Fukui City Newsletter



Create Your Own Music Box

Using electronic parts, make your own music box. There will be a robot demonstration and introduction to technology related literature.

When: Mon. July 31^{st} , 1pm - 2:15pm

Place: Recreation Room (Aossa 6th Floor)

Target Audience: $3^{rd} - 6^{th}$ graders (accompanied by a guardian)

of attendees: 20 (excluding guardian) [decided on the order of registration]

Required Items: Fukui City Library Card

Registration: Starting from Sun. July 9th, call or visit the receptionist at Sakuragi Library.

Inquiry: 0776-20-1530

Challenge! Mathematics of Edo Period pg. 6

Take on challenging math problems from Edo Period!

When: Sat. July 22nd, 10:30am - 11:30am

Place: Fukui Municipal Library

Target Audience: Elementary school students and up

Instructor: Hiroshi Kazama, associate professor at Fukui University

of Attendees: 20 (decided on the order of registration)

Registration: From Sat. July 1st, apply at the window or call Fukui Municipal

Library

Phone: 0776-20-5000

Summer Vacation Painting Class: Yokokan Garden Painting Workshop

Won't you try painting the Juscious green Yokokan Garden with watercolors?!

* In the Case of rain, the activity will be done inside using coloring pencils. *

When: Wed. July 26th, 9:30am - 12:30pm

Place: Yokokan Garden

Target Audience: 4th grade to middle school students who either live in or commute to Fukui City

Instructor: Tsutomu Ohara, member of the Japanese Artist Association

of attendees: 15 (decided on the order of registration)

Participation Fee: 100 yen (insurance fee and materials fee included in price)

Registration: Starting from 9am on Mon. July 3th, please Call <u>0776-20-5367</u>



4. Nursery Rhyme Sawayaka Concert pg. 7

Celebrating Nursery Rhyme Day (July 1st), Nursery Rhyme Interest Groups will be having a joint concert.

When: Sat. July 1st, 1:30pm – 4:30pm

Place: Atrium (Aossa 1st Floor)

Inquiry: 0776-20-5367

5. Attaka Juku: Handmade Mini Folding Screen Workshop

Make beautiful mini folding screens using washi (Japanese-style paper).

Date and Time: Sat. July 1st; 1pm - 3pm

Place: Fukubukukan (2nd Floor of Happiring)

Target Audience: Elementary school students and older

Instructor: Hidenobu Naito Papercraft Modeler

of Attendees: 30 (decided on the order of registration)

Entrance Fee: 1000 yen

Registration: accepting calls now

Phone: 0776-20-2929 (Fukubukukan)

6. Fukui-style Handcrafting Experience pg. 7

Why don't you take a trip to one of Fukui's manufacturing companies and experience the fun of handcraft and the wonders the manufacturer has to offer.

When: Fri. July 28th, 1:30pm - 5:30pm

Meeting Place: Fukui City Volunteer Center (Happiring 4th Floor)

Destination: Kiyokawa Plating Technology

Target Audience: Middle school students, grades 1 and 2

Agenda: Accessory making with plated metals and tour of the factory

of attendees: 15 (decided through lottery)

Registration: Call the receptionist by Fri. July 7th

Phone: 0776-20-5321 (Job Support Division)

Tennis Classes

♦ Morning Tennis Classes

Dates: For adults, every Wednesday and Friday from July 12th to September 27th. For senior citizens, every Tuesday and Thursday from July 13th to September 26th. *No classes will be held on holidays*

Time: 6am to 7am

Fee: 5000 yen (all together)

Deadline for Registration: Wed. July 5th

♦ Beginners Classes

Dates: Every Tuesday and Thursday from August 24th to October 3rd (12 sessions). *In the case of rain, make-up days

will be scheduled*

Time: 8pm - 9:30pm

Target Audience: people with experience that is low to none

Fee: 9600 yen

Deadline for Registration: Tues. August 8th

♦ General Info.

Place: Wakaba Tennis Court (Iizukacho)

Required Items: Tennis shoes (for artificial turf), tennis racket, and sports wear

Application: By the designated deadline, please fax or email your application which can be downloaded from our

homepage.

