

Important Information

All municipal facilities will be closed Dec. 29, 2020 – Jan. 3, 2021. You will not be able to print out official paperwork at the convenience store either during this time. However, marriage, birth, and other certificates will be accepted. Certificates must be submitted to the main building of City Hall, B1F.

- The following Facilities will not be closed during New Year’s holidays
 - Fukubukukan, Happirin, Fukui Racetrack (*Keirinjō*), *Garagarayama* Camp Site

Below is a list of facilities and their availability during this holiday season

Facility Name	December					January				
	27 (Sun.)	28 (Mon.)	29 (Tue.)	30 (Wed.)	31 (Thu.)	1 (Fri.)	2 (Sat.)	3 (Sun.)	4 (Mon.)	5 (Tue.)
Ichijodani Asakura Clan Ruins, Atagozaka Tea Ceremony Museum, Tachibana Akemi Literature Museum, Griffis Museum, Fukui City Museum of Natural History, Fukui City Art Museum, Fukui City History Museum, OSAGOE Minkaen Folk Village Museum, Fukui City Library, Miyama Library, Shimizu Library, Shimizu History Museum, Shimizu Elder Care Center: Hidamari, General Volunteer Center, Asuwayama Amusement Park (Happy Jungle will be closed for the winter, 12/28/20 - 3/1/21)		X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	
Yōkōkan (*1: Open from 10:00 - 16:00)		X	X	X	X	X	X	*1		
Echizen Suisen-no-Sato Park			X	X	X	X				
Nami no Hana Onsen			X							X
Sakuragi Library, Fukui City Culture Hall, Training Center, Asuwa <i>Fureai</i> Center, Phoenix Plaza			X	X	X	X	X	X		
Phoenix Plaza Parking Lot					X	X	X	休		
Ichijodani Asakura <i>Mizu no Eki</i> (parking lot and restroom open to public) (*2: Open until 15:00)					*2	X	*2			
<i>Chiiki Kōryū</i> Plaza (*3: Open until 17:30)		*3	X	X	X	X	X	X		
Center for Children & Families (*4: Open until 17:30)		*4	X	X	X	X	X	X		
Child-Rearing Support Room Consultation room (5: Open until 17:00)		*5								
Miyama <i>Rakuraku-Tei</i>	X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X		
<i>Midori</i> Library, <i>Higashiyama</i> Fitness Park			X	X	X	X	X	X	X	X
Fukui <i>Sen-Ichiba</i> , Chūō Wholesale Market					X	X	X	X	X	
<i>Ijirakan</i>					X	X	X			
Seiren Planet (*6: Open from 12:00 - 18:30)			X	X	X	X	*6			

By default, all transactions will be held in Japanese

The following is a chart for medical facilities effective Dec. 30, 2020 – Jan. 3, 2021.

During this time, the Miyama area's medical clinics will be closed.

Medical Practice	When	Clinic	Location	Phone Number
Internal Medicine	9:00 - 23:00 (Reception open until 22:45)	Holiday Emergency Patient Center	4-14-30 Jōtō	0776-22-2099
Pediatrics		Prefectural Emergency Child Patient Center, 2F	Holiday Emergency Patient Center	0776-26-8800
Dentistry	9:00 - 23:00 13:00 - 17:00 (Reception open until 16:45)	Holiday Emergency Patient Medical Center	3-4-1 Daiganji	0776-26-8468
Surgery	9:00 - 18:00	Clinic On Duty	Either check the homepage (qq.pref.fukui.jp/qq18/qqport/kenmintop/) or call at 0776-21-2119	

*Those with fever-like or possibly more severe symptoms, you must call ahead to make an appointment.

