

Osageo Minkaen, Folk Village Museum Events

◇ Folk Village Light Up

A light up event will be held for the Okamoto Residence. Come enjoy a memorable spring night at the Folk Village Museum (weather permitting)

When: March 16th (Sat.) – 24th (Sun.), 18:00 – 20:30

(Event will be cancelled in the case of stormy weather)

*The Museum will “close” at 17:15, but reopen for free at 17:30

Closed Dates: March 18th (Mon.), 22nd (Fri.)



◇ Folk Village Day Event: Folk Village Explanation

Come experience the village for yourself, but not as any other normal visitor; you will be able to take a look inside special rooms usually hidden from the public!

When: March 17th (Sun.), 10:00-11:30

◇ General information

Where: おさごえ民家園 (Osageo Minkanen), Osageo Minkanen, Folk Village Museum

Inquiries: Cultural Properties Protection Division

TEL: 0776-35-1015

Tokugawa and Echizen Matsudaira Houses

We will be introducing the relationship between the Tokugawa and the Echizen Matsudaira houses with the assistance of visuals and documents such as family trees, archives, records, and more!

When: March 21st (Thurs.) (Holiday) – May 19th (Sun.), 9:00-19:00

***You may enter the museum up to 30 minutes prior to closing.**

Venue holidays: April 15th (Mon.), May 7th (Tues.)

Where: 郷土歴史博物館 (Kyoudo Rekishi Hakubutsukan)

Fee: 210 yen

***Middle school students and younger, elderly of the age 70 and above, as well as those with disabilities and their accompanied guardian(s) are granted free admittance.**

Inquiries: Fukui City History Museum

TEL: 0776-21-0489

YOSAKOI Keirin Cup

12 YOSAKOI dance troupes from all over Japan will compete in an unforgettable event at the Keirin Race Track.

When: March 17th (Sun.), starting 11:00
(May be cancelled in the case of stormy weather)

Where: 福井競輪場 正門付近広場
(Fukui Keirinjou Seimon Fukin Hiroba)

Inquiries: 公営競技事務所 (Kouei Kyougi Jimusho) (Competitions Public Office)

TEL: 0776-34-3000



Let's Make a Sundial!

Come make a spring sundial and learn how to use it!

When: March 21st (Thurs.) (Holiday), 14:00-14:30

Where: ハピリン5階 (Hapirin 5 Kai) Happiring 5F, should be straight ahead

Capacity: 10 (first come, first serve and on-site reception)

Participation Fee: 100 yen (materials fee)

Inquiries: セーレンプラネット (Se-ren Puranetto) Seiren Planet

TEL: 0776-43-1622

Mobile Astronomical Society

Come catch Sirius, Mars, and the Orion Nebula at just the right timing!

When: March 28th (Thurs.), 19:00-20:00

(May be cancelled in the case of rain or cloudy weather)

Where: JR 福井駅西口 恐竜広場 (JR Fukui Eki Nishiguchi Kyouryuu Hiroba)

JR Fukui Station, West Gate: Dinosaur Plaza

Inquiries: セーレンプラネット (Se-ren Puranetto) Seiren Planet

TEL: 0776-43-1622



My Dome Shimizu Events

◇ Smile Yoga / Face Yoga

When: March 21st (Thurs.) (Holiday), 10:00-11:30

Host: Fuku-Fuku Warai Club representative, Nakajima Akiko

Participation Fee: 500 yen

Things to Bring: Beverage(s)

◇ Rejuvenating Hand Massage Classroom



Learn to give a hand massage using aroma oils!

When: March 27th (Wed.) 10:00-11:30

Host: Lymph Therapist, Kobayashi Kazuyo

Capacity: 15 (first come, first serve)

Participation Fee: 1000 yen

Things to Bring: Face towel, beverage(s)

Application: By phone starting March 15th (Fri.)

◇ Chiropractic Exercise Classroom

When: March 28th (Thurs.), 9:30-11:00 and 11:30-13:00

Activities: Check for knots/abnormalities, hands-on experience (pun intended), exercise classroom

Host: Certified Chiropractor, Nakahara Miwa

Capacity: 10 (first come, first serve)

Participation Fee: 1000 yen

Application: By phone starting March 15th (Fri.)

◇ General Information

Inquiries/Location/Application: マイドーム清水(真栗町) (Mai Do-mu Shimizu (Makurichou)), My Dome Shimizu

TEL: 0776-98-4222

Yayoi Public Musical Performance

This event features 10 Fukui City high school bands participating in a showcase performance.

