



Ontario

Toronto Dragon Festival 2022

I would like to express my warmest congratulations to the Canadian Association of Chinese Performing Arts (CACPA) for organizing and presenting the Toronto Dragon Festival 2022.



Launched in 2018 and successfully held in 2019, the Toronto Dragon Festival had been recognized as a stellar event showcasing the essences of traditional Chinese culture while offering exclusive opportunities for attendants to be engaged in an interactive Chinese cultural and arts activities. Dazzling shows of Chinese traditional culture and performing arts brought together people from different communities and offer them with one of the best local experiences.

After an interruption of nearly three years due to the global pandemic, this year's Festival carries a special meaning with hope of revitalizing the community atmosphere and help people getting back to normal life.

I applaud the Canadian Association of Chinese Performing Arts (CACPA) for providing Canadians with a unique opportunity to appreciate the essence of Chinese and Asian culture. These efforts are what make multiculturalism a cornerstone of Ontarian identity.

I hereby wish those who participated in this festival all the best.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Aris Babikian'.

*Aris Babikian, MPP
Scarborough-Agincourt
September 2nd, 2022*

