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Muriel Bowser, Mayor

MOAPIA Newsletter

Agency Updates, Events and Announcements, Career Connections, and more from the DC Mayor's Office on Asian and Pacific Islander Affairs (MOAPIA)

A Message from the Director

Dear Community Members,

The holiday season is in full swing in the District of Columbia!

On December 7th, we kicked off the season of giving with our annual Toy Drive and End of the Year Holiday Celebration. Youth that were in attendance enjoyed a musical game, snacks and free toys; and our raffle prize winners got to take home new scooters.

Today, we joined Mayor Bowser and more than 3,500 District seniors at the Annual Senior Holiday Celebration. This holiday celebration also included fitness demonstrations, live music, and dance performances. Our team helped serve food and had a great time connecting with the AAPI seniors that were in attendance.

Check out the photos from these festive events below.

Warmest thoughts and best wishes for a wonderful holiday season with family and friends and our sincere thanks for your support throughout the year!

In Partnership,

Ben de Guzman,
Acting Director of the Mayor's Office on Asian and Pacific Islander Affairs



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Toy Drive and End of the Year Celebration



A great event to wrap up the year. Thank you to the over 140 participants that joined us last week! Check out more photos on [Flickr](#).

The Mayor's Annual Senior Holiday Celebration



More than 3,500 attendees, ages 60 and up, joined the Mayor for health and wellness demonstrations, informational exhibits, and live entertainment. Approximately 150 members of the Mayor's administration as well as community volunteers helped serve lunch to the guests. In October, Mayor Bowser released the "Age-Friendly DC 2023 Strategic Plan," a structure to ensure DC residents of every age are active, connected, healthy, engaged, and happy in their environment.

MOAPIA Outreach



MOAPIA's outreach team frequently visits businesses across the District to offer information about government programs and resources. Resources are provided in the business owner's native language and staff follow-up to help address any issues or complaints.

Check out more photos from our recent community outings and events by following us on [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) and [Instagram](#) (@dcmoapia)

Upcoming Events

5th Annual Fit DC Fresh Start 5K



MAYOR MURIEL BOWSER'S
5TH ANNUAL FRESH START
#FITDC 5K 2019
WALK
RUN

JANUARY 1, 2019
CAPITOL RIVERFRONT
REGISTRATION & PACKET PICKUP AT 9AM • 5K STARTS AT 10AM

KICK OFF YOUR NEW YEAR RIGHT!

#FITDC REGISTER AT: 2019freshstart5k.eventbrite.com

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DC MURIEL BOWSER, MAYOR

Kick your New Year off right at Mayor Bowser's #FITDC Fresh Start 5K! The 5th Annual Fresh Start 5K will begin at 10 AM on Tuesday, January 1, 2019 at the scenic Capitol Riverfront. More information here: 2019freshstart5k.eventbrite.com



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