Japan Heritage

Earlier this year, both Yokokan Garden and the Ichijodani Asakura Clan Family Ruins have been officially confirmed as "Japan Heritage". In celebration of this confirmation, there will be special events held at each location.

♦ Fukui Castle Ruins Walk

Come take a stroll with a member of the Cultural Properties Protection Division as they talk about the hidden treasure of Fukui Castle, shakudani ishi. Please come in comfortable clothing.

When: Nov. 3 (Sun.), 10:00 - 12:00*Event will be held rain or shine.

Meeting Location: Fukui City Hall, Main Building, front entrance

Capacity: 20 (first come, first serve)

Application: Reception via phone begins Oct. 16 (Wed.).

Info: Cultural Properties Protection Division

TEL: 0776-35-1015

♦ Yokokan Garden Events

Garden Café

Come enjoy the autumn leaves and a cup of tea while you're at it!

When:

Weekdays from Oct. 15 (Tue.) – Nov. 15 (Fri.)

Nov. 9 (Sat.), 10 (Sun.), 16 (Sat.)

*Event will be cancelled in the case of rain.

Time: 11:00 – 16:30

*Last order at 16:00 while supplies last

Menu:

Coffee x Dango set 400 yen Coffee x 2 Dango set 500 yen

Fall Tea Ceremony

Care to casually experience a tea ceremony in Yokokan Garden's special tea ceremony room, *Otsukimi no Ma* (wagashi included!)?

When: From Oct. 19 until Nov. 4

Every Saturday, Sunday, and national holiday (excluding Oct. 22) from 10:00 – 16:30

*Last ticket purchase for the tea ceremony is at 16:00. There are *matcha* days and *sencha* days.

Participation Fee: 500 yen (wagashi price included)

➤ General Information

Where: Yokokan Garden

*Whenever you enter Yokokan Garden, there is a Garden Entrance Fee.

As an exception, on the 3rd Sunday, Nov. 3 (Sun.), Garden entrance will be free.

Info: Culture Promotion Division

TEL: 0776-20-5367

♦ Wild Bird Observation at the Ruins

Take a look around the Ichijodani Asakura Clan Ruins for wild birds. There will be a birdwatching group at the Ruins the day of the event.

When: Nov. 3 (Sun.), 8:30 – 11:30

*Event will be held in the case of light rain.

**Reception begins the day of on site at 8:00.

Meeting Location: 一乗谷史跡公園センター (いちじょうだにしせきこうえんセンター)

Ichijodani Historic Park Center

Host: Museum of Natural History curator, Deguchi Shota

Capacity: 20 (first come, first serve)

Things to Bring: Binoculars (if available), raingear

Application: Reception via phone begins Oct. 15 (only from 9:00 to 17:00).

Info: Ichijodani Asakura Clan Ruins Management Office

TEL: 0776-41-2173

Scratchboard Drawing

Have you ever heard of scratchboard art? Are you interested in it? Come give it a try!

When: Nov. 10 (Sun.), 10:00 – 15:00 **Where:** Fukui City Art Museum

Only For: Middle school students and up

Capacity: 15 (random selection)
Participation Fee: 1500 yen

Application: Double postcard¹ must be received by Oct. 31.

Info | Address:

918-8112

福井市下馬3丁目1111

市美術館

TEL: 0776-33-2990

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Mini Brick House Project!

Using mini bricks, we'll be making a small house! This event is geared towards smaller children, but this event is open for adults as well.

When: Nov. 17 (Sun.), 13:30 – 15:30

Where: Fukui City Art Museum

Only For: Elementary school students and up

1st and 2nd year students must be accompanied by a guardian(s).

Capacity: 25 (random selection)

Participation Fee: 1200 yen

Application: Double postcard¹ must be received by Nov. 7 (Thu.). Please include contact information, school name and grade level (if applicable).

*Contact information: Event name, name address, age, phone number

Info | Address:

918-8112

福井市下馬 3 丁目 1111

市美術館

TEL: 0776-33-2990

Harvest Festival

When: Nov. 3 (Sun.), 10:00 – 15:00 *Event will be held rain or shine.

Where: Ichijodani Asakura Mizu no Eki

Activities:

- ✓ Multiple food stands
- ✓ Free sapling distribution (from 10:00, the first 100 visitors)
- ✓ Free onigiri (rice ball) distribution (from 11:00, the first 100 visitors)
- ✓ Mobile library
- ✓ Rabbit and guinea pig petting zoo (from 10:30)

♦ Rice Husk and Roasted Sweet Potatoes

When: 11:30~, 12:30~, 13:30~ (will be cancelled in the case of rain or strong winds)

Capacity: 20 (random selection)

Application: Reception opens 30 minutes before each respective time, the day of

♦ Making Soba with the Family!

When: 10:00~, 11:30~, 13:00~ (you may not need all that time)

Capacity: 5 groups (first come, first serve basis)

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Participation Fee: 1500 yen per group

Application: Reception begins Oct. 12 (Sat.) via phone.

♦ General Information

Info: Ichijodani Asakura Mizu no Eki

Seiren Planet Workshop

♦ Moon Phase Spinning Top

We will be making a spinning top decorated with the phases of the moon!

When: Every Saturday, Sunday, and national holiday from Oct. to Feb. 2020

*Excluding Oct. 19 (Sat.) and 20 (Sun.)

♦ Straw Rocket Grand Prix

There will be a competition to see who can blow an object out of a straw the furthest! Care to give it a shot?

