

Upcoming Events/Activities

Museum of Natural History Events

- **Astronomical Observations**

Come take a close look at Mars as it approaches Earth! Children of middle school age or younger must be accompanied by a guardian.

When: Nov. 7 (Sat.) 18:30 – 20:00

*This event will be cancelled in the case of rainy weather or cloudy skies

Visitors will only be accepted until 19:30

- **Natural Dye Workshop**

Participants will be using cochineal (a type of scale insect) extract to dye a stole (provided by the museum).

When: Nov. 21 (Sat.) from 13:30 – 16:00

Host: Ishikawa Masao

Capacity: 20 (random selection)

Participation Fee: 2500 yen (materials fee included)

Application: Double postcard must be received by the museum by Nov. 13 (Fri.)

- **General Information**

Where: Fukui City Museum of Natural History

Address:

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福井市足羽上町 147 自然史博物館

TEL: 0776-35-2844

Fukui Residents Culture Festival

- **Location** ①: Phoenix Plaza

When:

Art Exhibition

- Nov. 3 (Tue.) 10:30 – 16:00
- Nov. 4 (Wed.) 10:00 – 16:00

Shogi Tournament

- Nov. 3 (Tue.) 10:30~
 - ◇ Participation Fee: 1500 yen (800 yen for high school students and younger)

*Participation fee includes lunch

*Entrance to the Art Exhibition is free

There are usually more activities for visitors to enjoy, but due to current circumstances, there will only be the art exhibition and the Shogi tournament.

- **Location ②: Fukui City Culture Hall (福井市文化会館)**

When: Nov. 3 (Tue.) 11:40 – 17:00

*Venue opens at 11:00

There will be many traditional performances including folk dancing and folk songs, so be sure to stop by if you're interested!

Garden Café

Take a sip of tea while admiring the warm autumn leaves at Yōkōkan Garden.

When: Nov. 1 (Sun.) – 15 (Sun.) from 11:00 – 16:30

Where: Yōkōkan Garden

*This event will be cancelled in the event of rainy weather.

Last order at 16:00

Menu: Tea and *wagashi* (Japanese traditional sweets) set for 500 yen

*You must also pay the Yōkōkan Garden entrance fee

Kansai Culture Day

Fukui City will be participating in *Kansai Bunka no Hi* (Kansai Culture Day), which is a day (or weekend in this case) dedicated to allowing citizens to experience the wonder culture of Kansai for free!

*Only the permanent exhibitions will be free

When: Nov. 14 (Sat.) – 15 (Sun.)

Participating Facilities:

Fukui City Museum of Natural History

Osagoe *Minka-en* Folk Village Museum

Fukui City Art Museum

Fukui City Museum of Natural History

Yōkōkan Garden

Atagozaka Tea Ceremony Museum

Tachibana Akemi Literature Memorial Museum

Foreigners that Empowered Japan

Japan has been visited by many foreigners during the Meiji era that changed the country. One of the most impactful of them all was a man with ties to Fukui City, William E. Griffis. Starting with his introduction, participants will learn about inventions and achievements of Griffis and other foreigners of the Meiji era.

When: Nov. 23 (Mon.) 13:00 – 14:15

Where: Atagozaka Tea Ceremony Museum

Host: A Griffis Museum curator

Capacity: 13 (first come, first serve)

Application: Phone reception opens at 10:00 from Oct. 30 onward

TEL: 0776-50-2911

Seiren Planet Dome Theater Program: *Hanabi-rium*

Follow the journey of a small *hanabi* (firework) named *Hibana* on her journey through the sky! This program will only be available during the Late Night slot until the end of November. Be surrounded by the beauty of fireworks under Seiren Planet's 360° dome theater.

