

# Seasonal Event Information

## September



★ Event schedules are subject to change.  
Please contact event organizers before you go.

### Events Held in Hiroshima City

Every Wednesday until December 28, 2016 ★ September 7, 14, 21 & 28; October 5, 12, 19 & 26

#### Hiroshima Kagura ひろしまけんみんぶんか 広島県民文化センター 「ひろしまかぐら ていきこうえん 定期公演」

**TIME:** 7:00pm – 8:45pm (The venue will open at 6:00pm.)

**VENUE:** Hiroshima Kenmin Bunka Center, Ote-machi, Naka-ku (located near Hondori Shopping Street)

**ACCESS:** From Kamiya-cho-nishi or Hondori Streetcar Stops, walking time to destination is 3 minutes.

**TICKETS:** ¥1,000 ✧ All non-reserved seats  
✧ Tickets will be sold from 5:00pm on the performance date at the center.  
There are no advance tickets.

**INQUIRIES:** Hiroshima Kenmin Bunka Center 082-245-2311

Sat., July 2 – Sun., Sept. 25

#### Kinoshita Circus in Hiroshima きのした ひろしまこうえん 木下サーカス広島公演

**PLACE:** Special Venue at Hiroshima Nishi Hikojo Atochi (the site of Hiroshima Nishi Airport), Kanon Shin-machi, Nishi-ku

**ACCESS:** Take the No. 3 bus bound for Kanon Marina Hop and get off at Kanon Marina Hop. Walking time to destination: 3 minutes

#### TICKETS FOR NON-RESERVED SEATS

- ◆ Advance: High school students and up - ¥2,800  
3 years old – Junior high school students - ¥1,800
- ◆ At the door: High school students and up - ¥3,200  
3 years old – Junior high school students - ¥2,200
- ✧ Advance tickets are available at Ticket PIA, Lawson, Seven-Eleven, e+, Rakuten Ticket, etc.
- ✧ Reserved seats are also sold. Please check the official homepage (see below) for more information.

#### SCHEDULE:

	Mon., Tue. & Wed.	Fri. & Jul. 2	Sat.	Sun. & National holidays
10:20am	—	—	—	○
11:00am	○	—	○	—
1:00pm	—	○	—	○
1:40pm	○	—	○	—
3:40pm	—	○	—	○



**CLOSED:** Every Thursday (except Sept. 22) & Sept. 7, 21

**INQUIRIES:** Kinoshita Circus Hiroshima Office  
082-234-0045 URL: <http://www.kinoshita-circus.co.jp/>

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**Sun., September 4 & 18****Hiroshima Minato Marché** ひろしまみなとマルシェ**TIME:** 8:00am – 2:00pm**PLACE:** Open Space between East and West Terminal of Hiroshima Port, Minami-ku**ACCESS:** Take the No. 1, 3 or 5 streetcar bound for Hiroshima Port and get off at the last stop, Hiroshima Port.**INQUIRIES:** Hiroshima Minato Marché Office 082-255-6646

☑ You can buy and taste locally-grown fresh vegetables and other food products at the marché.

**Fri., September 9 – Sat., September 24****Hiroshima Oktoberfest 2016** ひろしま  
広島オクトーバーフェスト 2016**TIME:** ◆ Mon. – Fri.: 3:00pm – 9:00pm ◆ Sat., Sun. & Sept. 19 & 22: 11:00am – 9:00pm**PLACE:** The Open Space of Former Municipal Baseball Stadium, Moto-machi, Naka-ku**ACCESS:** Get off at Kamiya-cho-nishi or Genbaku Dome-mae streetcar stop.**ADMISSION FEE:** Free ☆ Beer and food will be extra of charge.**INQUIREIS:** Hiroshima TV Event Information Center 082-249-1218 (Mon. – Fri., 10:00am – 6:00pm)

☑ You can enjoy German beer, food, music, etc. every day during the period.

☑ No drunk-driving. All pets except service dogs are not allowed to enter the venue. Event may be canceled if there is bad weather.

