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PRESIDENTS' MESSAGE

JUNE 2013

As I'm writing this, I am preparing for the Memorial Day Weekend. This is a weekend when we honor the brave American men & women who gave their lives in defense of our country. We mourn their loss and honor their memories. We thank them and their families for the sacrifice. They are the epitome of why America is such a wonderful country.

Memorial Day marks the unofficial start of summer. Sunday, June 2nd is the last day of language for the CCLI school year. Things will slow down but they won't stop!

Please mark your calendars for two important events, the CCLI Annual Picnic, Sunday July 21st from 11 AM to 4 PM at Lido Beach. Volunteers are needed. If you can help, please E-Mail Jim & Eileen Vogel at TheNYVogels@netscape.net The second event is Chinese American Night, on Sunday, August 4th at Eisenhower Park, starting at 6 PM. We are expecting beautiful weather and hope for a crowd. Please read the sections on the picnic & Chinese American night for important details. These are great events that you won't want to miss!

The CCLI Board is applying for a number of grants. If you can help, please contact Mona, Jim or Helen. We need people to do a number of things include proofread our requests, so please volunteer! Any grants we receive will enable us to improve or add to the Center.

This last section is for the CCLI kids. There are scholarships that you are eligible for from generous people who realize there is something special about CCLI and want to encourage you to participate. Please look at the section on this and apply if you are eligible.

Have a great May & June.

Mona & Jim, Co-Presidents

SAVE THE DATE

July 21, 2013

Lido Beach

August 4, 2013

Chinese American Night at Eisenhower Park

MONA NG HONORED AT NASSAU COUNTY ASIAN CELEBRATION, MAY 17, 2013

Friday, May 17, 2013 was an evening to be remembered! Our own Co President Mona Ng was honored as a distinguished Asian American at Nassau County's Asian American Festival for her community service. Over 400 guests enjoyed the multicultural buffet of the cuisine of China, Korea, Pakistan, India, Bangladesh and the Philippines which had been provided gratis by the different ethnic community organizations involved. The dinner was followed by Nassau County Executive, Edward Mangano's recognition ceremony of community honorees. This was followed by an exceptional hour of ethnic entertainment highlighting the best of each culture, new and traditional!

Our CCLI's lion troupe performed not only with our traditional lion heads but with our new golden dragon making a spectacular entrance. Our Dance troupe performed also adding greatly to the evening's enjoyment. Noteworthy was our Sun Jung dance which had an Indian influence in music and dance movements. It was most appreciated by the audience!

The most fascinating part of the evening was in the entertainment. The different cultural performances have become assimilated and intertwined reflecting how we have all become "Americanized" meaning absorbing something from each other's culture. This was so evident in our Chinese/Indian style dance. The South East Asian Indian youngsters danced not only Gangham style but also American hip hop. The Philippinos performed a Tahitian dance as well as their own Philippino traditional Dance of the Flowers. The Korean youngsters danced Gangham style full blast, getting away from the traditional. The Bangladeshi community offered a traditional vocalist and ethnic dancer. All in all, it was a delightful evening to be remembered.

We know that all of these events would not be possible without the extraordinarily dedicated youngsters, parents, leaders, members and supporters of our Center. Thank you to all for your exceptional efforts in leadership, coordination, food service, performance, chauffeur service, attendance and support!

Congratulations to our Co-President Mona Ng for her dedicated community service to the Center and to the Chinese American community on Long Island. It is an honor truly deserved!

Helen Chin



CELEBRATING OUR ASIAN HERITAGE IN NORTH HEMPSTEAD!

On Saturday, May 18, the Town of North Hempstead in Port Washington celebrated Asian Heritage Month with its Fourth Annual Asian Festival at the North Hempstead Beach Park. Our fabulous lion and dragon troupe performed during the opening ceremony of the festival. They were very well received and welcomed by the exuberant crowd which numbered in the thousands.

The Center has been a participating sponsor of this delightful festival for the past four years. This year, the festival drew an audience of over 8,000 attendees who came to spend an entire day, enjoying six hours of continuous ethnic entertainment, cultural booths featuring arts and crafts for children and adults alike and delicious ethnic food vendors at the North Hempstead Beach Park.

