Seasonal Event Information

February 2021

⚠ The information below is accurate as of late January. Events might be rescheduled or cancelled due to COVID-19. Please contact event organizers directly before you go.

ICONS							
31	Date	<u>\$</u>	Fee				
4	Time (24-hour format)		To Apply				
	Venue	6	Inquiries				
	Access		Other				

Events Held in Hiroshima City

★ Events at Shukkeien Garden ★

Shukkeien Garden					
4	9:00 – 18:00 (April – September) 9:00 – 17:00 (October – March)				
=	5 minutes' walk from Shukkeien-mae streetcar stop (Hiroden Hakushima Line).				
5	Adults:	¥260			
	University & high school students:	¥150			
	Middle & elementary school students:	¥100			
&	082-221-3620 http://shukkeien.jp/				

February and March: the Best Plum **Blossom Season**

(2がつと3がつは うめのはなが みごろです)

- From the middle of February to the beginning of March
- 4 9:00 17:00 (Entry allowed up to 16:30)
- Admission fee (see above)

★ Kagura Performance ★

Kagura Performances Now! (インター

ネットでかぐらを みることができます)

Check the Hiroshima Kagura Restart Project website for more information:

http://support.npo-hiroshima.jp/



★ Other Events ★

Hiroshima City Museum of Contemporary Art Outreach Program: **Dokokade? Genbi** (ひろしまし げんだい

びじゅつかん:どこかで?ゲンビ)

The museum is closed for renovation until spring 2023. However, the museum is providing opportunities to see their collection in two spots in the City.

- Free
- L Hiroshima City Museum of Contemporary Art 082-264-1122 (10:00 – 17:00) (Closed on Sat., Sun. & national holidays)
- @ Hiroshima City Hall
- [31] January 25 (Mon.) February 12 (Fri.)
- 4 8:30 17:15
- Miroshima City Hall 1F 4F, Kokutaiji-machi,
- Get off at Shiyakusho-mae streetcar stop.
- Closed on Sat., Sun. & national holidays

9 @ NHK Hiroshima Hôsô Center Building

- February 1 (Mon.) 14 (Sun.)
- 10:00 17:30
- M NHK Hiroshima Hôsô Center Building 1F & 2F, Otemachi, Naka-ku
- Get off at Fukuromachi streetcar stop.
- Open every day

Talk With A-bomb Survivors (ひばく

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

- The 6th, 16th & 26th of every month
- 4 At Café: 11:00 17:00 Online: 15:00 - 17:00
 - ★ This event will also be held online with Zoom. You need to register for this event in advance. Please check Hachidori-sha's website for more information.
- Social Book Café Hachidori-sha, Dobashicho, Naka-ku
- 5 minutes' walk from Dobashi-cho streetcar stop.
- Free
- 📞 Social Book Café Hachidori-sha 082-576-4368 E-mail: hachidorisha@gmail.com Website: http://hachidorisha.com

Social Book Café Hachidori-sha Opening Hours:

Wed., Thurs. & Fri.: 15:00 - 18:30Sat., Sun., national holidays: 11:00 – 18:30 The 6th, the 16th & the 26th of every month: Open from 11:00

Closed: Mon. & Tue.

Events Held on Miyajima

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

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

- Take a ferry to Miyajima from Miyajimaguchi. The ferry pier is right by these stops:
 - JR Miyajima-guchi Station (JR Sanyo Line)
 - Miyajima-guchi streetcar stop (Hiroden Streetcar Miyajima Line)

Itsukushima Shrine

Adults & university students: ¥300 High school students: ¥200

Middle & elementary school students: ¥100

Miyajima Tourist Association 0829-44-2011

Tencho-sai Festival (てんちょうさい)

Tencho-sai is a festival to celebrate Emperor Naruhito's birthday. Bugaku, musical court dancing, will be performed after the ritual.

