









Seasonal Event Information

April 2020

Event might be rescheduled or canceled to prevent the spread of the coronavirus.

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	Date		Fee
	Time		To Apply
	Venue		Inquiries
	Access		Other

Events Held in Hiroshima City


Kagura Performances

Hiroshima Kagura





ひろしまけんみんぶんか ひろしまかくら ていきこうえん
広島県民文化センター「広島神楽」定期公演

-  Wednesdays, May 6, 13, 20 & 27
-  7:00 pm – 8:45 pm (doors will open at 6:00 pm.)
-  Hiroshima Prefectural Citizens' Cultural Center (*Hiroshima Kenmin Bunka Center*), Naka-ku, Otemachi, Naka-ku (near Hondori)
-  3 minutes' walk from either Kamiya-cho-nishi or Hondori streetcar stop.
-  ¥1,200
-  Hiroshima Prefectural Citizen's Culture Center (*Hiroshima Kenmin Bunka Center*) 082-245-2311
-  ★ Seats are unassigned.
- ★ Tickets will be sold from 5:40 pm on the date of each performance at the Center. You must first get a number to buy a ticket. Numbers will be assigned from 4:30 pm at the Center (1F, lobby). There are no advance tickets.

Events at Shukkeien Garden




-  To prevent the coronavirus from further spreading, Shukkeien Garden will temporarily close until further notice. Please contact the garden directly before you go.

Shukkeien Garden

	9:00 am – 6:00 pm (April – September) 9:00 am – 5:00 pm (October – March)
	5 minutes' walk from Shukkeien-mae streetcar stop (Hiroden Hakushima Line).
	Adults: ¥260, University & high school students: ¥150, Junior high & elementary school students: ¥100
	082-221-3620 Website: http://shukkeien.jp/

Tea Leaf-picking Performance & Tea Ceremony

Saotome, girls dressed in traditional costumes, will demonstrate an old-fashioned way of tea leaf-picking. Freshly-picked tea will be served for free.







-  April 29 (Wed.)
-  10:00 am – 3:00 pm
-  ¥600 for *match*
- Free for green tea from new leaves
- ★ Admission fee for the garden is also required.

Other Events

Talk With A-bomb Survivors

「6」のつく日 語り部さんとお話ししよう!

This is not like a lecture, but a casual talk with A-bomb survivors. You can talk with A-bomb survivors in English on the 6th of every month.

-  The 6th, 16th & 26th of every month
-  11:00 am – 5:00 pm
Story telling: ① 1:00 pm ② 3:00 pm
-  Social Book Café Hachidori-sha, Dobashi-cho, Naka-ku
-  5 minutes' walk from Dobashi-cho streetcar stop.
-  Free admission ★ You need to order at least one drink per person.
-  Social Book Café Hachidorisha 082-576-4368 E-mail: hachidorisha@gmail.com

Please feel free to contact the International Exchange Lounge at 082-247-9715.

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 **Social Book Café Hachidorisha**

Opening Hours: Wednesday, Thursday & Friday: 3:00 pm – 11:00 pm; Saturday, Sundays, national holidays: 11:00 am – midnight; The 6th, the 16th & the 26th of every month: Open from 11:00am
Closed: Mondays & Tuesdays

Hiroshima Hananowa 2020

ひろしまはなのわ


 Until November 23 (Mon.)



 ♦ **Main Venue:** Chuo Park ★ Events at Chuo Park will be held from March 19 to May 24. After May 25, information booths will be set up at the main venue. Some associated events will also be held.


♦ **Other Venues:** National Bihoku Kyuryo Park, Prefectural Sera Kenmin Park, Prefectural Bingo Undo Park, Prefectural Miyoshi Park and others

 **Access to Chuo Park**


① 10 minutes' walk from JR Shin-hakushima Station. ② Take a Hiroshima sightseeing loop bus (orange route or lemon route) and get off at Hiroshima Castle (Gokoku-jinja-mae). 6 minutes' walk from there.

 Free Executive CommitteeWebsite: <https://hananowa2020.com>**FISE World Series Hiroshima 2020** ❖ FISE: Festival International du Sport Extreme April 3 (Fri.) – 5 (Sun.)

 Chuo Park
 ① 10 minutes' walk from JR Shin-hakushima Station. ② Take a Hiroshima sightseeing loop bus (orange route or lemon route) and get off at Hiroshima Castle (Gokoku-jinja-mae). 6 minutes' walk from there.

