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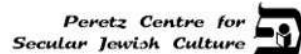
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FOURTEENTH ANNUAL VANCOUVER RAOUL WALLENBERG DAY

H.R. MacMillan Space Centre - Auditorium
Sunday, January 20, 2019 - 1:30 p.m.

WALLENBERG-SUGIHARA CIVIL COURAGE AWARD

FILM "THE WAR BETWEEN US"

Donations are Appreciated - Reception to follow
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MARY KITAGAWA, OBC, is a prominent leader in the effort to raise awareness of the injustices suffered by Japanese-Canadians during World War Two. Overcoming indifference and discrimination, she has helped to ensure that this history is recognized and taught to future generations. Her persistent efforts over three years persuaded UBC in 2012 to present honorary degrees to the 76 Japanese-Canadian students who were interned in 1942 and prevented from completing their degrees.



Her legacy also includes educational programs at UBC, UVic, and in the community, preservation of Hastings Park as a historic site, and renaming of the federal Douglas Jung building downtown. She has also served in many committees including the JCCA and Landscapes of Injustice.

Raoul Wallenberg Day pays tribute to the courageous actions by people engaged in selfless acts of civil courage in the spirit of Raoul Wallenberg and Chiune Sugihara, who each rescued thousands of Jews during World War II.

The Wallenberg-Sugihara Civil Courage Society presents the Civil Courage Award to an individual associated with BC who at great personal risk has acted courageously to help others. We are seeking nominations for potential award recipients – full criteria are at www.wscs.ca/award-criteria.

FILM: THE WAR BETWEEN US takes place during World War II in the interior of British Columbia and deals with the effects of the Canadian Government's policy of internment on the West Coast Japanese community. Two women become unlikely friends under extraordinary and tragic circumstances. Peg, a wife and mother struggling to keep the wolf from the door, and Aya, a young middle class Japanese Canadian woman from Vancouver, grapple with their situation, as a frontier town becomes a Japanese community overnight. (1995 Highest rated film on Canadian TV.)

PROGRAM

WELCOME / MC

Alan Le Fevre, President

CITY OF VANCOUVER PROCLAMATION

Pete Fry, Deputy Mayor

WALLENBERG-SUGIHARA CIVIL COURAGE SOCIETY

Judith Anderson

CIVIL COURAGE AWARD PRESENTATION

Alan Le Fevre

Mary Kitagawa, Award Recipient

ACCEPTANCE REMARKS

& Question Period

Mary Kitagawa

FILM – THE WAR BETWEEN US

RECEPTION