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Baldwin Park Celebrates Heritage with Historical Museum Reopening and AAPI Cultural Event

BALDWIN PARK, CA — The City of Baldwin Park invites the community to celebrate both its local history and diverse cultural heritage on Thursday, May 8, 2025, with two special events at the Arts & Recreation Center (14403-B Pacific Ave).

The festivities begin at 4 p.m. with the Grand Re-Opening Ceremony for the Baldwin Park Historical Museum. Following extensive renovations, the museum will once again showcase the rich history of Baldwin Park through exhibits, artifacts and educational displays. The museum will operate Tuesdays and Wednesdays from 4-7 p.m. and Saturdays from 11 a.m.-1 p.m., with classroom tours available by appointment.

At 5 p.m. on May 8, the community is invited to attend the Asian American & Pacific Islander (AAPI) Celebration, featuring cultural performances, art displays and interactive activities that honor the heritage and contributions of Baldwin Park's AAPI community members. This event marks the beginning of a month-long exhibition of works by AAPI artists that will run through June 7.

"These concurrent celebrations represent Baldwin Park's commitment to honoring both our shared history and our vibrant diversity," said Baldwin Park Mayor Alejandra Avila. "By reopening our Historical Museum and hosting our Asian American & Pacific Islander Celebration on the same day, we're creating a unique opportunity for our community to connect with both our past and the many cultures that enrich our present."

"Our City draws strength from both its historical roots and its cultural diversity," continued Mayor Avila. "This special day offers a meaningful opportunity to honor the stories that have shaped Baldwin Park while also celebrating the AAPI community members who contribute to our City's vibrant present and promising future."

Both events are free and open to the public. For more information about the Historical Museum, call (626) 214-1601, Ext. 351. For details about the AAPI Celebration, call (626) 813-5245, Ext. 311 or email arc@baldwinparkca.gov.

About the City of Baldwin Park

Baldwin Park is a nearly seven-square-mile, suburban community of 72,000 residents in the heart of the San Gabriel Valley. As the hub of the San Gabriel Valley, Baldwin Park is known for its ease of access and mobility, young and diverse residents, and vibrant, growing business community. For more information, visit baldwinpark.com or follow Baldwin Park on Facebook (@BaldwinParkCAGov), Instagram (BaldwinPark_CAGov), and Twitter (BaldwinParkCA_).

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