Garbage and recyclables collection and disposal

The garbage collection schedule is given below. Please check either the *Gomi* Calendar or Shigen Shūshū Center's website for more details. **Garbage collection will resume as normal starting January 4, 2021.** Depending on either the amount of garbage that needs to be collected or the traffic in the area, collection times may change. **Please take your garbage out by 7 in the morning to avoid being late for collection.**

Garbage Collection Schedule for Fukui City

Type	Collection	Final Collection Date	Type	Collection	Final Collection Date	
Burnables	Mon. & Thu.	Dec. 28 (Mon.)	Non-Burnables	Mon.	Week 1 & 3	Dec. 28 (Mon.)
	Tue. & Fri.	29 (Tue.)			Week 2 & 4	
Plastic Containers	Mon.	21 (Mon.)		Tue.	Week 1 & 3	29 (Tue.)
	Tue.	22 (Tue.)			Week 2 & 4	
	Thu.	17 (Wed.)		Thu.	Week 1 & 3	24 (Thu.)
	Fri.	18 (Fri.)			Week 2 & 4	
Recyclables	Final collection date varies by area. Please check the "Gomi Calendar" for your area on Fukui City's homepage to confirm your area's final collection date*			Fri.	Week 1 & 3	25 (Fri.)
					Week 2 & 4	

Miyama, Koshino, Shimizu Area Collection

Garbage collection schedule unchanged until 12/28. Burnables to be collected on 12/29

Acceptable Garbage and Recyclables

Disposal Location		Final Collection Time	Accepted Items (paid services)
Fukui City Clean Center (Ryōchō) TEL: 0776-53-8999		Dec. 30 (Wed.) 17:00	Burnables, Large Burnables, Small Household Electronics (plastics will NOT be accepted)
Shūshū Shigen Center (Minami Emori) TEL: 0776-35-0052			Large Burnables, Large Non-Burnables, Recyclables ¹ (plastic containers will NOT be accepted), Small Household Electronics *Only household garbage will be accepted
Kōiki Area Seisō Center (Awara City, Sasaoka) TEL: 0776-74-1314		Dec. 30 (Wed.) 17:00 Please get there by 16:30	Non-Burnables, Large Burnables, Large Non-Burnables *Please use transparent bags
For Residents of Koshino and Shimizu only Sabae Clean Center (Sabae City Nishi Banchō) TEL: 0778-51-2310		Dec. 30 (Wed.) 11:30	Burnables and Non-Burnables, Large Burnables and Non-Burnables
Recyclables Collection Point, Wakuru-Ba	Fukui Kankyō Jigyō (Co.) Futsukaichi Recycle Center (Futsukaichi-chō) TEL: 0776-55-3500	Dec. 29 (Tue.) 17:00	Recyclables ¹ *Only household garbage will be accepted
	Masudaki Fukui Eigyō (Co.) (Nishi Kaihotsu 4-Chōme) TEL: 0776-57-0545	Dec. 29 (Tue.) 17:00	

1: Recyclables will be accepted free of charge

***Recyclables:** Empty cans, empty bottles, PET bottles, fluorescent lights, dead batteries, plastic containers, old papers (newspapers, flyers, magazines, cartons, cardboard, paper containers, other miscellaneous paper-based products)

JR Fukui Station Needs YOUR Help

As you know, the Shinkansen will soon pass through Fukui (scheduled for 2023). Fukui City wants YOU to give a catchy nickname to the East and West Gates! Fukui wants its station to be loved by its citizens and remembered by its visitors. Do you have the perfect name? Use the following QR code to access the application form!

Submission Period: Dec. 10, 2020 – Jan. 10, 2021



Things to Keep in Mind

1. Names must be original
2. The submission form will NOT be returned
3. All rights to the final name will belong to Fukui City
4. Fukui City may alter the submitted name
5. Personal data collected will only be used for this process and nothing else

*Only the owner of the final submission will be personally notified. The final name will be posted on the Fukui City Shinkansen Track Construction Division website.

To reach their website, copy following into your internet browser

福井市役所新幹線整備課

3 things Fukui City asks of the names:

1. They can be loved by everyone
2. They are easy to say and remember
3. They carry an image of “Fukui” or “Fukui Tourism”



Please check the following page for how to fill out the form.

