# ASIAN PACIFIC AMERICAN HERITAGE AUTHORS CELEBRATION

# **Saturday May 22, 2010 FOSTER CITY LIBRARY**

1000 E. Hillsdale Blvd

Join us for a variety of activities and author events for adults and children



11-11:30am

#### **Cynthia Chin-Lee**

Award winning children's author of such wonderful works as *Almond Cookies and Dragon Well Tea*, *A is for Asia*, *Amelia to Zora*, and *Akira to Zoltan* will read from some of her books.

11:45-12:15pm

#### **Emi Young**

Reads from her father Jack Matsuoka's ground breaking carton book *Poston Camp II , Block 211* – a memoir of his World War II internment camp experience in Poston, AZ.





12:30-1pm

#### Ann Bowler

Nature and children's author will read from Adventures of the Treasure Fleet: China Discovers the World and will be accompanied by a special Chinese language presentation of the book



1-1:30pm

#### Plink and Plunk

Banjos and accordion duo, featuring folk musician and writer Charlie Chin, accompanied by retired schoolteacher George Louzensky, will offer a selection of singalong-songs and folk song favorites for people of all ages. 1:30-2pm

### Margo King Lenson

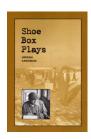
Author and editor of *Pacific Voices: Talk Story v1-4*, a collection of personal narratives by Pacific Islanders, will hold a workshop on preserving stories through oral histories.



2:15-3:15pm

# Hiroshi Kashiwagi

Librarian, actor, playwright, poet, and author will be performing his acclaimed play *The Betrayed* with actress Sue Asano. A short poetry reading of his internment camp experience will follow their performance.



3:30-4:15pm

#### **Rick Rocamora**

Documentary photographer and author of *America's Second-Class Veterans* will speak on the subject of his book, Filipino World War II veterans and their struggle for recognition and equity.





4:30-5pm

#### **Eddie Fung**

A remarkable life chronicled in his book *The Adventures of Eddie Fung: Chinatown Kid, Texas Cowboy, Prisoner of War* will be in conversation with Margo King Lenson about his engaging experiences.



5:15-6:15pm

## **Judy Yung**

Historian and author of such important works as Island: Poetry and History of Chinese Immigrants on Angel Island and Unbound Feet will preview her upcoming book Angel Island: Immigrant Gateway to America.

This community event is sponsored by the following local organizations