**Sun., September 11****Day of Sister & Friendship Cities Event: Volgograd Day**しまい ゆうこうとし ひ きねん  
「姉妹・友好都市の日」記念イベント：ボルゴグラードの日**TIME:** 1:00pm – 3:30pm**PLACE:** *Hiroshima-shi Ryugakusei Kaikan* (International House), Nishi-kojin-machi, Minami-ku**ACCESS:** From JR Hiroshima Station, walking time to destination is 5 minutes.**ADMISSION FEE:** Free**PROGRAMS:** Exhibition to introduce Volgograd and Russia, tasting Russian food & drink, Russian music concert, etc.**INQUIRIES:** *Hiroshima Heiwa Bunka Center, Kokusai Koryu Kyoryoku Ka* (Hiroshima Peace Culture Foundation, International Relations and Cooperation Division)  
082-242-8879 E-mail: [internat@pcf.city.hiroshima.jp](mailto:internat@pcf.city.hiroshima.jp)**Thurs., September 15****Kangetsu (Moon-viewing) Tea Ceremony** かんげつちやかい  
観月茶会**TIME:** 4:00pm – 7:30pm ☆ The garden will open until 8:30pm on this day.**PLACE:** Shukkeien Garden**ACCESS:** Take a streetcar on the Hiroden Hakushima Line and get off at Shukkeien-mae. Walking time to destination: 5 minutes**FEE:** Fee for tea ceremony: *Honseki*-¥800, *Nodate*-¥600

☆ Admission fee for the garden is also required.

(	Adults-¥260, University & High school students-¥150	)
	Junior high & Elementary school students-¥100	

**INQUIRIES:** Shukkeien Garden 082-221-3620

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**Mon., September 19****Keiro (Respect-For-The-Aged) Tea Ceremony**けいろうちやかい  
敬老茶会**TIME:** 10:00am – 3:00pm**PLACE:** Shukkeien Garden**ACCESS:** Take a streetcar on the Hiroden Hakushima Line and get off at Shukkeien-mae. Walking time to destination: 5 minutes**FEE:** ¥700 for tea ceremony

◇ Admission fee for the garden is also required.

Adults-¥260, University & High school students-¥150
Junior high & Elementary school students-¥100

**INQUIRIES:** Shukkeien Garden 082-221-3620**Sat., October 29****2016 Autumn Sumo Tour in Hiroshima**おおずもうひろしまばしょ  
大相撲広島場所**TIME:** 8:00am – 3:00pm**PLACE:** Hiroshima Sun Plaza Hall, Nishi-ku**ACCESS:** From JR Shin Inokuchi Station (JR Sanyo Line) or Shoko Center Iriguchi Streetcar Stop (Hiroden Miyajima Line), walking time to destination is 5 minutes.**TICKETS:**1<sup>st</sup> Floor**Sold Out**

■ “Tamari” Seats (ringside)

S\* - ¥14,000/person      A\* - ¥13,000/person

■ Floor Seats

S\* - ¥48,000 for 4 seats      A - ¥40,000 for 4 seats

■ Chair Seats

A - ¥12,000/person      B - ¥11,000/person      C - ¥10,000/person      D - ¥9,000/person

■ Seats for Persons with Disabilities: ¥4,500/person

&lt;Seats with “\*”&gt; You can take a special sumo cushion home as a souvenir. (Cushions are also available for ¥1,000 (advance sale) and ¥1,500 (at the door)).

2<sup>nd</sup> Floor (chair seats)

■ Reserved Seats: E - ¥8,000/person      F - ¥7,000/person      ■ Non-reserved Seats: ¥5,000/person

**RESERVATION & INQUIRIES:** 082-532-1701 (Mon. – Fri., 10:00am – 6:00pm)◇ You can order a *bento* (lunch box; ¥2,000) with tea as well.◇ You may not be allowed to bring any food or drink to the venue other than this *bento*.<Notice> *Bento* reservations will be accepted between Oct. 19 and 27 at Musashi (a *bento* shop; Tel. 082-291-6340)**Events Held on Miyajima****Thurs., September 1****Festival at Shinomiya Shrine (Tanomosan Festival)**しのみやじんじやさい  
四宮神社祭 (たのもさん)**TIME:** From 3:00pm onward**PLACE:** Shinomiya Shrine, Momiji-dani Park, Miyajima**ACCESS:** Get off at JR Miyajima-guchi Station (JR Sanyo Line) or the Miyajima Streetcar Stop (Hiroden Streetcar Miyajima Line), then take a ferry to Miyajima.

