






JAPAN WEEK 2015 14th - 22nd AUGUST

Event	Date & Time	Venue	Contact	<p>Japan Week 2015 is proudly supported by</p>  <p>CONSULATE-GENERAL OF JAPAN QUEENSLAND</p>  <p><i>Dedicated to a better Brisbane</i></p> <div>Japanese Club of Brisbane</div>   
JAPANESE CULTURAL PERFORMANCES Traditional Dance; Music; Martial Arts	Friday 14th 11:00am - 4:00pm	Queen Street Mall Stage, Brisbane (Opposite Myer Centre Entrance)	Consulate-General of Japan T: (07) 3221 5188 E: culture@bb.mofa.go.jp	
JAPANESE CULTURAL DAY Tea Ceremony; Flower Arranging; Calligraphy; Japanese Traditional Music	Sunday 16th 11:00am - 3:30pm	Brisbane Botanic Gardens, Mt. Coot-tha Japanese Garden	Consulate-General of Japan T: (07) 3221 5188 E: culture@bb.mofa.go.jp	
MOCHI - TSUKI Japanese Rice Cake Making	Sunday 16th 11:40am, 12:10pm & 12:40pm	Brisbane Botanic Gardens, Mt. Coot-tha Japanese Garden	Japanese Club of Brisbane Inc. T: (07) 3870 0360 E: jcbi@westnet.com.au	
IKEBANA DEMONSTRATIONS Japanese Flower Arranging	Thursday 20th 11:00am - 12noon	Old Government House Queensland University of Technology 2 George St, Brisbane (Next to the City Botanic Gardens)	Consulate-General of Japan T: (07) 3221 5188 E: culture@bb.mofa.go.jp	
JAPAN TRIVIA NIGHT ** Bookings Essential **	Saturday 22nd From 3:00pm	St David's Anglican Church (in the hall) 62 Chelmer Street East, Chelmer (Plenty of car parking and very close to Chelmer Rail Station)	Send your RSVPs to: vice-president@jetaaqld.org **Please include the names of your team members and a contact phone number.	
CULT JAPAN Postwar Japanese Cinema Screenings	July 3rd - Sep 2nd See film guide for session times	Australian Cinematheque Gallery of Modern Art (GOMA) Stanley Place, Cultural Precinct South Bank, Brisbane	Gallery of Modern Art T: (07) 3840 7303 E: gallery@qagoma.qld.gov.au	
WE CAN MAKE ANOTHER FUTURE Japanese Art After 1989 Exhibition	10:00am - 5:00pm Closes 20th Sep 2015	Gallery of Modern Art (GOMA) Stanley Place, Cultural Precinct South Bank, Brisbane	Gallery of Modern Art T: (07) 3840 7303 E: gallery@qagoma.qld.gov.au	

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*** unless otherwise stated, events are free of charge ***

Japanese Cultural Performances

Friday 14th August 11:00am – 4:00pm

Join us at the Queen Street Mall to enjoy a taste of traditional Japanese culture. Featuring an array of free displays and demonstrations including Japanese Taiko drum music, traditional dance, Sumo, and martial arts, you will experience the beauty, strength and joy inherent in these Japanese art forms.

Approximate demonstration and performance times:

11:00am – Traditional Japanese Dance | *Sakura Dance Group*
12:00pm – Martial Arts Demonstration | *Brisbane Koryukan*
1:30pm – Japanese Taiko Drum Performance | *Toko-Ton*
3:00pm – Aikido Demonstration | *Shodokan Aikido and Friends*

Japanese Cultural Day

Sunday 16th August 11:00am – 3:30pm

Experience a day of Japanese culture set amongst the beautiful Japanese Garden at Brisbane Botanic Gardens, Mt. Coot-tha. Guests will be able to experience traditional arts such as the Tea Ceremony, Ikebana (flower arranging), Calligraphy and Japanese music including the bamboo flute.

Approximate demonstration and performance times:

11:00am – 1:00pm Tea Ceremony Demonstrations
11:00am & 12:30pm Calligraphy
11:00am – 3:30pm Flower Arranging
11:30am & 1:00pm Traditional Japanese Music

Mochi – tsuki: Japanese Rice Cake Making

Sunday 16th August
11:40am, 12:10pm & 12:40pm

Come along and see how Mochi (Japanese rice cakes) are made. The Japanese Club of Brisbane presents this energetic process of pounding rice with a giant hammer, which is exciting and a little dangerous...

Ikebana Demonstrations

Thursday 20th August 11:00am – 12noon

This free display will feature live Ikebana (Japanese flower arranging) demonstrations at the Old Government House, QUT Gardens Point Campus. A delicate art form based on harmony and balance, these displays are sure to impress.

Japan Trivia Night

Saturday 22nd August from 3:00pm

Presented by the Japan Exchange and Teaching Alumni Association (JETAA) Queensland. This year's event will have a Kobe flavour, to tie in with the 30th anniversary of the Brisbane-Kobe Sister City relationship. The Australia-Japan Society has kindly offered to help promote this year's event, so potentially it will be the biggest yet. Brush up on your general knowledge AND your Kobe knowledge to give yourself the best chance! RSVP early to secure a place!"

COST: \$5 per person plus drinks. BYO snacks and drinks (Alcohol is permitted)

Japan Trivia Night (Continued)

TEAMS: Teams will consist of up to six people. RSVPs are welcome as a group, a couple, or a single.

RSVP: To vice-president@jetaaqld.org

CULT JAPAN: Atomic monsters, cool assassins, malevolent ghosts & robot geishas! July 3rd – 2nd September Gallery of Modern Art (GOMA)

'Cult Japan' celebrates the strange and outrageous in post-war Japanese cinema. The program includes underground and cult classics; Japan's unique variation on horror and action cinema; and the excessive, surreal and kitsch depictions of love, revenge and technology that have made Japanese genre cinema an international success.

Screening times during Japan Week are as follows:

Friday 14th

6:30pm- RoboGeisha
8:30pm- The Glamorous Life of Sachiko Hanai
Saturday 15th
1:00pm- Burst City
3:15pm- The Happiness of the Katakuris
Sunday 16th

11:00am- The Wind Rises

1:30pm- Dead Leaves

2:45pm- The Woman in the Dunes

Wednesday 19th

6:00pm- RoboGeisha
8:00pm- The Happiness of the Katakuris

Friday 21st

6:30pm- Kyua (Cure)

8:30pm – Ai No Korida (In the Realm of the Senses)

Saturday 22nd

1:00pm- Furankenshu No Kaiju Sanda Tai
Gaira (The War of the Gargantuas)

3:00pm- Dai-Nihonjin (Big Man Japan)

TICKET INFORMATION

General Admission	5 Film Passes
Adults \$9	\$36
Student/Concession/Child \$7	\$28
Member \$6	\$24

Please see Cinema Calendar for film descriptions and ratings

WE CAN MAKE ANOTHER FUTURE: Japanese Art After 1989

Closes 20th September, 2015

11:00am – 5:00pm

Gallery of Modern Art (GOMA)

'We can make another future' surveys the art of Heisei, the current era in the Japanese imperial calendar, through 100 works by over 40 contemporary Japanese artists.

Increasingly cosmopolitan in character and operating with an unprecedented level of international mobility, the art of this period offers a sophisticated reflection on the social conditions behind art's production in Japan.