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# SDCAA News

San Diego

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*SDCAA co-organizes  
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June 5, 2010*

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## SDCAA Board Meeting

The SDCAA Board Meeting was held on May 23, 2010. The new board was elected in April 2010 and is led by the President of SDCAA, Dr. Hua Jin. Dr. Jin introduced the new executive team of SDCAA. Committees for a variety of activities, from Science & Business, Sports & Health to Elder Care, were formed and the leaders of the Committees duly appointed. The Board set ambitious goals for the Association. SDCAA aims to be the leader of business and cultural activities related to Chinese Americans, Chinese immigrants and visitors and all people having an interest in China, Chinese culture and people; SDCAA aims to play a crucial role in these people's lives.

The meeting was attended by twenty or so Directors and Committee leaders, who are all volunteers from local businesses and community, enthusiastic to contribute toward achieving SDCAA goals. Please join SDCAA and do what you can for our common good.

## BioPharma Conference

SDCAA and SABPA team up to organize the 9th Annual Symposium on Biopharmaceuticals, a.k.a. San Diego BioPharma Conference 2010. The Conference is dedicated to educating and empowering the biotech and pharmaceutical community in Southern California. This annual event consists of scientific sessions featuring recent breakthrough and progress in research and major therapeutic interventions as well as panel discussions focusing on strategies to reinvent biopharma R&D business models. Dr. Ge Li (CEO of WuXi AppTec) and Dr. Xiaodong Wang (Director, National Institute of Biological Sciences, Beijing, China) are among the keynote speakers of this year's event.

**TIME:** 8:00 am – 5:00 pm, Saturday June 5, 2010

**VENUE:** Hilton San Diego/Del Mar

**TICKETS:** Ranges from \$30 early bird to \$80 on site. \$10 discount for students and postdocs.

**WEB:** <http://www.sdbiopharma.org/>

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The Dragon Boat  
Festival 端午节  
North University  
Community Branch  
Library, Jun 12, 2010

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## Dragon Boat (Duanwu) Festival & Chinese Culture Day

For thousands of years, Duanwu Festival has been marked by eating Zongzi and racing dragon boats. SDCAA is co-sponsoring the Chinese Culture Day with North University Community Branch Library to introduce the rich history of Duanwu Festival to fellow San Diegans. Come to enjoy or participate in Chinese Folk Dances, Chinese Traditional Music, Taichi, Kongfu, Brush Painting, Qu Yuan Poetry Reading, Calligraphy, Arts & Crafts Demonstration, and maybe some Zongzi.

**TIME:** 10:00 am – 1:00 pm, Saturday June 12, 2010

**VENUE:** North University Community Branch Library (8820 Judicial Drive, San Diego, CA 92122)

**FEES:** Free

**SPONSORS:** SDCAA, AfterSchool LearningTree, Golden City Restaurant, Jennifer Zhou Insurance Services, and Justin Lin Prudential California Realty.

**WEB:** <http://www.sd4chinese.org/>

## Volleyball Tournament

2010 San Diego Chinese Volleyball Tournament is scheduled to be held in August. Please stay tuned for any updates and contact Xiaohe Chen [chen\\_xiaohex@yahoo.com](mailto:chen_xiaohex@yahoo.com) for details. See you at the games!

## About SDCAA

SDCAA is the leading San Diego Chinese American organization dedicated to facilitate the understanding and appreciation of Chinese and American peoples and cultures and to strengthen all people's ability to achieve their individual and collective goals while promoting their unique values.

The key areas of SDCAA's focus are,

- To advance culture, science and business exchanges and collaboration between US and China
- To facilitate and strengthen career and personal development for its members
- To advocate for and enhance the health and well-being of its members and their families

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