JR Fukui Station East and West Gate Names Application Form

The top warns you to not hit the “Back” or “Refresh”. After 60 minutes, the session will close automatically. 「必要」 = required

福井駅東西出入り口通称募集

通称応募に関する必要事項を入力してください

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必須 印は必須項目です。必ずご記入ください。

60分間通信がない（ページ移動がない）場合、タイムアウトとなり入力内容が破棄されます。ご記入に時間がかかる場合は一時保存をご利用ください。

【1】氏名 **必須**

(50文字まで)

1 Name (i.e. Taro Fukui)

【2】フリガナ (氏名) **必須**

(全角カナ50文字まで)

2 Name, Katakana (i.e. タロウ フクイ)

【3】年齢 **必須**

(10文字まで)

3 Age

【4】住所 **必須** 4 Address

(200文字まで)

〒 Postal Code 住所検索

Press the button ↑↑↑ after inputting your postal code to quick search and then enter the rest of your address

【5】電話番号 **必須**

(半角英数15文字まで)

5 Phone Number

【6】メールアドレス

【6】メールアドレス

6 Email

【7】西口通称名

例) 金沢駅：金沢港口
敦賀駅：まちなみ口

(200文字まで)

7 West Gate Nickname

(200 characters)

【8】西口通称名の理由

(9999文字まで)

8 West Gate Nickname Reasoning

(9999 characters)

【9】東口通称名

例) 金沢駅：兼六園口
敦賀駅：やまなみ口

(200文字まで)

9 East Gate Nickname

(200 characters)

【10】東口通称名の理由

(9999文字まで)

10 East Gate Nickname Reasoning

(9999 characters)

確認

Confirm

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お問い合わせ先

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福井県電子申請サービス

Upcoming Events/Activities

Akechi Mitsuhide and Echizen: A Time of Obscurity

The museum will be focusing on archived items that highlight the connection between Akechi Mitsuhide and Echizen.

When: Dec. 19 (Sat.), 2020 – Feb. 14 (Sun.), 2021

Museum opens from 9:00 – 17:00 with final admissions at 16:30

Where: Fukui City History Museum

Closed Days: Dec. 28 (Mon.), 2020 – Jan. 4, 18, 25, 26, and 27, 2021

Entrance Fee: 220 yen

*Middle school students and under, elderly of age 70 and up, and persons with disabilities along with their assistant will be granted free admission.

Suisen (Daffodil) Kadomatsu

A *Kadomatsu* is a New Year trinket that is placed at the entrance of a dwelling that is said to bring in good luck for the upcoming year. In this workshop, participants will get to make a *Kadomatsu* with special plants including purple kale and Fukui's flower, *suisen*.

When: Dec. 20 (Sun.) – 22 (Tue.), 2 sessions each day

Session ① begins at 10:00

Session ② begins at 13:30

Where: Echizen *Suisen no Sato Kōen*

Capacity: 10 per session (first come, first serve)

Participation Fee: 1500 yen

*The entrance fee is separate and also required to take part in this workshop

Things to Bring: Latex gloves, gardening shovel

Application: Reception via phone starts Dec. 15

TEL: 0776-89-2381



Christmas at the Griffis Museum

William E. Griffis is said to have held the very first Christmas party ever in Japan! The Griffis Museum looks to modernize that celebration and spread Christmas joy!

Where: Griffis Museum

- Events

- Christmas decorations and illumination

When: Until Christmas day (Dec. 25), 10:00 – 18:00

*Illumination goes until 22:00

- A Reading of Griffis' original fairytales and Christmas caroling
When: Dec. 25 (Fri.)
Both to be streamed live on YouTube
Live reading: 11:00 – 12:00
Caroling: 17:00 – 18:00
*No one will be allowed to enter during the live streams.
- Fukui Famous Persons Portrait Drawing Contest Winners Exhibit
When: Dec. 25, 2020 – Jan. 11, 2021 from 10:00 – 18:00

New Seiren Planet Dome Theater Program

- Music Time: *Sora Phil ~Professional 5-Man Brass Ensemble~*
Gaze up into the night sky while being serenaded by a special music recording
When: Every Fri. Sat. and day before national holiday
From December through February, 18:45 – 19:30
- Starry Night Time: *Tonight's Starry Night Walk ~Christmas Special~*
During the Christmas season, the stars align to make a giant Christmas tree in the sky! Visitors will also be able to take pictures of the tree.
When: Dec. 12 (Sat.) – 25 (Fri.)
 - On weekdays, 16:00 – 16:45
 - On Saturdays and Sundays, 10:30 – 11:15 and 16:00 – 16:45
- General Information
Capacity: 60
Tickets will be sold starting at 10:00 the day of (first come, first serve)