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**PROGRAM:** Ceremony at Shinomiya Shrine: From 3:00pm onward  
Boat floating from the front of Itsukushima Shrine: From 6:00pm onward

**INQUIRIES:** *Miyajima Kanko Kyokai* (Tourist Association) 0829-44-2011

☐ In ancient times, as Miyajima was believed to be an island of the gods, people were forbidden from digging and tilling the ground. People in Miyajima depended on farm products from the main land across the sea for a long time, and thus every year they float *Tanomosan* boats which are decorated with dolls, food and money to the main land to show their gratitude.

**Fri., September 9 – Sun., September 11**

## **Miyajima Candle Festival, *Mantōe***

みやじま 宮島ローソクまつり まんとうえ 萬燈会

**TIME:** 6:00pm – 9:00pm

**PLACE:** Daishoin Temple, Miyajima

**ACCESS:** Get off at JR Miyajima-guchi Station (JR Sanyo Line) or Miyajima Streetcar Stop (Hiroden Streetcar Miyajima Line), then take a ferry to Miyajima.

**ADMISSION FEE:** Free

**INQUIRIES:** Daishoin Temple 0829-44-0111

☐ Many candles will be lit to console the souls of the deceased. A ritual will be held from 6:00pm on the 9<sup>th</sup> and concerts will be held for world peace from 7:00pm on the 9<sup>th</sup> and from 6:00pm on the 10<sup>th</sup> and the 11<sup>th</sup>.



## Events Held Outside of Hiroshima City

**Sat., Sun. & national holidays**

### **Sake Brewery Opening**

じょうかまちさいじょう ようこそ醸華町西条

**PLACE:** Sake Breweries, Higashihiroshima City

**ACCESS:** Get off at JR Saijo Station (JR Sanyo Line).

**FEE:** Free

**INQUIRIES:** *Saijo Sakagura-dori Kanko Annai-jo*

Tel. & Fax 082-421-2511 (10:00am – 4:00pm, closed on Mondays)

☐ Some sake breweries open to the public on Sat., Sun. & national holidays. Signboards with the words “ようこそ醸華町西条” (“*Yokoso Jokamachi Saijo*”) will be placed in front of the opened breweries.

**Wed., June 1 – Sat., September 10**

### **Cormorant Fishing in Miyoshi**

みよし うかい 三次の鵜飼

**TIME:** 7:45pm – 8:45pm (Cruising will be canceled if it rains heavily.)

**PLACE:** *Tokaichi Shinsui Koen* (Park), Miyoshi City

**ACCESS:** From JR Miyoshi Station (JR Geibi Line), walking time to destination is 15 minutes.

**PASSENGER FARE:** ✧ Please note that reservations are required.

- ◆ **Sunday – Thursday:** Junior high school students and up-¥2,500  
Elementary school students-¥1,250

✧ Passenger fare will be different on Friday and Saturday. Please ask the tourist association below for more information.

**RESERVATIONS & INQUIRIES:** *Miyoshi City Kanko Kyokai* (Tourist Association) 0824-63-9268

☐ Fishermen start out at night with lanterns and cormorants on small wooden boats. The birds are trained to catch *Ayu* (sweetfish). Very unique white-colored cormorants (a type of water fowl, usually with black feathers) were donated by Yaan in Szechuan, China, Miyoshi's friendship city, and can be seen only in Miyoshi.

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**Sun., September 4****The 15<sup>th</sup> Hassaku-no-uma-dashi**だい かいとも つ はっさく うまだ  
第15回鞆の津八朔の馬出し**TIME:** From 10:00am onward**PLACE:** Tomo-cho, Fukuyama City ✧ Parade will start from Nunakuma Shrine.**ACCESS:** Take the Tomotetsu Bus from JR Fukuyama Station (JR Sanyo Line) and get off at Tomo-no-ura (a 35 min. bus ride). Walking time to destination: 5 minutes**INQUIRIES:** Fukuyama-shi Tomo-no-ura Rekishi Minzoku Shiryo Kan 084-982-1121

☐ Hassaku-no-uma-dashi is a local folklore event where a white model horse, "Hassaku-no-uma" is taken around town to pray for the birth of a child.

☼ This will be canceled if it rains.