 Free admission ★ Visitors will be required to register to enter the venue in advance.
 ★ Admission fee will be required in some areas.




 Website: <https://www.fisehiroshima.jp>

 **SPORTING EVENTS:** UCI BMX Freestyle Park World Cup, FIG Parkour World Championships, World Skate Roller Freestyle World Cup, IFSC Bouldering International Series, FISE World Series Skateboard Street, UCI BMX Freestyle Flatland World Cup, WDSF World Open Series – Breaking

Hiroshima Minato Marché


ひろしまみなとマルシェ

You can buy and taste locally-grown fresh vegetables and other food products at this market.

 April 5 & 19 (both Sundays) 9:00 am – 3:00 pm Open space between East and West Terminals of Hiroshima Port (Minami-ku) Right by Hiroshima Port streetcar stop. Hiroshima Minato Marché Office
082-255-6646**Hiroshima Yoga Peace '20**



ひろしまヨガピース '20

Famous yoga instructors from Japan and abroad will come and teach you various styles of yoga.

 May 2 (Sat.) & 3 (Sun.) May 2 (Sat.): 10:00 am – 7:30 pm




May 3 (Sun.): 8:00 am – 5:30 pm

★ Please check the website for the schedule.

 Honganji Temple Hiroshima Betsuin, Jissōji Temple, Shōzenbō Temple & Honryūji in Teramachi, Naka-ku ① 10 minutes' walk from JR Yokogawa Station



② 3 minutes' walk from Betsuin-mae streetcar stop.

③ 5 minutes' walk from Teramachi streetcar stop.

 ¥3,500 for 1 class; ¥9,500 for 3 classes; ¥14,000 for 5 classes. Yoga mat rental: ¥500 / day Applications will be accepted through the website (<https://ticketyogap.shop-pro.jp/>) (Japanese only). Hiroshima Yoga Peace Executive Committee
080-5629-1892E-mail: yoga@hiroshima-yogapeace.comWebsite: <http://hiroshima-yogapeace.com/>**The 44th Hiroshima Flower Festival**

だい 44 かい ひろしまフラワーフェスティバル

 May 2 (Sat.) – 3 (Sun.)
 9:00 am – 5:00 pm
 Peace Plaza (Genbaku Dome-mae) and more

 5 minutes' walk from Genbaku Dome-mae streetcar stop Hiroshima Flower Festival Executive Committee 082-294-4622Website: <http://www.hiroshima-ff.com/>

Please feel free to contact the International Exchange Lounge at 082-247-9715.


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Events Held on Miyajima

Please check the Miyajima Tourist Association's website for more information.

Website: <http://www.miyajima.or.jp/english>

 Get off at JR Miyajima-guchi Station (JR Sanyo Line) or Miyajima streetcar stop (Hiroden Streetcar Miyajima Line), then take a ferry to Miyajima.

Itsukushima Shrine

Adults & university students: ¥300

High school students: ¥200

Junior high & elementary school students: ¥100


 Miyajima Tourist Association 0829-44-2011

Hana-matsuri Buddhist Memorial Service

はなまつり ほうよう
花祭り 法要

This is a Buddhist memorial service celebrating Buddha's birthday. *Ama-cha* (sweet tea) will be served.


 April 8 (Wed.)  From 11:00 am onwards


 Daishoin Temple

 Daishoin Temple 0829-44-0111

Tea-offering Ceremony

うらせんげけんちやさい
裏千家献茶祭

 April 8 (Wed.)

 Itsukushima Shrine, *Noh* Stage

 Itsukushima Shrine 0829-44-2020


Fire Walking Ceremony

だいしょういん ひわたりしき (はる たいさい)
大聖院 火渡り式 (春の大祭)

A spring festival where one walks over hot coals to pray for protection from illness and disaster. You can try it too!

 April 15 (Wed.)  From 11:00 am onwards

 Daishoin Temple


 Daishoin Temple 0829-44-0111

Peach Blossom Festival

とうかさい
桃花祭

A ritual and *bugaku* will be performed.

 April 15 (Wed.)  From 5:00 pm onwards

 Itsukushima Shrine


 Admission fee for Itsukushima Shrine (see left)


 Itsukushima Shrine 0829-44-2020

Noh Performance

とうかさいごしんのう
桃花祭御神能


Various *noh* performances will be held on Itsukushima Shrine's *Noh* stage which floats in the sea from the morning to the evening over a period of 3 days.

