

72ND ANNUAL FRESNO OBON FESTIVAL
 Saturday, July 8, 2017

OBON is about...

It's about honoring the past and appreciating the moment.

It's a "Festival of Lanterns"

It's showing support to the Hatsubon families.

It's the sight of young and old alike, in colorful yukatas & happi coats.

It's dancing, food, games, entertainment and fun.

It's spending a great evening with family and friends.

It's a sense of being.



To devote time and effort into putting on a great event is very satisfying. So, please come out... watch the sunset and talk & laugh into the night.

The memorial lanterns have such great meaning. Won't you please buy or re-hang lanterns in memory of a loved one? And yes, of course, pets are loved ones too!

Since Obon has turned into a major fundraiser, it is our hope that each member of our Sangha will buy or sell the raffle tickets. Tickets will be mailed out shortly, so fill out those stubs and send them in for your chance to win 1st prize of \$2,000 and/or 2nd prize of \$500. If so inclined, we would graciously accept an additional "special" donation that would help offset the costs associated with this event.

Won't you volunteer your time to help make the Fresno Betsuin Obon another resounding success? Complete the sign-up sheet and someone from our "calling team" will contact you.

Lastly, you are an important part of the Temple and we thank you for all past donations made toward the well-being of the Betsuin. We'll see you on July 8th... Gassho.

Name _____ Email _____

Address _____ Phone _____

YES, I WOULD LIKE TO SUPPORT THE FRESNO BUDDHIST TEMPLE OBON FESTIVAL BY PURCHASING THE FOLLOWING:

Raffle Ticket(s) _____ @ \$10.00 each \$ _____

Memorial Lantern(s) _____ @ \$22.00 each \$ _____

In memory of _____ (one name per lantern, please)
 If necessary, use separate sheet for additional names

Lantern RE-HANG _____ @ \$8.00 each \$ _____ (please bring lanterns to office OR FDC)

Pet Memorial Lantern(s) _____ @ \$10.00 each \$ _____

Pet's Name _____ (one name per lantern, please)
 If necessary, use separate sheet for additional names

SPECIAL "Festival of Lanterns" Donation \$ _____

Total Enclosed – checks payable to "FRESNO BUDDHIST TEMPLE" \$ _____

PLEASE RETURN ORDER FORM AND PAYMENT BY JULY 3RD TO FRESNO BUDDHIST CHURCH 1340 KERN ST., FRESNO 93706
 Questions? Call (559) 442-4054 or email: losaki@fresnobuddhisttemple.org