

Fukui City Newsletter

October 25th Edition

Consumer's Festival

When: Sun. November 26th; 10am – 4pm

Where: Phoenix Plaza

Details:

- Quiz Rally
- Legal consultation for housing
- Toys, shoes, and umbrella (except fold-up ones) collecting
- Toy Giveaway
- Recycled Bike Raffle (10 bikes)
- Shoe donation for children in Africa (Max. 3 points per person. No slippers)
- Short play by Osama theater company
- Flea Market
- Products made from fresh locally grown crops
- Pork soup serving (first 1000 people get served)
- And MORE!

～Request for Used Toys～

Types: Toys for small children, picture books, etc.

*Limited to toys that can be used indoors We will not be accepting toys that are extremely dirty, worn out, or damaged
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Drop-off spot: Please hand in any donations to the counter at Phoenix Plaza by Mon. November 13th. Thank you!

General Inquiry: 0776-20-5070



Make Decorative Sushi Using Ingredients from Fukui

When: Sat. December 2nd; 1:30pm - 3:30pm

Where: Aossa 6th Floor (Cooking Room [chouri-jisshuu-shitsu])

Target: Elementary school students (must be accompanied by a parent/guardian)

Maximum # of participants: 15 (chosen by lottery)

Fee: 500 yen

Registration: Call or email to register.

Phone: 0776-20-5459

E-mail: cyuou-k@mx1.fctv.ne.jp



Cultural Festival

Events & When

Phoenix Plaza

Artwork Display

Fri. November 3rd; 10:30am - 5pm

Sat. November 4th; 10am - 4pm

Experience Corner (Fri. November 3rd)

Events	Time	Target/Max. # of Attendees/Fee
Pastel Painting	11:00am - 1pm	—
HandCrafts	11:00am - 1pm (sign-ups are until 12pm)	Elementary school students and younger (must be accompanied by a parent/guardian)
Flower Arrangement	11:00 ~ ; 1pm ~	First 40 people
Calligraphy	1:30pm - 4:30pm (sign-ups are until 4pm)	Elementary and Middle School students (elementary school students must be accompanied by a parent/guardian)
Make a Mysterious Flower Bloom on top of Paper	1:30pm - 4:30pm (sign-ups are until 4pm)	Ages 3 and up (3 and 4-year olds must be accompanied by a parent/guardian)
Shogi Tournament	10am ~	Adults 1500 yen, High school and younger 800 yen (includes lunch)
Tea Ceremony	10am - 4pm (sign-ups are until 3:30pm)	500 yen
Incense-Smelling Experience	10am - 4pm (sign-ups are until 3pm)	500 yen, middle school students and older

Fukui City Cultural Hall (Bunkakaikan)

A competition among 23 groups who will perform traditional Japanese dance (Nichibu), Ballet, traditional Japanese music, etc. will take place.

Fri. November 3rd; 11:40am – 4:30pm

Venue opens at 11am

Inquiry: 0776-20-5367

Soba Thanksgiving Festival

Won't you try some flavorful soba!

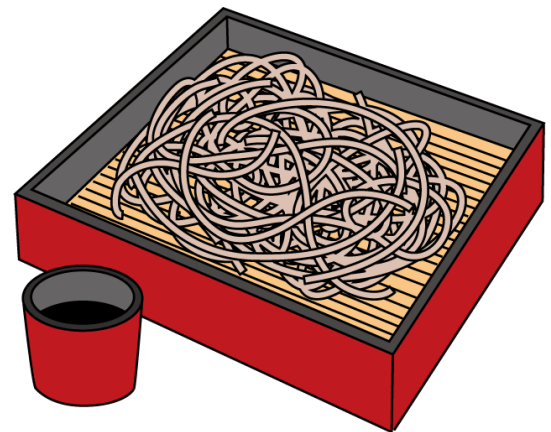
When: Fri. November 3rd; 10am – 3pm (in the case of rain, the festival will continue as scheduled)

Where: Ichijodani Asakura Mizu Station

1-1-1 Abakanakajimacho Fukui-shi

Details:

- **Oroshi-soba for sale and soba-making demonstration**
- **Free rice balls hand-out (11am, first 150 people get served)**
- **Free tree sapling giveaway**
- **Taste-tasting of baked sweet potato baked with burning Husk - 11:30am, 12:30pm, 1pm**
 - **First 20 get served; cancelled in the case of rain and strong wind**
- **Mobile Library and fun arts and crafts**
- **JAF's Traffic Safety Experience**
- **Food stands**



Family Soba Making Experience

When: 10am~, 11am~, 1pm~

of groups – 6

Fee: 1500 yen per group

Registration: Call to register by Thurs. November 2nd.