 April 16 (Thurs.) – 18 (Sat.)

 9:00 am – 4:00 pm

 Itsukushima Shrine


 Admission fee for Itsukushima Shrine (see left)


 Itsukushima Shrine 0829-44-2020

Daishoin Temple Satsuki Festival


だいしょういん まつ
大聖院さつき祭り

Exhibition of temple treasures and more.

 April 25 (Sat.) – May 6 (Wed.)

 8:00 am – 5:00 pm

 Daishoin Temple


 Daishoin Temple 0829-44-0111

Annual Celebration at Awashima Shrine

あわしまじんじやれいさい
葉島神社例祭

This is the annual celebration of "*Awashima-san*", also known as the guardian deity of women.

 May 3 (Sun.)  From 11:00 am onwards

 Awashima Shrine

 Itsukushima Shrine 0829-44-2020

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Family Days Out

**Event might be rescheduled or canceled to prevent the spread of the coronavirus.
Please contact facilities directly before you go.**

To prevent the coronavirus from further spreading, the following facilities will temporarily close until April 12, 2020:



- Insectarium
- 5-Days Children's Museum of Culture and Science
- Numaji Transportation Museum
- Hiroshima City Ebayama Museum of Meteorology
- Hiroshima City Museum of History and Traditional Crafts












The following facilities will stay open (as of March 27), but some events will be canceled and some services unavailable:







- Hiroshima City Forest Park
- The Hiroshima Botanical Garden
- Hiroshima City Asa Zoological Park
- Hiroshima City Cinematographic and Audio-Visual Library

Please contact facilities directly before you go.

For information about schedules after April 13, please contact facilities directly.

Facilities	
	Address
	Telephone
	Opening Hours
	Closed
	Admission Fee
	Website







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	Date		Eligible People
	Time		To Apply
	Venue		Inquiries
	Fee		Other
	+ number	Participants are accepted first come, first served.	
	+ number	Participants are selected at random from all the applicants.	
	Apply in Advance		
	HOW TO APPLY: Send an <i>ôfuku-hagaki</i> (return postcard) to each facility with the following:		
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ① your name(s) ② address ③ telephone number ④ age ⑤ school name & year (of any elementary school students) ⑥ the event name ⑦ time slot (if there are more than 2 time slots in an event.)		

Hiroshima City Forest Park & Insectarium	
	10173 Fujigamaru, Fukuda-cho, Higashi-ku
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Forest Park: 082-899-8241 ▪ Insectarium: 082-899-8964
	9:00 am – 4:30 pm
	Wednesdays (except April 29) & April 30
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Forest Park: Free ▪ Insectarium: Adults: ¥510, Seniors & high school students: ¥170, Junior high & elementary school students: Free
	http://www.hiro-kon.jp/

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The Hiroshima Botanical Garden	
	3-495 Kurashige, Saeki-ku
	082-922-3600
	9:00 am – 4:30 pm
	Fridays
	Adults: ¥510, Seniors & high school students: ¥170, Junior high and elementary school students: Free
	http://www.hiroshima-bot.jp/

EXHIBITIONS


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

Museum Exhibitions

Pressed Flowers

 Until May 6 (Wed.)

Botanical Arts

 May 9 (Sat.) – June 4 (Thurs.)

Greenhouse Exhibitions

Geraniums

 Until April 15 (Wed.)

Japanese Wild Orchids (*Ebine*)

 April 25 (Sat.) – 29 (Wed.)

Spring Orchids

 May 2 (Sat.) – 7 (Thurs.)

Outdoor Exhibitions


Primroses

 April 15 (Wed.) – 22 (Wed.)

Spring Wild Plants

 April 25 (Sat.) – 30 (Thurs.)


Clematis

 May 2 (Sat.) – 7 (Thurs.)

EVENTS


Golden Week Special Events


Concerts, craft workshops and more will be held.

 May 2 (Sat.), 3 (Sun.), 5 (Tue.) & 6 (Wed.)

Greenery Day & Botanical Garden Day Events

Various events such as a potted plant give away (for the first 1,000 people) and concert(s) will be held.

 May 4 (Sat.)

 Admission free on this day (parking fees remain unchanged).

