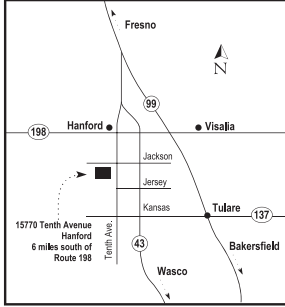


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# KAZARI BONSAI DISPLAY COMPETITION

*National competition on the art of displaying bonsai  
in a tokonoma alcove at the*

**Clark Center for Japanese Art and Culture  
Saturday, November 5, 2011, 10 am – 5 pm**

*Supported by:  
The Bertha and John Garabedian Charitable Foundation*

On November 5, the Clark Center for Japanese Art & Culture will organize the third **KAZARI: BONSAI DISPLAY COMPETITION**. The competition focuses on creating a harmonious display of hanging scroll, bonsai tree, and an adjacent plant or stone to display in a tokonoma alcove. **KAZARI** is a judged competition and the prize money awarded in honor of the contributions of Japanese-American citizens for the best displays is \$2,500 for first place, \$1,000 for second place, and \$500 for third place.

The museum gallery will be divided in equal spaces, each space approximately the size of an average tokonoma. The competitors have freedom in the arrangement of the display. There are no fixed rules for the use of hanging scrolls and subsidiary ornaments like naturally-formed stones or potted plants. The traditional Japanese triangle of the bonsai representing Man, the scroll being Heaven, and the subsidiary ornament standing for Earth, is just one way of creating an appealing display.

**KAZARI: BONSAI DISPLAY COMPETITION 2011**

RSVP Form

Mail to 15770 Tenth Ave., Hanford, CA 93230  
 Call 559.582.4915 or Fax 559.582.9546

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
 Address \_\_\_\_\_  
 City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_  
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I will attend KAZARI and would like to purchase the following ticket(s):

	Member		Non-member	
	Free	\$5 x =	Free	=
<b>General admission</b> Children under 12	Free		Free	
<b>Bonsai Expert Lecture</b> 11:00 am	\$20 x =		\$20 x =	
<b>Bonsai Beginner Workshop</b> 2:00 pm	\$20 x =		\$20 x =	
<b>Wine and Cheese Reception</b> 5:00 pm	\$10 x =		\$10 x =	
	Member Total <input type="checkbox"/>		Non-member Total <input type="checkbox"/>	

I would like to become a member to receive member's benefits for this event.  
 (For questions about membership and benefits, call (559) 582 4915.)

- Member (\$50)     Friend (\$150)     Donor (\$500)
- Sponsor (\$1,200)     Patron (\$2,500)     Benefactor (\$5,000)

I am unable to attend but wish to make a donation of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ to the Clark Center. (Contribution is tax deductible.)  
 Check enclosed. (Please make a check payable to the Clark Center.)

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Account No. \_\_\_\_\_ Exp. Date \_\_\_\_\_  
 Signature \_\_\_\_\_

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 BONSAI DISPLAY COMPETITION**

**Clark Center for Japanese Art and Culture**

**Saturday, November 5, 2011**



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**PROGRAM**

10:00 am – 5:00 pm

**KAZARI: BONSAI DISPLAY COMPETITION**  
 \$5 for general admission, Clark Center members free

10:00 am – 5:00 pm

**Bonsai Exhibition at the Center's Bonsai Garden**

10:00 am – 5:00 pm

**Bonsai and Antique Fair**

Selected bonsai and accessories as well as antiques and deaccessioned artworks.

11:00 – 12:00 pm

**Expert Lecture by Kathy Shaner, Curator of the Golden State Bonsai Federation Bonsai Garden at Lake Merritt**

\$20 per person



2:00 – 3:00 pm

**Bonsai Beginner Workshop**

Participants will learn the fundamentals of bonsai and leave the workshop with an actual bonsai they have created.

\$20 per person (fee includes a bonsai tree)

5:00 – 6:00 pm

**Wine and Cheese Reception in the Japanese Garden of the Clark Residence**

\$10 per person



**For details about participation in the competition, please contact the Clark Center's Bonsai Curator, Bob Hilvers, at bonsai@ccjac.org**

(Please cut and mail with your payment.)