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Greeting Message from Award Winning

2023 Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona



Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp is award winning, recipient of the Phoenix Mayor's Partnership Award, designated as Official Arizona Centennial Event by State of Arizona and honored and recognized by United States Congress and Arizona Department of Education.

2023 Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp is in team with R.O.C. Taiwan Overseas Community Affairs Council, Los Angeles Culture Center, State of Arizona, City of Phoenix, Phoenix Sister Cities, Taipei Sister Cities Committee, City of Taipei, Taipei City Government, Taipei City Council, Deer Valley Unified School District, AZCMCA Chong Hua Academy and BLIA Phoenix for this cultural and educational event; our partnerships made these remarkable summer programs for our younger generations another outstanding and brilliant success. 2023 camp celebrates its 27th year, 18th year in team with American schools, 1st year in team with DVUSD and welcome TSMC families, 44 years of Phoenix and Taipei Sister Cities relationship, and 43 years of Arizona and Taiwan Sister State Anniversaries.

Special thanks and gratitude to AZCMCA Chong Hua Academy, Deer Valley School District, Stetson Hills School and Sandra Day O'Connor High School for hosting the successful 2023 Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp at their magnificent facility. Thank to our sponsors, MIC Marketech International Corp., City of Phoenix Office of Arts and Culture and CTCI Americas, Inc. Taipei Camp especially want to appreciate all the hard working teachers, team leaders and volunteers, BLIA Phoenix Chapter, Venerable Yong Shan, Asahi Bakery, Hui Lin Dewey, Kerry Huang, Meagan Huang, Phuong Supriyasilp, Ken Fang, Angie Tsai, VIP Guests, Master Kenny Perez, Tzuu Chieng Chiu, David Wang, Chien Tai Wang, Fifi Fang, Jojo Fang, Shin Nuo Lin, Jeremy Wu, Miriam Armijo, George Chen Raiser, Aimee Ren, Tiffany Chen Raiser, Bao Yuan, Cecellia Fang, Soo Chan, Nelson Supriyasilp, Winston Tat, Steven Tat, Sam Supriyasilp, Megan Hsu, KoLynn Gardea, Carol Bi, Wai Ying Chen, Venessa Deldado, Rita Marko, Cindy Brau, DVUSD teachers, team leaders, parents, students and dedicated volunteers to make this event a fabulous, outstanding and continuous success.

非常感謝義工們的辛勞努力, 團結, 與合作, 使臺北中華文化夏令營傑出卓越與圓滿成功. 十分謝謝所有媒體的支持與報導.

2023 TAIPEI SUMMER CAMP BOOK

WEN CHYI CHIU 邱文琪
WEN SHUENN CHIU 邱文舜



June 2023

Dear Ms. Lee,



We are writing to thank you for sharing with President Tsai Ing-wen the success of the 2023 Taipei Culture Summer Camp of Arizona.

We are delighted to learn that the camp has earned widespread praise, not only as an important venue for cultural exchange between Taiwan and the United States, but also as a platform introducing Taiwan's culture to more people.

We appreciate your efforts in promoting Taiwanese culture and wish the summer camp every success in the future.

Sincerely,

Office of the President



Greetings from Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp 臺北中華文化夏令營 Executive Camp Director 營長感謝函

June 2023

This is the 27th year of Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona and the 18th year in collaboration, cooperation, and partnership with City of Phoenix, Phoenix Sister Cities, Taipei Sister Cities Committee, State of Arizona, City of Taipei, Taipei City Council. Taipei Camp is coordinated by Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp, in partnership with Deer Valley Unified School District and in team with Phoenix Sister Cities Taipei Sister Cities Committee, AZCMCA Chong Hua Academy, R.O.C. Taiwan Overseas Community Affairs Council, Los Angeles Culture Center and BLIA Phoenix to educate our younger generations regarding the importance of culture awareness and diversity. It is the first year in team with DVUSD for the camp and to have TSMC families and children and DVUSD students to attend this weeklong free camp. To celebrate this wonderful 27th Anniversary, students learn the splendor and brilliance of Taipei, Taiwan culture with folk arts, folk sports and athletics, Taiwan diabolo yo-yo, dragon dances, lion dances, drumming, folk, traditional and classical dances, traditional calligraphy and paintings, paper folding, paper cuttings, 3D arts and crafts, Taiwan pastries, and Mandarin songs of Taiwan Touch Your Heart through hands on experiences and classes. In celebration of this cultural and educational summer camp, each student was presented with custom medals and t-shirts to celebrate this magnificent occasion at graduation.

This camp is unlike other summer camps because it has reached great popularity and high demand and respect from the public, the camp also brings in talented and professional teachers from overseas Taiwan along with local teachers to instruct practical techniques, skills and artistry to valley wide students. In addition, Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp is recognized in by the U.S., State and City levels and officials for being an award winning and wonderful camp offering opportunities for cultural exchanges to our younger generations. Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp's goals are to educate students regarding the importance of culture awareness and the significance of diversity and to provide younger generations a positive summer program to experience culture with hands on activities. Our award winning camp not only gives students a chance to engage in culture and education, but we also present students a global perspective of the world and an opportunity to create friendships and develop leadership and unity skills. Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp is a genuine cross-cultural experience for younger generations, and a fabulous opportunity for younger generations to achieve an appreciation of diversity, culture, and education, expand international understanding, broaden world views, increase exposure to different cultures, and develop an international viewpoint of the world. The purpose of this camp is to provide opportunities for younger generations to learn the beautiful culture of Taipei, Taiwan. This award winning Taipei Chinese Cultural Summer Camp of Arizona is honored as the recipient of the Phoenix Mayor's Partnership Award, designated as Official Arizona Centennial Event, recognized by Arizona Department of Education and recognized by US Congress.

I would also like to especially thank, appreciate, and recognize Deer Valley Unified School District, Arizona Chinese Mandarin and Culture Academy, Chong Hua Academy, R.O.C. Taiwan Overseas Community Affairs Council, Los Angeles Culture Center, City of Phoenix, Phoenix Sister Cities, Taipei Sister Cities Committee, State of Arizona, City of Phoenix, Stetson Hills Elementary, Sandra Day O'Connor High School, City of Taipei, Taipei City Council and BLIA Phoenix for their strong support to make this year's Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona extremely outstanding and remarkable; Special recognition to Camp President, Executive Camp Coordinator and Phoenix Sister Cities Commissioner Lin Ling Lee for coordinating and organizing this camp and being in team with Phoenix Sister Cities Taipei Sister Cities Committee. My special thanks to our sponsors, MIC Marketech International Corp., City of Phoenix Office of Arts and Culture and CTCI CTCI Americas, Inc. Special thanks to Rita Marko, Kerry Huang and BLIA Phoenix. Taipei Camp especially want to thank VIP Guests and appreciate all the hard working teachers and, team leaders BLIA Phoenix Chapter, Venerable Yong Shan, Asahi Bakery, Hui Lin Dewey, Kerry Huang, Meagan Huang, Phuong Supriyasilp, Ken Fang, Angie Tsai, Master Kenny Perez, Tzuu Chieng Chiu, David Wang, Chien Tai Wang, Fifi Fang, Jojo Fang, Shin Nuo Lin, Jeremy Wu, Miriam Armijo, George Chen Raiser, Aimee Ren, Tiffany Chen Raiser, Bao Yuan, Sophie Treon, Cecellia Fang, Soo Chan, Nelson Supriyasilp, Winston Tat, Steven Tat, Sam Supriyasilp, Megan Hsu, KoLynn Gardea, Carol Bi, Wai Ying Chen, Venessa Deldado, Rita Marko, Cindy Braun, DVUSD Superintendent Dr. Curtis Finch, Gayle Galligan, Gary Zehrbach, Leah Moran, DVUSD teachers, team leaders, parents, students and dedicated volunteers to make this event a fabulous, outstanding and continuous success.



Wen Chyi Chiu 邱文琪

Executive Camp Director of Award Winning Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona
Phoenix Sister Cities Taipei Sister Cities Chairwoman
Phoenix Sister Cities 12 International Sister Cities Chairs Representative Chairwoman



TAIPEI CULTURE SUMMER CAMP PRESIDENT, PHOENIX SISTER CITIES COMMISSIONER WELCOME MESSAGE AND GREETINGS

2023 Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp celebrates another amazing and outstanding success, and honors 27th year of the camp's birthday, 18th years of partnership with American Schools, 1st year in team with DVUSD and welcoming TSMC families children, 44 years of Taipei and Phoenix long lasting Sister Cities Relationship and 43 years of Taiwan and Arizona Sister State Relationship. Thank Camp Director Wen Chyi Chiu and all volunteers for your hard works and efforts.

Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp is the award winning camp, honored by Phoenix Mayor as recipient of the Phoenix Mayor's Partnership Award; it is also designated as Official Arizona Centennial Event by State of Arizona, honored by US Congress with Congressional Recognitions and recognized by Arizona Department of Education. This amazing camp provides younger generations an educational and cultural experience of the diverse, dynamic and fascinating culture of our Phoenix's Sister Cities Taipei, Taiwan. The camp's goal is to provide younger generations a global aspect and international perspective because 'Younger Generations are our Future and the Leaders of Tomorrow'; therefore, it is essential for children to have the opportunity to experience hands-on diverse cultures around the world. Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp is coordinated and organized by Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona, and is proud to be in team and partnership with Phoenix Taipei Sister Cities, Deer Valley Unified School District, ROC Taiwan Overseas Community Affairs Council, Los Angeles Culture Center, AZCMCA Chong Hua Academy, and BLLA Phoenix Chapter to bring this fabulous award winning camp to the public at large.

Our unique week long camp allows younger generations to totally experience the meaning and importance of culture with hands-on experiences, activities and participations. Furthermore, this camp offers an environment to gain friendship, increase knowledge and expand understanding and appreciation of the beauty of Taiwan culture and 5,000 years of Chinese culture. Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp is a genuine and true cross-cultural experience for younger generations, and provides an excellent opportunity for younger generations to explore and inspire diversity, culture, and education, strengthen international understanding, develop world views, boost exposure to different cultures, expand world friendship, and build a global perspective of the world.

