



OUR OAKLAND : EASTSIDE STORIES®

Building Community, Making Meaning, Recording History

JOIN THE VANGUARD – HELP LAUNCH OUR COMMUNITY DIGITAL STORYTELLING DAY!

Our Oakland: Eastside Stories® is an integrated public art and community building project by artist Rene Yung that will beautify the new East Oakland Community Library and create a web archive of community stories told by residents. The library will open in late 2009. ***Our Oakland*** will launch a **Community Storytelling Day** on October 25 to record community stories, songs, narratives, and photos from a group of invited families from East Oakland, to seed the archive.

We are looking for volunteers to help prepare for the event, as well as during the event:

- Graphics:
Help design banner, stickers, and certificate
- Media:
Interviewers, videographers, and media technicians to help with content collecting and production.
- Event staff:
Greeters, monitors, and other event facilitation and set up/clean up
Bilingual Spanish/English speakers to help with interpreting

WHEN:

Saturday Oct. 25

Event: 10 a.m. – 1 p.m.

Volunteer hours: 9:30 a.m. – 1:30 p.m

WHERE:

81st Ave. and Ruidsdale St., East Oakland

At the joint campus of ACORN Woodland School, Encompass Academy, and the new library

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Our Oakland: Eastside Stories® is a sustainable, citywide collaboration between Oakland residents, lead artist Rene Yung, the Oakland Public Library, Oakland Cultural Arts & Marketing Division, and civic partners.