WHEN
Saturday, April 4, 2009, 5 pm to 9:30 pm (anticipated – subject to change)
5:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.  Registration and socializing
(come early – open seating!)
6:00 p.m. – 7:00 p.m. Dinner Served
7:00 p.m. – 8:30 p.m. Entertainment Program
8:30 p.m. – 9:30 p.m.  Speed Dating!
++ Join us for an after-party at Velvet in Oakland, More info to follow ++

WHERE
Legendary Palace Restaurant, 708 Franklin St., Oakland, CA
(510) 663-9188 in Oakland Chinatown
- Wheelchair Accessible
- On-street Parking
- Four blocks from City Center/12th Street Station BART

http://www.themenupage.com/legendarypalace.html

MENU (anticipated menu – subject to change)
Appetizer Platter  Salt & Pepper Crabs
Bamboo with Seafood Soup  Vegetarian Delight
Honey Walnut Prawns  Ying-Yang Vegetables
Peking Spareribs  Yang Chow Fried Rice
Roasted Chicken  Dessert
Beverages available at Cash Bar

CONTACT/VOLUNTEER
For general information about the banquet, please email banquet@apiqwtc.org.
Volunteers are welcome. To volunteer for the banquet, contact Ginny Eng at
ginny@apiqwtc.org with subject “API Banquet”. A limited number of scholarships
are available for volunteers.

RESERVE AND PAY ON-LINE
Due to the tremendous success of the on-line reservation last year, we are
excited to offer it again. So, if you can’t find your checkbook, or if you’d like to
rack up some frequent flier points on your credit card, try out our on-line

Reserve and pay on-line by Monday March 23 to hold your space and ensure
discount pricing. Note that there is a 4% handling fee to cover the added costs
for these services.

RESERVATIONS (MAIL-IN)
Your reservation and payment must be postmarked by Monday March 23 to hold your
space and ensure discount pricing. Space is limited, reservation is guaranteed by check
only. Please return this form with your reservation.

Name(s) ___________________________________________________________
Address ___________________________________________________________
Phone  (____) _____________ Email  __________________________________

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Additional Donations to APIQWTC

Total (non-refundable after 3/27) payable to “API Banquet”

Donation for APIQWTC Scholarship Fund. Please make
separate check payable to “API Scholarship”. Thanks!

PREFERENCES  Please check, if applicable:
☐ Check here if you would prefer to be an anonymous Platinum or Gold Sponsor.
☐ Check here if you would like to be added to the APIQWTC mailing list to
receive discreet mailings about our future events.
☐ Check here if you want to receive a confirmation via ☐ email or ☐ phone that your
reservation has been received.

Please make checks payable to “API Banquet” and mail to:
API Banquet
238 Ansel Avenue, Alameda, CA 94501
YEAR OF THE (EARTH) OX

The Ox is the sign of prosperity through fortitude and hard work. One born in the year of the ox is known to be a born leader, being quite dependable and possessing an innate ability to achieve great things. As one might guess, such people are dependable, calm, and modest. Like their animal namesake, the Ox is unswervingly patient, tireless in their work, and capable of enduring any amount of hardship without complaint. They are most compatible with Snake, Rooster, and Rat people.

ABOUT APIQWTC
Asian Pacific Islander Queer Women and Transgender Community was formed in 1999 as a means of linking the organizations which support the communities of Bay Area queer women and transgender people of Asian and Pacific Islander descent. Proceeds of the Lunar New Year banquet will be used to fund projects that support and promote the visibility of the API LBTQ community. Your support also funds other APIQWTC activities, such as the summer bbq and the San Francisco LGBT Pride Parade. Please check our website for more info: www.apiqwtc.org.

APIQWTC SCHOLARSHIP
A portion of this year’s Banquet proceeds will go to a new scholarship fund. The APIQWTC Scholarship supports queer API women and transgender people in their pursuit of technical/professional training or higher education. The scholarship hopes to recognize those who are active in the community and encourage future leaders. The scholarship fund is strictly segregated from the APIQWTC general operating fund. For additional scholarship information contact Kriya Chantalat at kriya_c@yahoo.com.

Make a donation to the scholarship fund with your reservations today!

FREE COMMEMORATIVE MUG
The tradition continues…banquet attendees will receive a free commemorative mug. A must-add to your APIQWTC mug collection! Mugs from prior banquets will also be available.

DONATE PRODUCTS OR SERVICES AS PRIZES
Need to advertise your awesome products or unique services? Donate them to our banquet as prizes for the raffle or silent auction. The banquet gives you first hand exposure to our unique community. For more info contact Amy Sueyoshi at amysueyoshi@yahoo.com.

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