

HAAPI (Harrisburg Asian American Pacific Islander) is proud to host the 2nd annual AAPI Heritage Month Celebration in partnership with the Midtown Scholar, Midtown Cinema, & Crawdaddy's. Join us in celebrating and recognizing the contributions of Asian American & Pacific Islanders to the history, culture, beauty, and achievements of the Greater Harrisburg Area and the United States.

Friday, May 19

An Evening with Wajahat Ali Go Back to Where You Came From: And Other Helpful Recommendations on How to Become American

Midtown Scholar
7:00 PM - 8:00 PM
Free and open to the public.

Everything Everywhere All at Once

Midtown Cinema 9:30 PM - 11:30 PM Reserve your free ticket online.

Saturday, May 20

Feeling Asian American

Documentary Screening
Director & Cast Q&A
Confessional Booth Experience

Midtown Cinema 3:00 PM - 4:30 PM Reserve your free ticket online.

HAAPI StoriesPhoto Story Series Exhibit

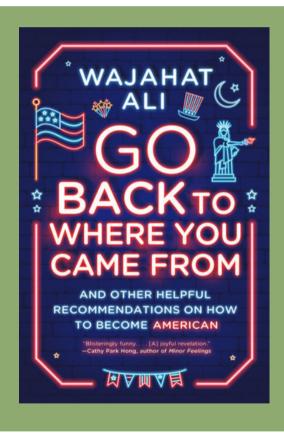
Crawdaddy's Restaurant 5:30 PM - 8:00 PM RSVP & purchase tickets by May 15.

Event details and ticket information at <u>linktr.ee/AAPIHBG</u>.





Midtown Scholar Bookstore and HAAPI are honored to welcome author Wajahat Ali to Harrisburg for an in-person presentation and signing on his new book.



In Go Back to Where You Came From, Ali tackles the dangers of Islamophobia, white supremacy, and chocolate hummus, peppering personal stories with astute insights into national security, immigration, and pop culture.

In this refreshingly bold, hopeful, and uproarious memoir, Ali offers indispensable lessons for cultivating a more compassionate, inclusive, and delicious America.



The event is free and open to the public. Registration is not required.



Everything Everywhere All At Once

AAPI Heritage Month Celebration



Midtown Cinema 9:30pm - 11:30pm



A HISTORY MAKING FILM

- 1st film to win over 6 Oscars
- Best Picture
- Best Director
- Best Actress
 1st Asian Actress in Oscar History
- Best Supporting Actor
 2nd Asian Actor in Oscar History
- Best Supporting Actress
- Best Original Screenplay
- Best Film Editing

"Every rejection, every disappointment has led you here to this moment. Don't let anything distract you from it."

Waymond Wang

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Tickets are first come first serve and must be reserved in advance at linktr.ee/AAPIHBG.



Feeling Asian American

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Midtown Cinema 3:00pm - 4:30pm



Feeling Asian American

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Feeling Asian American explores the emotional journeys of five individuals, who navigated their way through their own racial reckonings in the face of the COVID-19 pandemic. During the height of anti-Asian hate that not only continues to ripple out today, but also brings up echoes of the past, they found community, connection, and self. Through this film, we invite you to hear us, know us, see us. We are not a monolith, but we are all human. And we are here.







Documentary Screening Q&A with Emmy Nominated Director & Documentary Cast Members Confessional Booth Experience

Reserve your free ticket at linktr.ee/AAPIHBG.



HAAPI Stories

AAPI Heritage Month Celebration



Crawdaddy's Restaurant 5:30pm - 8:00pm

HAAPI (Harrisburg Asian American Pacific Islander) is a community who believes in sharing stories, not status. You are invited to celebrate the rich and beautiful Asian American stories through a photo story telling experience. In sharing our stories, we hope to create visibility, empathy, connection, community, and joy.

"I love drawing inspiration from Asian and Asian American designers. From the modern takes on traditional clothing to identity fluid expressions, I'm here to support and sometimes get playful with the way I express myself through clothing and makeup."



HALSTON



"My family history and heritage brings me much joy, and the color, curiosity, and zest for being just a bit different are in my blood."

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\$20 per person. Sponsorship opportunities available. RSVP and purchase tickets by May 15 at <u>linktr.ee/AAPIHBG</u>.