When: Oct. 19 (Sat.) and 20 (Sun.), 14:00 – 14:20

♦ General Information

Where: Happiring 5F, in front of the elevator Participation Fee: 100 yen (materials fee)

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

Info: Seiren Planet **TEL:** 0776-43-1622

Events at the Museum of Natural History

♦ Let's Make a Bird Nest Box

We will be learning about the types of birds that utilize nest boxes and make one for a lucky small bird. You can also bring home your little nest box.

When: Nov. 2 (Sat.), 13:30 – 16:00

Only For: Elementary school students and up

*Elementary school students must be accompanied by a guardian.

Application: Double postcard¹ must be received by Oct. 26.

♦ General Information

Info | Address | Location

918-8006

福井市足羽上町 147

自然博物館

TEL: 0776-35-2844

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Email: sizen@city.fukui.lg.jp

Aurora Borealis Exhibition

Aurora Borealis hunter, Mr. Nakagaki Tetsuya will be hosting a live talk! Come enjoy spectacular photos such as panoramas of the sky.

When: Nov. 3 (Sun.), 13:00 – 14:00, 14:30 – 15:30, 16:00 – 17:00

*Doors open 10 minutes prior to every presentation.

Fee:

Adults 600 yen High school | University students 500 yen 3 years old ~ Middle school students 300 yen

*Tickets currently for sale

**One Year Passports and medical notebooks for disabilities will not be taken.

Capacity: 150 (first come, first serve)

Info: Seiren Planet **TEL:** 0776-43-1622

Science Experiment at the Griffis Museum

Come make artificial snow and much more!

When: Oct. 19 (Sat.) and 20 (Sun.), 10:00 – 12:00 and 13:00 – 17:00

*The museum will only be open until 16:00 on Oct. 20.

Only For: Elementary school students and up

Host: (NPO) Fukui Science Academy

Info | Location: Griffis Museum

Famous Places in Fukui, Then and Now

Famous spots in Fukui of the present and the past will be introduced.

When: Oct. 12 (Sat.) – Dec. 4 (Wed.), 9:00 – 19:00

*After Nov. 6 (Wed.), the museum will close at 17:00.

Closed Days: Nov. 5 (Tue.), 25 (Mon.), and 26 (Tue.)

Where: Fukui City History Museum

Entrance Fee: 220 yen

*Those with disabilities and their accompanied guardian, middle school students and younger, and elderly of the age 70 or older will be granted free admission.

Info: Fukui City History Museum

TEL: 0776-21-0489

Pressed Flower Smartphone Case

Resin will be used, so anyone with an allergy to resin, please refrain.

When: Oct. 26 (Sat.), 10:00 – 12:00 and 13:00 – 15:00

Where: Fukubukukan, Happiring 2F

Only For: 4th year elementary school students and up

Hosts: Rose With Too's Iwanaga Mika and others

Participation Fee: 1500 yen

Things to Bring: Transparent phone case

Application: Reception via phone begins Oct. 15 (Tue.)

Info: Fukubukukan **TEL:** 0776-20-2929

Introduction to Horticulture

♦ Creating Your Very Own Flowerbed

When: Oct. 31 (Thu.), 13:30 – 15:00

Application: Reception via phone begins Oct. 23 (Wed.).

♦ Trimming and Pruning a Fruit Tree

When: Nov. 6 (Wed.), 13:30 – 15:30

Application: Reception via phone begins Oct. 29 (Tue.).

♦ General Information

Only For: Residents of Fukui City Capacity: 70 (first come, first serve) Info | Location: Horticulture Center

TEL: 0776-83-0265

Animal Feeding at the Zoo

Want to feed some animals at the zoo? You can feed sheep, guinea pigs, meerkats, Japanese macaques (snow monkeys), and ducks! Nearby staff members will talk about the animals you feed!

When: Oct. 20 (Sun.), 10:30~, 11:30~, 13:30~, 14:30~, 15:30~

Where: Asuwayama Amusement Park (足羽山公園遊園地)

Capacity: 20 each (first come, first serve and on-site reception)

Participation Fee: 500 yen or shuttle bus special stamp card bundle

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Info: Asuwayama Park Office

TEL: 0776-34-1680

Gas Cooking Studio

Traditional Cooking



When: Nov. 13 (Wed.), 10:30 – 12:30

Dishes: ←Vegetable rice, squid and taro boil, *uchimame* soup ↓ Host: Fukui City Healthier Eating Habits Promotion Division

Capacity: 15 (random selection)

Participation Fee: 500 yen **Deadline:** Nov. 5 (Tue.)

Torobi-chan Cooking

When: Nov. 15 (Fri.), 10:00 – 12:30

Dishes: Fried fish, sesame-dressed spinach and taro side, *gojiru* \downarrow

Host: Noji Farm's Noji Naomi Capacity: 15 (random selection) Participation Fee: 1000 yen

Deadline: Nov. 6 (Wed.)



Working Adults Cooking

When: Nov. 28 (Thu.), 18:30 – 20:30

Dishes: Japanese-style Paella, turnip and ham marinade ↓, mushroom and plum

wasabi boil, pork soup, dango

Host: Tega Minako

Capacity: 15 (random selection)

Participation Fee: 500 yen Deadline: Nov. 19 (Tue.)

♦ General Information

Where: Gas Cooking Studio (Kigyoukyoku Chousha 1F)

Things to Bring: Apron, hairnet/option to cover hair, hand towel

Application: All must be completed by respective deadlines by either phone or email. If sent by email, please include contact information (INCLUDING FOOD ALLERGIES) and a phone number at which you can be reached the day of the event.



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*Contact information refers to the event name, name, address, age, phone number Only those selected will be contacted the day of the event.

Contact: Gas and Water Customer Service Division

TEL: 0776-20-5632

Email: gwokyakusama@city.fukui.lg.jp