Phoenix and Taipei Sister Cities relationship is immensely important and significant because through our great, strong and long lasting friendship and connection, both Taipei and Phoenix successfully promote magnificent cultural and educational exchanges and business opportunities. The annual Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp is a fantastic example of the cultural and educational exchanges between Phoenix, Arizona and Taipei, Taiwan. I would like to sincerely thank and express great gratitude and appreciation to Mayor Kate Gallego and Governor Katie Hobbs for their continuous and strong support and leadership.

Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona deeply thank Overseas Community Affairs Council R.O.C. Taiwan, Los Angeles Culture Center, State of Arizona, Arizona Governor's Office, Arizona Legislature, City of Phoenix, Phoenix Mayor's Office, City of Taipei, Taipei City Government, Taipei City Council, Deer Valley Unified School District Stetson Hills Elementary, Sandra Day O'Connor High School, Phoenix Sister Cities, Taipei Sister Cities Committee and BLLA Phoenix.

Special Recognition to MIC – Marketech International Corp. USA, Phoenix Office of Arts and Culture, CTCI, CTCI Americas, Inc., US Senate, US Congress, State of Arizona, TSMC President Brian Harrison, TSMC Laura French, R.O.C. Taiwan Overseas Community Affairs Council Minister Chia Ching Hsu, TECO Director General Amino Chi, OCAC Los Angeles Culture Center Director Ben Chen, United States Senator Kyrsten Sinema, Mark Kelly, United States Congressman Greg Stanton, Debbie Lesko, David Schweikert, Ruben Gallego, Paul Gosar, Andy Biggs, Arizona Governor Katie Hobbs, Arizona Secretary of State Adrian Fontes, Arizona Attorney General Kris Mayes, Arizona Treasurer Kimberly Yee, Arizona Senate President Warren Petersen and Speaker of the House Ben Toma, Arizona Senators John Kavanagh, Frank Carroll, Ken Bennett, Juan Mendez, Christine Marsh, Arizona House of Representatives Athena Salman, Arizona Superintendent of Public Instruction Tom Horne, Maricopa County Board of Supervisor Bill Gates, Phoenix Mayor Kate Gallego, Taipei Mayor Wan-An Chiang Taipei City Government, Taipei City Council Speaker His-Chin Tai, Taipei City Council, Phoenix Councilwoman Ann O'Brien, Debra Stark, Sherriff Paul Penzone, Phoenix Fire Chief Michael Duran, Phoenix Police Chief Michael Sullivan, PSCC CEO Rita Marko, PSCC President Chiko Swiney, PSCC Cindy Braun, DVUSD Superintendent Dr. Curtis Finch, DVUSD Governing Board President Jennie Paperman, DVUSD Leah Moran, Venerable Yong Shan, BLLA Phoenix Elder Advisor Kerry Huang, BLLA Phoenix President Phuong Supriyasitp, Asahi Bakery, Mr. David Wang, Mrs. Chien Tai Wang, Dynamic Martial Arts, teachers, team leaders, and volunteers who support and acknowledge the significance of culture education and awareness for our younger generations.



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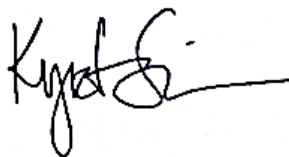
In Honor of the 27th Annual Taipei Culture Summer Camp of Arizona

Dear Friends,

I hope you enjoy your celebration of the 27th annual Taipei Culture Summer Camp of Arizona. The Taipei Culture Summer Camp's goal of raising up younger generations to become future leaders continues to serve your community and the state of Arizona well.

It is my hope that your students will further their pursuit in cultural education and gain valuable life skills through your program. It is my honor to represent you and your families in the United States Senate.

Sincerely,



Kyrsten Sinema
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May 30, 2023

Dear Attendees of the 2023 Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona,

It is my pleasure to help recognize your participation in the 2023 Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona.

I hope that you have a wonderful summer building strong leadership skills and expanding your global perspective.

My experiences in the Navy and at NASA, including as commander of the Space Shuttle, taught me that the best way to achieve our goals is when we work together. As you learn about cultural awareness and diversity, I hope that you are able to hone your teamwork skills. That is one of the best qualities of Arizonans, and Americans, and why I am so honored to serve this great state in the U.S. Senate.

My wife, Gabby Giffords, and I wish you all continued success.

Sincerely,



MARK KELLY
United States Senator



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May 15, 2023

Greetings Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Campers!

It is my honor to congratulate you on completing the 27th annual Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp. You're officially an alumnus of an incredible program that has earned many honors and recognitions, including the Mayor's Partnership Award, for its uniquely innovative approach and the lasting positive impact on its campers and our community.

This camp is just one of the good faith efforts that strengthens the unbreakable bond that the sister cities of Phoenix and Taipei have preserved and fortified for more than 40 years. Maintaining any relationship like that takes an immense amount of time, trust and effort—and it's well worth the work. Because of that work, our two cities have grown closer and gained a deeper appreciation for one another, something that all of us and our future generations will remember.

I hope you're leaving this camp having learned something new—maybe a new song to dance to, a recipe to try at home or even a new origami to carefully create. But I also hope you come away with a greater sense of community. The bonds we make and nurture with our neighbors, our communities and everyone we meet in Arizona and around the world make us better people and strengthen our collective cultural conscience. Those connections and the lessons from them are things every young leader must have.

I would like to offer a special thank you to Lin Ling Lee and Wen Chyi Chiu, and everyone who gave their time and effort to make this camp possible. I hope you all enjoy the graduation ceremony and, once again, congratulations!



Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Greg Stanton".

Greg Stanton
Member of Congress



DAVID SCHWEIKERT
MEMBER OF CONGRESS
6TH DISTRICT, ARIZONA

May 30, 2023

Ms. Lin Ling Lee
President
Taipei Culture Summer Camp
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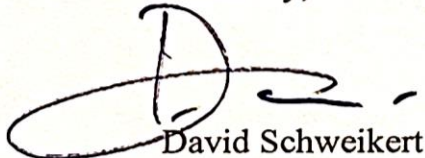
Dear President Lee and Participants,

It is a joy to welcome you and your families to the 2023 Taipei Culture Summer Camp! This is a very special year as its my understanding the camp is celebrating its 27th year in the valley.

This year will be an incredible opportunity to create new memories, learn new skills, and make lifelong friends. As you embark on this journey, I hope that you will take back home memories that will last a lifetime.

Once again, I extend a warm welcome to camp staff, family, and friends.

Sincerely,


David Schweikert



DEBBIE LESKO
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Dear Students,

It is my honor to welcome you to the 27th annual Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona.

Taiwan is a strong ally to our nation and a pillar of freedom throughout the world. In the face of increased global challenges, relations between our two great countries have never been more important. Arizona and Taiwan have a unique and prosperous relationship, as the Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Company, the world's largest contract chipmaker, is currently investing \$3.5 billion to build a factory in North Phoenix, in my district. As a proud member of the Congressional Taiwan Caucus, I am working to strengthen U.S.-Taiwan relations and to increase economic and strategic cooperation between the United States and Taiwan.

The Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona is a proven success story in Arizona's 8th Congressional District and has now been recognized for several years in a row. This camp will help you to develop leadership and teamwork skills in an increasingly interconnected society. In doing so, you will learn the value of cultural awareness and building lasting, international friendships. We need the leaders of tomorrow to possess these bridge-building skills. The skills you develop at this camp will make our society better, and I thank President Lee for providing you with this incredible program.

I hope that you each leave camp with the skills and friendships you need to make a positive impact in tomorrow's dynamic world.



Sincerely,

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Debbie Lesko

Member of Congress

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May 30, 2023

Taipei Culture Summer Camp
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Dear 2023 Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp Participants:

Welcome to the 27th annual Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona!

For the past quarter century, this camp has provided a unique opportunity for Phoenix youth to learn about Taiwanese and Chinese culture. After being held virtually for the past few years, it is exciting that this year's camp is in person, with events promoting knowledge of Taiwanese culture and traditions.

The Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona represents and strengthens the decades-long sister city bond between Phoenix and Taipei. The excellence of the camp and its importance to the Phoenix community is made clear through the many awards and recognitions it has won, including the Phoenix Mayor's Partnership Award.

I hope you, as participants of this camp, take advantage of everything it has to offer: cuisine, folk art, dance, traditional crafts, martial arts, games, and much more. I hope you use this chance to immerse yourself in cross-cultural conversations and gain a better understanding of the importance of international engagement.

I wish you all an enjoyable and successful camp this year.

Sincerely,



Ruben Gallego
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May 8, 2023

Campers of 2023 Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp
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Dear Campers,

I am honored to once again welcome you to the 2023 Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona.

Taiwan combines the rich culture of the East with a love of freedom and resilient democracy. Its people are hard-working and productive, making it one of the wealthiest countries and one of the world's top exporters. From the bustling city of Taipei to the rich, fertile valleys of its Eastern part, Taiwan truly is a magnificent place. In times like these where communism and dictatorships are threatening like never before, it is more important than ever to embrace cultures that respect the dignity of every individual.

There is so much to learn from those who experienced Taiwanese culture firsthand. One of the beauties of America is the assimilation of its peoples and their acceptance of the foundational tenets of this country, most especially the sentiment in our Declaration of Independence, that our rights come from Almighty God. It is in this spirit, that America has flourished with its many diverse cultures, and I laud you for your desire to learn about your culture's rich contributions. That is why camps like the Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp exist and should be celebrated.

I am sure you will take advantage of this opportunity to delve deep into a celebrated culture like Taiwans' and to grow as young leaders at this year's Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona.



Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Paul A. Gosar" with a stylized flourish at the end.

Paul A. Gosar, D.D.S.
Member of Congress

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June 6, 2023

Ms. Lin Ling Lee
President
Taipei Culture Summer Camp
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Dear Ms. Lee,

It gives me great pleasure to welcome students to the 2023 Taipei Culture Summer Camp in Phoenix, Arizona.

For 27 years, the Taipei Culture Summer Camp has built upon the strong bond between Taiwan and the state of Arizona. We must continue nurturing these relationships and educating students of all ages on the beauty of Taiwanese culture. It gives me great pleasure to know that Arizona is leading in this endeavor.