The largest draw was the stage entertainment featuring the extraordinary performing artists of China, Korea, Japan, Pakistan and India. The other major attraction was our Chinese Village which was a combination of the efforts of six major Chinese American organizations. At the village, the attendees enjoyed booths featuring a Chinese puppet show and demonstration, Chinese calligraphy, jewelry making, dough making, Chinese knotting, snake lantern making, Chinese merchandise sales, paper cutting and the Tzu Chi Foundation's Saving the Environment booth. At most booths, there were hands on projects for the attendees young and old. Everyone had great fun at these cultural booths.

There were other cultural booths and merchandise vendors representative of the sponsoring community organizations as well as ethnic food vendors which everyone enjoyed! The only drawback of the day was the rain showers which began at 3 PM but did not dampen everyone's spirits. It did delay the program but many did stay to see the remaining fabulous entertainment.



Presenting our culture through our participation in Asian Heritage Celebrations is one way in which we can impart an understanding and an appreciation of our cultural heritage to all. This is the mission of the Chinese Center on Long Island and the main reason why our Center is willing to participate in so many Asian Heritage Celebrations and events every year. In this way, we are fulfilling our mission as well as fostering brotherhood and solidarity.

The Center wishes to thank everyone who has been so supportive of all our efforts. Kudos to all our young performers and their parents. Not to be forgotten are the volunteer members of all ages who spent hours in the arts and crafts booths in the Chinese Village and of course all our supporters who attend these many festivals. Our Chinese Center is very proud of you all in helping to accomplish our mission. In this way, we are making a difference, building a better future for all.

Helen Chin
Chinese Committee Member representing Chinese Center on Long Island

CHINESE SCHOOL YEAR END GRADUATION PARTY, MAY 19, 2013

On May 19, 2013, CCLI Chinese School had the end of year performance and party. Different levels of classes sang songs and recited poetry in Mandarin. Parents, friends and relatives had a blast watching and listening to the students. Thanks to all the teachers for working with the children throughout the year. Thanks to Co-principals Lotus Luo and Donna Chan and assistant Kelly Ng for organizing the show and making sure there's refreshments for the party.

Thank you parents for bringing in desserts and always being there to help and support the School. Have a great summer.

Lydia Wong, Director



THE METROPOLITAN MUSEUM

On Monday, May 20th, the Center's dance troupe came out in full force to perform at the Metropolitan Museum for a special gala event. It was for the grand opening of the exhibit for "Birds in the Art of Japan". In the audience were a number of dignitaries including the Ambassador from Japan. The girls performed their Peacock dance production and Bamboo Hat dance numbers. They did a beautiful job! Thank you to the parents who took time from their work schedules to drive their children to this event and for the extra rehearsals prior to the event.



CHINESE AMERICAN NIGHT AT EISENHOWER PARK

SUNDAY, AUGUST 4, 2013 7:15PM

CHINESE CENTER ON LONG ISLAND SUMMER CLASSES 2013

JUNE 9- AUGUST 4

Class Dates: Sunday, June 9, 16, 23, Wednesday, July 3, 10, 17, 24, & 31 Sunday, August 4

Sunday, August 4 Rehearsal at Eisenhower Park Time TBD

Chinese Dance Company (Master Dance Class) Sunday, June 9, 16, & 23 – 10:00-11:00 am Wed, July 3, 10, 17, 24, & 31 - 7:30PM-8:30PM
Dance Technique 4-9 years old Sunday, June 9, 16, & 23 – 11:00-12:00 am Wed, July 3, 10, 17, 24, & 31 - 6:30PM-7:30PM Technique class will only perform at Eisenhower Park if they are ready

Production Performance Wed, July 3, 10, 17, 24, & 31 - 8:30PM-9:30PM
Little Drummers/Short Ribbon/Alumni Must rehearse w/ production starting July 3 rd

Certain production rehearsals may be at different locations and dates.

- CCLI reserves the right to cancel or change class time based on student enrollment.

Chinese Dance Company	\$185.00
Dance Technique	\$125.00 with performance - \$185
Alumni	\$ 50.00

Registration fee is included into tuition.

Non-Member: \$50.00 additional to tuition.

Refund Policy: No refund will be given after attendance of first class.

