Municipal Facilities



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(Address / Telephone / Open Hours / Closed / Admission Fee / URL)
Admission is generally allowed up to 30 min. prior to closing.

Hiroshima City Forest Park & Insectarium

(10173 Fujigamaru, Fukuda-cho, Higashi-ku 732-0036 / Forest Park: 899-8241, Insectarium: 899-8964 / Forest Park: 9:00 am - 4:30 pm; Insectarium: 9:00 am - 4:30 pm / Closed: Forest Park - Wednesdays; Insectarium - Wednesdays / Admission Fees for the Insectarium: Adults-¥510, Seniors & high school students-¥170, Junior high & elementary school students-Free (Free admission for high school students on Saturdays (except on national holidays and during school holidays)) / Forest Park: http://www.hiro-kon.jp/)

- The Forest Park & Insectarium have been closed temporarily due to the heavy rain disaster in western Japan in July 2018.
- Some Insectarium events will be held at the 5-Days Children's Museum of Culture and Science. Please see the Children's Museum section of this newsletter for more information.

La The Hiroshima Botanical Garden

(3-495 Kurashige, Saeki-ku 731-5156 / 922-3600 / 9:00 am - 4:30 pm / Closed on Fridays (except May 3) / Adults-¥510, Seniors & high school students-¥170, Junior high and elementary school students-Free (Free admission for high school students on Saturdays (except on national holidays and during school holidays)) / http://www.hiroshima-bot.jp/)

< Exhibitions > Exhibitions will close at 3:30 pm on their last day.

Tenji Shiryo-kan

- ⊕ Botanical Arts / May 8 (Wed.) June 5 (Wed.)

Tenji Onshitsu (Greenhouse Exhibitions)

- Sekkoku & Chosei-ran (Japanese wild orchids) / May 4 (Sat.) - 9 (Thurs.)

- African Violets & Iwatabako (Conandron ramondioides) / May 25 (Sat.) June 6 (Thurs.)
- Ucho-ran (Japanese wild orchids) / June 8 (Sat.) 13 (Thurs.)

Okugai Tenji-jo (outdoor exhibitions)

- ⊕ Hydrangea / June 1 (Sat.) 23 (Sun.)

<Events:

- Events on Greenery Day & Botanical Garden Day / May 4 (Sat.)
 - © Various events such as a potted plant give away (for the first 1,000 people) and concert(s) will be held.
 - → Admission free on this day (parking fees remain unchanged).
- Rose Festival / Weekends between May 11 and May 26 (May 11, 12, 18, 19, 25 & 26)
- Hill Climbing for Kindergarteners / June 2 (Sun.) / 1:30 pm - 3:00 pm / For kindergarteners and their guardians / Fee: ¥100 per person

To APPLY: Send an ofuku-hagaki (return postcard) with participants' names, children's ages, address and telephone number and the event name 先生と子供のための森の幼稚園 ("Sensei to kodomo no tameno mori no

("Sensei to kodomo no tameno mori no youchien") to the Botanical Garden by May 13 (Mon.). 20 groups will be selected at random from a list of names.

 Hanashoubu (Japanese iris) & Ajisai (hydrangea) Festival / Weekends between June 1 and 23 (June 1, 2, 8, 9, 15, 16, 22 & 23)

© Tea ceremonies will be held at the Japanese garden on the event days.

<Lectures>

- Junior Project / May 12 (Sun.) & June 9 (Sun.)
 / ① 11:00 am noon ② 1:30 pm 2:30 pm
- Botanical Art / May 19 (Sun.) / 1:30 pm 3:30 pm

<u>To APPLY</u>: Send an *ofuku-hagaki* (return postcard) with your name, address and

telephone number and the class name 植物学

入門講座 ("Shokubutsugaku nyumon kouza") to the Botanical Garden by May 23 (Thurs.). Participants will be selected at random from a list of names.