Students participating in the Taipei Culture Summer Camp will undoubtedly have fun learning calligraphy and painting, Taiwan folk arts and sports, lion and dragon dances, and making traditional Taiwanese pastries. These lessons will enable the students to gain important global perspectives, understand teamwork, and acquire skills needed to be future successful global leaders.

I wish everyone good luck and good fun!



Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "Andy Biggs".

Congressman Andy Biggs
Arizona's Fifth Congressional District

Commendation

WHEREAS, Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona is an award winning camp, the Recipient of Phoenix Mayor's Partnership Award, Designated as Arizona Centennial Event, Recognized by US Congress with Special Congressional Recognition, and Acknowledged by Arizona Department of Education with award; and

WHEREAS, 2023 Taipei Camp is celebrating its 27th Anniversary, Arizona and Taiwan 43rd Anniversary as Sister State, and Phoenix and Taipei 44th Anniversary as Sister Cities; and

WHEREAS, Taipei Camp is in collaboration with the City of Phoenix, Phoenix Sister Cities, Phoenix Taipei Sister Cities, Deer Valley Unified School District, BLIA Phoenix, and AZCMCA Chong Hua Academy; and

WHEREAS, Taipei Camp's goal is "Educating our younger generations today to become leaders of tomorrow"; and

WHEREAS, Taipei Camp offers students to understand the importance of culture awareness and diversity, to experience the teamwork, to learn the leadership skills, and to gain the global perspectives of the world with this free camp; and

WHEREAS, 2023 Taipei Culture Summer Camp is from May 30 to June 2, the classes include: lion and dragon dances, folk sports and Yo Yo, calligraphy and painting, folk arts, folk dances, Taiwan pastry, 3D arts and crafts, paper folding and paper cutting, Mandarin and songs, tangram and wisdom games, and more for different ages and different levels of students; and

WHEREAS, Taipei Camp Graduation is on June 2 honoring the student's accomplishments in learning the beauty of Taiwanese culture; and

WHEREAS, Taipei Camp is coordinated and organized by Phoenix Sister Cities Commissioner and Taipei Camp President Lin Ling Lee and Phoenix Sister Cities Taipei Sister Cities Chairwoman and Taipei Camp Executive Director Wen Chyi Chiu to bring a positive, enjoyable and learning summer program for younger generations to enrich Arizona's youth with educational and cultural exchanges, hands on experience with Taiwanese culture and develop young international leaders.

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Katie Hobbs, Governor of the State of Arizona, do hereby proclaim June 2023 as

TAIPEI TAIWAN CULTURE CAMP MONTH



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona

GOVERNOR

DONE at the Capitol in Phoenix on this twenty-fifth day of May in the year Two Thousand and Twenty-Three and of the Independence of the United States of America the Two Hundred and Forty-Seventh.

ATTEST:

SECRETARY OF STATE

Arizona Governor Katie Hobbs presents Official Commendation recognizing the month of June as Taipei, Taiwan Culture Camp Month to Taipei Camp President Commissioner Lin Ling Lee and Taipei Camp Executive Camp Director Chairwoman Wen Chyi Chiu at AZ Governor Office



**Award Winning Taipei Camp
President Lin Ling Lee
Executive Camp Director
Wen Chyi Chiu
Camp Director
Wen Shuenn Chiu present
Arizona Governor Hobbs
with Custom Award
Winning Taipei Camp
T-Shirt and Medal**



State of Arizona
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***OFFICIAL PROCLAMATION by
Secretary of State Adrian Fontes***

WHEREAS, the 27th Annual Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp provides an award-winning experience for young people throughout Arizona to experience the beauty of Taipei and Taiwanese culture; and

WHEREAS, the camp is a collaboration between the Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona, the Phoenix Sister Cities Taipei Sister Cities Committee, and Chong Hua Academy, with support from the State of Arizona and the City of Phoenix, as well as the Overseas Community Affairs Council, the Taipei City Council, and the Taipei City Government; and

WHEREAS, this year the camp is celebrating the 44th anniversary of the Sister Cities relationship between Taipei and Phoenix; and

WHEREAS, the camp seeks to promote Taiwanese and Chinese culture, art, and sports; to educate the next generation about the importance of cultural connections and diversity; to encourage leadership and teamwork among young people; to build understanding and friendships among people of different cultures; and to offer a positive, engaging, and enjoyable summer program;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, ADRIAN FONTES, Secretary of State of Arizona, acknowledge the efforts of the Taipei Summer Camp and congratulate them on another successful year.



IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of Arizona. Done at the Capitol in Phoenix on the 22nd day of May 2023.

ADRIAN FONTES
Secretary of State



Welcome!

On behalf of the people of the State of Arizona and the Arizona Secretary of State's office, I offer a warm welcome to the 27th Annual Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp.

As former participants of the program can attest, the camp is an invaluable cross-cultural experience for young people across Arizona and a great opportunity for them to develop a greater understanding and achieve a global perspective on world events.

The Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp is a partnership with Phoenix-Taipei Sister Cities Committee and Chong Hua Academy. The camp is also supported by the State of Arizona, City of Phoenix, the Overseas Community Affairs Council, Taipei City Council, and the Taipei City Government. Without the commitment of time and talent from these organizations, this summer camp would not be possible.

Again, welcome to the Taipei Chinese Summer Camp. Here's to another enjoyable experience for our young people, and to deeper connections between our two nations!

Sincerely,

ADRIAN FONTES
Arizona Secretary of State



KRIS MAYES
ATTORNEY GENERAL

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL
STATE OF ARIZONA

June, 2023

The Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp is gearing up for its 27th year in Arizona, and I have no doubt that its tradition of excellence will be upheld again this summer. The Attorney General's Office extends its welcome to all campers, staff, and guests!

I would like to express Arizona's sincere appreciation for this fantastic annual program for the youth in our community. The camp activities provided are unique, entertaining, and educational and foster teamwork and diversity while also providing excellent cultural education.

The camp's goal of "Educating our younger generations today to become leaders of tomorrow," is laudable and I commend you for your efforts in supporting our state's youth.

Thank you to the Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp for all you do. My best wishes for every success this week!



Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, which appears to read "Kris Mayes". The signature is fluid and cursive.

Kris Mayes
Attorney General



OFFICE OF THE
ARIZONA STATE TREASURER
KIMBERLY YEE
TREASURER



Summer 2023

Dear Taipei Summer Camp Graduates:

It is an honor to extend warm wishes and greetings from the Arizona State Treasurer's Office upon your participation in the Award Winning 2023 Taipei Culture Summer Camp for students and recognizing Taiwan's history as a democratic government.

The Taipei Culture Summer Camp of Arizona has reached an important milestone celebrating its 27th Anniversary. The camp has served thousands of participants over the years, advancing cultural awareness, imparting leadership skills and teamwork, and providing the younger generation a positive and enjoyable learning atmosphere.

Congratulations to the graduates for your participation in camp activities. Thank you to the Taipei Culture Summer Camp for providing an outstanding service to our state and community.

Sincerely,

Kimberly Yee
Arizona State Treasurer





April 28, 2023

Taipei Culture Summer Camp of Arizona
1318 E. Captain Dreyfus Ave
Phoenix, AZ 85022

Good day,

It is my pleasure to welcome all of you to the 2023 Taipei Culture Summer Camp.

This is the 27th year that this event has been held, and it is a fantastic opportunity for students to learn more about leadership, experience teamwork and gain important understanding about other cultures.

As a passionate supporter of arts education for students, I am especially gratified to see that a focus of this camp is based on understanding the arts.

One of my heroes is the second President of the United States, John Adams, who said, "I study art and politics so that my children can study business and commerce and their children can study literature and the arts."

This is my hope for your generation.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Tom Horne".

Tom Horne
State Superintendent of Public Instruction



Tom Horne, Superintendent of Public Instruction

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May 30, 2023

Lin Ling Lee

President

Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona
1318 East Captain Dreyfus Avenue
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Dear Campers,

On behalf of Maricopa County and President Lin Ling Lee, welcome to the 2023 Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona. I hope you are ready for a great week of virtual camp that celebrates and honors the 44 years of Phoenix, Arizona and Taipei, Taiwan Sister Cities relationship!

The Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp has been awarded and recognized by the United States Congress, the state of Arizona, and the city of Phoenix for its incredible work. This year is the award-winning camp's 27th year. What tremendous accomplishments and longevity!

As a proponent of continued education and learning about other communities and cultures, I am excited that you have chosen to take the time to learn about Taiwanese and Chinese culture. This summer camp will provide you the opportunity to learn the importance of cultural awareness and diversity, understand global perspectives of the world, gain new leadership and teamwork skills, and build lasting international relationships.

As our world continues to grow and we are provided more ways to stay connected, I challenge you to take this summer camp as an opportunity to learn about two of our world's great cultures and to stay connected to them as much as possible.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Bill GL". The signature is written in a cursive, slightly slanted style.

Bill Gates
Chairman
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Arizona State Senate

May 17, 2023

Lin Ling Lee
President, Taipei Culture Summer Camp of Arizona
Commissioner, Phoenix Sister Cities
Commissioner, Phoenix Office of Arts and Culture
Advisor, Overseas Community Affairs Council, Taiwan
Senior Advisor, Taipei Sister Cities

Greetings!

Please allow me to extend my warmest congratulations to all students, teachers, and camp coordinators participating in the Taipei Summer Camp for 2023.

This year marks the 27th annual camp event celebrating 44 years of the Phoenix, Arizona, and Taipei, Taiwan Sister Cities' relationship and friendship.

Teachers from Taipei, Taiwan, and local teachers from Chinese schools are providing instruction in various exciting subjects in order to promote Taiwanese and Chinese culture, folk arts, sports, cooking, and much more. The Taipei Summer Camp is an excellent opportunity for younger generations to experience a positive, enjoyable, and educational summer program.

It is an honor to acknowledge the hard work and dedication of the Phoenix and Taipei Sister Cities Committee, AZCMCA Chong Hua Academy, BLIA, and the support of the other organizations involved in making the 2023 Taipei Summer Camp a resounding success.

Best regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Warren Petersen".

