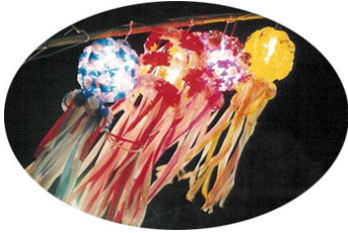


## *JASCO Family Fun Event*

# *Tanabata* / **Fourth of July** **Potluck Picnic**



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**JASCO FUN!**

**Sunday, July 9, 2006 at 12:00 p.m. (noon)**  
**Northern Shelter at Highbanks Metropark in Lewis Center**  
(From I-270, take U.S. 23 north about 3 miles. Entrance is on the left, just before Powell Road.)

You're sure to see stars at this belated, cross-cultural celebration of Japan's *Tanabata* (Festival of the Stars) and America's Independence Day.

Join us as we combine the traditions of *Tanabata* and Independence Day in this fun-filled event for the whole family. Wear your patriotic American colors of red, white and blue and eat traditional Fourth of July foods while writing down your *Tanabata* wishes and decorating a tree with colorful streamers. There will be crafts and storytelling for the kids, and fun games for both kids and adults. Everyone is welcome, so join in the festivities and "Celebrate the Stars" with JASCO!

**FOOD:**

The picnic will be a potluck event, so please bring a favorite dish that can be shared with approximately 10-12 people. Please also bring table service and drinks for your family members.

**FEES:**

This event is free for JASCO members and their families. Non-members and their families will be charged \$5 per family. (Non-members: JASCO membership information will be available at the event, and if you sign up and pay to be a member that day, your event fee will be waived!)

**RSVP:**

You can RSVP by phoning our office at 614-292-4002 or e-mailing us at [jasco@osu.edu](mailto:jasco@osu.edu). We will need the names of everyone you are bringing with you, so please include that info with your RSVP. The deadline to RSVP for this event is Wednesday, July 5.