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Who We Are

Building a Better Community for Asian and Pacific Islander Americans (APIA) in Nevada.

The Asian Community Development Council ("ACDC") is a nonprofit organization dedicated to building, connecting, and educating the Asian and Pacific Islander American community in Nevada. ACDC was officially chartered in 2015.

There is a pressing need to establish a coalition that takes the initiative to address issues that are affecting Southern Nevada's growing APIA community. The Asian Community Development Council will align the needs of the APIA community with the philanthropic and community engagement goals of corporations.



Our Mission: Educate | Connect | Empower

The mission of the Asian Community Development Council is to improve the general well-being and education of Asian, Pacific Islander, and other ethnic communities in Nevada. The ACDC will promote, foster, champion, and advocate for Asian and Pacific Islander Americans in the greater Nevada community.

Programs and Services We Provide:

- Voter Registration and Education
- Mobilization and Coalition-Building
- Youth:
 - College Readiness Bootcamp
 - Youth Leadership Program
 - Internships
 - Volunteer Opportunities
- Citizenship Application Assistance
- Health Fairs and Education
- Health Insurance Enrollment
- Family Day: Health and Citizenship Fair
- Asian Night Market
- Translation Services



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Projects and Programs

2020 Voter Education and Registration

Covid-19 dominated the headlines for most of 2020 and many organizations decreased their activities as well as funding. However, ACDC managed to expand our scope of work through relief work and increase our impact in the community through innovative programming. For 2020, ACDC collected a total of 6,179 voter registrations with 3,555 in-person before COVID-19 restrictions, and 2,624 collected online.

Voter registration

In 2020, our organization did voter registration in Washoe and Clark County and had a staff of 40 working on voter registration and voter education. Our field program was impacted by Covid-19. While our initial plan included both in-person canvassing and door-to-door canvassing for voter registration, we shifted our focus to utilizing social media and community websites (i.e. Facebook, Instagram, Twitter, TikTok, Reddit, etc.) to register voters.

Voter Turnout

127% increase in AAPI voter early and mail-in ballots compared to 2016

30% increase in AAPI vote-share for early and mail ballots compared to 2016 (2.4% to 3.1%)

4 state legislators now identified as APIA (Nguyen, Torres, Leavitt, and Gonzalez)

Key Achievements

We were the partner organization with the most online voter registrations at our state table.



Projects and Programs

MOBILIZATION OF VOTERS: EARLY VOTING EVENTS & ELECTION DAY



BABY GOATS FOR YOUR VOTES



Early Voting Party





Projects and Programs

College Readiness Bootcamp



What is it

College Readiness Bootcamp focuses on college access and preparedness. Our workshops are full of excited students and parents learning about financial aid, college admission essays, how to improve on standardized test scores, and more.





Projects and Programs

Family Day: Health and Citizenship Fair



What is it

The Health and Citizenship Fair is a yearly event hosted by ACDC to bring family and friends together for free health screenings, wellness education, and citizenship assistance.





Projects and Programs

Asian Night Market



What is it

The Asian Night Market is an annual event with the goal of promoting locally owned APIA businesses in Nevada while bringing the community together.





Projects and Programs

GRADUASIAN



ACDC
ASIAN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL

SPRING 2021

GRADUASIAN

SATURDAY, MAY 22 | 1 PM

Celebrating Asian and Pacific Islander College Graduates in Nevada

Special Remarks
Governor
Steve Sisolak

Special Remarks
Congresswoman
Susie Lee

Vida Lin
President and Founder
ACDC

NEXTSHARK

Benny Luo
Keynote Speaker

Daniel Park
Musical Guest

Patanya Bhoolsuwan
Moderator

Virtual Job Fair starts at 2pm
with Panda Restaurant Groups
and Scientific Games

What is it

The goal of GraduAsian is to highlight APIA students in Nevada and all of their achievements. This event is also aimed to celebrate the family members who helped make the achievements of these students possible through hard work and sacrifice.



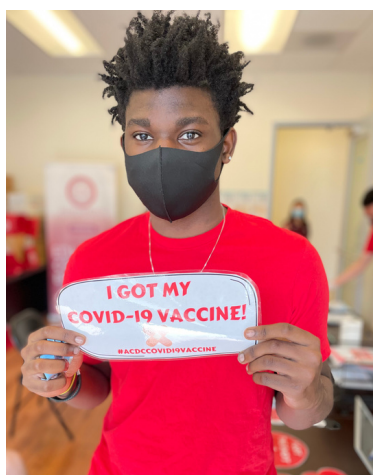
Projects and Programs

Vaccine Clinic



What is it

The ACDC Covid-19 and flu vaccination clinic is a program with the goal of providing Nevada residents who have limited English accessibility with a safe and comfortable space for them to receive their vaccine.





COVID-19 VACCINE CLINIC

SUNDAY
9:00 AM - 3:00 PM

4276 Spring Mountain Road #207
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(Located on 2nd floor in Shanghai Plaza)

For questions, contact:
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APPOINTMENT and WALK IN







Projects and Programs

Healthcare and Citizenship Navigation



Citizenship Assistance

Our citizenship assistance program includes N-400 completion, legal review, and fee waiver eligibility. We also connect clients with legal professionals to answer any questions they may have.