General Inquiry/Registration: 0776-41-2777

Soba Festival in Miyama

Go around and enjoy various types soba! 8 soba food stands set up by local soba-loving clubs.

When: Sun. October 29th, 10am – 4pm

Where: Miyama Kigokoro Cultural Hall [2-8 Miyama Fukui-shi]

Details:



- Soba eating contest @ 10:50pm
 - 4 brackets (elementary school students, middle school students, women, and men)
- Nagashi-soba (catch and eat flowing soba) @12:10pm (for middle school students and younger)
- Soba mincing experience
- Cotton rosemallow seedling giveaway (first 200 people)

- Local special products for sale
- and MORE!

Inquiry: 090-4327-3314

Soba Noodle Workshop

Date & Time: Sun. November 19th, 9:30am to 12pm

Venue: Osagoe Minka En Folk Village

Target audience: Elementary school students and older (elementary school students must be accompanied by their parent/guardian)

Max. No. of Participants: 25 (first come, first served)

Entry Fee: ¥300

Items to bring: Apron, bandanna, dishcloth, hand towel

Registration: Starting Mon. November 6th, please call to register.

Inquiries & Registration: 0776-35-1015



Midori Yose: Rakugo (Comedic storytelling) Performance by Tsuki No Kai

Tsuki No Kai, a rakugo group from the prefectural office, will be performing.

Date & Time: November 11th (Saturday) from 2pm to 3:30pm

Place: Midori Library

Target Audience: Middle school students and older

Max. No. of Participants: 60 (first come, first served)

Inquiries: 0776-34-8859



Dinosaur Origami Class

Shall we make dinosaurs using Echizen paper?

Date & Time: November 11th (Saturday) from 1:30pm to 3pm

Place: Fukubukan (Happiring, 2nd floor)

Target audience: 4th grade students and older

Max. No. of Participants: 30 (first come, first served)

Entry fee: ¥500

Registration: Starting Mon. October 30th, please call to register.

Inquiries & Registration: 0776-20-2929



Let's Go Look at the Moon in the Evening Sky

We will view the moon on the 13th day of the 9th month of the lunar calendar. Junior high school students and younger must be accompanied by a parent or guardian.

Date & Time: Wed. November 1st from 7pm to 9pm; event will be canceled in case of rain or cloudy skies

Place: Natural History Museum

Inquiries: 0776-35-2844



Moon-viewing Party at the Station

We will be using telescopes and binoculars to view the moon in the phase of its last quarter.

Date & Time: November 1st (Wednesday) from 6pm to 7pm; event will be canceled in case of inclement weather

Place: JR Fukui Station West Exit (Dinosaur Plaza)

Inquiries: 0776-43-1622

Seiren Planet website www.fukui-planet.com

Flute Concert

The starry sky and the sound of a flute make a wonderful combination. Also, enjoy a commentary on the autumn constellations and performances of their legends.

Date & Time: November 11th (Saturday) from 5:30pm to 6:15pm

Venue: Seiren Planet (Happiring, 5th floor)

Max. No. of Attendees: 150

Admission: Advance purchase: ¥500 |

At the door: ¥600

*Tickets sold at Seiren Planet. Season tickets and disability passes will not be accepted.

Inquiries: 0776-43-1622



International Exchange Art Exhibition

Artworks such as paintings, calligraphy, etc. by elementary and middle school students from Fukui City and its sister cities and friendship cities will be displayed.

Date & Time: November 17th (Friday) through November 23rd (Thursday, a holiday) from 9am to 5:15pm

*Last entry at 4:45pm

*Opens at 10:30am on November 17th

Closed: November 20th (Monday)

Place: City Art Museum

Inquiries: 0776-20-5350