

NEWSLETTER February 2019

Bayanihan Equity Center kicked off the year with a 20th anniversary celebration and launch party on Thursday, January 24th, at Cambria Gallery in SoMA. Community partners, long-time supporters, friends, and family of BEC attended the event, with a performance of "Hero," from Katrina Liwanag, and words of congratulations from our San Francisco Supervisor Safai, Supervisor Haney, Miguel Guerrero from the office of Congresswoman Nancy Pelosi, and from the Philippine Consulate. On Tuesday, January 29th, the Bayanihan Equity Center received a commendation from the Board of Supervisors, presented by Supervisor Haney, for 20 years of service and commitment to the South of Market community. Thank you to our BEC Board of Directors, partners, volunteers, and donors for all your support!









For press, photos, videos, and media coverage of our 20th Anniversary celebration, please visit our new website at www.sfbec.org



REMINDERS

BEC CLOSED

Monday, 02/18 for President's Day

CMC COMMUNITY CHOIR

Spring Rehearsals

Community Choir will resume rehearsals on Mondays from 3:00pm-4:30 pm, with our new Choir Director, Red Reyes, starting on January 7th.

VALENTINES DAY PARTY

Join us for a Valentines Day celebration on Tuesday, February 12th, 11:00 AM at Gene Friend Rec Center!

LEGAL CLINIC

Fridays: February 15 (2:00-4:00 PM)
Free legal immigration consultation.
Priority is given to Filipino veterans,
their families, and low-income BEC
consumers.

SENIOR HOUSING

Make an appointment

Contact us for any questions regarding Senior Housing, regarding available applications, eligibility, subsidies, tenants rights, etc., or other upcoming housing opportunities in San Francisco.

BIRTHDAY BINGO BASH

Friday, February 22 (2:00-4:00 PM)

Join us for FREE merienda and bingo to celebrate our February birthdays.

Party with us even if it isn't your birth month! Everyone is welcome.











Filipino World War II Veterans Roster

The Bayanihan Equity Center is working in collaboration with the Filipino Veterans Recognition and Education Project (FilVetRep) to ensure that the Filipino veterans in California are recognized for their service under the Congressional Gold Medal.

If you or your family member is a Filipino veteran of World War II, and is interested in receiving the Congressional Gold Medal, please refer to our website for eligibility, or call our office.

Beware of Scams

Never give away sensitive information:

- Social Security
 Number
- Birthdates
- Addresses
- Credit Card Numbers



How do I check if my information was stolen?

Use free online resources to check your credit:

- Annual Credit Report: Initial Fraud Alert
- Extended Fraud Alert

We have computers and we can help you run a credit check. Make an appointment with our Community Service Workers.

Affordable Housing Opportunities:



Eddy & Taylor Family Housing

222 Taylor Street, San Francisco, CA 94102

Deadline to apply: February 6, 2019

UNIT TYPE	MINIMUM INCOME	RENT	AVAILABILITY
Studio	\$2,002/month	\$1,001/month	14 units
1 BR	\$2,284/month	\$1,142/month	7 units
2 BR	\$2,540/month	\$1,270/month	47 units
3 BR	\$2,786/month	\$1,393/month	9 units



The Paramount

680 Mission Street, San Francisco, CA 94103

Deadline to apply: February 12, 2019

UNIT TYPE	MINIMUM INCOME	RENT	AVAILABILITY
Studio	\$1,544/month	\$772/month	3 units
Studio	\$1,544/month	\$772/month	WAITLIST
1 BR	\$1,758/month	\$879/month	WAITLIST

FREE Drop-In Housing Clinic

For questions regarding...



- Application assistance
- Housing opportunities
- Senior housing
 - Evictions
- · Rent Increase
- Section 8

Every Tuesday & Wednesday 10:00 am – 2:00 pm

Gene Friend Recreation Center 270 Sixth Street, San Francisco, CA 94103

KARAOKE HOUR



Join us for karaoke! Every Wednesday of the month from 2:00-4:00pm

Community Choir

Rehearsal Schedule

Monday, February 4th 3:00-4:30pm

Monday, February 11th 3:00-4:30pm

Monday, February 18th No Rehearsal

Monday, February 25th 3:00-4:30pm

In partnership with Community Music Center



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Saturday	2	6	16	23	
Friday	Exercise Class 10:00-11:00 am (BH) Legal Clinic 2:00-4:00 pm (AR)	Exercise Class 10:00-11:00 am (BH) Paramount Housing Workshop 2:00-4:00 pm (BH)	Exercise Class cancelled(BH) Legal Clinic 2:00-4:00 pm (AR)	Exercise Class 10:00-11:00 am (BH) Birthday Bingo Bash 2:00-4:00 pm (BH)	
Thursday		7 Food Distribution 1:00-3:00 pm (BH)	Food Distribution 1:00-3:00 pm (BH)	21 Food Distribution 1:00-3:00 pm (BH)	28 Food Distribution 1:00-3:00 pm (BH)
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Tuesday		5 Drop-In Housing Clinic 12:00-2:00pm (GFRC)	12 Valentine's Day Party 11:00-1:00 pm (GFRC)	19 Drop-In Housing Clinic 12:00-2:00 pm (GFRC)	26 Drop-In Housing Clinic 9:30-2:00 pm (GFRC)
Monday		Exercise Class 10:00-11:00 am (BH) Community Choir 3:00-4:30 pm (BH)	Exercise Class 10:00-11:00 am (BH) Community Choir 3:00-4:30 pm (BH)	President's Day	25 Exercise Class 10:00-11:00 am (BH) Community Choir 3:00-4:30 pm (BH)
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KEY (AR) – Anihan Room (BH) – Barangay Hall (CR) – Computer Room (GFRC) – Gene Friend Rec. Center

Office Hours
Monday-Friday
9:00 AM- 12:00 Noon
*12:00 Noon-1 PM

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