GARDENING LESSONS

Spring Wild Plants







 April 26 (Sun.)  1:30 pm – 2:30 pm

Japanese Wild Orchids (*Ebine*)

 April 26 (Sun.)  2:30 pm – 3:30 pm

Clematis

 May 3 (Sun.)  2:30 pm – 3:30 pm


5-Days Children's Museum of Culture and Science	
	5-83 Motomachi, Naka-ku
	082-222-5346
	9:00 am – 5:00 pm
	April 6, 13, 20, 27 & 30
	<Admission Fee for Planetarium> Adults: ¥510, Seniors & high school students: ¥250, Junior high & elementary school students: Free
	http://www.pyonta.city.hiroshima.jp/

PLANETARIUM PROGRAMS

Planetarium Shows (45 min.)

① Polaris

 Until September 6 (Sun.)


 Weekdays: 11:00 am

Sat., Sun. and national holidays:

① 10:00 am ② 3:00 pm

② The Moon on a Sleepless Night

 Until July 15 (Wed.)

 Weekdays: 2:00 pm


Sat., Sun. and national holidays:

① 11:00 am ② 2:00 pm

360° Full Dome Shows (40 min.)


① Little Gray Panda


 Until April 24 (Fri.)

 Weekdays: 3:00 pm

Sat., Sun. and national holidays: 1:00 pm

② Evolution of Life on Earth


 April 25 (Sat.) – November 6 (Fri.)


 Weekdays: 3:00 pm

Sat., Sun. and national holidays: 1:00 pm


Refretarium: 2020 Spring Program (20 min.)

Refresh your mind and body during the day while watching the starry sky and listening to music. Although this is aimed at adults, anyone who wishes to rejuvenate themselves is welcome.

 Until June 5 (Fri.)


 Weekdays: 1:00 pm


Sat. and national holiday: 4:00 pm

 High school students and above: ¥200

Starry Sky Tour (50 min.)



Tonight's Starry Sky & 40-year History of Astronomy

 Sundays between April 19 (Sun.) and September 13 (Sun.)

 4:00 pm

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Botanical Arts Exhibition

 Until April 19 (Sun.)  3F, Exhibition Hall

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Craft Workshops

📅 April 18 (Sat.) & 26 (Sun.)

🕒 1:00 pm – 3:30 pm

👥 For children under elementary school entry age, elementary school students (the 1st – the 3rd grade) and their parents and guardians

📍 3F, Craft Room 💰 ¥30 for materials

📄 The content of each workshop is different. For more information, please contact the museum.

Science Shows: Experiments Using Everyday Items

📅 April 19 (Sun.)

🕒 ① 1:30 pm – 2:00 pm ② 3:00 pm – 3:30 pm

📍 1F, Science Studio 💰 Free

🌟 **The events listed below require advance applications.**

Science Workshops**① Flight Science ①: Learn the principles of gliders & make a large glider**

ひこうかがく と おおがた (飛行の科学①よく飛ぶ大型グライダーを飛ばしてみよう "hikō no kagaku 1: yoku tobu ōgata guraidā wo tobashite miyō")

📅 May 6 (Wed.)

🕒 ① 9:30 am – noon ② 1:30 pm – 4:00 pm

👥 For elementary (3rd – 6th grades) and junior high school students

💰 ¥300 📄 Apply by April 22 (Wed.)

👥 16 people for each time slot

① Learn About Lights Through Various

Experiments (光であそぼう "hikari de asobō")

📅 May 9 (Sat.) 🕒 1:30 pm – 4:00 pm

👥 For elementary (3rd – 6th grades) and junior high school students

💰 ¥300 📄 Apply by April 25 (Sat.)

👥 16 people

Craft Workshops

Stained-glass (ステンドグラス作り "sutendo gurasu zukuri")

📅 April 25 (Sat.)

🕒 ① 9:30 am – noon ② 1:30 pm – 4:00 pm

👥 For elementary (4th – 6th grades) and junior high school students

💰 ¥1,500 📄 Apply by April 11 (Sat.)

