

## *Order of the Evening*

*Arrival of guests and greetings*

*Program*

*Mr. Phil Barth, Founding JASCO President  
Honda Trading America Corp.*

*Mr. Bruce Henke, Incoming JASCO President  
Vorys, Sater, Seymour and Pease LLP*

*Hon. Bob Taft  
Governor, the State of Ohio*

*Hon. Makoto Ito  
Consul General of Japan in Detroit*

*Meeting of guests*

# **Five-Year Anniversary**

# Celebration of the Japan-America Society of Central Ohio



*February 4, 2003*

*6:00 - 8:00 pm*

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*The Japan-America Society of Central Ohio (JASCO) is a private, not-for-profit membership association of Americans and Japanese who desire to bring the Japanese and American communities together, promote goodwill through the sharing of knowledge about Japan, and provide a forum for informed discussion regarding the Japan-U.S. relationship. The Japan-America Society of Central Ohio is one of 36 Japan-America Societies located throughout the United States and is a member of the National Association of Japan-America Societies.*

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## *Upcoming JASCO Events:*

***Risk Management for Environmental Issues in the U.S.:*** *A Seminar in Japanese for Japanese Companies.*  
Tuesday, February 11, 1-4 pm, OSU Fawcett Center.

***Day of Remembrance,*** *movie and lecture by Toyo Kawakami: "WWI Internment of Japanese Americans."*  
Wednesday, February 19, Ohio Union, 5 - 7 p.m.

***Fifth Annual Japanese Language Speech Contest and Celebration of Japan Festival:*** *All day, Saturday March 8, Dublin Scioto High School.*

***Immigration Seminar,*** *Winter/Spring 2003. TBA.*

### ***Astro Boy's Birthday Celebration***

- ***Film Presentation,*** *Monday, April 7<sup>th</sup> 4-6 pm, Wexner Theatre, OSU Campus.*
- ***"Approaches to Japanese Manga" Seminar,*** *Monday, April 14, 4-6 pm. Location TBA.*
- ***"Manga and Science" Seminar,*** *Monday, April 28, 4-6 pm. Location TBA.*
- ***"The Influence of Japanese Manga" Seminar,*** *Monday, May 18, 4-6 pm, Location TBA.*
- *Other sessions on Manga and Anime TBA*

***An Evening at the Theatre,*** *Spring, 2003, TBA*

***"The State of the Japanese Economy,"*** *a lecture by Toshi Amino, May/June 2003. TBA*

***Japan Camp,*** *a week-long day-camp for kids with Dublin Arts Council, Summer 2003. TBA.*

***Passport to Japan,*** *Presentations on Japan to local schools, camps, and organizations. Ongoing.*



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*Consul General **Makoto Ito** and his wife for  
their continued support of JASCO and for  
sharing in this special event with us;*

*Janet Stucky, JASCO Executive Director,  
and Janelle Henderson, JASCO Program  
Coordinator, for organizing this celebration.*