

"Shadows for Peace, for the Sake of the Children, the Hiroshima and Nagasaki Experience" Forum and Art Exhibit

"Those who do not know history are destined to repeat it" Edmund Burke (1729-1797)

Dear Friends,

As you may be aware, next year 2015 will mark the 70th Anniversary of the Atomic Bomb.

In recognition of this historic anniversary, the Orange Coast Optimist Club (OCO) will present, "Shadows for Peace, for the Sake of the Children, the Hiroshima and Nagasaki Experience" Forum and Art Exhibit. This event is hosted by the Japanese American National Museum (JANM) at the Tateuchi Democracy Forum on March 21, 2015.

"This Forum will be the largest and most important of its kind." - Doug Erber, President of the Southern California.

We are seeking your financial sponsorship to help cover the expenses, including airfare, meals, accommodations and transportation. Your support will also help us offer "Shadows for Peace" Forums to universities and other venues in Southern California.

Forum speakers include world renowned experts on Hiroshima and Nagasaki (please see speaker profile) and video interviews of three Hibakusha, explosion-affected people, discussing their experiences as survivors of the atomic bomb. "No more Hiroshima and no more Nagasaki, never again," Hideo Sakata, Nagasaki Hibakusha. Additionally, artworks of "Shadows for Peace" will be on exhibit.

It is our sincere hope you will join the Japan America Society of Southern California, OCO, JANM, Nanka Hiroshima Kenjinkai, Love to Nippon, USC Institute for Genetic Medicine Art Gallery, Nanka Yamaguchi Kenjinkai, Lantern from the East - Los Angeles (LELA), Los Angeles Nagoya Sister City Afilliation (LANSCA) and others in supporting this important forum. OCO is a recognized 501(c)(3) non-profit organization and your donation (OCO/Shadows) is tax deductible.

For more information, please contact Richard Fukuhara 714-998-8790 or richard@shadowsforpeace.com

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Shadows for Peace	3,000.00 (Donor)*
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Never Forget	500.00*
Honoring the Victims	250.00*
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A Commenative Program will includes the speakers information and a listing of sponsors, donors and supporters. *Copies "Shadows for Peace..." Art Book will be presented to sponsors, donors and supporters.