**Sat., September 10****Sakagura Walking Tour (Free)**さかぐら  
酒蔵のまち てくてくガイド**TIME:** Tour will start on an as-needed basis between 10:00am and 11:00am.**MEETING PLACE:** Saijo Sakagura-dori Kanko Annai-jo (Tourist Information Center), Higashihiroshima City**ACCESS:** Get off at JR Saijo Station (JR Sanyo Line).**PARTICIPATION FEE:** Free**INQUIRIES:** Saijo Sakagura-dori Kanko Annai-jo Tel. & Fax 082-421-2511

☐ A volunteer guide will show you Sakagura-dori (Sake Brewery Street). During the tour you will be able to taste sake and the purified water that is used to make it.

☐ A regular guided tour (fee-based) is also held every day except on the 10<sup>th</sup>. An English speaking guide is available. Please contact the Saijo Sakagura-dori Tourist Information Center in advance.**Sat., September 10****The 69<sup>th</sup> Nishi-chugoku Kagura Performance**だい かいにしちゆうごくせんぼつかぐらきょうえんたいかい  
第69回西中国選抜神楽競演大会**TIME:** ◆ Distribution of numbered tickets: From 8:00am onward

◆ Opening of venue: 10:00am ◆ Opening ceremony: From 10:40am onward

◆ Kagura performance: 11:00am – 8:50pm

**PLACE:** Kake Taiiku-kan (Gymnasium), Akiota-cho**ACCESS:** ① From the Togouchi I.C. on the Chugoku Expressway, driving time to destination is 10 minutes.

② Take a bus bound for Sandankyo (Hiroden Sandankyo Line) from Hiroshima Bus Center (Sogo Hiroshima Department Store, 3F) and get off at Kake Chuo. Walking time to destination: 10 minutes

**TICKET:** Advance-¥2,500 At the door-¥3,000 At the door (after 4:50pm)-¥2,000

✧ Junior high school students and under-Free

✧ Advanced tickets are available at Hiroshima Yume Plaza on Hondori Shopping Street, Lawson Ticket.

**INQUIRIES:** Akiota-cho Kanko Kyokai (Tourist Association) 0826-28-1800**Sat., September 10****Hatsukaichi-shi Nihyaku-hatsuka (220-day) Honen Citizens' Festival****(A Harvest Festival)**はつ かいちし にひゃくはつ か ほうねん し みにさい  
廿日市市二百廿日豊年市民祭**TIME:** From 2:00pm onward**PLACE:** Hatsukaichi-shi Chuo Shimin Center & Shopping Street, Hatsukaichi City**ACCESS:** From JR Hatsukaichi Station (JR Sanyo Line), walking time to destination is 5 minutes.**INQUIRIES:** Hatsukaichi Shoko Kaigisho 0829-20-0021

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**Sat., September 17 – Sun., October 23****Autumn Festival at Bihoku Kyuryo Park**こくえいびほくきゅうりょうこうえん あき  
国営備北丘陵公園「秋まつり」**TIME:** 9:00am – 5:00pm ✧ Entry allowed up to 4:00pm.**PLACE:** Kokuei Bihoku Kyuryo Koen, Shobara City**ACCESS:**

- ① From JR Nanatsuka Station (JR Geibi Line), walking time to destination is 20 minutes.
- ② From JR Bingo Shobara Station (JR Geibi Line), driving time to destination by taxi is 10 minutes.
- ③ From Shobara I.C. on the Chugoku Expressway, driving time to destination is 5 – 10 minutes.
- ④ From Miyoshi Higashi I.C. on the Chugoku Odan Expressway, driving time to destination is 15 minutes.

**ADMISSION FEE:** Adults-¥410 Children-¥80

Senior (65 years and up)-¥210 (Identification showing your birth date is required.)

**INQUIRIES:** Bihoku Koen Kanri Center 0824-72-7000 HP: <http://www.bihoku-park.go.jp/>**Sat., September 17 & Sun., September 18****Autumn Festival at Isonomiya Hachiman Shrine**いそのみやはちまんじんじゃ あき れいたいさい  
磯宮八幡神社 秋の例大祭**PLACE:** Isonomiya Hachiman Shrine, Takehara City**ACCESS:** From JR Takehara Station (JR Kure Line), walking time to destination is 10 minutes.**INQUIRIES:** Isonomiya Hachiman Shrine 0846-22-2529

☑ This is a traditional festival in Takehara. *Taiko* (traditional Japanese drums), *tengu* (long-nosed goblin), *oni* (devil) & *shishi-gashira* (lion mask) will walk around the town.