Warren Petersen
President of the Arizona State Senate



Arizona State Senate



Proclamation

WHEREAS, the Taipei Summer Camp is designated as an official Arizona centennial event, recognized, and honored by the U.S. Congress, and is an award-winning recipient of the prestigious Phoenix Mayor's Partnership Award; and

WHEREAS, the 2023 camp is celebrating its 27th Anniversary, Arizona and Taiwan's 43rd Anniversary as Sister States, and Phoenix and Taipei's 44th Anniversary as Sister Cities; and

WHEREAS, the Taipei summer camp is in team with the City of Phoenix, Phoenix Sister Cities, Phoenix Taipei Sister Cities, Deer Valley Unified School District, BLIA Phoenix, and AZCMCA Chong Hua Academy.

WHEREAS, the Camp's goal is "Educating our younger generations today to become leaders of tomorrow" Camp offers students to understand the importance of cultural awareness and diversity, to experience teamwork, to learn leadership skills, and to gain global perspectives of the world.

WHEREAS, the Taipei Summer Camp is coordinated by the Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona and is teamed with the Phoenix Sister Cities/Taipei Sister Cities Committee and the AZCMCA Chong Hua Academy. It is supported by the Overseas Community Affairs Council, Taipei City Council, Taipei City Government, the State of Arizona, and the City of Phoenix.

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that we, the Members of the Arizona State Senate, do hereby offer our congratulations and best wishes to the students, teachers, and coordinators who have contributed to the success of the 2023 Taipei Summer Camp.

Dated this 17th Day of May 2023



WARREN PETERSEN
President of the Arizona State Senate



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Chairman

May 17, 2023

Taipei Summer Campers
c/o Lin Ling Lee, President
Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp
1318 East Captain Dreyfus Avenue
Phoenix, AZ 85022



Dear Campers:

It is my pleasure to welcome you to the 2023 Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona. The camp is an award-winning camp with many fascinating and educational activities. It has been designated as an Arizona Centennial Event, recognized by the United States Congress with a special Congressional Certificate and is a previous winner of the prestigious Phoenix Mayor's Partnership Award.

I join you in celebrating the camp's 27th Anniversary along with recognizing the importance of Taiwanese culture which includes lion and dragon dances, calligraphy and painting, Taiwan pastry, paper folding and paper cutting as a few examples. The camp educates our younger generations today to become leaders of tomorrow.

Congratulations to those who have devoted their valuable time to ensuring the continued success of this program and a special thanks to Miss Lin Ling Lee, President of Taipei Summer Camp and Chairwoman of Taipei Sister Cities, for her continued dedication and hard work to this great program.

Best wishes to you all for another successful and memorable summer camp!

Sincerely,

Ben Toma
Speaker of the House
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May 1st, 2023

Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp
1318 E. Captain Dreyfus Avenue
Phoenix, AZ 85022

Attn: Lin Ling Lee

It is my pleasure to welcome and honor the 27th meeting and anniversary of the *Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona*. The value of this camp can be measured by the multitude of awards it has received and the great work that it does promoting international relations and understanding.

The fact that this camp has been successfully serving students and promoting international relations for 27 years is a wonderful accomplishment and one that all of those who make it possible should be very proud of.

As this year's camp begins, all involved should reflect on how the world is changing and how many new opportunities for collaboration are available. Camps such as the *Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona* are the keys to open the doors to a new age of international peace, collaboration, and prosperity.

Keep up the good work.

Sincerely,

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John Kavanagh
Arizona State Senate

District 3

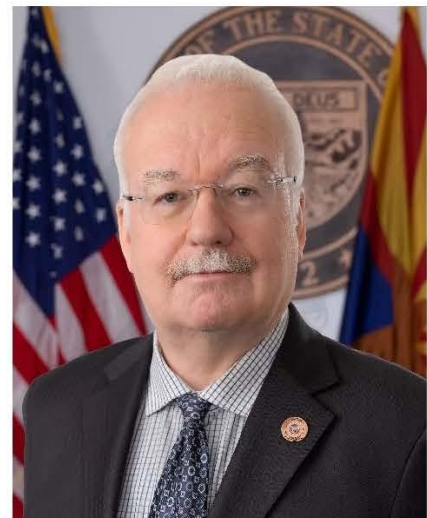
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May 25, 2023

Taipei Camp
1318 East Captain Dreyfus Avenue
Phoenix, Arizona 85022

To the students attending the 2023 Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona:

It is with great pleasure to welcome you to a camp that addresses the importance of continuing the Chinese culture in the United States of America.

Celebrating its 27th Anniversary, the summer camp is a fun and immersive way for you to learn skills and experience the Taiwanese culture. You will be participating in many activities together and will have a chance to meet new friends. The camp will also give you a different perspective on the world, allowing you to broaden your horizons for a better future.

Being able to cultivate cultural perspectives is a significant step in developing intelligent and agile social skills that will create value in your future endeavors.

I am wishing you a fun-filled, excellent experience this summer!



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May 2nd, 2023

Lin Ling Lee
Executive Director and Coordinator
Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp
1318 E Captain Dreyfus Ave.
Phoenix, Arizona, 85022

It is with great pleasure that I welcome you to the 2023 Taipei Culture Summer Camp of Arizona! This year marks the 27th annual event, and I am thrilled to have the opportunity to welcome 300 students from Deer Valley Unified School District's schools, including TSMC families' children.

This camp has been recognized for its commitment to promoting cultural awareness and diversity and for providing students with the opportunity to learn important leadership skills, teamwork, and global perspectives. It's also the recipient of numerous awards and honors, including the Phoenix Mayor's Partnership Award.

This year's camp is particularly special as they celebrate its 27th anniversary, as well as the 43rd anniversary of Arizona and Taiwan as Sister States and the 44th anniversary of Phoenix and Taipei as Sister Cities.

You all will have the opportunity to participate in a range of exciting classes. These classes are designed to help you gain a deeper understanding of the importance of cultural awareness and diversity. I hope you enjoy the experience and gain valuable skills and knowledge.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script that reads "Christine Marsh".

Christine Marsh
Arizona State Senator
Legislative District 4
Arizona Teacher of the Year





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Legislative District 8

May 1st, 2023

Hello Campers, Staff and Volunteers,

Welcome to the 27th annual Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona! The City of Phoenix and the City of Taipei have been sister cities for the last 44 years. This is a wonderful opportunity to learn about and experience Chinese culture. This year there will be classes on dragon dances, calligraphy, Taiwanese pastries, and the Mandarin language. We are not only citizens of where we immediately live, but citizens of the entire globe as well. This opportunity helps to reinforce that global citizenry while also bringing about cultural awareness to cultures and traditions other than our own. This camp also helps to unify and strengthen our cultural ties to our siblings in Taipei, Taiwan. I would like to acknowledge all the staff and volunteers who make this event possible, and I would especially like to thank Mrs. Lin Ling Lee for her efforts. There is much we have to learn and gain from one another, and I hope you take the time this week to really experience some new things.

Warmest Wishes,

Juan Mendez



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Phoenix, Arizona 85007

May 30, 2023

Lin Ling Lee, President
Award-Winning Taipei Chinese
Culture Summer Camp of Arizona
1318 E. Captain Dreyfus Avenue
Phoenix, AZ 85022

Dear Ms. Lee,

I am pleased to recognize the 27th annual event of the 2023 Taipei Culture Summer Camp of Arizona in partnership with Phoenix Deer Valley Unified School District. They will be hosting 300 Kindergarten through 8th-grade students from Deer Valley USD, including American and TSMC families' children.

I am enthused by this year's Camp goal, which is:

"Educating our younger generations today to become leaders of tomorrow."

To help achieve their goal, they will offer the students classes to understand the importance of cultural awareness and diversity, experience teamwork, learn leadership skills, and gain global perspectives. Classes include folk arts, dances, songs, sports, Taiwan pastry, paper crafts, Tangram and wisdom games, to name a few, and other classes geared appropriately to the level and age of students.

The awards, designations, recognitions, and acknowledgments their camp has received are impressive, including the Mayor's Partnership award, Arizona Centennial Event designation, US Congress with Special Congressional Recognition, and an Arizona Department of Education acknowledgment with award.

I am honored to be considered a role model to our younger generation and hope for them all the opportunities I have been afforded. I appreciate and thank the Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona and partners, the City of Phoenix, Deer Valley USD, the Phoenix Sister City and Taipei sister City Committee, AZCMCA Chong Hua Academy, and BLIA Phoenix for their excellent work for our youth.

Sincerely,

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Athena Salman
State Representative
Legislative District 8



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*Overseas Community Affairs Council
Republic of China (Taiwan)*

Congratulations on the 27th Anniversary of the Taipei Culture Summer Camp of Arizona in 2023!

On behalf of the Overseas Community Affairs Council (OCAC), I would like to extend my heartfelt appreciation to all the staff of the Taipei Culture Summer Camp of Arizona for organizing such a splendid summer program for our overseas youth over the years. I am particularly thrilled that the Deer Valley Unified School District joined the program this time, further enhancing the spirit of collaboration. The Taipei Culture Summer Camp has been a continuing source of inspiration for our younger generation for more than two decades, achieving remarkable success. The camp's accolades, including the Phoenix Mayor's Partnership Award, designation as an Official Arizona Centennial Event, Congressional Certificates from the US Congress, and Recognition Certificates from the Arizona Department of Education, reflect the tireless efforts and outstanding achievements of the dedicated team led by President Lin Ling Lee.

The Taipei Culture Summer Camp serves as a vibrant playground where individuals can joyfully learn and immerse themselves in the beauty and diversity of Taiwanese culture. Through this transformative experience, they develop a deep understanding and empathy for a different culture, fostering strong connections between the people of the United States and Taiwan on a personal level. This friendship not only strengthens the overall relationship between our two nations but also enriches the mindset of future citizens by allowing them to appreciate and value cultural diversity.

Wishing you a memorable and successful 27th anniversary celebration!

Best Regards,

HSU, CHIA-CHING
Minister
Overseas Community Affairs Council, R.O.C. (Taiwan)
May 23 ,2023





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Ms. Lin Ling Lee
President
Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp
1318 East Captain Dreyfus Avenue
Phoenix, AZ 85022

May 4, 2023

Dear President Lee,

On behalf of the Taipei Economic and Cultural Office in Los Angeles, I would like to express my sincere congratulations and appreciation to you and the Arizona Chinese Mandarin and Culture Academy for hosting the 27th Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp in Phoenix, Arizona.