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Waiver: I give permission to CCLI to use any photos taken at the Center and at CCLI events for purposes of illustrations, advertising, display, or publication, and for any other lawful purpose.

**Student's Name:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Date of Birth:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home Address:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Home telephone:** \_\_\_\_\_ **Cell:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Email:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Emergency Contact Person:** 1. \_\_\_\_\_ **Tel:** \_\_\_\_\_

2. \_\_\_\_\_ **Tel:** \_\_\_\_\_

**Class Selection:** Chinese Dance Company \$185 \_\_\_\_\_  
Dance Technique \$125 \_\_\_\_\_  
Alumni \$ 50 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

**Signature of Student or Parent/Guardian Authorization**

Office use only:  
Member \_\_\_\_\_ Non-Member \_\_\_\_\_

Date paid \_\_\_\_\_ Amount \_\_\_\_\_ Check # \_\_\_\_\_

## **BALLROOM DANCE LESSONS AND SOCIAL DANCING**

**Date:** June 22, and 29, 2013

**Time** Class I - 7:30 pm to 8:30 pm – Quick Step  
Class II - 8:30 pm to 9:30 pm – Merengue  
Refreshment and Social Dancing - 9:30 pm to 11:30 pm

**Fees:** Social Dance Only - \$3.00 Per Member  
- 4.00 Per Non-member

**Contact:** Theresa Wing, (516) 333-0739  
[wing62@verizon.net](mailto:wing62@verizon.net)  
Or Veronica Yan, (516) 485-3929



**WHAT IS NEW?** We do not have any classes in July and August. We will resume in September 2013. Please register and pay in full prior to classes start in September. We will start the registration during the last 2 lessons in June.

**COSTS:** The costs for one semester, 10 lessons over a period of 5 months, inclusive of refreshment and social dancing are **\$140.00 per couple** (*please note that all dance students must be center members*). If you select to take both lessons, the additional fee is \$80 per couple, i.e., \$220 per couple.

In the 2013 Fall Semester, we offer 2 classes as follows: (Subject to be changed)

- **Class I:** 7:30 pm to 8:30 pm, an advanced class. Suggested learning – Rumba
- **Class II:** 8:30 pm to 9:30 pm, an intermediate class. Suggested learning – International Tango

We wish you all a healthy and safe summer.

## **100 CLUB**

The 2013 - 2014 season starts September 2013. If you are interested in reserving your numbers, please send in a check to the attention of Chinese Center on Long Island. Each number is \$20. Please indicate your numbers with 2 alternate numbers in case your first number has already been picked by someone already. The check should be mailed to: Mona Ng, 88 Bethel Road, Albertson, NY 11507. Half of the funds from the 100 Club are used to the support the programs of the Center, the other half are returned to the winners.

Mona Ng, 100 Club Coordinator

## **SENIOR CLUB**

### **June Meetings**

Wednesdays, June 12 and June 26 at 10:30 to 2:30

### **July Meetings**

Wednesdays, July 10 and July 24 at 10:30 to 2:30

## **DICED CHICKEN WITH VEGETABLES & NUTS**

by Irma Wu

$\frac{3}{4}$  pound of boneless chicken breast, diced in  $\frac{1}{2}$  inch squares

3 tablespoons oil

$\frac{1}{4}$  teaspoon minced garlic

1 cup bok choy stems only, diced

$\frac{1}{2}$  cup sliced mushrooms

4 -6 water chestnuts, diced

$\frac{1}{4}$  cup celery, diced

$\frac{1}{2}$  cup bamboo shoots

$\frac{1}{2}$  cup water or chicken broth

$\frac{1}{4}$  cup toasted almonds or cashews

Marinade for chicken:

$\frac{1}{2}$  teaspoon sugar, optional

1 teaspoon light soy sauce

1 teaspoon sherry

1 teaspoon cornstarch

few drops sesame oil

dash of pepper

Gravy mixture:

1 tablespoon oyster sauce

1 teaspoon sherry

1 teaspoon cornstarch

$\frac{1}{2}$  teaspoon sugar, optional

dash of pepper

few drops of sesame oil

Marinate the chicken and prepare the gravy mixture.