👥 12 people for each time slot

Asa Zoo

📍 Asa-cho Dobutsuen, Asakita-ku

☎ 082-838- 1111

🌞 9:00 am – 4:30 pm

🌙 Thursdays (except April 2 & 30)

💰 Adults: ¥510, Seniors & high school students: ¥170, Junior high & elementary school students: Free

🌐 <http://www.asazoo.jp/>

Numaji Transportation Museum

📍 2-12-2 Chorakuji, Asaminami-ku

☎ 082-878-6211

🌞 9:00 am – 5:00 pm

🌙 Mondays

💰 Adults: ¥510, Seniors & high school students: ¥250, Junior high school students and under: Free

🌐 <http://www.vehicle.city.hiroshima.jp>

Spring Special Exhibition: Remote Control Machines for Industrial Use

📅 Until May 6 (Wed.) 🕒 9:00 am – 5:00 pm

Special Exhibition Events**① Fly a Toy Drone**

📅 April 19 (Sun.), 25 (Sat.) & 29 (Wed.); May 2 (Sat.) & 6 (Wed.)

🕒 ① 11:00 am – noon ② 2:00 pm – 3:00 pm

📍 2F, Special Exhibition Room

💰 Museum admission fee

📄 Participants will be accepted on each day.

② Learn How to Control a Drone 🌞

📅 April 26 (Sun.)

🕒 ① 10:00 am – noon ② 1:30 pm – 3:30 pm

👥 For elementary school students

📍 1F, Multi-purpose Hall

💰 Free 📄 Apply by April 16 (Thurs.)

👥 20 people

Vehicle Land: Playing with Toy Cars

📅 April 18 (Sat.) & 19 (Sun.)

🕒 1:00 pm – 4:00 pm

📍 1F, Multi-purpose Hal 💰 Free

See the Streetcar Exposed to the A-Bomb

📅 April 18 (Sat.)

🕒 ① 11:00 am – noon ② 1:30 pm – 3:00 pm

📍 Outdoor Open Space (okugai hiroba) 💰 Free








📄 This will be canceled if the weather is bad.

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Children's Craft Workshops

-  Sundays, April 19 & 26; April 29 (Wed.)
-  1:00 pm – 3:30 pm
-  1F, Craft Room
-  For preschoolers, elementary school students and their parents or guardians
-  ¥50 for materials  100 groups
-  Numbered tickets will be distributed from 12:30 pm.


Hiroshima City Ebayama Museum of Meteorology

	1-40-1 Eba-minami, Naka-ku
	082-231-0177
	9:00 am – 5:00 pm
	Mondays & April 30
	Adults: ¥100, Seniors & high school students: ¥50, Junior high & elementary school students: Free
	http://www.ebayama.jp/

Hiroshima City Museum of History and Traditional Crafts

	2-6-20 Ujina-miyuki, Minami-ku
	082-253-6771
	9:00 am – 5:00 pm
	Mondays & April 30
	Adults: ¥100, Seniors & high school students: ¥50, Junior high school students and under: Free
	http://www.cf.city.hiroshima.jp/kyodo/


EXHIBITIONS**Hiroshima Domain's Special Local Products in the Edo Period**







 Until May 6 (Wed.)

Panel Exhibition: In this Corner of the World





 Until May 6 (Wed.)

WORKSHOPS






 **Applications are accepted by phone or fax.**
Indigo Dyeing a Handkerchief

-  May 23 (Sat.)  1:00 pm – 3:00 pm
-  4 years old – elementary school students
-  ¥350
-  Apply between May 1 and 4  30 people

GOLDEN WEEK SPECIAL EVENTS**Quiz Rally // Participation**

-  May 3 (Sun.) – 5 (Tue.)  10:00 am – 4:00 pm
-  Free  Admission fee for the museum will be required.

Play Corner

-  May 5 (Tue.)  10:00 am – 4:00 pm
-  Free  Admission fee for the museum will be required.
-  You can enjoy playing with traditional Japanese toys, such as *koma* (spinning tops) and *kendama*.

Hiroshima City Cinematographic and Audio-Visual Library

	3-1 Motomachi, Naka-ku
	082-223-3525
	10:00 am – 8:00 pm (Tuesday – Saturday), 10:00 am – 5:00 pm (Sunday, national holidays & August 6)
	Mondays & April 30
	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 student: ¥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/

**ABOUT THE LIBRARY
(from the Library's website)**

The purpose of the library is to contribute to the expansion, promotion, and progress of audio-visual culture.

PROGRAMS

- Program:** Masterpieces of Japanese film and films related to Hiroshima are shown.
- Special Showings of Foreign Films:** Masterpieces of foreign film are shown.
- Record Concerts:** Free concerts, mainly of classical and popular music, are held regularly with commentary.
- Culture Lectures:** Lectures and symposia by experts on cinematography are held, free of charge.

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