

Phoenix Festival Fireworks Viewing

Each of the following places will be open to the public for viewing the Phoenix Festival fireworks on Fri. August 4th.

Fukui City Akemi Tachibana Literature Memorial Museum: The first 100 people to arrive will be served cold beverages.

Time: 6:30pm – 8:30pm

* In the case that the fireworks are postponed, the museum will not be open on the rescheduled date. *

Inquiry: 35-1110

Osagoe Minkanen: Eating, drinking alcohol, and smoking are prohibited.

Time: 6:30pm – 8:30pm

* If the fireworks are postponed, the facility will be opened on the postponement date, Mon. August 7th *

Inquiry: 35-1015

Fukui City Museum of Natural History: View the fireworks and nightscape from the terrace which looks on to Mt. Hakusan. You can eat and drink on the terrace, but drinking alcohol is prohibited. Guests are free to take photos and videos on the roof.

When: 6:30pm – 9pm

* If the fireworks are postponed, the facility will be opened on the postponement date, Mon. August 7th *

Inquiry: 35-2844



Togo District's Otsukune Matsuri

When: Sun. August 12th, 5pm – 9pm & Sun. August 13th, 10am – 5:30pm

Where: Togo Station

Activities:

- **Mikoshi Parade**
- **Straw throwing contest**
- **Otsukune dance**
- **Sack Carrying Relay**

**Sack Carrying Relay Entry:
Teams of 5. We are currently
receiving calls and faxes.**

Phone/Fax: 41-0306



G-Cook's Kansha Matsuri

**G-cook will unfortunately be closing for business in February 2018.
To show our appreciation for all the support we've received, we will
be holding a Kansha Matsuri (*lit.* Festival of Gratitude).**

When: Sun. July 30th, 10am – 5pm

**Where: G-Cook (1st floor of U-can building which is across from
Seibu)**

There will be:

- **Shiratama-anmitsu with fruit (Japanese desert) – 10:30am &
4pm; First 50 people who come will be served.**
- **Roasted marshmallow**
- **Balloons from Torohi-chan**

Inquiry: 22-2233

Take a Leisure Walk in Yokokan Wearing a Yukata

Why don't you take a walk around Yokokan Garden in a yukata or kimono? If you come dressed in a traditional Japanese outfit such as a yukata, you will receive free admission into the garden.

When: Sat. July 29 – Sun. August 13th, 9am – 7pm

Entry into the garden ends at 6:30pm

Inquiry: 33-3933



Drawing Yokokan Garden: An Art Class for Adults

Won't you try painting a summer portrait of Yokokan Garden using water colors?

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

When: Sun. August 27th, 9:30am – 12:30pm

Place: Yokokan Garden

Target: people who are 19 years or older and are living in or commuting to Fukui City

Instructor: Tsutomu Ohara, member of the Japanese Artist Association

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

Fee: 100 yen



Make Your Traditional Japanese-style Signature

Learn about the ancient way of making signatures in Japan, and then make your own.

When: Fri. August 25th, 6pm – 7pm

Place: Fukui City History Museum

Target: High school students and older

Number of attendees: 20 (first-come-first-served)

Inquiry: 21-0489

Flower Pressing Craft Workshop: Make Your Own iPhone Case

Using flowers that were grown in Fukui, create your own phone case. To those who do not own an iPhone, please bring your phone case. **If you are allergic to resin, please refrain from attending.**

When: Sat. August 5th, 10:30am – 12pm & 1:30pm – 3pm

Place: Fukubukukan (2nd floor of Hapiring)

Target: 4th grade and older

Instructors: Mika Iwanaga and others

Number of attendees: 30 (Chosen in order of registration)

Fee: 1500 yen (includes cost of materials)

Registration: We will be taking calls from starting Sun. July 30th. *The name of the event in Japanese is *oshihana iPhone case seisaku kyoushitsu**

Phone: 20-2929

Make a Kokedama!

Kodama is a ball of soil covered with moss on which an ornamental plant grows. It is popular Japanese interior decoration.

When: Fukui City Art Museum

Target: Middle school students and older

Number of attendees: 15 (Chosen through lottery)

Fee: 1000 yen

Registration: An oufuku hagaki, postcard with a reply card attached, must be received by Thurs. August 17th.

Address:

918-8112

Geba 3 chome 1111

Fukui City Art Museum

Phone: 33-2990



Incense Container Exhibit

Among the various tea utensils, incense containers have the most variety, reflecting the artistic taste of each master of tea ceremony who owned them. Many stylish containers will be on display.

When: Sun. September 24th, 9am–5:15pm

Place: Atagozaka Tea Ceremony Museum

*Fee: 100 yen * Free entry for middle school students and under, people ages 70 and older, and people with disability**

Inquiry: 33-3933

Special Exhibition

Be amazed by the smiling face of the Sun.

Introduction of the daily appearance of the sun, exhibit on the change in cultural perceptions of the sun, and solar observations from the past to the present

When: until October 2nd (Monday), 10am to 6:30pm

: 10am to 9pm Fridays, Saturdays, and the day before holidays

Closed: every Tuesday and 2nd Wednesday

: Exception - open on August 15th (Tuesday)

Where: Seiren Planet, Happirin 5th Floor

Note: An admission ticket to the permanent exhibit room is required.

Sun Observation Gatherings

When: July 28th (Friday), July 29th (Saturday), August 11th, (Friday, holiday), August 12th (Saturday), August 18th (Friday), August 19th (Saturday); begins at 1pm

*In the event of rain or cloudy weather, the event will be canceled

Where: Happiterrace

Inquiries: 43-1622 (Seiren Planet)

Morita Road Relay Competition

When: Sun. September 17th, 9am~ *Registration begins at 8am*

Meeting place: Morita Community Center

Target: Middle school students and older

Races: two races with four 5 km legs, and the brackets of each race are according to the following:

1. Men, women, high school boys, high school girls, and people who live Fukui City.
2. Middle school boys, middle school girls, and people who live in Morita District.

Number of members per team: 6 maximum (which includes 2 people for filling in)

Fee: 3000 yen per team * 500 yen for teams of middle school to high school students *



Sign-up: The application form must be received by Fri. August 18th through mail or email. The form can be picked up at the Morita Community Center.

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