SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 2

9:30 a.m.	Festival Procession	Spink Pavilion to Yagura Stage, Japanese Garden
10 a.m.	Opening Ceremony	Japanese Garden
10 a.m8 p.m.	Calligraphy Display	Spink Pavilion
10 a.m4 p.m.	Origami Display	Sachs Museum Lower Gallery
10 a.m.–5 p.m.	Balloon Art Teahouse Island Tours (hourly)	Kemper Center for Home Gardening Plum Viewing Arbor, Japanese Garden
10 a.m7 p.m.	Ikebana and Bonsai Display	Farr Auditorium
11 a.m.–noon	St Louis Eisa Yui Shodo Demonstration Bonsai Demonstration	Yagura Stage, Japanese Garden Bayer Event Center Jack C. Taylor Visitor Center Meeting Rooms
11 a.m.–12:30 p.m.	Cooking Demonstration	Kemper Center for Home Gardening Kitchen
noon-12:30 p.m.	Cosplay and Yukan Rakugo	Cohen Amphitheater PlantLab, Edward Jones Hall
12:30–1:30 p.m.	Wagashi Demonstration Kendo	Bayer Event Center Bottlebrush Buckeye Path
12:30-2 p.m.	Ikebana Demonstration	Jack C. Taylor Visitor Center Meeting Rooms
1–1:30 p.m.	Storyteller's Juubako Ice Sculpting	PlantLab, Edward Jones Hall Bottlebrush Buckeye Path
1–2 p.m.	St. Louis Eisa Yui	Cohen Amphitheater
1–5 p.m.	Shodo Writing and Sales	Prefunction Bayer Center
1–5 p.m.	Children's Activities	Spink Pavilion
1:30–3 p.m.	Cooking Demonstration	Kemper Center for Home Gardening Kitchen
2–3 p.m.	Niji Choral	Bayer Event Center
2:30-3 p.m.	Wagashi Workshop	Jack C. Taylor Visitor Center Meeting Rooms
2:30-3:30 p.m.	Sumo	Cohen Amphitheater
3-3:30 p.m.	Storyteller's Juubako	PlantLab, Edward Jones Hall
3–4 p.m.	St. Louis Eisa Yui Koryu Bugei	Yagura Stage, Japanese Garden Knolls
3:30–4 p.m.	Yasu Wagashi Workshop	Bayer Event Center Jack C. Taylor Visitor Center Meeting Rooms
4–4:30 p.m.	Rakugo	PlantLab, Edward Jones Hall
4:30–5:30 p.m.	Way of Tea Ceremony Sumo Judo	Bayer Event Center Cohen Amphitheater Bottlebrush Buckeye Path
4:30-6 p.m.	Ikebana Demonstration	Jack C. Taylor Visitor Center Meeting Rooms
5–5:30 p.m.	Intro to Zen	PlantLab, Edward Jones Hall
5–6 p.m.	Bon Odori	Yagura Stage, Japanese Garden
6-6:30 p.m.	Yasu	PlantLab, Edward Jones Hall
6:30-7:30 p.m.	Gaku	Bayer Event Center
7–8 p.m.	St Louis Osuwa Taiko	Cohen Amphitheater
7:30–9 p.m.	Toro Nagashi	Japanese Garden
8–10 p.m.	Candlelight Walk Movie: <i>Okko's Inn</i>	Japanese Garden Bayer Event Center

SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 3

10 a.m4 p.m.	Origami Display	Sachs Museum Lower Gallery
10 a.m.–5 p.m.	Balloon Art Teahouse Island Tours (hourly) Children's Activities	Kemper Center for Home Gardening Plum Viewing Arbor, Japanese Garden Spink Pavilion
10 a.m7 p.m.	Ikebana and Bonsai Display	Farr Auditorium
10 a.m.–8 p.m.	Calligraphy Display	Spink Pavilion
10-11 a.m.	Shodo Demonstration Aikido St. Louis	Bayer Event Center Bottlebrush Buckeye Path
10:15-11:15 a.m.	St Louis Eisa Yui	Cohen Amphitheater
10:30–11 a.m.	Storyteller's Juubako	PlantLab, Edward Jones Hall
11 a.mnoon	Wagashi Demonstration	Bayer Event Center
11 a.m.–12:30 p.m.	Cooking Demonstration	Kemper Center for Home Gardening Kitchen
11:30 a.mnoon	Rakugo	PlantLab, Edward Jones Hall
11:30 a.m1 p.m.	Ikebana Demonstration	Jack C. Taylor Visitor Center Meeting Rooms
noon-1 p.m.	Sumo	Cohen Amphitheater
12:30-1 p.m.	Yasu	Bayer Event Center
1–1:30 p.m.	Rakugo Ice Sculpting	PlantLab, Edward Jones Hall Bottlebrush Buckeye Path
1–2 p.m.	St. Louis Eisa Yui	Yagura Stage, Japanese Garden
1:30-2 p.m.	Dashi Procession Kimono Fashion Show Wagashi Workshop	Spink Pavilion Bayer Event Center Jack C. Taylor Visitor Center Meeting Rooms
noon-5 p.m.	Shodo Writing and Sales	Bayer Event Center
1:30-2:30 p.m.	Kendo	Bottlebrush Buckeye Path
2–3 p.m.	St. Louis Osuwa Taiko	Cohen Amphitheater
2:30-3 p.m.	Omikoshi Procession	Spink Pavilion
2:30-3 p.m.	Kimono Fashion Show	Bayer Event Center
3–3:30 p.m.	Rakugo Wagashi Workshop Dashi Procession	PlantLab, Edward Jones Hall Jack C. Taylor Visitor Center Meeting Rooms Spink Pavilion
3–4 p.m.	Koryu Bugei	Knolls
3:30-4 p.m.	Kimono Fashion Show	Bayer Event Center
4–4:30 p.m.	Storyteller's Juubako	PlantLab, Edward Jones Hall
4:15-4:45 p.m.	Yasu	Bayer Event Center
4–5 p.m.	St. Louis Eisa Yui Sumo	Yagura Stage, Japanese Garden Cohen Amphitheater
4–5:30 p.m.	Ikebana Demonstration	Farr Auditorium
5–6 p.m.	Way of Tea Ceremony	Bayer Event Center
5:30-6 p.m.	Yasu	PlantLab, Edward Jones Hall
5:30-6:30 p.m.	Bon Odori	Yagura Stage, Japanese Garden
6–7 p.m.	Zen and Japanese Culture	Jack C. Taylor Visitor Center Meeting Rooms
6:30-7:30 p.m.	Gaku	Bayer Event Center
7–8 p.m.	St Louis Osuwa Taiko	Cohen Amphitheater
7:30–9 p.m.	Toro Nagashi	Japanese Garden
8–10 p.m.	Candlelight Walk Movie: <i>Okko's Inn</i>	Japanese Garden Bayer Event Center

MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 4

10 a.m4 p.m.	Origami Display Teahouse Island Tours	Sachs Museum Lower Gallery Plum Viewing Arbor, Japanese Garden
10 a.m5 p.m.	Balloon Art Calligraphy Display Children's Activities Ikebana and Bonsai Display	Kemper Center for Home Gardening Spink Pavilion Spink Pavilion Farr Auditorium
10 a.m.–11 a.m.	Shodo Demonstration Bonsai Demonstration	Bayer Event Center Jack C. Taylor Visitor Center Meeting Rooms
10:15–11:15 a.m.	St Louis Eisa Yui	Cohen Amphitheater
11-11:30 a.m.	Storyteller's Juubako	PlantLab, Edward Jones Hall
11-12:30 p.m.	Cooking Demonstration	Kemper Center for Home Gardening Kitchen
11:30 a.m.–noon	Wagashi Workshop Yasu	Jack C. Taylor Visitor Center Meeting Rooms Bayer Event Center
noon-12:30 p.m.	Rakugo	PlantLab, Edward Jones Hall
noon-1 p.m.	Sumo Koryu Bugei	Cohen Amphitheater Knolls
12:30-1:30 p.m.	Wagashi Demonstration	Bayer Event Center
1–1:30 p.m.	Rakugo Ice Sculpting	PlantLab, Edward Jones Hall Bottlebrush Buckeye Path
1–2 p.m.	St. Louis Eisa Yui	Yagura Stage, Japanese Garden
1:30-2 p.m.	Dashi Procession	Spink Pavilion
1:30-2:30 p.m.	Judo	Bottlebrush Buckeye Path
1:30–3 p.m.	Ikebana Demonstration Cooking Demonstration	Jack C. Taylor Visitor Center Meeting Rooms Kemper Center for Home Gardening Kitchen
2-2:30 p.m.	Storyteller's Juubako	Spink Pavilion
2–3 p.m.	St. Louis Osuwa Taiko Gaku	Cohen Amphitheater Bayer Event Center
2:30-3 p.m.	Omikoshi Procession	Spink Pavilion
3–3:30 p.m.	Yasu Dashi Procession	PlantLab, Edward Jones Hall Spink Pavilion
3–4 p.m.	Gaku Contemporary	Bayer Event Center
3:30-4 p.m.	Wagashi Workshop	Jack C. Taylor Visitor Center Meeting Rooms
4–4:30 p.m.	Intro to Zen	PlantLab, Edward Jones Hall
4–5 p.m.	Sumo	Cohen Amphitheater
4:30–5 p.m.	Yasu	Bayer Event Center

We welcome all cosplayers to the festival, but please make sure that your costumes are family appropriate and leave your weapons at home—even if they are harmless props. Violators will be asked to leave the festival.

^{*}Event schedule is subject to change. Please see mobot.org/japanesefestival for the latest updates.