Healthcare Navigation

Our licensed healthcare navigators provide in-person and over the phone assistance for uninsured Nevadans to find a qualified health care plan.



DO YOU NEED HEALTH COVERAGE?

We provide free assistance to help you enroll in a qualified health plan.

Tagalog - 中文 - Tiếng Việt - Inu
한국어 - español

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Projects and Programs

Emergency Food Assistance



What is it

The ACDC food assistance program aims to help those in our community who have been affected financially by the COVID-19 pandemic. We created a food bank that meets the specific dietary needs of the APIA community in a time where so many families are struggling to make ends meet.



NEED FOOD ASSISTANCE BECAUSE OF COVID-19?

Kailangan ng tulong sa pagkain? | Cần hỗ trợ thực phẩm? | 식량 지원 필요? | 需要食物帮助? | ต้องการความช่วยเหลือด้านอาหาร?



APPLY NOW!

<http://bit.ly/ACDCFoodAssistance>



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Special Events

APIA Lobby Day

What is it

During APIA Lobby Day, we brought a delegation of 25+ community leaders to meet with legislators and advocate for policies that support the APIA community in Nevada, including bills supporting language justice and the Nevada Public Option



**BILLS
WE
PUSHED**

Healthcare Equity

- AB327 - SB420 - AB177

Voting Rights

- AB321 - AB126

Justice & Equity

- AB116 - SB219 - AB376

Education

- AB235 - AB261 - AB371



Special Events Give In May



**KIWANIS CLUB OF LAS VEGAS
YOUNG PROFESSIONALS**

\$3,000



9TH ISLAND CULTURAL CLUB

\$3,000



**LAS VEGAS KOREAN AMERICAN
ASSOCIATION**

\$5,000



NINTH ISLAND AUNTIES

\$5,000



**SOUTHERN NEVADA ASIAN PACIFIC
ISLANDER QUEER SOCIETY**

\$6,000



LAS VEGAS KAMINARI TAIKO

\$10,000



**SRI LANKA AMERICA ASSOCIATION
OF LAS VEGAS**

\$10,000



BAMBOO BRIDGES

\$10,000

What is it

Give in May is an annual program that strives to help local APIA nonprofits across the country to raise money for their organization. ACDC worked along with eight other local nonprofits to assist them in raising donations and to become one of the top-earning nonprofits for 2021, making them eligible to secure extra funding from the Give In May program. ACDC is also matching every dollar these organizations raised, up to \$10,000.

AMOUNT RAISED \$95,987

ACDC MATCH \$52,000

TOTAL AMOUNT \$147,987



Special Events CelebrAsian



What is it

CelebrAsian was created to bring the APIA community of Nevada together. The goal of the event was to celebrate the wins of the 81st legislative session and to present our eight partner organizations with their matching grant from ACDC. The night also featured performances from Las Vegas Kaminari Taiko and Sri Lanka American Association of Las Vegas.





IN THE MEDIA

NEVADACURRENT.COM | BY JENIFFER SOLIS - JANUARY 25, 2021

"IMMIGRATION INITIATIVES ALWAYS BRING OUT THE SCAMMERS, COALITION WARNS"

FOX5VEGAS.COM | MADDIE WHITE - FEBRUARY 23, 2021

"HOW MINORITY COMMUNITY LEADERS IN LAS VEGAS ARE WORKING TO IMPROVE VACCINATION RATES"

UNLV.EDU | SEAN KENNEDY - MARCH 02, 2021

"REFLECTING ON ASIAN AMERICAN & PACIFIC ISLANDER INFLUENCE IN LAS VEGAS"

LASVEGASSUN.COM | HILLARY DAVIS - MARCH 16, 2021

"GROUP SEEKS COUNTY RESOLUTION CONDEMNING RACISM AGAINST ASIAN-AMERICANS"

KTNV.COM | JEREMY CHEN - MARCH 17, 2021

"LAS VEGAS AAPI LEADERS REACT TO ATLANTA SPA SHOOTINGS"

LASVEGASSUN.COM | SARA MACNEIL - MARCH 21, 2021

"LAS VEGAS FOOD BANK CATERS TO THOSE STRUGGLING IN ASIAN COMMUNITY"

KOLOTV.COM | KELSEY MARIER - MARCH 30, 2021

"NEVADA AG FORD HOSTS VIRTUAL ANTI-ASIAN HATE TOWN HALL"

8NEWSNOW.COM | KATE HOUSTON, LUCAS WRIGHT - APRIL 18, 2021

"ASIAN COMMUNITY DEVELOPMENT COUNCIL HOSTS VACCINE CLINIC TO HELP AT-RISK COMMUNITIES"

8NEWSNOW.COM | BIANCA HOLMAN, ROCKY NASH - JUN 7, 2021

"GOVERNOR SISOLAK SIGNS BILLS INTO LAW IMPACTING K-12 EDUCATION, NEVADA'S DIVERSE COMMUNITIES"