The success of previous summer camps has been widely embraced by the local community in Phoenix. Classes promoting Chinese culture, such as folk dance and arts, Mandarin expression, and Taiwanese cuisine, have been popular in the diverse communities that call Phoenix and the State of Arizona home. The Government of the Republic of China (Taiwan) has been proud to support such events for decades. We are confident that this year's summer camp will give more Arizonans a wonderful opportunity to learn traditional Chinese culture and language.

At last, I want to express my sincerest gratitude to the Phoenix Sister-City Committee for promoting this summer camp and the friendship between Phoenix and Taipei. We believe that culture is a powerful tool for establishing bonds of friendship among people from different countries, therefore, we wish this year's summer camp a remarkable success!

Sincerely yours,

Amino Chi
Director General





Taipei City Government

Office of the Mayor

Taipei, Taiwan, Republic of China

Wan-An Chiang
Mayor

臺北市長 蔣萬安

May 3, 2023

Ms. Lin-Ling Lee
President
Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona
1318 East Captain Dreyfus Avenue
Phoenix, AZ 85022
USA



Dear President Lee:

I am delighted to learn that the 2023 Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona will take place in Phoenix from May 30 to June 2. Thanks to you and your organization, this important event is an amazing opportunity for many students and children to experience the extraordinary aspects of Taiwanese folk art and Chinese culture. The event fosters mutual understanding and reinforces the friendship between the Taiwanese and American communities.

As the mayor of Taipei, I am glad to see that so many Americans have expressed an increasing interest in learning about Chinese culture and Taiwanese folk art. Taipei is a culturally diverse and artistically rich city that is home to a variety of wonderful tourist attractions and flavorful cuisines. We encourage our American friends to visit Taipei and explore the many wonders of our city in person.

I send my heartfelt wishes for the event's success and for all participants to have a joyous and fruitful experience.

Sincerely,

Wan-An Chiang
Mayor of Taipei



City of Phoenix
Office of Mayor Kate Gallego

June 2023

Greetings!

Welcome to the 27th Annual Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp—an internationally-recognized program that provides endless experiences and opportunities to our community, right here in Phoenix!

A recipient of Phoenix Mayor's Partnership Award and recognition certificates from the Arizona Department of Education and US Congress, this camp teaches Phoenix's youth the importance of diversity and cultural awareness, and leadership and teamwork skills. Instructors from Taiwan come to our great city to share their knowledge, promoting a deeper understanding of the country itself, and its relation to Phoenix. Cultural exchanges like this are essential to ensuring the future generations of Phoenix are not only enriched, but globally aware.

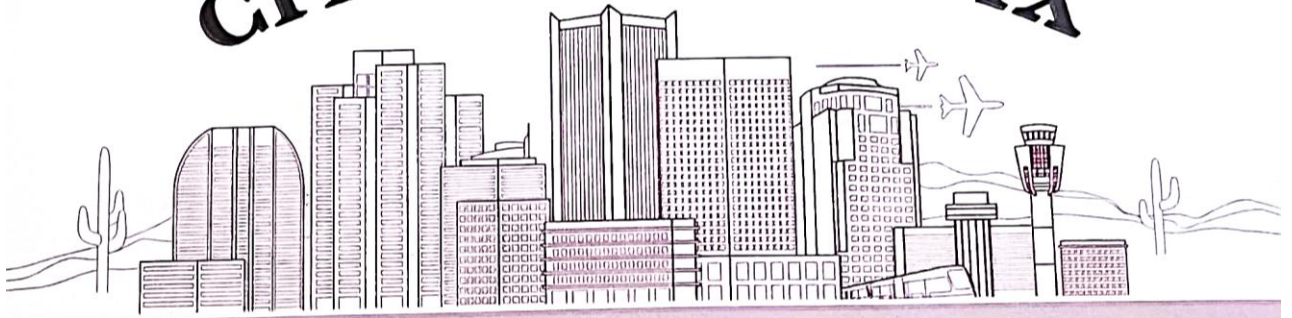
For over 40 years, Taipei and Phoenix have had an enduring sister city relationship. The impact of the Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp is just one reason, among many, for this strong connection.

Sincerely,

Kate Gallego
Mayor of Phoenix



CITY OF PHOENIX



PROCLAMATION

The 27th Annual Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp is an internationally recognized program that provides endless experiences and opportunities to our community. This program celebrates diversity and inclusion while providing equitable experiences for Phoenix youth.

The Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp is a proud recipient of Phoenix Mayor's Partnership Award and recognition certificates from the Arizona Department of Education and Congress. This camp teaches the importance of diversity and cultural awareness, leadership, and teamwork skills.

Instructors from Taiwan come to our vibrant city to share their knowledge and promote a deeper understanding of the country itself, and its relationship with Phoenix.

For over 40 years, Taipei and Phoenix have had an enduring sister city relationship. The impact of the Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp is just one reason, among many, for this unbreakable bond.

NOW, THEREFORE I, KATE GALLEGGO, Mayor of the City of Phoenix, Arizona in accordance with the law, do hereby proclaim June 2, 2023, as

TAIPEI CULTURAL SUMMER CAMP GRADUATION DAY

In the City of Phoenix, Arizona. I invite everyone to celebrate the cultural exchange and milestone achievement happening here today.



Mayor Kate Gallego
City of Phoenix



Taipei City Council

May 19, 2023



Dear sisters and brothers of Phoenix,

On behalf of Taipei City Council, I would like to send my heartfelt greetings to all of you. It is very pleased to hear that the 27th "Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona" will be held in May 30 through June 2, as well as a celebration of the 44th year of Phoenix-Taipei sister city ties.

Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona has won the "Recipient of Phoenix Mayor's Partnership Award", been honored by Arizona Department of Education with Recognition Certificate and by US Congress with Congressional Recognition Certificates and designated as Official Arizona Centennial Event. I believe this year's camp will maintain this consistently excellent tradition.

This year, the Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp has 10 courses of Taiwan culture events, including folk arts and crafts, cuisine, and sports, wise games and other fields to introduce the beauty of Taiwanese culture. The Camp is in team with City of Phoenix, Phoenix-Taipei Sister Cities. All courses are opened to all Phoenix school children of the age of 6-15 years, so that students are able to experience international multicultural interactions and exchanges with the summer camp, and to gain the global cultural appreciation, understanding, and perspectives.

Meanwhile, I would like to express my deepest gratitude to the Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona in team with Phoenix Sister Cities Taipei Committee and AZCMCA Chong Hua Academy and the Deer Valley Unified School District, and all other sponsors and coworkers for coordinating and organizing such an informative and significant program. The camp is also supported by Overseas Community Affairs Council, Republic of China (Taiwan) and Los Angeles Culture Center, recognized by Taipei City Council and Government, State of Arizona and City of Phoenix, and US Senate and US Congress. Without all your contribution and efforts, it would be impossible to share good things with our good friends and to strengthen the friendship between Phoenix and Taipei.

Best wishes for a successful and productive Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona.

May all of you have good health and all your dreams come true!

His-Chin Tai
Speaker, Taipei City Council

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May 19, 2023

On behalf of the Phoenix City Council and all residents of District 1, I am so excited to welcome all the summer campers to the 2023 Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona! This year's camp will be extra special as many of the families from the Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Corporation have moved and are integrating into American culture, while many local families are starting to learn Taiwanese culture from their new neighbors.

Phoenix Sister Cities is all about bridging gaps and sharing communities and cultures with individuals across the world through educational experiences and cultural opportunities.

As the Phoenix City Council liaison for Sister City Taipei, Taiwan, I take great pleasure in partnering with my colleagues to support this award-winning summer camp for youths from all over the world who call Phoenix, Arizona home. Our sister city relationship with Taipei is among our oldest, now in its 44th year. I applaud the tremendous work that the Phoenix Sister Cities Taipei Committee does to promote cultural outreach and education throughout the Phoenix community, as well as everything Committee volunteers have done to provide a warm welcome to our great friends from TSMC.

This camp offers an experience of home for those who are so far away from it, and a new experience for those who are from here and are excited to learn more about Taiwanese culture. This year marks the 27th year of the Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp which continues to showcase beautiful art, music, delicious foods, and international sports to kids of all ages.

I am confident this year's Phoenix Sister Cities Taipei Chinese Culture Camp will be the best one yet!



Ann O'Brien
Phoenix City Council
District 1





Maricopa County Sheriff's Office

Paul Penzone, Sheriff



It is my honor to welcome you to the 27th Annual Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona.

This award-winning camp has been honored by the US Congress with Special Congressional Recognition, acknowledged by the Arizona Department of Education, and is the recipient of the Phoenix Mayor's Partnership Award.

The education and experience you will receive over these upcoming weeks will help to mold you into our future leaders.

Best,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Paul Penzone". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Paul Penzone

Maricopa County Sheriff



City of Phoenix

OFFICE OF THE POLICE CHIEF

June 2023

Greetings!

On behalf of the men and women of the Phoenix Police Department, I extend a welcome to you for the 2023 Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona!



Summer is a time for celebrating and enjoying summer activities. A lot of exciting activities have been planned for you as a part of this Summer Camp including lion and dragon dances, folk sports and Yo Yo, calligraphy and painting, folk arts, folk dances, Taiwan pastry, 3-D arts and crafts, paper folding and paper cutting, Mandarin songs, tangram and wisdom games, and more for different ages and different levels of students. I hope you enjoy every moment and learn new things that you can do with your friends throughout the summer.

Please remember to thank all of your camp counselors and teachers. They've worked hard to organize this camp, and we appreciate their efforts to help Phoenix be a phenomenal city for the past 27 years. Enjoy your summer!

MICHAEL G. SULLIVAN
Interim Police Chief



April 28, 2023

President Lin Ling Lee, Taipei Summer Camp Coordinator
Wen Chyi Chiu, Executive Camp Director
Taipei Summer Camp Students

Welcome to Summer!