Seiren Planet Winter Break Morning Screenings

When	Screening	Title
Dec. 28 (Mon.)	10:00 ~ 11:15	Starry Night Time
	11:45 ~ 12:30	Genki Genki Non-tan
	10:30 ~ 11:15	Starry Night Time
Jan. 4 (Mon.)	11:45 ~ 12:30	Asakura Yumemaru New Production

Eco Tripper: Italy Edition

Come learn about one of the world's most famous tourist locations, Italy and what it does to reduce plastics as well as other environmentally-friendly actions.

When: Dec. 19 (Sat.), 10:00 – 11:30

Where: General Volunteer Center (Happiring 4F)

Only For: Those living or commuting to work or school in Fukui City

Host: Jacopo Trevisanato

Capacity: 10 groups (random selection) (groups of either 1 or 2)

Application: Either call by Dec. 15 or use this QR code →

TEL: 0776-20-5609



Yōkōkan Garden Special Opening

Yōkōkan Garden will be open to the public for free for the New Year! Unfortunately, visitors will not be able to enter the building itself, but visitors are free to take a stroll around the garden!

When: Jan. 3 (Sun.), 4 (Mon.), 2021 from 10:00 – 16:00

*Final admission at 15:30

**Visitors will only be able to enter via the East Gate. For visitors coming by car, there is short-term parking (臨時駐車場) on the east side of Yōkōkan. Please park there.

Smile Skate Happirink

It's back again this year, Happirink! There will be an ice-skating rink for winter at Happiterrace! **On opening day only**, the first 100 people will receive a **Free Skating Ticket** redeemable their next visit!

When: Dec. 25 (Fri.), 2020 – Feb. 7 (Sun.), 2021

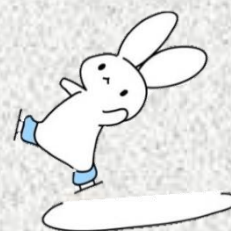
Where: Happiterrace

Prices:

Adults	1100 yen
Middle school/High school students	800 yen
Elementary school students and under	600 yen

(Skate rental price included)

*Please bring your own gloves to the rink. Gloves must be worn inside the rink at all times.



Free Consultation Services January 2021

Contents	Available	Time	Location and Phone
Human Rights Concerns	Jan. 13 (Wed.) Jan. 27 (Wed.)	13:30 - 16:00	市民サービス推進課 Public Service Promotion Division TEL: 0776-20-5544
General Concerns	Jan. 15 (Fri.)	13:30 - 15:30 (30 m/per)	
Administrative Scrivener	Jan. 20 (Wed.)	13:00 - 16:00	
Pension, Employment, Company Insurance	Social Insurance Worker Jan. 7 (Thu.)	13:00 - 16:00	
Administration	Jan. 18 (Mon.) 25 (Mon.)	10:00 - 12:30	市民サービス推進課 Public Service Promotion Division TEL: 0776-20-5544
	Jan. 19 (Tue.)	10:00 - 12:30	越廼公民館 Koshino Community Center TEL: 0776-89-2182
	Jan. 27 (Wed.)	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 Jan. 7 (Thu.) 21 (Thu.) Clinical Psychologist Jan. 27 (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

Free Consultation Services January 2021 (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
		Jan. 17 (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

Chinese Zodiac Exhibit: Year of the Ox

2021 will be the year of the ox. This exhibit aims to introduce scientific characteristics of cows/oxen in an easily digestible manner. There will also be a wide variety of animals, objects, plants, and more which have been named after cows on display.

Where: Fukui City Museum of Natural History

When: Jan. 9 (Sat.) – Feb. 7 (Sun.), 2021 from 9:00 – 17:15

Closed: Jan. 12 (Tue.), 18 (Mon.), 25 (Mon.), and Feb. 1 (Mon.)

Entrance Fee: 100 yen

*Middle school students and under as well as those with disabilities and their accompanied assistant will be granted free admission.