When: Every Friday, Saturday, and day before national holiday from 18:45 – 19:30

Capacity: 30

*You will need to pay for Seiren Planet admission

Tickets will be sold the day of the screening starting at 10:00 (first come, first serve)

November Free Consultation Services

Contents	Available	Time	Location and Phone
Human Rights Concerns	Nov. 11 (Wed.) 25 (Wed.)	13:30 - 16:00	市民サービス推進課 Public Service Promotion Division TEL: 0776-20-5544
General Concerns	Nov. 20 (Fri.)	13:30 - 15:30 (30 m/per)	
Administrative Scrivener	Nov. 18 (Wed.)	13:00 - 16:00	
Pension, Employment, Company Insurance	Social Insurance Worker Nov. 5 (Thu.)	13:00 - 16:00	
Administration	Oct. 6 (Mon.) 16 (Mon.)	10:00 - 12:30	市民サービス推進課 Public Service Promotion Division TEL: 0776-20-5544
	Nov. 10 (Tue.)	10:00 - 12:30	越廼公民館 Koshino Community Center TEL: 0776-89-2182
	Nov. 25 (Fri.)	13:00 - 15:00	清水西公民館 Shimizu West Community Center 0776-98-4560
Life as a Consumer	Any weekday Excluding holidays	8:30 - 17:00	消費者センター Consumer's Center (Phoenix Plaza 1F) TEL: 0776-20-5588
Work, Employment	Weekdays excluding Wed. and holidays	9:00 - 17:00 (reservation required)	しごと支援課 Job Support Division (AOSSA 5F) TEL: 0776-20-5321
Management (Financing)	Weekdays excluding Wed. and holidays	8:30 - 16:30 (reservation required)	商工振興課 Commerce and Industry Promotion Division (AOSSA 5F) TEL: 0776-20-5325
Mental Health	Psychiatrist Consultation Nov. 5 (Thu.) 19 (Thu.) Clinical Psychologist Nov. 25 (Wed.)	14:00 - 17:00 (reservation required)	市保健所 保険支援室 Health and Welfare Center - Public Health Administration Division (西木田2丁目) Nishi Kida 2 chome TEL: 0776-33-5185

By default, all transactions will be conducted in Japanese
You will be asked for your name, address, age, and phone number when applying

November Free Consultation Services (continued)

Contents		Available	Time	Location and Phone
For Youths	Young Telephone	Any weekday Excluding holidays	8:30 - 17:00	少年愛護センター Juvenile Protection Center TEL: 0120-57-4970 Email: yanteresoudan@city.fukui.lg.jp
	Email	24/7 (All day, every day)	Response may take a few days	
Education	Child is unable to adapt to school environment	Any weekday Excluding holidays	9:00 - 16:00	チャレンジ教室 (高木北2丁目) Transition School (Takaki 2 chome) TEL: 0776-52-1255 Email: challenge@fukui-city.ed.jp
	Email	24/7 (All day, every day)	Response may take a few days	
Pregnancy, Giving Birth, Child Growth and Development		Any weekday Excluding holidays	8:30 - 17:15	市健康管理センター Fukui City Health Management Center 0776-28-1256
Smile Dial (Infants)		Any weekday Excluding holidays	8:30 - 17:00	子育て支援課 Child-Rearing Support Division TEL: 0776-20-5223
Child-Related Concerns		Every day excluding Tue.	9:00 - 18:00	子ども家庭センター 子育て支援室・相談室 Family with Children Support Center and Consultation Space (AOSSA 5F) 0776-20-1541
Single Parent		Any weekday Excluding Wed. and holidays	8:30 - 17:15	ひとり親家就業・自立支援センター Single Parent Employment and Independence Support Center (Inside the Child Welfare Division) TEL: 0776-20-5140
Women (Domestic Violence)		All weekdays excluding Tue. (excluding national holidays)	9:00 - 17:00	
Marriage		Wednesdays	13:30 - 15:30	(Wed.) 市役所本館4階 Fukui City Hall, Main Building 4F Meeting Room 14C
		Nov. 15 (Sun.)	13:30 - 15:30 (reservation required)	(Sun.) アオッサ503会議室 AOSSA, Meeting Room 503 Fukui City Pregnant Women Welfare Association TEL: 0776-20-5696