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## **Mid-Valley Arts Notes**



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## **Heritage Center to show kimono collection**

A new exhibit, "The Art and Tradition of Kimono," will open Friday, Sept. 21, at the Willamette Heritage Center.

It's a partnership with the Oregon Nikkei Legacy Center.

The exhibition features kimono collected by Portland resident Tsuboi Taubkin during the course of her life, including examples of kimono created during the early 20th century. Taukbkin's mother, first-generation Japanese immigrant Yukimo Omori, came to Portland as a bride in 1913. She made kimono for her daughters each year, until the family was moved to an internment camp during World War II.

Kimono, a broad term meaning "something to wear" in Japanese society, is the national garment of Japan.

Museum hours are 10 a.m. to 5 p.m. daily except Sundays and some holidays.

Admission: \$6; \$5 for seniors (55-plus); \$4 for students; \$3 for youth 6 to 17 years old; free for children under 6 and for everyone on Tuesdays.



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