



# ASIAN PACIFIC AMERICAN HERITAGE CELEBRATION

## EXHIBITION AND FILM FESTIVAL



Shin-Yi Yang

**Opening Reception: May 7, 7 – 9 PM**  
**Newton City Hall, 1000 Commonwealth Avenue**

- **Glimpses of Everyday India:** Photography exhibition by Kanak Kale-Duttaroy
- **Chinese Paintings:** SharonWu and Irene Chang from Greater Boston Chinese Cultural Association ("GBCCA")
- **Ikebana,** the Japanese art of flower arrangement: Ikebana International Boston chapter
- **Guqin,** the ancient Chinese instrument: Shinyi Yang
- **Chinese Dance:** Liwen Wang
- **Traditional Korean Dance:** Chan Hee Park
- **Martial Arts:** Calvin Chin's Martial Arts Academy
- And more . . .

Reception is FREE.

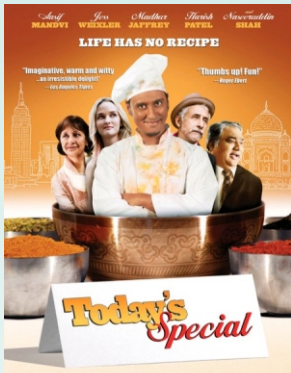


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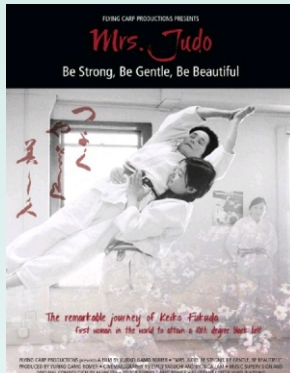
## 1st Annual APA FILM FESTIVAL

**May 14, 15, 21, 22, 7:30pm**  
**West Newton Cinema 1296 Washington St, W. Newton**  
**4 award winning films with post-screening discussions**

**FOR TICKETS: [www.newtoncommunitypride.org](http://www.newtoncommunitypride.org)**



**5/14: Today's Special**  
 A sous chef's dreams of studying French cooking in France are shattered when he must take over his family's Indian restaurant. While his relationship with his parents and his heritage is put to the test, he rediscovers his passion for life through the art of cooking Indian food.



**5/15: Mrs. Judo: Be Strong, Be Gentle, Be Beautiful**  
 Tells the inspirational life story of Keiko Fukuda, a judo master who fought against all odds to become the highest ranking woman in the history of the sport.



**5/21: One Big Hapa Family**  
 A colorful mix of family interviews, animation, and historical documents and footage, this documentary captures both serious issues of racism and integration, and puts an important spotlight on mixed-race Asians.



**5/22: Linsanity**  
 Documentary film about the rise of Asian-American basketball player Jeremy Lin overcoming discouragements and racism and achieving success through his faith, desire, and perseverance.

### TICKET PRICES

**General Admission:**  
 \$10 per film  
 \$32 for all 4

**College Students:**  
 \$8 per film  
 \$24 for all 4

**FREE to K-12 Students Limited Tickets.** Please reserve by contacting [Lplaut@newtonma.gov](mailto:Lplaut@newtonma.gov)

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