I am honored to continue to support and share the following information with you. The 2023 Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona is celebrating its 27th annual camp and has teamed up with Phoenix Deer Valley Unified School District to welcome 300 students from this district's schools, including American students and TSMC families' children from K-8 grades.

The Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona is an award-winning camp, the recipient of Phoenix Mayor's Partnership Award, is designated as an Arizona Centennial event, recognized by U.S. Congress with Special Congressional Recognition, and is acknowledged with an award by the Arizona Department of Education.

Along with celebrating its 27th anniversary, Arizona and Taiwan are also celebrating their 43rd anniversary as Sister States, and Phoenix and Taipei are celebrating their 44th anniversary as Sister Cities!

This year's camp is teaming up with the City of Phoenix, Phoenix Sister Cities, Phoenix Taipei Sister Cities, Deer Valley Unified School District, BLIA Phoenix, and AZCMCA Chong Hua Academy.

The Camp's goal this year is "Educating our younger generations today to become leaders of tomorrow". The Camp offers students the understanding and importance of culture awareness and diversity, to experience teamwork, to learn leadership skills, and to gain the global perspectives of the world.

The 2023 Taipei Culture Summer Camp is from May 30 to June 2, and classes will include: lion and dragon dances, folk sports and Yo Yo, calligraphy and painting, folk arts, folk dances, Taiwan pastry, 3-D arts and crafts, paper folding and paper cutting, Mandarin and songs, tangram and wisdom games, and more for different ages and different levels of students.

For more information, please contact Lin Ling Lee, Commissioner of Phoenix Sister Cities, Senior Advisor of Taipei Sister Cities Taipei Summer Camp President, at 602-418-8895 or by email at linlinglee@hotmail.com

Be safe and have a fantastic summer!

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Michael J. Duran".

Michael J. Duran
Fire Chief
Phoenix Fire Department



FROM CHIKO SWINEY – CHAIR OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF PHOENIX SISTER CITIES

CONGRATULATIONS TO THE GRADUATES OF THE 27TH TAIPEI CULTURAL SUMMER CAMP

On behalf of the Board of Directors of Phoenix Sister Cities, I wish to extend hearty congratulations to all the students who are graduating from the 2023 Taipei Cultural Summer Camp.

Our mission at Phoenix Sister Cities is to foster relationships between the people of Phoenix and our sister cities around the world, to promote friendship, peace, and prosperity. One of the ways we do this is through learning about the cultures of our sister cities. This year, Phoenix and Taipei are celebrating 44 years as sister cities.

I know that you will have an amazing experience in this award winning camp. I hope that at the end of the camp you will have gained an understanding of the importance of cultural awareness and diversity and that you will have learned leadership skills and gained global perspectives of the world. Most of all, I want you to enjoy this very special opportunity.

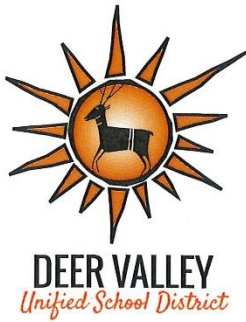
I would like to thank all the organizers of this very special event including Phoenix Sister Cities Taipei committee members Lin Ling Lee and Wen Chyi Chiu, as well as the City of Phoenix, Deer Valley Unified School District, BLIA Phoenix and AZCMCA Chong Hua Academy. We appreciate all you do in support of this special camp.

Sincerely,

Chiko Swiney, Esq.

Chair of the Board of Phoenix Sister Cities





May 15, 2023

Ms. Lin Ling Lee
Taipei Chinese Summer Camp of Arizona
1318 East Captain Dreyfus Avenue
Phoenix, Arizona 85022

Dear Ms. Lee:

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The Taipei Chinese Summer Culture Camp at Stetson Hills School and Sandra Day O'Connor High School this year will be the first adventure of its kind in the Deer Valley Unified School District (DVUSD). We are excited to host the K-8 grade camp from May 30 through June 2. Enrollment has already reached its capacity of 300 students in just a couple of weeks, which is very exciting! DVUSD has the longest serving Mandarin Immersion program in the state of Arizona (located at Gavilan Peak School in Anthem) along with three other Mandarin programs in our district. DVUSD has provided the Mandarin language option before it became popular in the state.

The summer camp will have lion and dragon dances, sports, calligraphy, painting, arts, dances, pastry, paper-folding, 3D arts & crafts, singing, and Yo-Yo classes. The objective of this camp will be to give our students a chance to learn about the Chinese culture. We are looking forward to the impact it will have on DVUSD, our students, staff, parents, and community members. DVUSD is one of the most decorated and highest achieving public K-12 school districts in all of Arizona and we are looking forward to adding the Taipei Chinese Culture Camp as one of our summer learning options for students.

The inclusion of the Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Company (TSMC) into the geographical center of DVUSD will provide us with the unique opportunity to infuse more cultural events into our school district. TSMC is the largest semiconductor manufacturing company in the world and will bring workers from around the globe. Many of our more than 270 Taiwanese students who have come from Taiwan to DVUSD will be able to attend and enjoy a taste of "home" at this cultural camp.

The Deer Valley Unified School District administrative leadership wants to officially welcome your staff and teachers to our public school system and thank you for offering this opportunity to our students. Thank you for your dedication to the students and the community of DVUSD.

Warmest Regards,

Curtis Finch, PhD
Superintendent
DVUSD



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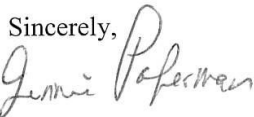
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Dear Ms. Lee:

Welcome to the Deer Valley Unified School District (DVUSD)! With the infusion of the Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Company opening two factories in the DVUSD boundaries to make microchips that will be distributed around the world, we have a great opportunity to be the epicenter of this technology for the entire United States. Deer Valley is excited to be at the center of this project and we believe your camp enhances that attraction for students and families to our area as we celebrate the diversity and cultural infusion of new families and businesses into our district.

On behalf of DVUSD, we are honored to host the Taipei Chinese Summer Camp this year. We are looking forward to the positive impact it will have on our students, staff, and community. As you know, we have enrolled over 250 students from Taiwan in the last six months. This camp will be a great opportunity to allow those students to celebrate their culture and our Arizona students to learn more about the Chinese culture.

As Governing Board President of the Deer Valley Unified School District, I want to personally welcome you to our school district and wish you great success with the camp. Your vision for helping students, staff, and community members to learn more about the Taiwanese and Chinese cultures will make a lasting impression on our area. Thank you for your leadership.

Sincerely,


Jennie Paperman
Board President
Deer Valley Unified School



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June 15th, 2023

Dear Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Campers,

Our company, Marketech International Corporation USA is part of our mother company Marketech International Corporation that's located in Taipei, Taiwan. We are excited to see the 40-years bond between the City of Phoenix and Taipei City have become stronger and our youngsters are learning the traditional culture.

We want to welcome and congratulate you on attending the most incredible summer camp adventure of your lives! We can't contain our excitement as the 27th annual Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp brings you on a fascinating adventure into the depths of Chinese heritage, traditions, and customs.

This camp is a vibrant tapestry where colors, flavors, and sounds merge harmoniously to create an immersive experience. Get ready to delve into the art of calligraphy, where each brushstroke carries the weight of centuries of tradition. Discover the beauty and grace of traditional arts, where movement becomes a language of storytelling. Unleash your creativity as we explore the world of traditional culture. Through these activities, you will not only learn new skills but also gain a deeper understanding of the significance they hold in the culture.

As we navigate this cultural adventure, we encourage you to embrace the spirit of openness and curiosity. Engage with our knowledgeable instructors and experts who will guide you on this voyage of discovery.

But most importantly, this camp is an opportunity for us to come together as a diverse group of individuals, united by our shared passion for culture. It is a chance for us to forge friendships that transcend borders, to learn from one another, and to celebrate the beauty of our differences.

Thank you to everyone that spend time and effort to make this camp a success, and it was an honor that we are in this part of journey with you all!

Congratulations!

Sincerely,

Chieh-Chung Cheng
General Manager

Marketech International Corporation USA.



TSMC Arizona Corporation

June 5, 2023

Dear Taipei Camp Participants:

On behalf of TSMC Arizona we want to thank you for participating in the 2023 Taipei Culture Summer Camp. We would also like to thank Taipei Sister Cities and congratulate you on the 27th year of the Taipei Culture Summer Camp!

We are tremendously grateful and proud of the close relationship we have formed with valued partners such as: the City of Phoenix, Taipei Sister Cities, Phoenix Sister Cities, Deer Valley Unified School District and all the teachers, volunteers and students who contributed in making the Taipei Culture Summer Camp a success.

Sharing our vibrant cultures, cuisines, innovative careers, languages and art with each other enriches our lives. We are grateful to all of you for participating and strengthening the ties between Taiwan and Phoenix.

Specifically, we would like to thank those who volunteered many hours to make this camp a success. Thank you to Lin Ling Lee, Wen Chyi Chiu, Rita Marko, Superintendent Finch, the teams at the City of Phoenix and Deer Valley Unified School District, BLIA Phoenix, and AZCMCA Chong Hua Academy.

Congratulations on educating students today to become leaders of tomorrow!

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads 'Brian Harrison'.

Brian Harrison
President, TSMC AZ





Kerry Huang
Elder Advisor of Phoenix Chapter
Buddha's Light International Association

May 28th, 2023



Ms. Lin Ling Lee
Taipei Chinese Cultural Summer Camp
1318 East Captain Dreyfus Avenue
Phoenix, AZ 85002

Dear President Lee,

As the summer solstice is fast approaching, I am thrilled to welcome everyone to the award-winning Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona. Congratulations, Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp, for reaching a tremendous milestone this year celebrating the 27th year of serving the State of Arizona!

Throughout the past three (3) years, all of us have faced various arduous challenges as we navigated through COVID-19. We have had lean to on each other for extensive support and strong guidance to get where we are today. Buddha's Light International Association (BLIA) is extremely honored to collaborate with the summer camp as BLIA is committed in cultivation, education, promotion of volunteerism, and ardent support on culture awareness and diversity. The Summer Camp has taught us to embrace the richness of a diverse culture and to be inclusive in the community.

On behalf of BLIA, I wish you an abundance of happiness, laughter, and success. Thank you for consistently extending to us the cordial invitation to be part of the camp's growing success and giving back to our wonderful community! Together, we can make a meaningful difference!

