

 Wafu School of Ikebana
Spring Awakening

2018 Flower Show

California Chapter 48th Anniversary

Ikebana by Chapter President Fusako Hoyrup 清雅





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Dear Friends,

On behalf of the Cupertino City Council, please accept our wholehearted welcome and congratulations to the Wafu School of Ikebana, California Chapter, on the occasion of its 48th Anniversary Flower Show.

The stated aim of the Wafu School of Ikebana of promoting international understanding and harmony is a goal of timeless importance. Of similar timelessness is the beauty of natural floral arrangements represented by the inspired work and artistry of the members of this organization, led locally by longtime community member Fusako Hoyrup, whose work and legacy have left a deep and lasting impression upon Cupertino and the broader community. Every two years, we look forward to this event as one that combines beauty and serenity, and brings these characteristics forward in a floral transformation of the public space of our Quinlan Center.



I encourage you to explore the efforts of these students and artists, and to tell your friends and family about the show and artistic opportunities represented here. It is inspiring to observe such a broad cross-section of our community working together to achieve an event of such transcendent quality, and doing so in a manner that honors the values of humility, dignity, and responsibility set forth by Ms. Hoyrup and the Wafu School's three generations of headmasters in Japan.

As we set forth with future generations of interactions and activity, it is my sincere hope that the spirit of cooperation and the meditative quality of inspiration from natural beauty that this display of talent and commitment showcase also help us to keep finding ways of expressing ourselves and improving our ever-changing world for the sake of the harmonious and the good. These aims, like these displays, take much work to achieve, but they are universal ones worthy of our time and efforts.

Thank you, and I hope that you enjoy the renewed passion and commitments set forth here this year, appropriately enough, near the beginning of Springtime.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to be "Darcy Paul". The signature is fluid and cursive, written over a white background.

Darcy Paul
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It is a great honor to offer my heartfelt congratulations to the Wafu Ikebana Society in recognition of its 48th Anniversary celebration and flower show.

First of all, I would like to commend all the members of the Wafu Ikebana Society for their tireless efforts to create such wonderful examples of the ikebana art form.

As you are aware, ikebana is an iconic and beautiful part of Japanese traditional culture with centuries of tradition, and it is inspiring to learn that ikebana is so warmly embraced throughout Northern California.

It is well known that the Wafu Ikebana Society has been playing a critical role in this regard.

I would especially like to extend my sincere appreciation and congratulations to Wafu Ikebana Society Founder and President Ms. Fusako “Seiga” Hoyrup for her unwavering dedication and leadership. As a pioneer in ikebana education in Northern California, Ms. Hoyrup’s adult education and college classes were among the first of their kind in this region, providing a great number of new students with excellent opportunities to learn about ikebana and to explore their own creativity based on traditional Japanese culture.

As Consul General of Japan, it is my hope that ikebana will be an important part of the rich American culture, contributing to inspiring peace and harmony throughout this diverse region. I also hope that the already warm relationship between Japan and Northern California will be even further strengthened by such exchange of cultures.

With warmest regards,



Tomochika Uyama
Consul General of Japan





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I send my heartfelt congratulations to the Wafu California Chapter on their 48th anniversary!

Among the many accomplishments by Chapter President Fusako Hoyrup and the members of the California Chapter over the years, the 48th Anniversary Flower Show will undoubtedly stand out as the biggest success of all.

Chapter President Hoyrup and the members of the California Chapter have accomplished amazing things together. I believe that they will continue to share the joy of ikebana with a countless number of people in the community, whatever their cultural background. We are so proud of Mrs. Hoyrup and the members of the California Chapter.



Finally, I would like to express my gratitude to the City of Cupertino and the Fremont Union High School District Division of Adult and Community Education, who have been

very supportive of Wafu Ikebana Society over many years.

Now, please enjoy the beauty of the Wafu Ikebana.

Headmaster Wafu Teshigahara
Teshigahara Wafu-kai Foundation

Dear Friends & Visiting Guests,

My students and I are deeply honored to present our Wafu 48th Anniversary “Spring Awakening” Flower Show at the Cupertino Quinlan Community Center.

I am profoundly touched by how our Wafu School of Ikebana California Chapter has grown from a small group of students almost half a century ago, to nearly 200 dedicated and artistically accomplished student members. This all grew from a very modest dream I had years ago that there should be a forum for anyone, regardless of age, heritage or cultural differences, to learn the art of Ikebana through the universal language of beauty.

I am beaming with happiness looking back at the 48 years since the establishment of the school and seeing the spirits and dedication of my students. It is also extremely rewarding to see some of my students continuing on with the teaching of Ikebana with students of their own. My heart is filled with a sense of accomplishment, as the California Chapter continues to evolve as a family of dynamic, passionate, and caring members who dedicate so much to the art of Ikebana.

