

Remembering Hiroshima and Nagasaki

A memorial for all the victims of the nuclear age



6-7 p.m. ~ Sunday, August 6th ~ 2006

Japanese American Historical Plaza

Waterfront Park in Portland, NW Naito Parkway at Couch Street

Hiroshima Day marks the anniversary of the nuclear attacks on Hiroshima and Nagasaki, August 6th and 9th, 1945. Those two bombs killed over 200,000 people. Each year we remember the victims with reflections, music, and a call to action. The Administration has plans for increasing U.S. nuclear weapons programs, and so we urgently need to remind Oregonians and our lawmakers of the horrific consequences of nuclear weapons. We cannot let the memory of Hiroshima fade and allow our leaders to make this grave mistake again.

Program

Joel Iwanaga, Channel 6 News, emcee

Reverend Alcena Boozer, president of the Ecumenical Ministries of Oregon

Polo Ronault Catalani, civil rights attorney and columnist for *The Asian Reporter*

Chisao Hata, dancer/choreographer

Dr. Martin Donohoe, Oregon Physicians for Social Responsibility

Reverend Jack Takayanagi, United Church of Christ

Music by **Toki Taiko drums** and **Aurora Chorus**

The event is free and open to the public. Seating is on the grass; bring a blanket or chair.

Co-Sponsors: Oregon Physicians for Social Responsibility, Japanese American Citizens League, Portland Branch of WILPF - Women's International League for Peace and Freedom, Hiroshima Club, American Friends Service Committee, Code Pink Portland, Ecumenical Ministries of Oregon, Friends of Sabeel – North America, the Military and Draft Counseling Project, Oregon Buddhist Temple, Oregon PeaceWorks, Rural Organizing Project, WAND – Women's Action for New Directions, Wasco County Citizens for Human Dignity, Peace and Justice Works Iraq Affinity Group