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UOG invites the community to celebrate its 54th Charter Day

The community is invited to join in the celebration of the 54th Annual University of Guam Charter Day: Charting a Course for New Horizons. This year's Charter Day celebrations will include both virtual and in-person events.

Starting with a livestream proclamation signing at 10:30 a.m. this Friday, the Charter Day celebration will continue over the next two weeks with a livestream ceremony, three community festivals taking place on the UOG campus, and the annual CHamoru Language Competition for K-12 students, which will be livestreamed.

The annual Charter Day celebration marks the anniversary of the university's founding in 1952 and the signing of the charter that renamed the Territorial College of Guam to the University of Guam in 1968. In typical years, the event is an all-day community event, welcoming more than 6,000 people to the campus for events and activities in nearly every department.

This year's theme — Charting a Course for New Horizons — looks to the future of the university's role in academics, research, and service in the region.

The schedule of activities is as follows:

**Friday, March 18:
Charter Month Proclamation Signing**

- 10:30 a.m.
- Livestream: [Governor's Facebook Page](#)

Thursday, March 24:

Micronesian Culture and Traditions Day

- 6 p.m. – 9 p.m.
- Calvo Field House/Student Center Parking Lot

Monday and Tuesday, March 28 and 29:

Inacha'igen Fino' CHamoru (CHamoru Language Competition)

- 9 a.m. – 4 p.m.
- Livestream link to be posted at url.uog.edu/clc2022

Thursday, March 31:

Charter Day Ceremony

- 9 a.m.
- Livestream: [UOG's Facebook Page](#)

Friday, April 1:

54th Charter Day Festival

- 3 p.m. - 7 p.m.
- Center Courtyard
- Featuring food trucks, music, entertainment by Tritons Collective, student and community organization outreach booths, guest speakers, and raffle prizes

Saturday, April 2:

Green Night: 50 Years of Land-Grant Heritage

- 4 p.m. - 8 p.m.
- Agriculture & Life Sciences Building
- Featuring food trucks, a petting zoo, cycad garden tours, snake wrangling, local produce and craft sales, plant sales, giveaways, and a Glow-in-the-Dark Family Fun Run/Walk

Until Friday, April 1:

CLASS ARC Exhibition: A Retrospective of Visual Arts

- 10 a.m. - 5 p.m. Weekdays
- 10 a.m. - 2 p.m. Saturdays
- Isla Center for the Arts, Dean's Circle House #15

Masks and social distancing will be required at all in-person events.

For more information, visit www.uog.edu/charter-day/2022.

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