<Gardening Lessons>

- Sekkoku (Japanese wild orchids) /May 5 (Sun.) / 1:00 pm - 2:00 pm
- Roses / May 18 (Sat.) / 1:30 pm 3:00 pm
- Herbs / May 19 (Sun.) / TBC
- Hydrangrea / June 2 (Sun.) & 8 (Sat.) / 1:30 pm 2:30 pm
- Hanashoubu (Japanese iris) / June 9 (Sun.) / 11:00 am - noon
- Small Bonsai / June 9 (Sun.) / 1:30 pm 2:30 pm

5-Days Children's Museum of Culture and Science

(5-83 Motomachi, Naka-ku 730-0011 / 222-5346 / 9:00 am - 5:00 pm / Closed on May 7 - 10, 13, 20 & 27 / Admission fee is required for the planetarium (see below).

/ http://www.pyonta.city.hiroshima.jp/)

★ Planetarium ★

Admission Fee for Planetarium:

- ☆ Children's Day (May 5) Special Event: Spring Concert 2019 / May 5 (Sun.) / 4:00 pm - 4:50 pm / Adults & seniors-¥250
- ☆ Planetarium Shows / Adults-¥510, Seniors & high school students-¥250
 - Looking for the Stolen Constellations (45 min.) / Until September 8 (Sun.)

Time Schedule

- ❖ Weekdays: 11:00 am
- ❖ Sat., Sun. & national holidays:
 ① 10:00 am② 3:00 pm
- **2** Earth Symphony (45 min.) / Until July 15 (Mon.)

Time Schedule

- ❖ Weekdays: 2:00 pm
- ❖ Sat., Sun. & national holidays:
 ① 11:00 am② 2:00 pm
- ☆ 360° Full Dome Show: Fly Me to the Moon (35 min.) / Until June 30 (Sun.) / Adults-¥510, Seniors & high school students-¥250 Time Schedule
 - ❖ Weekdays: 3:00 pm
 - ❖ Sat., Sun. & national holidays: 1:00 pm

time while watching the starry sky and listening to music. Although the main target of this program is adults, anyone who wishes to rejuvenate themselves is welcome.

Time Schedule

- ❖ Weekdays: 1:00 pm
- ❖ Sat., Sun. & national holidays: 4:00 pm Admission Fee

High school students and above-¥200

☆ Starry Sky Tour: Tonight's Starry Sky & Measuring Stars' Mass, Sizes and Distance from Earth / April 21 (Sun.) - July 14 (Sun.) / 4:00 pm - 4:50 pm / Adults-¥510, Seniors & high school students-¥250

★ Events ★

- ☆ Events at Apollo Hall (250 seats) / Free admission
 - Magic Show / May 5 (Sun.) / ① Noon 12:45 pm ② 2:30 pm 3:15 pm (Doors will open at 11:45 am for ① & at 2:15 pm for ②.)
 - Kagura Performance / May 26 (Sun.) / 2:30 pm - 3:15 pm (Doors will open at 2:15 pm.)
- ☆ Craft Workshops / May 6 (Mon.), 19 (Sun.) & 26 (Sun.) / 1:00 pm 3:30 pm / For children under elementary school entry age, elementary school students (1st 3rd graders) and their guardians / 3F, Kosaku-shitsu (Craft Room) / Fee: ¥30 for materials
 - The content of each workshop is different. For more information, please contact the museum.
- ☆ Science Shows / ① 1:30 pm 2:00 pm ② 3:00 pm - 3:30 pm / 1F, Science Studio / Fee: Free
 - Balloons / May 3 (Fri.)
 - Mystery of Radio Waves / May 6 (Mon.) & 18 (Sat.)
- The events listed below require advance applications.

To APPLY: Send an *ofuku-hagaki* (return postcard) to the museum, postmarked no later than each event's application deadline, with the following information: applicants' names, addresses, a telephone number, school year and the event name and time of the event you wish to attend.

Science Workshop

◆ Observation: Creatures of the Moto-Ujina

Shore / 海の生き物と友だちになろう ("Umi
no ikimono to tomodachi ni narou") / May 18
(Sat.) / 1:30 pm - 4:00 pm / Meeting Place:
Moto-ujina shore / For elementary school
students / Fee: ¥100 / Closing date for
applications: May 4 (Sat.) ◆ 20 people will be
selected at random from a list of names.

