



2024 LOS ANGELES TANABATA FESTIVAL CRITERIA FOR KAZARI ENTRIES

REGISTRATION DEADLINE: Saturday, August 3, 2024

Kazari not registered by the deadline will not be eligible for the contest and will be for display only.

Basic Design: The traditional kazari design is a kusudama (ball) with a ring of streamers hanging below.

Judging Criteria:

- Representation of the theme: Peace
- Design of kazari
- Use of paper (kazari should be mostly composed of paper)

Materials Not Recommended: lightweight items such as foil or ribbon

Suggestion: use heavy-duty scotch tape, double-sided tape, glue or thin wire to secure paper decorations

If the kazari is over the maximum height, width or weight, it will be disqualified from the contest.

The kazari will be displayed but will not be entered in the contest.

- **MAXIMUM HEIGHT: 8 feet**
- **MAXIMUM WIDTH: 22 inches**
- **MAXIMUM WEIGHT: 8 pounds**

Prizes in each category:

- First place \$100
- Second place \$50
- Third place \$30

**KAZARI DROP-OFF DAYS: Wednesday, August 7, 2024 > 2 pm to 5 pm &
Thursday, August 8, 2024 > 10 am to 5 pm**

KAZARI PICK-UP DAY: Monday, August 19, 2024 > 10 am to 5 pm

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