Sincerely,

Kerry Huang



**Buddha's Light International Association
of Phoenix Chapter**
Phuong T. Supriyasilp
President of Phoenix Chapter
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blia.org

June 2, 2023

Mrs. Lin Ling Lee
President
Taipei Culture Summer Camp
1318 East Captain Dreyfus Avenue
Phoenix, AZ 85002

Dear President Lee,

In observance of Taipei Culture Summer Camp's 27th anniversary, I am pleased to congratulate you in reaching such a wonderful milestone and for giving the gift of education, leadership and personal responsibility and character development.

Summer camp involves loads of fun activities for the children where they learn new skills like craft and art. It focuses on the development of social skills in the children. Playing make the children physically and mentally active. These camps benefit and result in the overall growth and development of the students. It was a place for acceptance and learning to be a part of a community. May the Buddha continue to bless your Taipei Culture Summer Camp with many committed students, devoted teachers, and professional staff for many years to come.

On behalf of the Buddha's Light International Association Phoenix Chapter (BLIA), please accept my gratitude and thanks for all the good work the Summer Camp has done. Let us celebrate this significant milestone and best wishes for many more years of success.

Please accept my best wishes for your continued endeavors and future success. Congratulations!

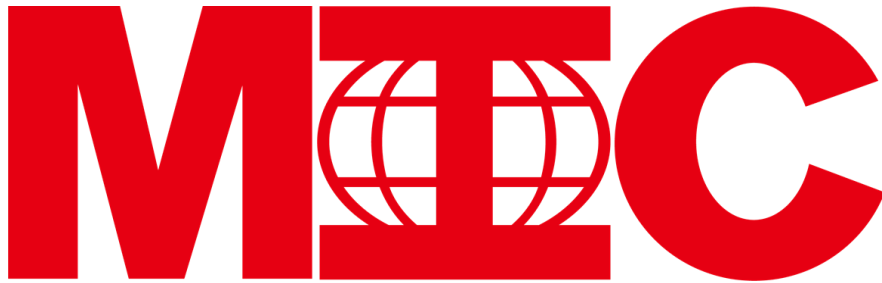
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BLIA - Phoenix Chapter



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Special Thanks:

Rita Marko

Kerry Huang

BLIA Phoenix

OCAC (Overseas Community Affairs Council)



27th Anniversary of Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp

Building International Friendships, Raising Culture Awareness and Creating Global Leaders

The 27th Anniversary of Award Winning Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona was held at Stetson Hills Elementary School and Sandra Day O'Connor High School from May 30 to June 2 with over 300 students for a weeklong free camp that provided kindergarten to 9th grade students many levels of various hands on learning and culture courses including Dragon and Lion Dances, Taiwan Folk Dances, Taiwan Folk Sports, Taiwan Yo Yo and Jump Rope, Calligraphy, Painting and Printing, 3D Lanterns, 3D Arts, Aboriginal Hats, Zodiac Lanterns, Folk Arts and Crafts, Taiwanese Pastries and Desserts, Arts and Crafts, Paper Cutting and Paper Folding, Mandarin and more for students to experience the beauty of Taiwan culture.

Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona is coordinated and organized by President Lin Ling Lee and Executive Camp Director Wen Chyi Chiu, is in team and partnership with Deer Valley Unified School District School and its 40 schools, and in team with Chong Hua Academy, Phoenix Taipei Sister Cities, Overseas Community Affairs Council-Los Angeles Culture Center and BLIA Phoenix. The camp's purposes are to offer our younger generations a wonderful learning experience, to promote culture awareness and diversity, to build leadership skills and teamwork spirits, to establish international friendships, to understand and appreciate different cultures, and to allow students to gain the global perspectives of the world. Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona is award winning; recipient of the Phoenix Mayor's Partnership Award; designated as Official Arizona Centennial Event; and honored by United States Congress with Congressional Recognition and recognized by Arizona Department of Education.

Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp of Arizona held a formal graduation on June 2 at Sandra Day O'Connor High School Auditorium with a packed auditorium of audiences of over 500 attendances including VIP guests, teachers, students, and parents to share the students' accomplishments in learning 5,000 years of Chinese culture and the beauty of Taiwan culture. VIP guests included Arizona Senator Frank Carroll, Senator Ken Bennett, Phoenix Mayor Kate Gallego Office Outreach Manager Sophie Rodriguez Beaugrand, Councilwoman Ann O'Brien, Councilwoman Debra Stark, OCAC Director Ben Chen, City of Phoenix Office of Arts and Culture Romeo Rabusa, Phoenix Sister Cities Board Chairwoman Chiko Swiney, Phoenix Sister Cities CEO Rita Marko, TSMC Representative, Deer Valley Unified School District Superintendent Dr. Curtis Finch, Venerable Yong Shan, BLIA Phoenix Elder Advisor Kerry Huang and American and Taiwanese Community Leaders. Camp President Lin Ling Lee, Executive Camp Director Wen Chyi Chiu and VIP Guests presented, students with custom camp T-shirts and gold medals.

During the graduation, there were ribbon cutting and cake cutting ceremonies in honor of the camp's 27th Anniversary and in celebration of Phoenix, Arizona and Taipei, Taiwan's 44th anniversary of sister cities relationship and 43rd anniversary of Taiwan and Arizona sister state relationship, and 17th anniversary of teamwork with American Schools, but is the first year in team with DVUSD and having TSMC families and children attend camp along with DVUSD students. There was a special proclamation by Phoenix Mayor Kate Gallego in recognition of Taipei Camp to honor and proclaim June 2 as Taipei Culture Summer Camp Graduation Day. Governor Katie Hobbs also recognized and honored Taipei Camp with an official commendation proclaiming the month of June as Taipei Taiwan Culture Camp Month. PowerPoint presentation videos about the weeklong camp and introducing Taiwan were presented as well. In addition, there was a presentation by Venerable Yong Shan and BLIA Phoenix Elder Advisor Kerry Huang for art contest winners. Students performed Dragon and Lion Dances performances led by Master Kenny Perez and Taiwan Folk Dances performances led by Taiwan Teacher Hui Lin.

Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp sincerely thanks our sponsors MIC Marketech International Corp., City of Phoenix Office of Arts and Culture and CTCI-CTCI Americas, Inc. for your support. Taipei Camp especially want to thank the partnership with DVUSD. Special thanks to Rita Marko, Kerry Huang and BLIA Phoenix. Sincerely appreciate VIP Guests, all the hard working teachers and team leaders, BLIA Phoenix Chapter, Master Yong Shan, Asahi Bakery, Hui Lin Dewey, Kerry Huang, Meagan Huang, Phuong Supriyasilp, Ken Fang, Angie Tsai, Master Kenny Perez, Tzuu Chieng Chiu, David Wang, Chien Tai Wang, Fifi Fang, Jojo Fang, Shin Nuo Lin, Jeremy Wu, Miriam Armijo, George Chen Raiser, Aimee Ren, Tiffany Chen Raiser, Sophie Treon, Bao Yuan, Cecellia Fang, Soo Chan, Nelson Supriyasilp, Winston Tat, Steven Tat, Sam Supriyasilp, Megan Hsu, KoLynn Gardea, Carol Bi, Wai Ying Chen, Venessa Deldado, Cindy Braun, Leah Moran, DVUSD teachers, team leaders, parents, students and dedicated volunteers to make this event a fabulous, outstanding and continuous success. For information about future summer camps, please contact: taieicamp@hotmail.com.



臺北中華文化夏令營多元豐富圓滿成功

洛僑主任及參議員市議員出席結業典禮

亞利桑那州長宣布六月為臺北臺灣文化夏令營月



亞利桑那州臺北中華文化夏令營於五月三十日至六月二日舉行，共有師生四百人參加，結業典禮達六百人，場面隆重盛大。今年夏令營是慶祝二十七週年活動，夏令營和鹿谷學區合作，學生包含該學區學生及

臺積電家庭子女，所有學生均免費參加夏令營所有課程。夏令營課程多元豐富，包含舞龍舞獅，功夫武術，民俗體育跳繩及扯鈴，民族舞蹈，書法國畫，立體美勞，民俗才藝，摺紙，剪紙，創意藝術，今日蛋糕臺灣點心，以及中文教學與歌唱等等，同時，國際佛光會鳳凰城協會也在夏令營舉辦了愛地球畫畫比賽。

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兩位表示夏令營的宗旨是培養下一代成為未來的領導人，藉著文化的互動和交流可以帶來和諧圓融。夏令營榮獲鳳凰城市長大獎，亞利桑那州政府認證為官方建州百年活動，並得到亞利桑那州教育長獎，以及美國國會聯邦眾議員認證證書。夏令營感謝上百位工作人員，所有的教學老師們，每班學生領隊輔導員們，義工們，所有學區老師們大家的合作努力，相輔相成，共同成就了圓滿成功的夏令營。夏令營也感謝善心人士及贊助單位，感謝媒體的宣傳與報導，才能每年持續提供免費的夏令營給數百位學生參加，薪火相傳中華文化與臺灣民俗藝術。





Formal Graduation Ceremony









Taipei Culture Camp

By DVUSD Superintendent Dr. Curtis Finch



The Deer Valley Unified School District (DVUSD) hosted the award-winning Taipei Chinese Culture Camp this summer for one week at Stetson Hills School and Sandra Day O'Connor High School. This was the camp's 27th anniversary and the first of its kind in DVUSD. Taipei, Taiwan has had a long sister-city relationship with Phoenix which started back in 1979. The camp has been recognized for its unique cultural service, quality, and breadth by the U.S. Department of Education, Arizona Department of Education, City of Phoenix, State of Arizona, and numerous national, state, and local officials.

Although DVUSD has the longest running Mandarin immersion schools and programs in the state, we had never hosted a camp for first through ninth grade students on the Chinese culture found in Taiwan. The summer camp experience was filled to capacity right away and hosted specialized teachers from Taiwan who worked in concert with DVUSD teachers and staff to bring over 300 students a unique and special experience.

