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AN ASIAN-PACIFIC ASSOCIATION OF LONGMONT EVENT

LUNAR NEW YEAR

Year of the Dragon

2024 甲辰年



February 24, 2024

2:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

SILVER CREEK HIGH SCHOOL

4901 Nelson Rd., Longmont, CO



YEAR OF THE DRAGON

1928, 1940, 1952, 1964, 1976, 1988, 2000, 2012, 2024, and 2036

The Chinese Lunar New Year, also known as the "Spring Festival," marks the beginning of spring, a time to shed the hardships of winter and prepare for a season of change and hope.

2024 is the "Year of the Dragon."

The dragon is the fifth on the list of the twelve zodiac animal designations in the Chinese Lunar calendar. Chinese Lunar New Year is one of the world's most prominent and celebrated festivals.

ACTIVITY BOOTHS: 2:00 P.M. - 5:00 P.M.

Chinese Brush Painting
Chinese Civil Rights/Colorado History
Chinese Name Translation
Draw the Dragon Art Show (C-Wing)
Information Booth
Kiwanis Toy Shop
Mandala Coloring

Mehndi (Henna Hand Painting)
Origami
Paper Cutting Art
SCLA Capstone Project Display
St. Vrain Mobile Innovation Lab
the Zometool

CULTURAL GAMES: SMALL GYM, 3:15 P.M. - 5:00 P.M.

Chinese Character Matching Game
Chopsticks Challenge
Jian Zi (Chinese Hacky Sack)
Paper Airplanes Flight Testing

FOOD SAMPLINGS: CAFETERIA 3:30 P.M. - 5:00 P.M.

Orange Chicken
Steamed Broccoli
Dumplings
Fried Sesame Rice Balls

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PROGRAM

LARGE GYM 2:00 P.M. - 3:15 P.M.

WELCOME

Dragon Ribbon Parade - Hygiene Elementary Student Council
Eric Finnestead - Principal, Silver Creek High School
Joan Peck - Mayor, City of Longmont
Rita Liu - A-PAL Founder and President

LIVE PERFORMANCES

Master of Ceremonies - Tim Waters, Co-President of the Longmont Rotary Club
Dragon Dance - Shaolin Hung Mei Kung Fu Association
Kung Fu - Shaolin Hung Mei Kung Fu Association
Chinese Fashion Show - Chinoiserie 青花瓷 in Fashion by Qi Zhou Design Studio
Korean K-Pop Dance - FruSa Dance
Indian Bollywood Dance - Centennial State Ballet
Japanese Taiko Drum - Denver Taiko

MUSICAL PERFORMANCES: AUDITORIUM - 3:30 P.M. - 4:45 P.M.

Silver Creek High School Orchestra

- Please Remove Your Veil, a traditional Zinjian Folk Song - Arranged by Albert Wang
- Doraji, Korean Folk Song - Arranged by Benjamin P. Snoek
- Pagodas - Arranged by Richard Meyer

Longmont Youth Symphony, Niwot High School Orchestra, Flatirons Strings Academy

- Horse Race - Haihuai Huang - Arranged by Yaocan Chen
- Jasmine Flower - Traditional Chinese Song

Chinese Folk Dance - Jasmine Flower Dance

- Watching Opera/Paper Cutting Dance
- Blooming Azalea

Japanese Bamboo Flute (Shakuhachi), Kinko Style, Chikuyusha School Music - Performed by Mike Rosenlof, Rocky Mountain Sankyoku Group

- Kumoi Jishi (Cloud Lion)
- Tamuke (Offering)

Japanese Folk Dance - Performed by Denver Buddhist Temple Minyō-Kai

- Yoheho Bushi
- Otebyoshi Ondo

Nepali Love Song Dance by Nepali Jatra

- Siraima Sirbandi by Melina Rai - Performed by Prashyana Adhikari
- Gairi Khet Ko by Asha Bhosle - Performed by Samridhi Sigdel
- Gau ki gori by Melina Rai - Performed by Uma Dhital