, live entertainment and tours of the main building.

You can help! We need sponsors for this free event; ads may be purchased; donations may be made to furnish the Colliver Building; and we need email addresses of former Chinese School students and members of St. Mark's youth groups. Call 209.462.6442 or email cbaconfuciuschurch@att.net.

Make it a fabulous weekend—kick it off by attending the CCSS Moon Festival Saturday night, and then spend the next day reuniting with old friends at Chung Wah! Pre-register by August 31st.

Central Valley Asian-American Chamber of Commerce has moved to 5665 N. Pershing Ave., Ste. C-2, Stockton, CA. 209.327.2407.

Make This Your Newsletter!

If you have any articles (100 words or less), personal stories, accomplishments of other members to share, pictures or topics of interest you would like published (subject to the Editor's and/or the CCSS Board's approval), the submission deadline is the **15th** of each month. Submit via email ccs4you@att.net or to the PO Box, ATTN: Editor.

CCSS Membership Application 2013

NAME _____ Phone _____

ADDRESS _____ New

CITY/ZIP _____ Renewal

Email Address: _____

Individual \$20 Family or Organization \$30

I would like to help with: Education Scholarship Committee

Events Telephoning New Year Festival

Other _____

Make out check to CCSS and send to: CCSS Membership Director

DATE _____ PO Box 692035
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