Musical Ancestries: Vietnam Additional Resources... Explore Our Community!

LOCAL ORGANIZATIONS

Vietnamese Communities: Xin chào

St. Louis Vietnamese Community

St. Louis Vietnamese Community (stlvnc.org) info@stlvnc.org

"St. Louis Vietnamese Community, a 501(c)(3) established in 1998 to enrich the Vietnamese American community through cultural preservation, social and educational support programs, while bridging relationships with other diverse communities to strengthen our heritage."

Advocate St. Louis / OCA - Asian Pacific American Advocates

Home - OCA Saint Louis Chapter (oca-stl.org)

"We are a community of advocates who embrace the hopes and dreams of Asian Americans and Pacific Islanders."

Asian American Chamber of Commerce St. Louis

Asian Chamber of Commerce - St. Louis - Home Page (aaccstl.org)

"Founded in 2011, the Asian American Chamber of Commerce (AACC) is an organization that exists to connect business leaders within the Greater St. Louis region as well as foster business opportunities across East, Southeast, and South Asia."

Vietnamese Student Associations

1. The Vietnam Institute - University of Missouri

The Vietnam Institute - University of Missouri | Facebook

"To develop a wide range of scientific and cultural interactions with institutions and individuals in Vietnam, thereby creating learning and research opportunities for MU students and faculty as well as Vietnamese citizens, and broadening internationalization of the MU campus."

2. Vietnamese Student Association - St. Louis University

Vietnamese Student Association - SLU Groups (sluconnection.com)

"The Vietnamese Student Association is dedicated to serving the community at Saint Louis University and beyond. We achieve this purpose by spreading cultural awareness and encouraging social advocacy through events that relate to Vietnamese history and traditions. We also strive to educate those of Vietnamese ancestry as well as those who are not of Vietnamese ancestry on Vietnamese culture, heritage, and tradition."

3. Vietnamese Students Association - VSA at Washington University in St. Louis

<u>Vietnamese Students Association -VSA at WashU | Facebook</u>

"Vietnamese Student Organization celebrates the Vietnamese traditions and longs to share its knowledge."

Vietnamese Buddhist Association of St. Louis/ Vien Minh Buddhist Temple Thắp Nhang Online Tại Chùa Viên Minh, St Louis, MO - ThapNhang.com 5234 Bulwer Ave St. Louis, MO 63147

"Chùa Viên Minh (Vien Minh Temple) is a Vietnamese Buddhist temple that has been established since 1987. This temple features traditional Vietnamese architecture, spacious courtyards, lush gardens, and beautiful marble columns. The temple serves as a spiritual center for the Vietnamese community in the area."

Vo Luong Quang Temple

4760 Heege Rd St. Louis, MO 63123

"Vo Luong Quang Temple is a buddhist nonprofit organization in Saint Louis, MO that was founded in 2004. The temple serves as a spiritual center for the Vietnamese community in the St. Louis area."

LOCAL FOOD AND MARKETS

St. Louis has many Vietnamese restaurants and markets. A quick online search can find a restaurant or market in your desired area. Listed below are a sample of the many fine Vietnamese restaurants and markets in St. Louis.

Truc Lam

Truc Lam Restaurant | Facebook

Saigon Cafe

Restaurant | Little Saigon Cafe | United States (saigoncafestl.com)

Mai Lee

Mai Lee STL

Pho Grand

Pho Grand | Authentic Vietnamese Cuisine

Pho Long Restaurant

Pho Long Restaurant | St. Louis MO | Facebook

Jay's International Food (market)

Jay's International Foods | St. Louis MO | Facebook

Global Foods Market

Global Foods Market | (globalfoodstl.com)

World Market

World Market in Dutchtown, St. Louis, MO • DutchtownSTL.org

United Provisions

United Provisions | United by Great Food

Olive Supermarket

Home - Olive Supermarket Inc. (mailchimpsites.com)

MUSIC ENSEMBLES IN THE U.S.

There are many excellent Vietnamese music ensembles and vocalists in the United States. Do an online search for your community!

Vietnamese American Philharmonic (VAP)

<u>VIETNAMESE AMERICAN PHILHARMONIC - Vietnamese American Philharmonic</u> (vapso.org)

"The Vietnamese-American Philharmonic was founded as a 501(c)(3) non-profit organization in June 1995 by a group of Vietnamese American musicians and music lovers from Orange County, California to promote and maintain the musical arts, mainly orchestral and chamber music. Since then, VAP has organized the VAP Youth Chamber Orchestra and the VAP Symphony Orchestra. VAP has sponsored many concerts presenting Vietnamese and Western Classical music."

Lạc Hồng Performing Arts Group

<u>LAC HÖNG PERFORMING ARTS - Keeping Tradition Alive (lachongarts.com)</u>

"Our group's mission is to preserve, develop, and promote Vietnamese traditional music and dance throughout the United States. Our program transposes traditional Vietnamese music into the commonly known Western format so that the musicians of today can learn the music of their culture in a way that is comfortable and common to them."

Ngan Khoi Chorus

Ngan Khoi Chorus | Facebook