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Taiwan Festival

September 15 & 16, Noon - 4 pm
At the Detroit Institute of Arts

2018

In celebration of the Detroit Institute of Arts' **soon-to-open Asian Galleries**, members of DIA's auxiliary, the Friends of Asian Arts and Cultures, invite you to explore the traditional beauty and modern relevance of Taiwan through a weekend of **films, performances, cooking demonstrations, traditional arts & crafts, hands-on puppets and displays.**

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SATURDAY & SUNDAY

Displays & Demonstrations	Great Hall	12 - 4 p.m.
Hands-on Workshops	Student Lunch Room	12 - 4 p.m.
<i>Film</i> - Beyond Beauty: Taiwan From Above	DFT Auditorium	12 p.m.
Taiwanese Cooking Demo	Crystal Gallery Cafe	2:15 p.m.

SATURDAY ONLY

National Chinese Orchestra Taiwan	DFT Auditorium	3 p.m.
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SUNDAY ONLY

National Chinese Orchestra Taiwan	Rivera Court	3 p.m.
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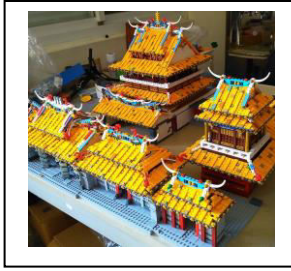


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Date	Time	Time	Great Hall	Student Lunchroom	Rivera Court	DFT Auditorium	Crystal Gallery Café
Sep. 15, 2018 (Saturday)	12-135	12-4pm	<i>Displays/Demos</i> (a) large 3D map-centerpiece; (b) multimedia display/demo of 6 Taiwan themes (b1) "door gods" ; (b2) "dough figurine" w/ demos ; (b3) "shadow puppet" & "glove puppet" theaters ; (b4) "Taiwan LEGO" w demos (b5) "Taipei by MRT" (b6) "time to visit Taiwan" (c) poster display of Taiwan info	DIY Activities (a) Dough figurine (b)Lantern making & door gods coloring (c)Taiwan puzzles		film: Beyond Beauty-Taiwan from above	
	135-200					film Q & A	
	215--245						Cooking demo
	300-400					Music Performance by NCO	
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2018 Taiwan Festival at DIA



Please visit The Detroit Institute of Arts (DIA) to join us for a journey to Taiwan Festival on Sep. 15 and 16, 2018 from 12 noon to 4 p.m. (*museum opens: 10 a.m. -5 p.m.*). The purpose of 2018 Taiwan festival is to introduce Taiwan to the DIA visitors, and to promote arts and cultures of Taiwan, with specific purpose to help visitors to “DISCOVER TAIWAN”, “LEARN ABOUT TAIWAN” and to plan to “VISIT TAIWAN” .

- **Film screenings** are scheduled at 12 noon at the DFT Theatre on Sep. 15 & 16.
- **Performances:** at 3 p.m. at the DFT Theatre on Sep. 15, and at 3 p.m. at Rivera Court on Sep. 16.
- **Cooking Demos** are scheduled at 215 p.m. at the Crystal Gallery Café (2nd fl of DFT) on Sep. 15 & 16.
- **Dough Figurine and Taiwan LEGO Demos** in the Great Hall at specific times on Sep. 15 & 16.
- **Displays & DIY Activities:** 12 noon- 4 p.m. in the Great Hall & Student Lunchroom respectively on Sep. 15 & 16.

Taiwan Temple Fair in the Great Hall, 12 noon- 4 p.m. : First visit the GH by entering the symbolic temple entrance, decorated with a set of lively door gods images, followed by viewing the display of the “Chaotian Temple LEGO”, and a large Taiwan contour map. Next, you will visit puppet theaters to gain personal experience of these folk arts.

Film screening in DFT - at 12 noon : The award winning documentary film of ‘*Beyond Beauty, Taiwan from Above*’ will reveal Taiwan’s stunning beauty. The film will be followed by Q/A, conducted by Dr. Chiaoning Su.

Music performances in DFT on Saturday, 9/15 & Rivera Court on Sunday, 9/16 - at 3 p.m.: The National Chinese Orchestra Taiwan (NCO) will perform Western pieces and also Taiwanese pieces. NCO will be joined by the Ann Arbor Chinese Traditional Music Ensemble to perform part of the program .

Cooking Demos in Crystal Gallery Café(2nd fl of DFT) at 215 p.m.: A 30-minute cooking demo of *PORK DUMPLINGS* will be led by Shih-Wen Wu. Copies of English recipe will be provided.

Taiwan LEGO and Dough Figurine Demos in the Great Hall: time specific

- **Yenchih Huang :** Dr. Huang will present demos of LEGO building featuring Taiwanese style. His demo schedule will be at 1230 and 230 p.m. on both days.
- **Karyn Chiang:** Karyn will display historical figures & cartoon animals to show off this folk art. She will demonstrate the making of various Chinese zodiac animals. Her demos will be at noon, 1 and 2 p.m. on both days.

Displays in the Great Hall:

- **Door gods posters:** View 2 sets of 8-ft door gods posters, namely General Qin and General Yu, being placed at two entrances of the Great Hall.
- **Shadow Puppet and glove puppet theaters:** The booth will be equipped with 2 puppet theaters to allow visitors to play with their preferred puppets on the stage, and to enjoy the wonderful stage experience.
- **Taipei via MRT:** This booth consists of a specially designed display board, covered with a large Taipei MRT (Mass Rapid Transit) map, together with up to 16 major attractions, with historical, cultural, and natural significances.
- **Time to visit Taiwan:** Introduction to various tours including *Mountain Tourism*, Touring Taiwan by Train, and Taiwan Tourism Shuttle. Ecotourism, Medical Tourism, LOHAS Tourism, etc. will be made.
- **Posters display of highlighted Taiwan information:** These posters will help visitors to learn more about Taiwan.

DIY activities in Student Lunchroom :

- **Dough figurine :** The technique of making a simple dough animal using basic tools will be taught..
- **Lantern making & Door gods coloring:** Visitors could learn to make a heaven lantern decorated with Chinese characters typically used to accompany the display of door gods. Door gods coloring is an additional DIY activity.
- **Taiwan puzzles:** Kids will learn about Taiwan geography via playing Taiwan maps & Taiwan landmarks puzzles.

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