The Chinese Association of Iowa (CAI) is a community-based, non-profit organization. CAI represents the business, economic, and social interests of lowa's young, strong, and influential Chinese American population. The mission of the Chinese Association of Iowa is to promote friendship among Chinese and non-Chinese; to provide assistance to Chinese Iowans and their friends/families; and to promote the civic, cultural, and educational development of the Chinese-American community in Iowa.

Info About Chinese Association of Iowa



Since 1987, the Chinese Association of Iowa has provided these cultural programs and community resources:

- Assorted Chinese Cultural Nights
- Birthday Celebrations for Prominent Members
- Chinese Movie Screenings
- Chinese Passport, Visa and Travel Services
- Fundraisers for Community Members in Need
- Iowa Youth Leadership International Classes
- Legal Seminar
- The Annual Iowa Chinese Award Ceremony
- The Annual Iowa Chinese Mid-Autumn Festival Celebration
- The Annual Iowa Chinese New Year Celebration
- The Annual Iowa Chinese New Year Poster Contest
- The Annual Seminars on Parenting, College Planning, and Tax Preparation
- The Chinese Association of Iowa's School for Chinese Language and Culture (and Summer Day Camp)
- The Community Cultural Center at Golden Tea Pot, West Des Moines
- The Chinese Village at the Annual Asian Heritage Festival
- The Iowa-China Business Forum and China Business Assistance Program
- The Iowa Chinese Community Photography Contest
- The Iowa Chinese Job/Career Forum
- The Iowa Chinese Library at the Urbandale Public Library
- The Iowa Chinese Summer Lakeside Party











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