**Sat., September 17 & Sun., September 18****Autumn Festival at Murohara Shrine & Ebisu Festival**むろはらじんじやれいたいさい まつ  
室原神社例大祭・えびす祭り**TIME:** Noon – 5:00pm**PLACE:** Murohara Shrine & Ebisu Shrine, Kure City**ACCESS:** Take a bus bound for Okitomo Tenmangu from JR Hiro Station (JR Kure Line) and get off at Toyohama-shisho. Walking time to destination: 5 minutes

✧ Please mind that bus service is hourly.

**INQUIRIES:** Murohara Shrine 0823-68-2034

☑ Toyohara-cho, Kure City is a fishery town. This is an annual festival to pray for good catches of fish and maritime safety. Traditional rowing techniques (*Kaiden-ma* and *Oshi-bune*) will be demonstrated at the festival.

**Sun., September 18****The 23<sup>rd</sup> Getalympics 2016**だい かい  
第23回ゲタリンピック 2016**TIME:** 10:00am – 6:00pm**PLACE:** Around JR Matsunaga Station (JR Sanyo Line) and *Seibu Shimin Center*, Fukuyama City**ACCESS:** Get off at JR Matsunaga Station (JR Sanyo Line).**INQUIRIES:** *Getalympic* Executive Committee 084-933-2151 HP: <http://getalympic.com/>

☑ The town of Matsunaga is known as Japan's top site for making wooden clogs which are called *geta*. There will be various stage shows, games, and unique races with *geta* during the event.



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**Sun., September 18 & Mon., September 19****The 7<sup>th</sup> Bihoku Yoitokoro Festival (Sake Festival)**だい かい び ほうよ ところ  
第7回備北酔い処まつり**TIME:** 10:00am – 4:00pm**PLACE:** Hiroshima Miyoshi Winery, Miyoshi City**ACCESS:** Take a bus from JR Miyoshi Station (JR Geibi Line) and get off at Hiroshima Miyoshi Winery.**SAKE TICKETS:** ¥1,200**INQUIRIES:** *Bihoku Kanko Network Kyogikai* Office 0824-44-3855☑ You can taste wine and sake made with fresh water in the Bihoku Area (northeastern area of Hiroshima Prefecture). *Taiko* (traditional Japanese drums) and *kagura* performances will also be held.**Tue., September 20****Hatsuka-no-ichi Market**はつか いち  
廿日の市**TIME:** 8:30am – 10:30am**PLACE:** *Shingu Chuo Koen* (Park), Hatsukaichi City**ACCESS:** From Hatsukaichi Shiyakusho-mae (Hiroden Streetcar Miyajima Line), walking time to destination is 3 minutes.**INQUIRIES:** *Hatsukaichi Kanko Kyokai* (Tourist Association) 0829-31-5656**Thurs., September 22****The 82<sup>nd</sup> Fude (Calligraphy Brush) Festival**だい かいふで  
第82回筆まつり**TIME:** 10:00am – 5:00pm**PLACE:** Around the Studio *Fude-no Sato Kobo*, Sakakiyama Shrine & *Kumano Chugakko* (Junior High School), Kumano-cho**ACCESS:** Take a bus from Hiroshima Bus Center (Sogo Hiroshima Department Store, 3F) or JR Yano Station (JR Kure Line) and get off at Kumano Eigyosho. Driving time to destination: 7 minutes.**INQUIRIES:** *Fude Matsuri* Executive Committee 082-854-0216 HP: <http://www.fudematsuri.jp/>☑ Kumano-cho is Japan's greatest producer of *fude*, brushes that are used to write calligraphy and apply make-up. There will be *fude* sold at discounted prices, calligraphy demonstrations, etc.**Sat., September 24****The 24<sup>th</sup> Otokunchi Fire Festival**だい かいおとくちほのお さいてん  
第24回乙九日炎の祭典**TIME:** 3:30pm – 9:30pm**PLACE:** Around Kameyama Hachiman Shrine, Kita-hiroshima-cho**ACCESS:** From Togochi I.C. on the Chugoku Expressway, driving time to destination is 40 minutes.**INQUIRIES:** *Kita-hiroshima-cho Kanko Kyokai*, *Geihoku Shibu* (Tourist Association) 0826-35-0888**Sat., September 24 & Sun., September 25**