Email: fukui-tennis@eagle.ocn.ne.jp

Fax: 54-8151

Aloha Festival

Date and Time: Sun. July 9th; 11am - 4pm

Place: Happiterrace (located in Happiring)

Activities:

- Introduction to Oahu Island, Kauai Island, Maui Island, the different hula dances, spots for sightseeing, foods, activities, etc., from each Hawaiian island.
- Hawaiian food and rainbow kaki for sale
- Make your own flower arrangement/have one be made? (fee included)
- Hawaiian-style clothes for sale
- And much more!

Inquiry: 0776-30-0330

Come Enjoy the Opera, "Kaguya Hime"

Since the first performance in Tokyo in 2003, Kaguya Hime (Princess Kaguya) has been performed in places all over the world such as Prague and Los Angeles. This critically acclaimed performance will now be performed in Fukui at Happiring Hall. This will be the first opera to be performed on the stage in Happiring Hall.

Performance Dates and Time: Sat. December 2nd, 4pm; Sun. December 3rd, 2pm

The hall will open one hour before the performance

Place: Happiring Hall (Happiring 3rd Floor)

Ticket Price:

- S seats 8000 yen
- A seats 6000 yen
- B seats 5000 yen
- College students and under 2000 yen

Tickets will be sold starting from July 1st at Happiring 3rd Floor, Hibiki no Hall, and Shopping City • Bell

Inquiry: 0776-20-2901

Tanabata Event at Osagoe Minkaen (Folk Village Museum)

♦ Tanabata Decorating

Help us decorate our Tanabata (decorated tree) with your wish!

When: Sat. July 1^{st} – Fri. July 7^{th} , 9am – 5:15pm *we will be closed on Mon. July 3^{rd} *

♦ Decorate Miniature Bamboo Branches

When: Sat. July 1st, 1pm – 2pm *reception desk will be available from 12:30pm*

of attendees: 30 (decided on the order of registration)

*There is an entry fee. *



♦ Enjoy the Legend of Tanabata and Fun Activities

Listen to the story of the stars, and sing along to songs about Tanabata as well as other traditional songs. At the end, there will be a raffle!

When: Sat. July 1st, 2pm - 2:40pm

*There is an entry fee. *

Water Guns and Goldfish scooping

The scoopers will be handmade.

When: Sat. July 1st, 1pm - 4:30pm

*There is an entry fee. *



♦ General Info.

Place: Osagoe Minkaen (Folk Village Museum)

Inquiry: 0776-35-1015

Fukui Quiz Challenge

How well can you do on this quiz about Fukui?! This is a perfect event for those who want direction concerning Fukui on which areas of study and independent research to take.

Date and Time: Sat. July 29th; 1:30pm – 4:30pm

Place: Aossa 6th Floor (Recreation Room)

Target Audience: Elementary school student and older *Elementary school students must be accompanied by a

guardian*

Instructor: Social Education Instructors and others

of Attendees: 40 (selected through lottery)

Fee: 100 yen

Application: By Thursday July 20th, contact us by phone or email and inform us of your name, age, gender, and

phone number.

Telephone: 0776-20-5449

Email: cyou-k@mx1.fctv.ne.jp

13. The pools at Miyama B&G Marine Center will be open to the Public!

When: Sat. July 1st - Thur. August 31st, 10am - 5:15pm

Receptionists will be available until 4:45pm

Closings: Every Wednesday *The pool may also close depending on the weather*

Entrance Fee: High school students and older 200 yen

Middle School students and younger 100 yen

Inquiry: 0776-20-5394

Exemption of National Pension Premium

If it is hard for you to pay your National Pension premium for economic reasons, you can apply for an exemption or postponement of the premium payment.

From Mon. July 3rd, 2017, the application for the payment exemption/postponement of the period between July 2017 and June 2018 can be made at Health Insurance and Pension Division (Fukui City Hall) or Pension Office. You can even apply for the exemption of the payment dating back to 2 years and 1 month ago. However, if you were approved for an exemption/postponement last year or the year before and would like to extend the period, you do not have to reapply. This does not include partial exemptions.

Japan Pension Office will review your application made in a previous year and send a result to you.

Required Items for Application:

- Pension book or a document showing the Basic Pension Number
- Personal seal (self-inking rubber stamp is not acceptable.)
- Your ID
- Certificate of unemployment or other documents, If you are retired.

The 64th Fukui Phoenix Festival

Fukui Phoenix Fireworks August 4(Fri)

(It may be postponed to August 7, Monday, due to bad weather condition.)

•Folk Dance•Yosakoi Icchorai August 5th (Sat)

•Marching for a Million People August 6th (Sun)