Heat the skillet or wok and add 2 tablespoons of oil and add the vegetables. Stir approximately 2 minutes. Remove and set aside. Heat the skillet or wok and add the remainder of oil. Add minced garlic and chicken, Stir 2 minutes. Add chicken broth or water and bring to boil. Add gravy mixture and stir until thickened. Return all vegetables and stir well Sprinkle with nuts and serve.

# CCLI JUNE 2013

| Sunday                         | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday                    | Thursday                            | Friday | Saturday                                                       |
|--------------------------------|--------|---------|------------------------------|-------------------------------------|--------|----------------------------------------------------------------|
|                                |        |         |                              |                                     |        | 1                                                              |
| 2<br>Last Day of School        | 3      | 4       | 5                            | 6                                   | 7      | 8<br>CCLI Toastmasters 10-11:30 AM                             |
| 9<br>Summer Dance Class Begins | 10     | 11      | 12<br>Senior Meeting 10:30AM | 13<br>Ping Pong/ Mah Jong – 7:00 PM | 14     | 15                                                             |
| 16<br>Summer Dance Class       | 17     | 18      | 19                           | 20<br>Ping Pong/ Mah Jong – 7:00 PM | 21     | 22<br>CCLI Toastmasters 10-11:30 AM<br>Ballroom Dancing 7:30PM |
| 23<br>Summer Dance Class       | 24     | 25      | 26<br>Senior Meeting 10:30AM | 27                                  | 28     | 29<br>Ballroom Dancing 7:30PM                                  |
| 30                             |        |         |                              |                                     |        |                                                                |

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# CCLI JULY 2013

| Sunday                                 | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday                                       | Thursday                                  | Friday | Saturday                            |
|----------------------------------------|--------|---------|-------------------------------------------------|-------------------------------------------|--------|-------------------------------------|
|                                        | 1      | 2       | 3<br>Summer Dance Class                         | 4                                         | 5      | 6                                   |
| 7                                      | 8      | 9       | 10<br>Senior Club 10:30AM<br>Summer Dance Class | 11<br>Ping Pong/<br>Mah Jong –<br>7:00 PM | 12     | 13<br>CCLI Toastmasters 10-11:30 AM |
| 14                                     | 15     | 16      | 17<br>Summer Dance Class                        | 18<br>Ping Pong/<br>Mah Jong –<br>7:00 PM | 19     | 20                                  |
| 21<br>CCLI Annual Picnic at Lido Beach | 22     | 23      | 24<br>Senior Club 10:30AM<br>Summer Dance Class | 25<br>Ping Pong/<br>Mah Jong –<br>7:00 PM | 26     | 27<br>CCLI Toastmasters 10-11:30 AM |
| 28                                     | 29     | 30      | 31<br>Summer Dance Class                        |                                           |        |                                     |

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## **THE ARTHUR LEM STORY**

Arthur Lem came to the U.S. in 1926 when he was 12 years old using a paper slot from a Mr. Lem who had a child of Arthur's age. Arthur's real name was Chin Doong Ott. His assumed name was Lem Bow Quon. This required him to memorize his assumed family history to answer the INS officer's interrogation. He passed with flying colors and was admitted into San Francisco after several weeks of detention.

Like most first generation Chinese immigrants who either worked in a Chinese laundry, grocery store or restaurant, Arthur worked in a Chinese hand laundry owned by his father and uncle located in Floral Park. At the same time, he enrolled in 1<sup>st</sup> grade in Floral Park public school to learn English. It wasn't long before his father became sick and returned to China leaving Arthur under the care of his Chin cousins and uncles who had a laundry in Hempstead. Arthur helped with the housework and business by ironing and delivering clean laundry to nearby customers. One of the customers was Captain Morse of Nassau County Police Dept. Captain Morse took a liking of Arthur and gave him a job as an interpreter on a "call as needed" basis. He was also given an "Official Interpreter" badge.

During the depressions in the 30's, Arthur quit school after finishing 7<sup>th</sup> grade and went to work in a Chinese restaurant on Fulton Avenue in Hempstead. He washed dishes, prepared vegetables, cleaned and washed floors. His salary was \$3.00 per week plus meals and a place to stay. Arthur worked very hard, helped his brother Harry and his cousin Norman Chin come to America. Unlike Arthur, they were both able to finish High School in Hempstead while working part time in the restaurant.

