



25TH ANNUAL EVENING OF

Aloha GALA DINNER

SATURDAY, OCTOBER 3, 2026

THE WESTIN BONAVENTURE HOTEL & SUITES, LOS ANGELES



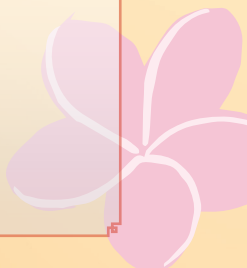
**JOIN US AS WE HONOR
THE GO FOR BROKE
SPIRIT AND LEGACY OF
THE JAPANESE AMERICAN
SOLDIERS OF WWII.**

FOR THE PAST 25 YEARS, THE EVENING OF ALOHA GALA has been our premier community gathering, honoring the 33,000 Japanese American men and women of World War II who courageously defended the ideals of the Constitution.

Go For Broke National Education Center is embarking on a new chapter beginning with the opening of the Go For Broke Plaza in the spring of 2027. The Plaza will establish a permanent 10,000-square-foot home to host innovative programming and ensure that the Nisei veterans' legacy inspires generations to come.

Be a part of this historic milestone and help us continue to connect this timeless story of courage and equality with diverse new audiences across the nation!

WAYS TO PARTICIPATE

- **Celebrate Their Legacy:** Join us as an honored guest, event sponsor, or digital tribute ad sponsor for an unforgettable and moving evening.
 - **Empower the Future:** Contribute to our annual "Fund the Future" initiative to drive vital historic preservation and expand national, multigenerational programming.
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Saturday, October 3, 2026
The Westin Bonaventure Hotel & Suites
California Ballroom (2nd Level)
404 S. Figueroa St. Los Angeles, CA 90071

4:00 p.m.
Registration & Silent Auction

6:00 p.m.
Dinner & Program

DINNER MENU CREATED BY
Chef Roy Yamaguchi
Roy's Restaurants Founder and Owner and
GFBNEC Board Member

Executive Chef Andreas Nieto and the
Westin Bonaventure Hotel Culinary Team

SPECIAL DESSERT COURTESY OF
King's Hawaiian Bakery and Restaurant and
Innovation Pastry Chef Heather Campbell

Attire: Business Formal or Dressy Hawaiian

HOTEL

Westin Bonaventure Hotel & Suites
404 S. Figueroa Street, Los Angeles, CA 90071
Tel: (213) 624-1000

Discounted rates for rooms can be made using
promo code "K6Y" on the hotel website.

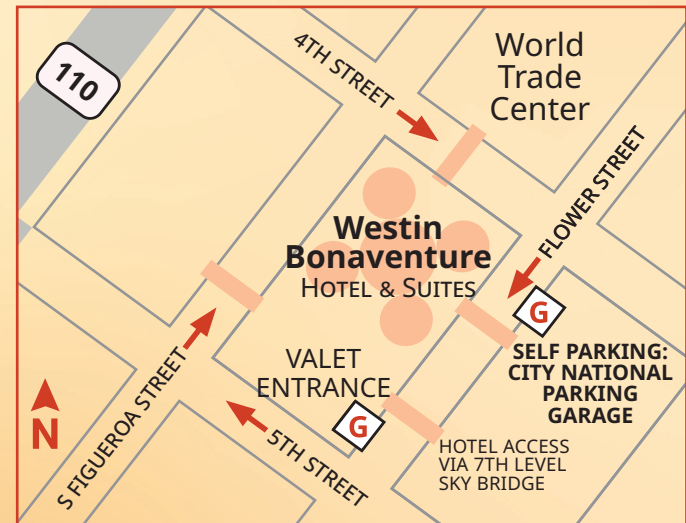
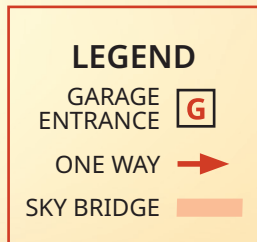
PARKING

Self-parking at City National Parking Garage—\$10 with event validation*
(Entrance to the garage is at 400 S. Flower St., which is located across the street from the hotel and connected to the hotel via the 7th floor Sky Bridge of the garage.)

Hotel valet parking—\$24 with event validation* (Entrance on Flower St.)

***Event validated parking fee is not applicable to overnight guests.**

For more information, visit goforbroke.org/eveningofaloha,
or email development@goforbroke.org.





2026 Evening of Aloha Gala Dinner Sponsorship Opportunities

DIAMOND \$50,000

- Premier seating for 2 Diamond Sponsor tables (20 seats total) with complimentary wine
- Opportunity to have a company representative participate in a 20-second welcome message
- Major name/logo recognition as a "Diamond Sponsor" in related print and online promotional materials including GFBNEC website homepage and event homepage
- Full-screen digital ad displayed at the event and during the pre-show
- Profile feature in GFBNEC's *eTorch*

RUBY \$30,000

- Preferred seating for 1 Ruby Sponsor table (10 seats total) with complimentary wine
- Opportunity to have a company representative introduce the "Living Nisei WWII Veteran Photo Tribute" during the event
- Major name/logo recognition as a "Ruby Sponsor" in related print and online promotional materials and listing on the event homepage
- Full-screen digital ad displayed at the event and during the pre-show
- Profile feature in GFBNEC's *eTorch*

EMERALD \$15,000

- Preferred seating for 1 Emerald Sponsor table (10 seats total) with complimentary wine
- Name/logo recognition as an "Emerald Sponsor" in related print and online promotional materials and listing on the event homepage
- Full-screen digital ad displayed at the event and during the pre-show