When: March 23rd (Sat.), 12:00-19:00, 24th (Sun.), 11:30-18:00

Where: フェニックス・プラザ 小ホール (Fenikkusu Puraza Shouho-ru), Phoenix Plaza, Small Hall

FREE ADMISSION

Capacity: 500 (first come, first serve)

Inquiries: Phoenix Plaza

TEL: 0776-20-5060

A Stroll Down Memory Lane: Spring Edition

Come and learn about the history of Asuwa River and the Asuwayama area! The means of transportation are your own two feet!



◇ Spring Flowers of Asuwayama

We will tour the Asuwayama area and learn about its history.

When: April 6th (Sat.), 10:00-12:00

Path Includes: Statue of Emperor Keitai, Fujishima Jinja (Shrine), Shakudani Stone mining grounds, Asuwa Jinja (Shrine), and more!

◇ Sakura After Hours: Asuwa River and Asuwayama Night Tour!

Come learn about the history behind the Asuwa district while walking alongside the river and the illuminated cherry blossoms.

When: April 6th (Sat.), 17:30-19:00

(May be cancelled in the case of stormy weather)

Path Includes: Griffis Museum, remains of Akemi Tachibana's home, 安養寺 (Anyouji) (temple), Atagozaka, and much more!

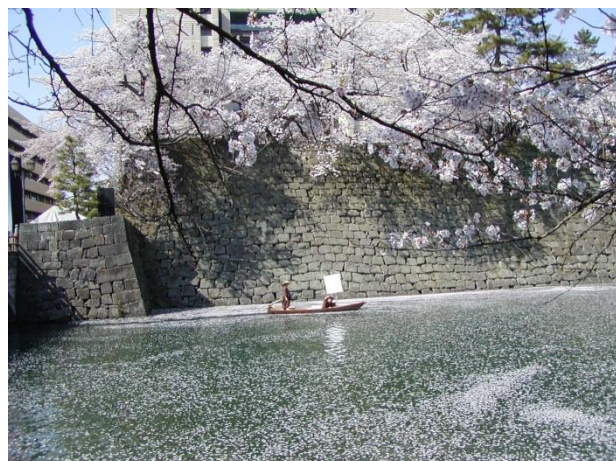


◇ Fukui Castle Remains in Spring

Enjoy a stroll through the former Fukui Castle area with history knowledge sprinkled on top.

When: April 7th (Sun.), 13:00-15:00

Path Includes: Open space in the castle, 「福の井」 (Fuku no I), and much more! (It is also possible to go on a boat ride in the moat around the castle!)



◇ General Information:

Participation Fee: 100 yen

Capacity: 15 (first come, first serve)

Application: Either by email or phone by March 15th (Fri.)

Inquiries/Application: 歴史のみえるまちづくり協会 History “Machizukuri” Association

TEL: 0776-35-0855

Email: info@fukui-rekimachi.jp

Gas Cooking Studio Cooking Classroom



◇ Traditional Cooking Classroom



When: April 10th (Wed.), 10:30-12:30

Dishes: Steamed rice and meatballs, salad (shredded lettuce), potato potage

Host: Fukui City Healthier Eating Promotion Department member

◇ Torobi-chan Cooking Classroom



When: April 19th (Fri.) 10:00-12:30

Dishes: Plum millet rice, fried fish, miso Dengaku with stir-fried vegetables, bacon and cabbage salad

Host: Noji Farm's Noji Naomi

Capacity: 15 (random selection)

Participation Fee: 1000 yen

Deadline: April 10th (Wed.)

◇ Working Adults Cooking Classroom

When: April 25th (Thurs.), 18:30-20:30

Dishes: Various Chinese-style dishes (includes sashimi)

Host: Tega Minako

Capacity: 15 (random selection)

Participation Fee: 500

Deadline: April 16th (Tues.)

◇ General Information

Where: ガスクッキングスタジオ (Gasu Kukkingu Sutajio (Kigyokuyokuchosha 1F))

Gas Cooking Studio



Things to Bring: Apron, hairnet/option to cover hair, hand towel, writing utensil(s)

Application: Apply via phone or email by the respective deadlines. If you are to send an email, be sure to include your personal information and your phone number.

***Those selected will be contacted via given phone number.**

Inquiries/Application: ガス・水道お客様課 (Gasu Suidou Okyakusamaka) Gas and Waterworks Customer Services Department

TEL: 0776-20-5632

Email: gwokyakusama@city.fukui.lg.jp

Atagozaka Tea Society

We will be learning not only how to set up the room and prepare for various tea ceremonies, but we will also carry out the tea ceremonies as well! Come on down to Atagozaka and enjoy some tea!