Arthur married Rose in 1940 and eventually owned his own restaurant to raise his family. They realized that their sons needed to learn the Chinese language and heritage, and so they joined the newly founded CCLI by John Hwang, Dun Li, George Lee and Peter Louie. At that time, each founder took turns to host meetings in their homes. By 1960, CCLI had outgrown their meeting venues. They needed a school for their children to learn Chinese, their heritage and a central meeting place for Chinese Americans. Arthur Lem, Dun Li, John Huang, Arthur Jong, Lucy Lee and Li Louie were searching a home when a generous Mr. Callen donated a mansion in Old Westbury to CCLI. Almost immediately CCLI's membership jumped 100 percent. Arthur obtained a charter and a tax-exempt status for CCLI through his friend Judge Frank Gulotta. However, the mansion was too expensive to operate and CCLI could not get zoning variance. Later, John Hwang found the present location in West Hempstead. Arthur was instrumental in buying this property and getting a mortgage using proceeds from selling the Old Westbury mansion.

As a businessman, Arthur belonged to many organizations such as the Rotary Club, Business Men's Club and YMCA. The involvement in these organizations helped Arthur apply the knowledge he learned to raise money for CCLI. Arthur served in many capacities in CCLI, organized many fund-raisers including the Chinese New Year banquets. He was the first to recommend printing the journal as a means of fund-raising. As a result of the hard work from many early members of CCLI, the funds raised from these activities enabled them to pay off the mortgage.

Over the years, Arthur and Rose donated stocks and savings to help CCLI. When Arthur passed away in 1997, his wish was to have donations made to CCLI in his name. Arthur realized the importance of education and did not want others to endure his hardship. The Arthur Lem Memorial Scholarship was established since 1998 to fulfill his dream. Because of Rose, her families and friends, the money is still coming in today in his memory.

Again this year, CCLI is accepting applications for the Arthur Lem Memorial Scholarship, which was created to honor his legacy. This scholarship is available to children of CCLI members. The goal is to encourage young people to pursue higher education, promote Chinese heritage, humanitarianism and community services, and pursue their dreams. It is CCLI's hope that one day they will return to help pass on their knowledge to the many generations to come.

## **SEOW DUN & ALICE LI SCHOLARSHIP**

Applications are now being accepted for the Seow Dun & Alice Li Scholarship sponsored by the Chinese Center on Long Island. The annual \$500 scholarship is to honor the late friends and contributors to the Center for whom it was named.

In loving memory of Dun and Alice, and as expressed by the Li family, the scholarship is awarded each year "to a Chinese American high school senior who exhibits a deep interest in the future success of CCLI, shares Dun's original vision, and has an exemplary academic record."



The Chinese Center scholarship committee will choose the winner. The selection criteria include academic records, references, career goals, an autobiographic essay, and other factors deemed appropriate by the scholarship committee. The scholarship is granted independent of financial need.

Seow Dun Li was one of the four founders of the Chinese Center on Long Island in 1960. He served as President (1986-1987) and member of the Board of Directors for several continuous terms. Dun graduated from the Academy of Aeronautics in Long Island. He loved flying so much he received his pilot license before he knew how to drive an automobile. During WW II he was stationed in North Africa and Southeast Asia with the U.S. Air Transport Division. After the war, he worked for Pan American Airlines where he became head of the technical division. He was a consultant with Grumman for many years until his retirement. In spite of his demanding work schedule Dun and his wife Alice contributed their time to the Center's activities during its earliest stages. Dun and Alice promoted the Center's "Dine Around Series" which entailed having members get together for dinner at various Chinese restaurants. That experience cemented a strong friendship among many members. In addition he promoted and participated in the Chinese Musical Instrument classes, which performed at the Center as well as at outreach programs. The instruments played were 'erhus' and 'yang qins.' Dun and Alice will always be remembered for their dedication and devotion to the mission of our organization, and their lasting friendship to many of the members. Dun and Alice are survived by their daughter Terry, four grandchildren and five great grandchildren.