👏 Application period to participate in the event has already concluded. 👏

**The 5<sup>th</sup> Costume Festival in Onomichi**だい かいぜんこくか そうたいかい  
第5回全国仮装大会 in おのみち**TIME:** ♦ Sept. 24: Noon – 7:00pm ♦ Sept. 25: 11:00am – 4:00pm**PLACE:** Around *Hondori* Shopping Street, *Kokaido*, etc., Onomichi City**ACCESS:** From JR Onomichi Station (JR Sanyo Line), walking time to destination is 2 minutes.**CONTENTS:** Sept. 24: Pre Event: Costume Party

Sept. 25: Main Event: Costume Parade (11:00am – 4:00pm)

**INQUIRIES:** Executive Committee (inside Onomichi Tourist Association) 0848-37-9736

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**Sat., September 24 & Sun., September 25****Midori Kagura Performance 2016** みどりかがら 美土里神楽まつり 2016**TIME:** Sept. 24: From 1:00pm onward (The venue will open at 11:00am.)

Sept. 25: From 1:30pm onward (The venue will open at 9:00am.)

**PLACE:** Kagura Dome, Kagura Monzen Toji-mura, Midori-cho, Akitakata City**ACCESS:** ① Take an express bus bound for Miyoshi/Shobara from Hiroshima Bus Center (Sogo Hiroshima Department Store, 3F) and get off at Midori. Then take a taxi or shuttle bus to Kagura Monzen Toji-mura (reservations are required).

② From Takata I.C. on the Chugoku Expressway, driving time to destination is 7 minutes.

**TICKETS:**

		One Day Ticket	Two Days Ticket
Reserved box seats for 6 people		¥10,000	¥16,000
Reserved chair seats	Adults	¥1,500	¥2,500
	*Children	¥700	¥1,000
Non-reserved seats (advance tickets)	Adults		¥2,000
	*Children		¥800
Non-reserved seats (at the door)	Adults	¥1,200	
	*Children	¥600	

\*Children = Junior high and Elementary school students

◇ Advance tickets for non-reserved seats are available at *Hiroshima Yume Plaza* on Hodori Shopping Street.◇ All kinds of tickets are sold at *Kagura Monzen Toji-mura*. Please inquire at *Toji-mura* for more information.**INQUIRIES:** Kagura Monzen Toji-mura 0826-54-0888**Sun., October 2 (Tentative)****Yabusame at Hori Hachiman Shrine** ほりはちまんじんじやぶさめしんじ 堀八幡神社流鏑馬神事**TIME:** ♦ Ritual is from noon onward ♦ *Yabusame* Performance is from 1:00pm onward**PLACE:** Hori Hachiman Shrine & Tonoga *Yabusame* Horse Riding Ground, Akiota-cho**ACCESS:** ① Take a bus from JR Kabe Station (JR Kabe Line) and get off at Togochi I.C. Bus Center. Driving time to destination: 5 minutes

② From Togochi I.C. on the Chugoku Expressway, driving time to destination is 5 minutes.

**INQUIRIES:** Hori Hachiman Shrine 0826-22-0651*Akiota-cho Kanko Kyokai* (Tourist Association) 0826-28-1800▣ *Yabusame* is the traditional art of shooting arrows from horseback. It is a rare opportunity to see *yabusame* in Hiroshima Prefecture.**Sat., October 8 & Sun., October 9****2016 Sake Matsuri** さけ 2016 酒まつり**TIME:** ♦ Oct. 8: 10:00am – 8:00pm ♦ Oct. 9: 10:00am – 5:00pm**PLACE:** Around JR Saijo Station, Higashi Hiroshima City**ACCESS:** Get off at JR Saijo Station (JR Sanyo Line).**INQUIRIES:** *Higashi Hiroshima-shi Kanko Kyokai* (Tourist Association) 082-420-0330URL: <http://sakematsuri.com/>

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☺ **Sake Hiroba** ❖ You can taste about 1,000 kinds of *sake* from around Japan.

**TIME:** ♦ Oct. 8: 10:00am – 8:00pm ♦ Oct. 9: 10:00am – 5:00pm

❖ Entry is allowed up to 1 hour prior to closing.

**ADMISSION TICKETS:** ¥2,100 (Advance tickets will also be sold.)

☑ Remember, drunk-driving is strictly prohibited!