PLATINUM \$10,000

- 1 Platinum Sponsor table (10 seats total) with complimentary wine
- Name/logo recognition as a "Platinum Sponsor" in related print and online promotional materials and listing on the event homepage
- Full-screen digital ad displayed at the event and during the pre-show



2026 Evening of Aloha Gala Dinner Sponsorship Opportunities (continued)

GOLD \$ 7,500

- 1 Gold Sponsor table (10 seats total) with complimentary wine
- Name/logo recognition as a "Gold Sponsor" in related print and online promotional materials and listing on the event homepage
- Half-page digital ad displayed at the event and during the pre-show

SILVER \$5,000

- 1 Silver Sponsor table (10 seats total)
- Name recognition as a "Silver Sponsor" in related print and online promotional materials and listing on the event homepage
- Half-page digital ad displayed at the event and during the pre-show

BRONZE \$3,500

- 1 Bronze Sponsor table (10 seats total)
- Name recognition as a "Bronze Sponsor" in related print and online promotional materials and listing on the event homepage

STEEL \$2,500 (for tax-exempt nonprofit organizations only)

- 1 Steel Sponsor table (10 seats total)
- Name recognition as a "Steel Sponsor" in related print and online promotional materials and listing on the event homepage

FUND THE FUTURE

Invest in GFBNEC's long-term commitment of empowering others to create their own stories of courage as inspired by the Japanese American soldiers of World War II. Your contributions provide vital funds to support our exciting new educational initiatives, including our expanded national outreach, enhanced online and social media presence, and dynamic online programming to engage younger, more diverse audiences.

Gifts are tax-deductible as limited to the difference between the donation and estimated value of goods or services rendered (\$100 per seat). Federal Tax ID# 95-4245623



Digital Ad Sponsor – \$500

Digital ads will be featured at the event and during the event pre-show. Create your own ad, or one can be designed for you, with a photo and short message (see specifications below).

ADVERTISING SPECIFICATIONS

- 10"(w) x 7.5"(h)
- Color
- Files formatted in JPEG, TIFF, EPS, or PDF at 300 DPI are acceptable.
- Submit your ad by **Friday, September 18, 2026**, to development@goforbroke.org.

ADVERTISING SERVICES

- GFBNEC may produce ads. Please complete the Requisition for Custom-Designed Ads section and submit it by **Friday, September 18, 2026**, to development@goforbroke.org.

REQUISITION FOR CUSTOM-DESIGNED ADS

- 1) **PRINT** how you would like your name to be shown in your ad:

- 2) **SELECT** a message from the options below, or write your own.
Personalized messages for ads are limited to 30 words maximum and may be edited by GFBNEC.

- ☐ We are proud to support Go For Broke National Education Center.
- ☐ We salute the WWII Nisei Veterans and Go For Broke National Education Center.
- ☐ (Company Name) proudly supports Go For Broke National Education Center and applauds its commitment to preserving the legacy of the Japanese American WWII veterans.
- ☐ In honor of: _____
- ☐ In loving memory of: _____
- ☐ Own message: _____
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Reply Form

Please respond by **September 18, 2026**, using the enclosed reply envelope, or email christina@goforbroke.org.

MY INFORMATION

First Name _____ Last Name _____

Company/Organization (If Applicable) _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Email _____ Phone _____

Recognize my gift as: _____

SPONSORSHIP OPPORTUNITIES

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| ☐ Diamond \$50,000 | ☐ Platinum \$10,000 | ☐ Bronze \$3,500 |
| ☐ Ruby \$30,000 | ☐ Gold \$7,500 | ☐ Steel* \$2,500 |
| ☐ Emerald \$15,000 | ☐ Silver \$5,000 | *For tax-exempt nonprofits only |
- ☐ I/We will sponsor at the _____ level \$ _____
- ☐ I/We will purchase dinner tickets as follows:
- ☐ Individual tickets @ \$295 each \$ _____
 - ☐ Nisei WWII veteran tickets @ \$100 each \$ _____
 - ☐ WWII veteran widow/spouse tickets @ \$200 each \$ _____
 - ☐ Other veteran tickets @ \$200 each \$ _____
 - ☐ Student tickets @ \$175 each \$ _____
- ☐ I/We will donate for veterans to attend the dinner @ \$100 each \$ _____
- ☐ I/We will donate to "Fund the Future" to support GFBNEC's education programs \$ _____
- ☐ I/We will be a digital ad sponsor @ \$500 each \$ _____
- ☐ I/We will donate to the auction. Please contact me at: _____
- Total enclosed or authorized for charge to credit card \$ _____**

METHOD OF PAYMENT

- ☐ Enclosed is my check for \$_____ made payable to: Go For Broke National Education Center
(Please note "Gala Dinner" in the memo section of your check.)

Please charge my (circle one): **Visa** / **MasterCard** / **American Express** / **Discover**

Credit Card No. _____ Exp. Date _____ CVV No. _____

Name On Card (Please Print) _____ Signature _____

Billing Address _____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Email _____

GUEST LIST

Please list table guests individually with the table host on the first line. Indicate any dietary restrictions (e.g., vegetarian, vegan, gluten-free, food allergies) next to the guest's name. Return this list by **September 18, 2026**, using the enclosed reply envelope, or email to christina@goforbroke.org.

Guest First and Last Name	Wheelchair Access?	Veteran?	If a Veteran, Which War?
1 _____	☐	☐	
2 _____	☐	☐	
3 _____	☐	☐	
4 _____	☐	☐	
5 _____	☐	☐	
6 _____	☐	☐	
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9 _____	☐	☐	
10 _____	☐	☐	