During the camp, students focused on the Taiwanese culture, folk art, country sports, yo-yo competitions, Kung Fu, painting, and crafts. Students enjoyed learning about how to perform the Dragon and Lion Dances in full costumes, paper cutting and folding art, and the movement of folk dances in time with a professional dance drummer. All of the students experienced Mandarin calligraphy, music, songs, language, and history as they learned the path of Taiwan and its relationship to Phoenix.

Over 300 Taiwanese students arrived to DVUSD this past school year from the build-up of the Taiwan Semiconductor Manufacturing Company (TSMC) beginning their two factories in the geographical center of DVUSD. The integration of these students into our system took a year-long effort of coordination and teamwork to ensure students could have a successful school year. TSMC is expected to bring workers from all over the world which will have a profound impact on DVUSD's future. These TSMC factories are going to be the most efficient and high-tech computer chip-manufacturing facilities in the world and will attract up to 40 different feeder companies, much like Intel in Chandler. Intel currently has 10,000 employees at their two Arizona campuses.

DVUSD is looking forward to coordinating more events that celebrate the culture of Taiwan. We anticipate the sister-city relationship between Phoenix and Taipei to strengthen over time with the addition of TSMC to our city. DVUSD will continue to offer Mandarin immersion and language programs in several of our schools, all with the objective of giving our students a competitive advantage in the world. To learn more about DVUSD's Mandarin language programs, go to www.dvUSD.org/worldlanguages.

If you would like to know more about the Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp, they are on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/TaipeiChineseCultureSummerCampofAZ/>. We are grateful to the hundreds of parents and family members who came to the graduation ceremony and honored the student's hard work. DVUSD is looking forward to hosting another Taiwanese Cultural Camp in the future.



Mayor Kate Gallego @Ma... · 8h
This week, more than 300 kids attended the 27th annual Taipei Culture Summer Camp to learn about the culture and history of Phoenix's sister city of Taipei, Taiwan. I'm proud to lead a city that values diversity and other cultures.



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臺北中華文化夏令營文圖

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兩位表示夏令營的宗旨是培養下一代成為未來的領導人，藉著文化的互動和交流可以帶來和諧融。夏令營榮獲鳳凰城市市長大獎，亞利桑那州政府認證為官方建州百年活動，並得到亞利桑那州教育長獎，以及美國國會聯邦眾議員認證證書。夏令營感謝上百位工作人員，所有的教學老師們，每班學生領隊輔導員們，義工們，所



夏令營學生結業合照



獲貴賓切今日大蛋糕慶祝夏令營生日

有學區老師們大家的合作努力，相輔相成，共同成就了圓滿成功的夏令營。夏令營也感謝善心人士及贊助單位，感謝媒體

的宣傳與報導，才能每年持續提供免費的夏令營給數百位學生參加，薪火相傳中華文化與臺灣民俗藝術。

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Taiwan Pastry Classes Instructors David Wang, Chien Tai Wang





Taiwanese Pastry and Desserts



Calligraphy, Painting & Printing, Instructors Ken Fang, Angie Tsai







Taiwanese Folk Dances, Instructor Hui Lin



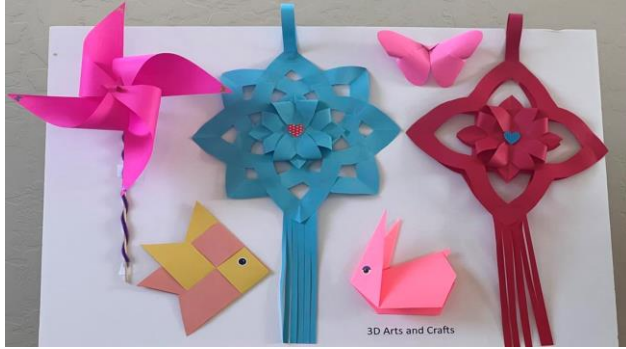


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3D Arts, Instructor Kerry Huang





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Paper Cutting & Paper Folding Instructor Megan Huang







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Dragon and Lion Dances Master Kenny Perez





Arts and Crafts Instructor Phuong Supriyasilp





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Art Contest, Szu Sheng Kao, BLIA Phoenix





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Wednesday, May 31, 2023

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Friday, June 2, 2023

Sandra Day O'Connor High School
 25250 N 35th Ave, Glendale, AZ 85310

TIME	GROUP	CLASS DESCRIPTION	ROOM	DIRECTOR / INSTRUCTOR
8:45 A. M.	A-J	ARRIVE	AUDITORIUM	ALL
9:00-11:00	A-J	Rehearsal Student practice going up and down stage to receive medals A-J Dance Performances Rehearsals	Auditorium	ALL
11:00 a.m.-11:30 a.m.	A-J	Lunch	Cafeteria Teacher Lounge	All Team Leaders, Teachers DVUSD Staffs & Volunteers
11:30 a.m.-12:00 p.m.	A-J	Recess Break	Room Hallway	DVUSD Staffs
12:00 p.m.	A-J	Prepare for Graduation Camp T-shirts Distribution	Auditorium	ALL
1:00 p.m.	A-J	Graduation Ceremony PowerPoint Presentations Ribbon Cutting Cake Cutting VIP greetings Art Contest Award Presentation by BLIA Medal Presentations to Students by VIP Performances Raffle	Auditorium	ALL
3:00 p.m.	A-J	Bus Parents Pick Up	Auditorium	DVUSD Staffs

Thank you!

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Welcomes TSMC Families and children and DVUSD students to
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民俗體育 Taiwan Folk Sports:

舞蹈 Taiwan Folk and Classical Dances:

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美勞 Arts and Craft:

舞龍舞獅 Lion and Dragon Dance

繪畫比賽 Art Contest

邱文琪 Wen Chyi Chiu

邱祖謙 TC Chiu

李惠麟 Hui Lin Dewey, Sophie Treon

方新坤 Ken Fang, Angie Tsai

王國憲 David Wang, Chien Tai Wang

黃慧賢 Kerry Huang

黃慧敏 Megan Huang

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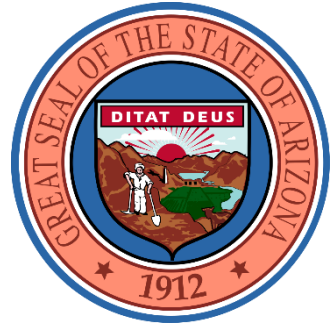
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Participation:	Deer Valley Unified School District Schools and TSMC Families Children
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Camp Facilities:	Stetson Hills Elementary and Sandra Day O'Connor High School
Summer Camp Cakes & Desserts:	David Wang, Asahi Bakery
Graduation VIP Invitations:	Lin Ling Lee, Wen Chyi Chiu, Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp
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Class Schedules and Name Tags:	Taipei Chinese Culture Summer Camp
Taiwan Folk Sports, Yo Yo Jump Rope Teacher:	Tzuu Chieng Chiu
Taiwan Folk and Classical Dances Teacher:	Hui Lin
Dragon, Lion Dance and Drums Teacher:	Master Kenny Perez
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Calligraphy and Painting Teacher:	Ken Fang, Angie Tsai
Mandarin Songs	Wen Chyi Chiu
Taiwanese Pastry Teachers:	David Wang, Mrs. Chien Tai Wang, Asahi Bakery
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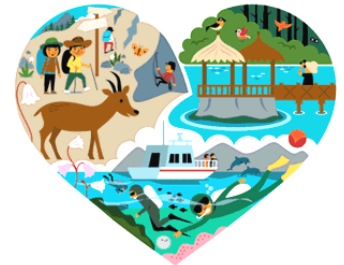
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Taiwan Songs

Taiwan-The Heart of Asia

Lovely and smiling ready for your embrace
 Come live the passion-driven life
 Surprising heaven for food, colorful seasons
 Taiwan leads you to your dreams
 Butterflies dance to the island's beauty
 Heart of Asia can you hear
 Feel the heartbeats answer the call
 The Heart of Taiwan syncs with yours
 Taiwan (Formosa) , the Heart of Asia
 The time for Taiwan is now
 Taiwan (Formosa) , the Heart of Asia
 The time for you is now
 Life and love can't wait
 台灣的心為你敞開
 Taiwan opens its heart to you
 Taiwan The Heart of Asia !



Camp Song

Touch Your Heart

Come See the Beauty
 The island so colorful
 Come taste the Best
 The people so friendly
 It'll be the most amazing journey
 For your heart to feel and see
 Ilha Formosa
 Taiwan will Touch Your Heart
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TAIPEI, TAIWAN INTRODUCTION



Phoenix and Taipei will celebrated their
44th Anniversary of long lasting relationship and
continuous friendship in 2023

Celebrations, Events, and Festivities

Phoenix & Taipei Sister City relationship established March 1979



Taipei 101

Taipei is a vibrant blend of traditional culture and cosmopolitan life. Taipei is the political, economic, educational and recreational center of the country, offering an array of significant cultural sights with its glass and steel skyscrapers, wide boulevards and the World Trade Center. Taipei has world-class performance venues, world-class theater and concert events. The city also offers a wide range of shopping malls, nightclubs, live-music bars, quality hotels and restaurants.

POPULATION: 2.63 million plus CURRENCY: New Taiwan Dollar

LOCATION: Capital of Taiwan is nestled in a basin with mountains on all sides and covers an area of 271.79 square kilometers. The city is divided into 12 districts.

INDUSTRY: A major producer of high tech components including CRTs; also an importer of consumer goods, services and luxury goods. Industry Opportunities: Biotechnology, Education, Food, Film & Interactive Media, Information Communication Technology, Health & Medical

LANGUAGE: Mandarin Chinese ELECTRICITY: 110 volts TIME: GMT + 8

CLIMATE: Climate in Taipei ranges from 11 – 30 degrees c. Warmest months are July through to September. Cooler months are December, January and February. Monthly rainfall can be between 70 and 300 mm.

TOP ATTRACTIONS: National Palace Museum, Grand Hotel
Taipei Children's Recreation Center
Chiang Kai-shek Memorial Hall
Taipei Zoo, Taipei Fine Arts Museum
Yangmingshan National Park
World Trade Center, Long Shan Temple
Taipei International Financial Center 101



Yangmingshan



Grand Hotel



Chiang-Kai Shek Hall



National Palace Museum



Long Shan Temple

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