**Sun., October 9**

## Nagao Shrine Yudate Kagura Performance

ながおじんじゃゆだてかぐら  
長尾神社湯立神楽

**TIME:** From 1:00pm onward

**PLACE:** Nagao Shrine, Akiota-cho

**ACCESS:** ① Take a bus bound for Sandankyo from Hiroshima Bus Center (Sogo Hiroshima Department Store, 3F) and get off at Kake-chuo.

② From Togochi I.C. on the Chugoku Expressway, driving time to destination is 10 minutes.

**INQUIRIES:** Nagao Shrine 0826-22-0311

Akiota-cho Kanko Kyokai (Tourist Association) 0826-28-1800

**Sat., November 26 & Sun., November 27**

## The 9<sup>th</sup> 2-Day Hiroshima Peace Walk in Hatsukaichi

だい かい  
第9回ピースウォークひろしまツアーデー in はつかいち  
廿日市

**COURSE:** ♦ Nov. 26: Miyajima Course

♦ Nov. 27: A-bomb Dome and south area of Hiroshima City Course

**STARTING PLACE:** Shingu Chuo Koen (park), Hatsukaihi City

**ACCESS:** From Hatsukaichi Shiyakusho-mae Streetcar Stop (Hiroden Miyajima Line), walking time to destination is 4 minutes.

**PARTICIPATION FEE:**

★ Fee for 2-Day ★

♦ Advance application: Adults-¥2,000 Senior & Junior high school students-¥1,000  
Elementary school students and under-Free

♦ Application on the day of: Adults-¥2,100 Senior & Junior high school students-¥1,100  
Elementary school students and under-Free

★ Fee for 1-Day ★

♦ Advance application: Adults-¥1,000 Senior & Junior high school students-¥500  
Elementary school students and under-Free

♦ Application on the day of: Adults-¥1,100 Senior & Junior high school students-¥600  
Elementary school students and under-Free

**HOW TO APPLY:** Fill out prescribed application form and make a payment at a Japan Post Bank (ゆうちょ銀行) by Thurs., November 10. The receipt you receive at the post bank will be the participation certificate on the event day, so please make sure to keep and bring it on the walking day.

**INQUIRIES:** Executive Committee 082-218-0511 or 090-1185-8332

E-mail: hwa.hiroshima@gmail.com

☑ Elementary school students and under should be accompanied by their guardians. People who need care should also be accompanied by their escorts.

☑ Please bring lunch with you.



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## Events Held in Yamaguchi Prefecture

Wed., June 1 – Sat., September 10

### Cormorant Fishing in Iwakuni きんたいきょう うかい 錦帯橋の鵜飼

**TIME:** 7:00pm – 9:00pm

**PLACE:** Nishiki-gawa River & Kintaikyo Bridge, Iwakuni City

**ACCESS:** Get off at JR Iwakuni Station (JR Sanyo Line) and take a bus bound for Kintaikyo Bridge. Get off at Kintaikyo (a 20 min. bus ride).

**PASSENGER FARE:** Adults-¥2,000 Children-¥1,000

◇ The fare will be temporarily changed on August 6, the day of the fireworks festival.

**RESERVATIONS & INQUIRIES:** *Kintaikyo Ukai Office* 0827-28-2877

▣ Originating about 400 years ago, cormorant fishing under lit lanterns is a summer tradition in Iwakuni.

## Other Event

### Setouchi Triennale 2016 せとうちこくさいげいじゆつさい 瀬戸内国際芸術祭2016

**PERIOD:** ❶ **Spring:** Sun., March 20 – Sun., April 17

❷ **Summer:** Mon., July 18 – Sun., September 4

❸ **Autumn:** Sat., October 8 – Sun., November 6

Finished



**PLACE:** Around the 12 Islands of the Seto Inland Sea (below), Takamatsu and Uno Naoshima

(Teshima, Megijima, Ogijima, Shodoshima, Oshima, Inujima, Shamijima (spring only),  
Honjima (autumn only), Takamijima (autumn only), Awashima (autumn only),  
Ibukijima (autumn only), Takamatsu & Uno Port)

**OFFICIAL URL:** <http://setouchi-artfest.jp/en/>

◇ Please see this official homepage for more information such as ticket information and access to each island.

▣ This year is also the triennial international art festival. Please take this opportunity to enjoy art and the small islands of the Seto Inland Sea.



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