



FRIENDS & FAMILY OF NISEI VETERANS

100th Infantry Battalion

442nd Regimental Combat Team

Military Intelligence Service

501(c)(3) Corporation - Federal Tax ID: 59-3820916

Annual Nisei Veterans' Reunion

Little Tokyo, Los Angeles, California

October 10 - October 12, 2025

REGISTER ONLINE AT tinyurl.com/ffnv2025

Hard copy registration forms available upon request via email to ffnvnewsletter@gmail.com.

Reunion Schedule

FRIDAY, OCTOBER 10

HOSPITALITY CENTER HOURS: 7:30 PM to 9:30 PM

PARKING: Please approach the parking lot gate at Higashi Honganji Buddhist Temple, 505 E. Third St., (L.A., CA 90013), and let the security guard know that you are here for the FFNV event.

We will offer early registration and a meet and greet cocktail evening in the social hall. Please check-in, pick up your registration packet, get acquainted with old friends and spend some time noshing on treats inspired by our French and Italian tours.

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 11

HOSPITALITY CENTER HOURS: 9:00 AM to 8:00 PM. If you haven't already, please check-in and pick up your registration packet. Stop by to check out the raffle prizes, purchase tickets, grab a snack and/or drink.

You will have the opportunity to view screenings and/or participate in relevant discussions highlighting the heroics of the 522nd, 232 Engineers and the MIS. You do not need to sign up for these activities. Your badge will allow admission to the Go For Broke NEC exhibition hall. A walking tour highlighting Little Tokyo's 141 year history led by our local historical society will be offered, starting at the JANM Plaza and ending with the GFBNEC Monument. We will also provide a list of Little Tokyo's "Best of" Treats and Eats for you to explore and indulge on your own. Of course, you can also just explore Little Tokyo or just hang out and talk story in the hospitality center with friends.

Limited free parking will be available upon request (sign up on registration form) in the Higashi parking lot.

For those who would like to continue the conversations later in the evening on Saturday, we will be hosting a cocktail reception from 8:00 to 10:00 PM. Location to be determined, but will be in Little Tokyo.

SUNDAY, OCTOBER 12

HOSPITALITY CENTER HOURS: 11:30 AM to 1:00 PM

A casual buffet brunch will be offered on Sunday morning in the hospitality center. It will be followed by a closing presentation upstairs from 1:00 - 3:00 PM.

A film version of "Defining Courage" will be screened. A short panel discussion, and the raffle drawing featuring a handmade patriotic-themed quilt will follow.

NOTE: The temple will be having its usual Sunday service from 10:00 AM, so please try not to arrive too early on Sunday.

Reunion Registration & Hotel Information

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REUNION REGISTRATION: Register online at tinyurl.com/ffnv2025

A \$100.00 registration fee will cover your participation in all events, admission to the Go For Broke National Education Center, and other badge-holder privileges. Children 10 & under will be charged \$10.00.

The registration form is digital and once "submit" is selected at the end of the form, your registration will automatically be sent. Hard copies of the registration form are available upon request. For assistance, please email: ffnvnewsletter@gmail.com

Please submit the online registration form by September 21, 2025. For online payment instructions, please see the bottom of the registration form. You may also send a check to: FFNV Reunion, 3015 Cloudcrest Rd., La Crescenta, CA. 91214 once you have submitted your form.

HOTEL ROOMS:

We have reserved a block of rooms for the reunion at the Miyako Hotel. **You must reserve your room(s) by contacting ffnvnewsletter@gmail.com.** Please specify if you have any special needs or if you wish to upgrade your room for an additional \$30 or \$60 per day. You can book any time from now until September 8th. If there are vacancies, it may be possible to reserve a room after that date, but the group rate may not apply.

Miyako Hotel Los Angeles, 328 E. First Street, Los Angeles, CA. 90012
(213) 617-2000, www.miyakola.com

DEADLINE TO RESERVE: **September 8, 2025**

DATES: October 10 - October 12, 2025 (2 nights)

1 night - Single or Double: \$159.00 + tax

2 nights - Single or Double \$159.00 X 2 + tax

****Your credit card must be provided for payment at time of check-in.**

SPECIAL REQUESTS: You may make requests for a handicap room, special location, non-smoking, adjoining rooms, etc.

NOTE: Rooms may also be found at the DoubleTree a couple of blocks away. Accommodations may also be booked at the Kawada Hotel, which is 6 city blocks away from the activities. While not a long walk, it is **highly discouraged** to walk to and from the Kawada, especially in the evening when the city is not friendly to visitors or the vulnerable. **Please be aware of the risks.**

Please keep in mind that no activities will be hosted at the hotel and will be at various locations in Little Tokyo.

VOLUNTEERS: The reunion is operated solely by volunteers. We welcome anyone who is willing to help for a few hours to make the reunion a success for our veterans. Please sign up on the registration sheet.

COVID-19 PROTOCOL: Masks are optional and will be available for your convenience.

FRIENDS AND FAMILY OF NISEI VETERANS (FFNV) REGISTRATION FORM
Little Tokyo, Los Angeles Reunion - October 10 - 12, 2025

REGISTER ONLINE AT tinyurl.com/ffnv2025

One name per sheet, please

NAME _____

Address _____

City _____ **State** _____ **Zip** _____

Phone _____ **Email** _____

Your Affiliation to 442nd /100th/MIS: ☐ Veteran ☐ Family ☐ Friend ☐ Other

If veteran, which campaign: ____ WWII ____ Korean ____ Vietnam ____ Other _____

In case of emergency, contact _____ **Phone** _____

REGISTRATION: Registration includes registration fee, admission to GFBNEC, Walking tour, film screenings, meet & greet, cocktail reception, farewell brunch, and all-day access to hospitality center.

\$100.00/person or \$10.00 for children 10 & under

Registration is complimentary for WWII Nisei Veterans **Amount due** \$ _____

VOLUNTEER: Yes, I will volunteer in the hospitality center.

Friday: ____ 6 - 8 PM ____ 8 - 10 PM

Saturday: ____ 8 - 10 AM ____ 10 AM - 12 PM ____ 12 - 2 PM ____ 2 - 4 PM ____ 4 - 6 PM ____ 6 - 8 PM

Sunday: ____ 10 AM - 12 PM ____ 12 - 3 PM

Preferences: For our planning purposes, please indicate your preferences:

____ 7:30 PM Friday Meet & Greet

____ **11:00 AM Walking Tour Highlighting Little Tokyo's 141 Year history**

____ 8:00 PM Saturday evening cocktail reception

____ 11:30 AM Sunday Farewell Brunch & Closing program

____ I would like a parking pass at the Higashi Honganji lot for Saturday, October 11. I understand that parking is limited. I will not have access once the lot is closed at 10 PM.

ROSTER - At the reunion, we distribute a roster showing the name, address, phone and e-mail of those attending. If you prefer your name and email only, please sign and date below.

I want only my name and email shown on the reunion roster. **Signed** _____

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: September 21, 2025 **TOTAL** \$ _____

You may pay for everything with one check. Total all items and make your check payable to FFNV and mail to **FFNV REUNION, c/o JANET ITO, 3015 CLOUDCREST ROAD, LA CRESCENTA, CA 91214.**

Please submit a hard copy of this form with check payment, or email to ffnvnewsletter@gmail.com

To make payment online, please go to our webpage at ffnv.org/donate. Click on the donate button and designate your payment for reunion registration/payment.

RECEIVED _____ CHECK # _____ AMOUNT _____ BY _____

CONFIRMED BY _____ VIA _____ DATE _____