Craft Workshops

- ◆ Craft Workshops for Adults: Pottery / 大人の できまくをようしつ 協芸 ("Otona no sousaku kyoushitsu: Tougei") / ① May 24 (Fri.) ② June 14 (Fri.) ◆ Participants must attend both classes. / ① May 24: 9:30 am 3:30 pm ② June 14: 9:30 am noon / For high school students and above / Fee: ¥1,800 / Closing date for applications: May 10 (Fri.) ◆ 12 people will be selected at random from a list of names.
- ◆ Craft Workshops for Adults: Tole Painting / 大人の創作教室:トールペイント("Otona no sousaku kyoushitsu: Tole painting") / June 8 (Sat.) / 1:30 pm 4:00 pm / For high school students and above / Fee: ¥1,500 / Closing date for applications: May 25 (Sat.)
 ◆ 12 people will be selected at random from a list of names.

Other Workshop:

- ◆ Paper Craft Workshop / 紙ニュケーション 講座:色が変わるマジックキューブを作ろう! ("Kami-nucation kouza: iro ga kawaru magic cube wo tsukurou!") / May 25 (Sat.) / 1:30 pm - 4:00 pm / For elementary & junior high school students / Fee: ¥200 / Closing date for applications: May 11 (Sat.) ◆ 20 people will be selected at random from a list of names.
- Hiroshima City Asa Zoological Park

 (Asa-cho Dobutsuen, Asakita-ku 731-3355 / 8381111 / 9:00 am 4:30 pm / Closed on Thursdays

 (except May 2) / Adults-¥510, Seniors & high
 school students- ¥170, Junior high &
 elementary school students-Free /
 http://www.asazoo.jp/)
- Backyard Guide Tour / Saturdays, May 4, 11, 18 & 25 / ① 11:00 am (except the 25th) ② 1:30 pm / Please gather near the entrance at 9:00 am on each activity day. The first 20 40 people can participate. The number of participants will differ depending on where you visit. The tours will explore a different enclosure or other place in the Zoo on each trip.
- Try to Ride on a Mini Carp Shinkansen / May 6 (Mon.) / 2:00 pm 3:00 pm
 - The first 200 participants will be accepted on the day.

- ♦ This will be canceled if the weather is bad.
- Sketching Event / May 19 (Sun.) / 9:00 am -1:00 pm / For preschoolers, elementary and junior high school students
 - ♦ Applications will be accepted until11:00 am on the day at the main entrance.
 - ♦ Drawing paper will be given to each person. Please bring any other drawing materials with you.
- Giant Salamander Facility Tour / May 25 (Sat.) / 11:00 am - 11:45 am
 - Participation tickets will be distributed from 9:00 am at the main entrance until 20 spots are filled.
- Numaji Transportation Museum (Hiroshima City Transportation Museum) (2-12-2 Chorakuji, Asaminami-ku 731-0143 / 878-6211 / 9:00 am 5:00 pm / Closed on May 7 10, 13, 20 & 27 / Adults-¥510, Seniors & high school students-¥250, Junior high school students and under-Free
 - / http://www.vehicle.city.hiroshima.jp)
- ⇒ Spring Exhibition: Construction Machinery /
 Until May 6 (Mon.)
- ★ Special Exhibition-Related Events ★
- Sit in a mini excavator (KOBELCO SK008) and take photos / Saturdays, Sundays & national holidays during the event period / 9:00 am - 5:00 pm / 2F, Tokubetsu tenjishitsu
- Science Show: Experiments with Electricity / May 11 (Sat.) & 12 (Sun.) / ① 11:30 am 11:50 pm ② 1:30 pm 1:50 pm ③ 2:30 pm 2:50 pm / 1F, Tamokuteki Hall / Fee: Free
- Wehicle Land: Playing with Toy Cars
 / May 18 (Sat.) & 19 (Sun.) / 1:00 pm − 4:00
 pm / 1F, Tamokuteki Hall / Fee: Free
- Check Your Visual Performance with "Drivers' Vision" / May 25 (Sat.) / ① 10:00 am - noon ② 1:30 pm - 3:30 pm / 1F, Entrance Hall / Fee: Free
- Astramline Rail Yard Tour / May 25 (Sat.) / ① 10:00 am - 10:40 am ② 11:00 am - 11:40 am / Fee: Admission fee for the museum (Adults- ¥510, Seniors & high school students-¥250)

To APPLY: Send an ofuku-hagaki (return postcard) with all applicants' names, address, telephone number, age, time (① or ②) you wish to attend and the event name アストラ

ムライン 長楽寺 車両 基地 見 学会

("Astramline Chourakuji sharyo-kichi kengaku-kai") to the museum by May 12 (Sun.). 60 people will be selected at random from a list of names for each time slot.