## **DAVID WONG SCHOLARSHIP**

At our Installation Dinner in the spring of 2007, David Wong, a long time member and supporter of 30 years, presented the Center with a check of \$10,000 for a scholarship for the children of the Center.

This donation is a reflection of the kind of person David is. He worked for years for Nassau County in the office of Equal Employment Opportunities, always passing along information about the different opportunities that were available to us, not only verbally but in the newsletter. Many of our members benefited.

David Wong now joins the families of Arthur Lem and Dun & Alice Li in helping the deserving youngsters of the Center to become outstanding citizens through scholarship and personal achievement. We acknowledge again the outstanding efforts of the above in creating and funding these scholarships.

The seed money for these scholarships has been replenished every year by not only the above but by our individual members and friends. If anyone would like to establish a scholarship fund or make a donation to the Center, please contact any of our officers. Our children thank you.

## **APPLICATION FOR ARTHUR LEM MEMORIAL SCHOLARSHIP AWARD (GRADES 6 – 11)**

|                   |                 |       |
|-------------------|-----------------|-------|
| Two scholarships: | Grade 6, 7, 8   | \$50  |
|                   | Grade 9, 10, 11 | \$100 |

Eligibility: Child of CCLI member in good standing

**To apply for the scholarship, candidates must submit the following:**

**An Essay with the following topic (1 page maximum, single space):**

**AS A CHINESE AMERICAN, HOW CAN YOU PERSONALLY MAKE, OR HAVE YOU PERSONALLY MADE, A DIFFERENCE IN TODAY'S WORLD?**

**2. Additional personal accomplishments:** Providing any or all of the following information will allow the judges to better know the candidate and may improve the chance of winning the scholarship:

- Educational and career goals
- Participation or leadership role in organizations (CCLI, school, community or humanitarianism)
- Work experience (if any)
- Letters of recommendation (if any)

**3. Required Documents:**

Most recent report card if you are in the categories from 6th to 11<sup>th</sup> grades

**Deadline: June 30, 2013 (midnight)**

\*All materials (application, essay and supporting documents) should be sent in electronic form to Lily Lee: [vwlee51@gmail.com](mailto:vwlee51@gmail.com)

Materials will not be returned. Essay material may be used for future publications.

### **SCHOLARSHIP APPLICATION FORM**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth \_\_\_\_\_

Address \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Email \_\_\_\_\_ Grade \_\_\_\_\_

Are you a CCLI member or related to a member? Identify relationship and name of Member.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Signature of student

Scholarship winners are encouraged to attend the awards presentation at the Chinese American Night on August 4, 2013.

**Chinese Center on Long Island Scholarship for Current High School Seniors  
In Honor of Arthur Lem, Seow Dun & Alice Li, and David Wong**

**Application Form**

Arthur Lem Scholarship, Seow Dun & Alice Li Scholarship, David Wong Scholarship.

Award for each scholarship is \$500.00 minimum

**(Only one essay is necessary to qualify for all 3 scholarship awards)**

**PERSONAL INFORMATION**

Last Name: \_\_\_\_\_ First Name: \_\_\_\_\_ M. I.: \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

**EDUCATIONAL INFORMATION**

High School: \_\_\_\_\_

Grade Point Average (current): \_\_\_\_\_

College enrolled in: \_\_\_\_\_

**REQUIRED DOCUMENT**

High School Transcript

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION** (Providing any or all of the following information will allow the judges to better know the candidate and may improve the chances of winning the scholarship.)

- Participation or leadership role in organizations (CCLI, school, community or humanitarian)
- Work experience (if any) • Letters of recommendation (if any) • Awards

**ESSAY ON ACCOMPLISHMENTS AND GOALS**

On a separate document, please summarize your accomplishments to date and long-range goals as they relate to the mission of the Chinese Center on Long Island: "To foster respect and appreciation of the Chinese culture and contributions made by Chinese and Chinese Americans to the community-at-large". The essay should be concise, limited to one page, and double-spaced.

**APPLICANT'S CERTIFICATION**

I certify that all the information provided is complete and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I certify that I am currently a high school senior, and that I will be enrolled as an undergraduate student for the 2013-2014 academic year, and that I am a child of a CCLI member in good standing. I understand that all application materials become the property of CCLI and cannot be returned. All decisions by the CCLI Scholarship Committee are final. I hereby certify that I have read this application and accept all conditions of the award as specified.

