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THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

MRS. FORD:

Event: Tea with Mrs. Mutsuko Miki, wife of the Prime Minister of Japan

Date/Time: August 6, 1975 3:00 p.m.

Sequence of Events:

2:55 p.m. Nancy Ruwe will escort you to the Diplomatic Reception Room where you will wait for the arrival of Mrs. Miki.

3:00 p.m. Mrs. Miki and your guests will arrive through the Southwest Gate. You will greet Mrs. Miki in front of the entrance to the Diplomatic Reception Room.

NOTE: There will be press photo coverage of the greeting.

3:05 p.m. You will escort your guests to the Second Floor via elevator.

You will have tea with your guests in the West Hall.

NOTE: There will be a small photo pool present.

After the tea, you may wish to give your guests a tour of the Family Quarters.

3:30 p.m. You will escort your guests to the Diplomatic Reception Room and bid farewell.

NOTES:

An interpreter will be present.

A White House photographer will be present.

Background information is attached.

Nancy Ruwe

A guest list is attached.



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INFORMATION

August 2, 1975

MEMORANDUM FOR: MRS. FORD

FROM: BRENT SCOWCROFT *RS*

SUBJECT: Additional Information on Those
Accompanying Mrs. Miki to your Tea
at 3:00 p. m. , August 6

Following are brief comments on some of the ladies who, together with Mrs. Miki, will be attending your tea on August 6.

Mrs. Sueko Yasukawa, wife of the Japanese Ambassador, is regarded as an accomplished pianist and a good bridge player. The Yasukawas have three children; two teenage daughters in the U. S. , and a son studying journalism in Japan. Mrs. Yasukawa is 50 years old and speaks English well.

Mrs. Ei Mori, wife of Mrs. Miki's youngest brother, also acts as Mrs. Miki's personal secretary. She has travelled extensively overseas and speaks fluent English. She is 38 years old. She is fond of pets, particularly dogs.

Mrs. Eleanor Ingersoll, wife of the Deputy Secretary of State, has been married to Robert S. Ingersoll for 37 years. She spent two years in Japan (1971 - 1973) when her husband was the American Ambassador there. Her interests include hospital volunteer work, gardening, golf, tennis, needlework, symphony concerts, and her eight grandchildren. She and her four daughters are graduates of Smith College. She is 60 years old, and grew up in Chicago.

Mrs. Maria Hodgson, wife of the American Ambassador to Japan, is herself a specialist in the treatment of reading disabilities. She shares her husband's interest in Asia, and last December represented the U. S. in the Ikebana "International Friendship through Flowers" Display. The Hodgsons have two children: a married daughter in Boulder, Colorado, and a son at UCLA.

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Mrs. Noriko Ogura, wife of the First Secretary at the Japanese Embassy, will be serving as interpreter. She is 31 years old, and has a four year old child.



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For immediate release
Tuesday, Aug. 5, 1975

THE WHITE HOUSE
Office of the Press Secretary to Mrs. Ford

Mrs. Ford will host a tea Wednesday, August 6 at 3 p.m. for Mrs. Mutsuko Miki, wife of the Prime Minister of Japan. The tea will be in the Family Quarters.

Guests will be Mrs. Sueko Yasukawa, wife of the Japanese ambassador; Mrs. Ei Mori, wife of Mrs. Miki's youngest brother; Mrs. Eleanor Ingersoll, wife of the US Deputy Secretary of State; Mrs. Maria Hodgson, wife of the American ambassador to Japan; and Mrs. Noriko Ogura, wife of the First Secretary of the Japanese Embassy.

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PRESS COVERAGE:

There will be open coverage of the arrivals at the South Portico. Press pickup will be in the press lobby at 2:45 p.m.

There will be a photo pool to cover the beginning of the tea, following coverage of the arrivals.

Pool:

AP photo

UPI photo

Washington Post photo

Star-News photo

Newsweek photo



THE WHITE HOUSE

WASHINGTON

DINNER IN HONOR OF
HIS EXCELLENCY TAKEO MIKI
PRIME MINISTER OF JAPAN

August 5, 1975

7:30 p. m.

Dress: Black Tie

Arrival:

-- 7:30 p. m. ... Your guests will arrive through the Diplomatic Reception Room and will be escorted to the Blue Room for mixed drinks.

-- 7:40 p. m. ... You will be escorted via elevator to the North Portico where you will greet Prime Minister Miki.

NOTE: Photo coverage of greeting.

-- You will escort Prime Minister Miki to the Blue Room where you will join your guests for mixed drinks.

Dinner:

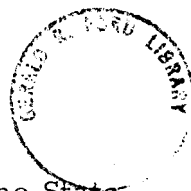
-- Rectangular table

-- 8:00 p. m. ... You will escort Prime Minister Miki to the State Dining Room for Dinner.

-- At the conclusion of dinner, you will rise and propose a toast
-- Prime Minister Miki will respond.

NOTE: Suggested toast is attached (Tab A).

NOTE: There will be mini-camera coverage of the toasts with a small photo pool ... toasts will be piped to the press ... transcripts will be released to the press.



After Dinner:

- You will escort Prime Minister Miki to the Blue Room -- guests will proceed to the Blue Room.
- Demitasse, liqueurs and cigars will be served to your guests.

Departure:

- You will escort Prime Minister Miki to the North Portico.
- You may wish to mingle with your guests or return to the Family Quarters.

NOTES:

- Guest list is attached (Tab B).
- Marine String Ensemble will be playing in the Grand Hall.
- White House photographer will be present.
- Military Social Aides will be present.

Nancy Ruwe





—AP Wirephoto

Tea for Mrs. Miki—

Mrs. Takeo Miki, wife of Japanese Prime Minister Miki, chatted with Betty Ford during a tea Wednesday

at the White House. In background is a Japanese doll which Mrs. Miki presented to Mrs. Ford.

Israel refutes Palestinians' version of border clashes

By The Associated Press

Palestinian guerrillas said they attacked two Israeli border settlements Wednesday and that Israel retaliated

attack to move Israeli casualties, and our commando unit returned safely to base," he said, adding that an Israeli tank and one artillery piece were

East News Agency quoted Sadat as saying.

He added: "If Israel does introduce these arms she will shoulder respon-