I hope the “Spring Awakening” Flower Show will be awe-inspiring to our friends and guests.



I would like to express my sincere thanks to Mr. Wafu Teshigahara, Headmaster of the Wafu School, and Japan Headquarters for their support. I would also like to express my deepest gratitude to the City of Cupertino and the Adult and Community Education Division of the Fremont Union High School District for co-sponsoring this flower show. My heartfelt appreciation goes to my students for their hard work and enthusiasm to the art of Ikebana.

To our friends and guests, Welcome and enjoy the show!

Yours sincerely,


Fusako Hoyrup 清雅

President, California Chapter, Wafu School of Ikebana

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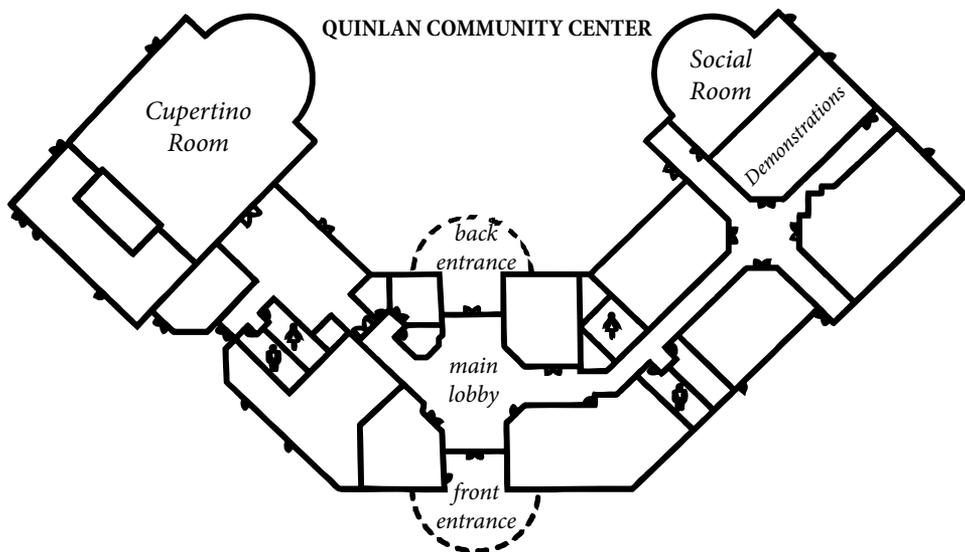
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*Ikebana, heart of my life
Each day I dedicate my life
With care and humility*

Poem by Fusako Hoyrup 清雅



Cupertino Room & Social Room

For the arrival of spring, we are delighted to present numerous Wafu arrangements to showcase the season's magnificent display of floral reemergence from the winter months. Our design philosophy of emphasizing natural beauty delineates the unique elegance of Wafu Ikebana arrangements.

Season by season, it is a discovery and an inner awakening to each flower's inherent beauty. Wafu-kai arrangers strive for exquisite harmony between the flowers, the container, and the environment in which the arrangement is displayed.

Children & Teens Table in Social Room

A special section is reserved for display of arrangements by our very young Wafu Ikebana student artists.

Exhibitors:

Gwen Chang (11), Jeff Chang (13), Melodey Huang (7), Avni Kavathekar (11), Amaris Khilko (7), Yuri Khilko (7), Nikki Kwok (6), Cinyan Shao (7), Ciella Zhu (6)

Activity Room: Demonstrations

Attend our demonstrations to gain insight into Wafu Ikebana techniques and combinations. Each demonstration showcases a theme inspired by the individual artist, providing a unique and enthralling experience for the audience. Please see the back cover for the schedule. Arriving early is recommended due to limited seating.

Cupertino Room Foyer: Arrangements from Demonstrations

The Wafu-kai philosophy teaches the practitioner *"to arrange the flowers that you like – suitably – in a container that you like."* This philosophy nurtures each artisan's aesthetic sense and we are delighted to share their art!

PRESIDENT AND FOUNDER, WAFU CALIFORNIA CHAPTER

Fusako Hoyrup (Seiga 清雅)