- ♦ We ask that parents with baby buggies please leave buggies at the museum before the tour starts.
- ➡ Children's Craft Workshops / Sundays, May 12, 19 & 26 / 1:00 pm 3:30 pm
 ❖ Numbered tickets will be distributed from 12:30 pm. / For preschoolers, elementary school students and their guardians / 1F, Craft Room / Fee: ¥50 for materials
 - ♦ Participation limited to 100 groups (first come, first served)

Hiroshima City Ebayama Museum of Meteorology

(1-40-1 Eba-minami, Naka-ku 730-0835 / 231-0177 / 9:00 am - 5:00 pm / Closed on Mondays (except May 6) & May 7 / Adults-¥100, Seniors & high school students-¥50, Junior high & elementary school students-Free (Free admission for high school students on Saturdays except during school holidays) / http://www.ebayama.jp/)

- Science Shows / ① 1:30 pm 2:00 pm
 ② 3:00 pm 3:30 pm
 - ◆ Magical Experiments with Water and Ice / May 1 (Wed.) - 6 (Mon.)
 - ◆ The Mystery of Vacuum / May 11 (Sat.), 12 (Sun.), 19 (Sun.) & 26 (Sun.)
- Science Workshop / May 25 (Sat.) / 1:00 pm 3:30 pm / For junior high school students and

- under / Fee: ¥100 for materials → Entry can be purchased from 10:00 am on the day, up to 50 people.
- - ♦ Elementary school students and under should be accompanied by their guardians.
- Special Event on Meteorological Day / June 2 (Sun.)

Hiroshima City Museum of History and Traditional Crafts

(2-6-20 Ujina-miyuki, Minami-ku 734-0015 / 253-6771 / 9:00 am - 5:00 pm / Closed on May 7 - 9, 13 - 16, 20 & 27 / Adults-¥100, Seniors & high school students-¥50, Junior high school students and under-Free

/ http://www.cf.city.hiroshima.jp/kyodo/)

Special Exhibitions:

- ◆ Artifacts Excavated in Hiroshima: From 20,000 years ago to the Meiji Period (1686-1912) / Until May 6 (Mon.)
- ◆ Hiroshima Bay / May 25 (Sat.) July 7 (Sun.) ➢ Workshops
 - Quiz Rally / May 3 (Fri.) 5 (Sun.) /
 Participation fee: Free (Admission fee for the
 museum will be required.)
 - ◆ Play Corner / May 5 (Sun.) / 10:00 am 4:00 pm / Participation fee: Free (Admission fee for the museum will be required.)
 ⑤ You can enjoy playing with traditional Japanese toys, such as koma (spinning tops) and kendama.
 - Indigo Dyeing a T-shirt (for adults) / June 16 (Sun.) / 1:00 pm - 3:00 pm / 18 years old and above / Fee: ¥400 (Admission fee for the museum is also required.)
 Bring a T-shirt with you.
 - ♦ Applications will be accepted by phone or fax between June 1 and 5. 20 people will be selected at random from a list of names.
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Hiroshima City Cinematographic and Audio-Visual Library

(3-1 Motomachi, Naka-ku 730-0011 / 223-3525 / 10:00 am - 8:00 pm (Tuesday - Saturday), 10:00 am - 5:00 pm (Sunday, national holidays & August 6) / Closed on Mondays (except May 6) & May 7 / 35mm Film Showings ⇒Adults-¥510, Seniors & High school students-¥250, Junior high school students and under-Free; Other Film Showings ⇒Adults-¥380, Seniors & high school students-¥180, Junior high school students and under-Free, Admission free for foreign students (Please show your student ID or the Hiroshima International Center Complimentary Pass.) / http://www.cf.city.hiroshima.jp/eizou/)