When: May 19th (Sun.) 9:30-16:00

Where: 愛宕坂茶道美術館、御りょうり離世 (Atagozaka Sadou Bijutsukan, Oryouri Hanase) (if putting into Google with Japanese keyboard, type in “hanasu” for the first Kanji, then “sedai” for the second to make “hanase”)

Participation Fee: 6000 yen

Capacity: 80 (first come, first serve)

Application: Phone reception begins March 23rd (Sat.) at 9:00.

Inquiries/Application: Atagozaka Tea Ceremony Museum

TEL: 0776-33-3933

Shinrin Park Opens!

Use the park grounds as you wish. From camping to barbecuing and everything in between, come enjoy the park to your heart's content.

Facilities:

◇ SST らんど (SST Rando) (SST Land)

Where: Sasadanichou 115

TEL: 0776-98-2752

Dates Open: From April 1st (Mon.) ~ November 30th (Sat.)



◇ リズムの森 (Rizumu no Mori) (Forest of Rhythm)

Where: Nishinakachou 20-23

TEL: 0776-96-4411

Dates Open: April 20th (Sat.) ~ October 31st (Thurs.)

◇ General Information

Inquiries: Forestry and Fishery Division

TEL: 0776-20-5430

Special Spring Exhibition: The Treasure of Daianzenji

A treasure of grave importance to Fukui's Edo Period has been passed down. The members of the Fukui Clan, Tachibana Akemi, and more devoted themselves to this treasure located in Echizen Matsudaira's Daianzenji Temple. The history of Daianzenji Temple and the treasure of Daianzenji Temple will be introduced.

When: March 21st (Thurs. Holiday) – May 6th (Mon. Holiday)

Where: 郷土歴史博物館 (Kyoudo Rekishi Hakubutsukan)

Time: 9:00-19:00 (Admittance prohibited after 18:30)

Closed: April 15th (Mon.)

Entrance Fees:

Adults: 700 yen

Students (High school and University): 500 yen

***Middle school students and younger, elderly of the age 70 and above, as well as those with disabilities and their accompanied guardian(s) are granted free admittance.**

◇ Gallery Talk

Above entrance fee is mandatory. A curator will expound upon the gallery.

When: March 21st (Thurs. Holiday), 24th (Sun.), April 7th (Sun.), 21st (Sun.), May 5th (Sun. Holiday) from 14:00-15:00

◇ **Lecture:** Tachibana Akemi and Daianzenji Temple

Referencing archives and other works from the Tachibana Akemi Literature Memorial Museum, the history behind a special grave in the furthest part Daianzenji Temple and the ties to it will be explained.

When: March 23rd (Sat.), 14:00-15:30.

Host: Head of the Museum, Tsunoga Naokazu

Capacity: 80 (first come, first serve and on-site reception)

- ✧ **Nighttime Gallery Talk and Zazen (special meditation) Culture in Yokokan Garden**
After listening to the explanation from the curator, experience the arts of both Zazen and a tea ceremony.

When: March 30th (Sat.), 18:00-21:00

Host: Takahashi Genpou

Capacity: 20 (random selection)

Participation Fee: 1500 yen

Application: Must be received by March 20th (Wed.) (day of cancellation is possible) via double postcard or email. Please include the event name, your name, address, age, and phone number.

Inquiries/Application Info:

Postal Code: 910-0004

福井市宝永3丁目12-1 郷土歴史博物館

Fukui-shi Houei 3 Choume 12-1 Kyoudo Rekishi Hakubutsukan

TEL: 0776-21-0489

Email: kyoudo@city.fukui.lg.jp

Spring Project Exhibition: The Natural History of Color

From the beginning of time, humans have tried to imitate the unique colors of nature with intentions of implementation in mind. The beauty of natural colors will be exhibited and introduced through visual stimulation of the original inspiration, such as animals, plants, natural minerals/ores, etc.

Where: Museum of Natural History

When: March 23rd (Sat.) ~ June 2nd (Sun.)

Time Open: 9:00-17:15 (Admittance prohibited after 16:45)

Closed Days: Mondays (Open on other weekdays even in case of holiday), the weekday following a holiday

Entrance Fee: 100 yen

***Middle school students and younger, elderly of the age 70 and above, as well as those with disabilities and their accompanied guardian(s) are granted free admittance.**

Inquiries: Museum of Natural History

TEL: 0776-35-2844



- ① Images will not accurately reflect actual experience.
- ② All reservations and contact related interactions will be conducted in Japanese.
- ③ All locations will include English transcriptions.
- ④ Personal information – Name, Address, Age, Gender (not always necessary; last two only when age/gender restrictions apply)
- ⑤ Postcards (hagaki) and double postcards (oufuku hagaki) can be purchased at post office