Signature

Date

**APPLICATION, ESSAY, AND ALL ACCOMPANYING MATERIALS IN ELECTRONIC FORM SHOULD BE E-MAILED TO BOB WONG AT [bobwong43@yahoo.com](mailto:bobwong43@yahoo.com) BEFORE JUNE 30, 2013 (MIDNIGHT). THE SIGNED APPLICATION FORM SHOULD BE MAILED TO BOB WONG, SCHOLARSHIP COMMITTEE, 38 JOSEPH ST, NEW HYDE PARK, NY 11040, BEFORE JUNE 30, 2013 (MIDNIGHT). ESSAY MAY BE USED FOR FUTURE PUBLICATION. FOR AN ELECTRONIC VERSION OF THIS APPLICATION FORM, E-MAIL A REQUEST TO [bobwona43@yahoo.com](mailto:bobwona43@yahoo.com).**

**Scholarship winners are encouraged to attend the awards presentation at the Chinese American Night on August 4, 2013**

# CCLI Annual Picnic

at LIDO BEACH  
Sunday, July 21, 2013

11AM-4PM



Other available activities:  
Playground • Volleyball •  
Tennis • Basketball • Handball  
- Beach Frisbee

Come enjoy the beach, outdoor sports and cool refreshing shade in our own semi-enclosed mushroom picnic area! Don't forget your Mah Jong, sports and beach equipment!

**BRING YOUR FAMILY AND FRIENDS FOR A FUN DAY!!**



Picnic Lunch Cost: \$10 for a family of 5; \$3 per additional person. Seniors (65+) are free.

Picnic Lunch includes hot dogs, hamburgers and trimmings. *Does not include drinks.*

Please bring your own drinks with ice! Bring your own favorite picnic food as well!

**Lido Beach: 630 Lido Boulevard, Lido Beach, NY 11561 (516) 431-6650**

**Parking Fee: \$7.50 per car for residents of the Town of Hempstead,  
\$22 per car for non-residents. Carpool! Fill the Cars!**

## Volunteers Needed!

Contact Jim or Eileen Vogel at (516) 489-8773 or [jim.vogel@hotmail.com](mailto:jim.vogel@hotmail.com)

Please fill out and return the attached reservation form by Friday, July 12th.

## 2011 CCLI Picnic Reservation Form

Family Name \_\_\_\_\_

Total # Attending \_\_\_\_\_

| Quantity | Amount          | Total |
|----------|-----------------|-------|
|          | \$10 per family |       |
|          | \$3 per person  |       |
|          | FREE            |       |
|          |                 | \$    |



Please make checks payable to "CCLI"

Mail to: Stephanie Tang Bartoldus, 28 Hendrickson Avenue, Rockville Centre, NY 11570  
by Friday, July 12<sup>th</sup>

NASSAU COUNTY PARKS, RECREATION & MUSEUMS,  
And CHINESE CENTER ON LONG ISLAND

Proudly Present

## CHINESE AMERICAN NIGHT

SUNDAY, AUGUST 4<sup>th</sup>, 2013 - 7:15 PM

EISENHOWER PARK, East Meadow, NY

Parking Fields 6 & 6A

Performances include:

CHINESE DRAGON & LION DANCING

SHAO LIN MARTIAL ARTS TROUPE

NEW YORK CHINESE CHORUS

CCLI FOLK DANCE COMPANY

VOCALIST ARTHUR LAI, PIANIST COCO CHEN

CAO BAO AN TRADITIONAL CHINESE ORCHESTRA

Pre>Show Activities 6:00 PM-7:00 PM:

Hands-on Arts and Crafts for Children, Calligraphy, Origami

Learn TAI CHI, Enjoy Chinese Musicians on the Lawn!

Admission Fee: None. (Open to Residents and Non-Residents)

Bring Your Lawn Chairs and Come Prepared to Enjoy a Delightful Evening!

Sponsored by Nassau County, Canon, Chinese Center on Long Island,  
WAC LIGHTING, Chinese American Association of North Hempstead,  
Organization of Chinese in America, LI Chapter. This performance is



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