- May Special Showings of Masterpieces of Japanese Film: Masaru Sato (1928-1999), a Film Music Composer (Screened in Japanese only)
- Admission Fee: Adults-¥510, Seniors (65 years old and above) & high school students-¥250, Junior high & elementary school students-Free
 ★ Saturdays, May 11, 18 & 25: Free admission for high school students
- May 10 (Fri.) / ① 10:30 am ② 2:00 pm ③ 6:00 pm Kumono su jo / 蜘蛛巣城 (1957, Toho, 109 min., B&W, 35 mm film)
- May 11 (Sat.) / ① 10:30 am ② 2:00 pm ③ 6:00 pm Ore wa matteruze / 俺は待ってるぜ (1957, Nikkatsu, 90 min., B&W, 35 mm film)
- May 12 (Sun.) / ① 10:30 am ② 2:00 pm Sabita knife / 錆びたナイフ (1958, Nikkatsu, 90 min., B&W, 35 mm film)
- May 17 (Fri.) / ① 10:30 am ② 2:00 pm
 ③ 6:00 pm
 Wakai kawa no nagare / 若い川の流れ (1959, Nikkatsu, 127 min., B&W, 35 mm film)
- May 18 (Sat.) / ① 10:30 am ② 2:00 pm
 ③ 6:00 pm
 Yojinbo / 用心棒 (1961, Toho, Kurosawa Production, 110 min., B&W, 35 mm film)
- May 19 (Sun.) / ① 10:30 am ② 2:00 pm
 Tsubaki Sanjuro / 椿三十郎 (1962, Toho, Kurosawa Production, 95 min., B&W, 35 mm film)
- May 24 (Fri.) / ① 10:30 am ② 2:00 pm ③ 6:00 pm Ware hitotsubu no mugi naredo / われ一粒の 麦なれど (1964, Tokyo Eiga, 108 min., B&W, 35 mm

film)

- May 25 (Sat.) / ① 10:30 am ② 2:30 pm Akahige / 赤ひげ (1965, Toho, Kurosawa Production, 185 min., B&W, 35 mm film)
- May 26 (Sun.) / ① 10:30 am ② 2:00 pm Mizuumi no koto / 湖の琴 (1966, Toei (Kyoto), 129 min., color, 35 mm film)
- May 31 (Fri.) / ① 10:30 am ② 2:00 pm ③ 6:30 pm Wakamono tachi / 若者たち (1967, Gekidan Haiyuza, Shinsei Eigasha, 96 min., B&W, 35 mm film)
- Polish Film Festival (Screened in original language with Japanese subtitles)
- Admission Fee: Adults-¥380, Seniors (65 years old and up) & High school students-¥180, Junior high & Elementary school students-Free
- May 1 (Wed.) / ① 10:30 am ② 2:00 pm
 Czech Swan (2015, Poland, Czech Republic, 52 min., color, Japanese subtitles, digital) / Director: Aleksandra Terpinska
- May 2 (Thurs.) / ① 10:30 am ② 2:00 pm
 Piłsudski Bronisław: zesłaniec, etnograf,
 bohater (2016, Poland, 53 min., color, Japanese subtitles, digital) / Director: Waldemar Czechowski
- May 3 (Fri.) / ① 10:30 am ② 2:00 pm
 Wspomnienie lata (2016, Poland, 84 min., color, Japanese subtitles, digital) / Director: Adam Guzinski
- May 6 (Mon.) / ① 10:30 am ② 2:00 pm
 Twarz (2017, Poland, 92 min., color, Japanese subtitles, digital) / Director: Malgorzata Szumowska
- May 9 (Thurs.) / ① 2:00 pm ② 6:30 pm Cicha noc (2017, Poland, 97 min., color, Japanese subtitles, digital) / Director: Piotr Domalewski
- "Sound and Silent"
 - Enjoy a silent film with music.(Piano: Ayaka Yoshikiyo)
- May 4 (Sat.) / 2:00 pm Otona no miru ehon: Umarete wa mitakeredo / 大人の 見る 絵本 生まれてはみたけれど (1932, Shochiku (Kamata), 91 min., B&W, silent) / Director: Yasujiro Ozu
 - Admission Fee: Adults-¥380, Seniors (65 years old and above) & high school students-¥180, Junior high & elementary school students-Free

