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C.A.C.A. National Provides Updates on the Congressional Gold Medal Ceremony and Regional Events

San Francisco, March 12, 2020 — The Chinese American Citizens Alliance (C.A.C.A.) is happy to announce the date of the Congressional Gold Medal (CGM) Ceremony for Chinese American Veterans of World War II in Washington, D.C. The Gold medal is dedicated to the men and women who served in the U.S. Armed Forces during the Second World War and are deservedly honored for their service and sacrifice. The four-day commemoration event in the Nation's capital will be held from April 27 to April 30, 2020.

Information of the Full Schedule of Events

The National Chinese American WWII Veterans Congressional Gold Medal Celebration on Wednesday, April 29, 2020, is divided in three events, only the first of which at 11:00 am, the National Congressional Gold Medal Ceremony at Emancipation Hall in the U.S. Capitol Visitor Center, attendance is limited due to availability of seating. Visit www.caww2.org/ceremony to see information on all events.

What are the Details for These Events?

Seating at the CGM Ceremony at Emancipation Hall will be limited. Living CAWW2 Veterans will receive priority over all other requests, followed by sponsor/donors with seating as defined by level of gift (see www.caww2.org/cgm-recognition-circle). We anticipate that demand will exceed capacity and the remaining seats will be determined through a lottery system. We should be able to accommodate all requests to attend the Gala Dinner.

APPROVED CAWW2 VETERANS HAVE BEEN CONTACTED DIRECTLY ON THEIR INTEREST IN ATTENDING THE CONGRESSIONAL GOLD MEDAL CEREMONY. PLEASE ADVISE CAWW2 VETERANS THAT HAVE REGISTERED AND APPROVED TO CONTACT THE PROJECT TEAM AT CGMCommittee@CAWW2.ORG SHOULD THEY HAVE ANY QUESTIONS.

What about Chinese American World War II veterans that have not registered? Please ask them or their next of kin to complete the registration process as soon as possible. Link to www.caww2.org/preservation in order to complete the REGISTRATION. The registration process is open until further notice.



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Congressional Gold Medal Regional Events

Following the ceremony in Washington, D.C., there will be at least 12 regional events upcoming, many will be organized by C.A.C.A. Chapters nationwide. Visit www.caww2.org/regional-events to see location and dates. Details for Regional Event will be forthcoming.

Support the CAWW2 Veterans Recognition Project with a Donation

Consider a donation to the CAWW2 Veterans Recognition Project by joining our Recognition Circle. Donations are tax deductible to the full extent of the law. Donations of appreciated stocks, mutual funds and bonds that are publicly traded are also accepted. Help reach our goal of \$300,000 for 5,000 bronze replicas of the Congressional Gold Medal. Go to www.caww2.org/donate

C.A.C.A. is excited to be making great progress in this project. Together, we will accomplish the mission: to recognize, honor and celebrate the military service of Chinese Americans who fought in the Second World War through advocacy, education and preservation.

Further questions? Contact us at CGMCommittee@CAWW2.ORG.

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Chinese American Citizens Alliance

The Chinese American Citizens Alliance, established in 1895, is among the oldest civil rights organizations in the United States. Headquartered in San Francisco with chapter/lodges in Albuquerque (NM), Boston (MA), Chicago (IL), Greater San Gabriel Valley (CA), Greater New York (NY), Houston (TX), Las Vegas (NV), Los Angeles (CA), Mississippi, Oakland (CA), Peninsula (CA), Portland (OR), Phoenix (AZ), Sacramento (CA), Salinas (CA), San Antonio (TX), San Francisco (CA), Seattle (WA) and Washington, D.C., the Alliance addresses issues regarding voter education, political participation, racial discrimination and hate crimes, and supports youth leadership training programs and equal employment opportunities for all Chinese Americans.