WAFU IKEBANA CALIFORNIA CHAPTER TEACHERS

Shao Ying Chan (Sousei 爽星)	Fiona Li (Kasen 花泉)
Ching-Li Chang (Kouka 鵠花)	Grace Liu (Seibaku 清麦)
Cindy Chang (Senkyo 千郷)	Kristy Liu (Suishin 粹心)
Lily Chang (Keika 景花)	Shirley Mar-Tang (Houka 褒花)
Yvonne Chang (Suiko 粹香)	Pascale Marion (Seisui 星粹)
Connie Chen (Bihou 美褒)	Tova Matatyaou (Seiko 晴湖)
Marian Chen (Gyokusei 玉清)	Nivedita Mathur (Seikan 清冠)
Connie Cheng (Seisin 清深)	Luciana Mazzola (Seikin 清錦)
Carol Christmas (Shinsei 心清)	Jennifer Mohr (Tansei 端清)
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Dorothy Chu (Seiko 清香)	Ann Thi Nguyen (Chosen 跳扇)
Audrey Chuang (Jakuhou 若褒)	Aiko Nishikawa (Suika 粹花)
Nona Espinosa (Senryu 泉流)	Susan Okada (Nansei 南清)
Erfert Fenton (Kosei 光清)	Lena Pavloskaia (Hokuou 北櫻)
Sumie Fukano (Kaou 花櫻)	LaPaula Sakai (Kouhan 香絆)
Ingrid Galvagni (Tosei 桐清)	Hema Srinivasan (Suiryu 粹流)
Binnie Gou (Ryokusei 綠清)	Leigh Ann Taaffe (Bansei 絆清)
Donna Hirai (Kisei 貴清)	Catherine Tan (Suibi 粹美)
Pat Hom (Kansei 歡清)	Chai Lan Tan (Seikan 清觀)
Barbara Honda (Tosei 桃清)	Helen Tan (Seisho 清松)
Nancy Horng (Ryusei 流清)	Millie Tan (Hosei 宝清)
Sabrina Huang (Kousen 鵠泉)	Nancy Tao (Ryokusen 綠鮮)
Patricia Hunsperger (Suika 翠花)	Lina van Scherrenburg (Seiyu 清遊)
Mayshine Hwang (Musei 夢清)	I-Ching Wang (Kyokusin 旭心)
Sue Jeng (Jakuo 若風)	Theresa Wang (Chikusei 竹清)
Helen Klee (Shinou 心櫻)	Annie Wong (Hanou 絆櫻)
Sharon Krawetz (Zuishu 瑞舟)	Calvin Wong (Hosei 峰清)
Maria Ku (Hokyo 宝郷)	Yvette Wu (Hanbi 絆美)
Bee Ean Kua (Seiten 清天)	Einat Yogev (Hanki 絆輝)
Noriko Kunimi (Seiryu 清涼)	
Lana Kuo (Hogetsu 豐月)	
Khai Quoc Le (Choho 跳峰)	
Angela Lee (Housen 褒泉)	
Kathy Lee (Seiryu 清流)	

WAFU IKEBANA CALIFORNIA CHAPTER MEMBERS

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Jenny Kim	Parnian Taidi	
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OPENING CEREMONY AND BANQUET SPEAKERS

Saturday, March 3rd

Akira Ichioka, *Director & Consul, Consulate General of Japan*

Hiroyuki Nomura, *Vice Consul, Consulate General of Japan*

Darcy Paul, *Mayor of Cupertino*

Polly Bove, *Superintendent of Schools, FUHSD*

Peggy Raun-Linde, *Principal, FUHSD Adult School*

Liz Ambra, *Vice Principal, FUHSD Adult School*

Fusako Hoyrup, *President, California Chapter, Wafu School of Ikebana*

Thanh Nguyen, *Flower Show Co-Chairperson*

I-Ching Wang, *Flower Show Co-Chairperson*

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- Wafu School of Ikebana – Tokyo Headquarters
- City of Cupertino
- Fremont Union High School District Adult School

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Back Row: Helen Klee 心櫻, I-Ching Wang 旭心, Jennifer Mohr 端清, Theresa Wang 竹清, Calvin Wong 峰清

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Not in photo: Sharon Krawetz 瑞舟

Ikebana by Thanh Nguyen 紅泉



Ikebana by I-Ching Wang 旭心





Ikebana by Fusako Hoyrup 清雅

Demonstrations Schedule

Demonstrations are held at the Activity Room

Saturday, March 3rd

- 11:00 AM Mayshine Hwang 夢清 (Somu degree)
 Calvin Wong 峰清 (Somu degree)
- 1:00 PM Tova Matatyaou 晴湖 (Retired – Former Shukan degree)
 Lena Pavlovskaia 北櫻 (Sanyo degree)
- 3:00 PM Thanh Nguyen 紅泉 (Gakukan degree)

Sunday, March 4th

- 11:00 AM Sharon Krawetz 瑞舟 (Gakukan degree)
 Susan Okada 南清 (Sanyo degree)
- 1:00 PM Dorothy Chu 清香 (Somu degree)
 Ching-Li Chang 鵲花 (Sanyo degree)
- 3:00 PM Fusako Hoyrup 清雅 (Shukan degree)

Wafu Ikebana Society is a nonprofit organization. \$5 donations help defray the members' cost of presenting the show and are gratefully accepted.