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City of Los Angeles Department of Recreation and Parks & Lotus Festival, Inc. Seek Performers for 2025 Lotus Festival Honoring the Republic of Korea

Los Angeles (May 1, 2025) – The City of Los Angeles Department of Recreation and Park and Lotus Festival, Inc. are proud to present the 44th Lotus Festival honoring the host country of the Republic of Korea and is seeking talented performers to showcase their cultural art form on Lotus Festival stages.

The event takes place on **Saturday, July 12, 2025 from Noon to 9:00 p.m.** and **Sunday, July 13, 2025 from Noon to 8:00 p.m.** at Echo Park Lake, 751 Echo Park Ave., Los Angeles, CA 90026. The Lotus Festival celebrates Asian and Pacific Islander culture and has become one of the city's largest festivals, welcoming nearly 120,000 visitors each year.

Open Call Details and What We're Looking For:

- Groups to Perform in Dance, Instrumental, Music, Song, Acrobats, Martial Arts, Etc.
- Members of the group do not have to be Asian or Pacific Islander, but the performance must be a representation of the Asian and Pacific Islander Culture.
- **Submission deadline for prospective performers is May 30, 2025**
 - To assist in the selection process, we're encouraging performers to include a video clip of their performances, but it is not mandatory to be selected.

If interested, we invite you to apply to participate in the 2025 Lotus Festival by completing and returning the application by the May 16 deadline.

Attached Application: (Email the application to any of the following email addresses):

- Mohammed Ahsan, Entertainment Chairperson: MohammedA@quailcredit.com
- Evan Nakamura, Main Stage Chairperson: Evan.Nakamura@lacity.org
- Angie SooHoo, Children's Stage Chairperson: Angie.SooHoo@lacity.org

Online Application:

- https://docs.google.com/forms/u/0/d/1aBrBLtYjmOzeLdOnwu5WGzWiMggPYm8AHaQwDCzwhWo/viewform?edit_requested=true

Don't miss out on this opportunity to be part of an amazing event that celebrates unity, promotes diversity and enriches the cultural landscape of Los Angeles. For more information, visit us at laparks.org/lotusfestival

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