# Scheduled Events

#### **MAIN STAGE**

11:00am	Soh Daiko
12:00pm	Welcome Ceremony
12:30pm	New Jersey Symphony Chamber Players
1:00pm	Cobu/Japanese Taiko Drumming & Dance Troup
<b>2:00pm</b>	Masayo Ishigure and MIAYBI koto shamisen Ensemble
3:00pm	Samurai Sword Soul
4:00pm	Taikoza Performance
2:00pm 3:00pm	Masayo Ishigure and MIAYBI koto shamisen Ensemble Samurai Sword Soul

#### **PRUDENTIAL CONCERT GROVE**

- 11am to 12pm TD Jazz for Teens-George Wein Scholars Ensemble Conducted by Director of Jazz Instruction Mark Gross
- 12:15pm to 1pm "Kuni Mikami & East of the Sun" Contemporary Japanese Music Performance
- 1:15pm to 2:15pm Youth Orchestras of Essex County Lou Kosma, Artistic Director presents The Essex Wind Ensemble Conducted by Peter Abazia and The Always Be Creative! Ensemble Conducted by Rick Faulkner
- 2:30pm to 4pm Sachiyo Ito & Company Japanese Classical and Contemporary Dance Performance

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# ESSEX COUNTY Bloomfest!

# SUNDAY, APRIL 14, 2024

at the Oval, Northern Division between Heller Parkway and Ballantine Gateway

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NEW LOCATION

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Welcome To...

**Essex County Branch Brook Park** to enjoy the most diverse collection of Cherry Blossom trees, even larger than the national display in Washington, DC. We invite you and your family to come out and experience this natural wonder.

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The fun continues with more entertainment and cultural activities in the Southern section of the park. Follow the Prudential Concert Grove signs to the events.



2024 ESSEX COUNTY

Cherry Blossom COUNTY Festival IN BRANCH BROOK PARK