- February 23 (Tue.)
- 4 From 9:00 onwards Itsukushima Shrine, Miyajima
- Admission fee for the shrine
- 0829-44-2020 L Itsukushima Shrine

Events Held Outside of Hiroshima City

Grand Tour Setouchi 2021 (cycling (グラン・ツール・せとうち 2021)

Setouchi Shimanami Kaido is the expressway connecting six islands in the Seto Inland Sea with seven bridges between Onomichi City (Hiroshima Pref.) and Imabari City (Ehime Pref.). There will be aid stations offering drinks and light meals.

- 31 April 18 (Sun.)
- Setouchi Shimanami Kaido, Onomichi & Imabari City
 - **+ START & FINISH LINE:** 170km, 140km, 110km & 70km course: Mukaishima Undo Park, Onomichi City
 - 40km course: Manda Hakkô Company, Onomichi City
- Mukaishima Undo Park:
 - ① 5 minutes' driving from Mukaishima I.C. on the Shimanamikaido Expressway. ② From Onomichi Port (in front of JR Onomichi Station), get on a ferry to Mukaishima.
 - Manda Hakkô Company:
 - ① 10 minutes' driving from Innoshimakita I.C. on the Shimanamikaido Expressway.
 - ② From Onomichi Port, get on a ferry and get off at Innoshima Shigei Higashi Port. It takes 20 minutes by bicycle from there.
- Application will be accepted from December 12 (Sat.)
 - ★ Registration will be closed when all 2,200 spots are full.





ELIGIBILITY FOR PARTICIPATION:

People who (a) are elementary school-aged or older and (b) can complete the course within the time limit. Participants are all required to agree to the event rules. Please check the website below for more information.

■ Elementary and junior high school students should be accompanied by a parent or guardian (parents and guardians are also required to take part.)

OURSES & PARTICIPATION FEE:

- Shimanami Extra Course (170km): ¥9,000 (Max. 100 people)
 - **★** Registration for the 170km course has been closed.
- Shimanami Master Course (140km): ¥9,000 (Max. 900 people)
- Shimanami Middle Course (110km): ¥8,000 (Max. 500 people)
- Shimanami Short Course (70km): ¥7,000 (Max. 500 people)
- Shimanami Happy Course (40km): ¥5,500 (Max. 200 people)
- Grand Tour Setouchi Office (inside Hiroshima TV) 082-567-2500 (10:00 18:00 on weekdays) Website:

https://www.htv.jp/grandtour/index.html



Family Days Out

The information below is accurate as of late January.

Events might be rescheduled or cancelled due to COVID-19.

Please contact facilities directly before you go.

Facilities							
	Address						
&	Те	Telephone					
	O	Opening Hours					
>	Cl	Closed					
<u>\$</u>	A	Admission Fee					
	W	Website					
ICONS							
31		Date	89	Eligible People			
4		Time (24-hour format)		To Apply			
			&	Inquiries			
		Venue		Other			
\$		Fee					
E + number		Participants are accepted first come, first served.					
R + number		Participants are selected at random from all the applicants.					
**************************************		Apply in Advance HOW TO APPLY: Send an ôfuku- hagaki (return postcard) to each facility with the following: ● your name(s) ② address ● telephone number ④ age ● school name & year (of any elementary school students) ⑤ the event name ② time slot (if there are more than 2 time slots in an event.)					

To prevent COVID-19 from further spreading, some facilities (see below) are closed until February 7, 2021 (as of January 18).

Facilities:

- ◆ The Hiroshima Botanical Garden
- 5-Days Children's Museum of Culture and Science
- Asa Zoo
- Numaji Transportation Museum

Hiroshima City Forest Park & Insectarium

- 10173 Fujigamaru, Fukuda-cho, Higashi-ku
- ► Forest Park: 082-899-8241
 - Insectarium: 082-899-8964
- **9:00 16:30**
- Forest Park & Insectarium: Wednesdays
- Forest Park: Free
 - Insectarium:
 - Adults: ¥510

Seniors & high school students: ¥170 Middle & elementary school students: Free

- Forest Park: http://www.daiichibs
 - shitei.com/forest/index.html
 - Insectarium: http://www.hiro-kon.jp/

EVENTS AT FOREST PARK

Nordic Walk 🗱

- February 27 (Sat.)
- 4 10:00 12:00
- Free
- Call the park by 17:00 on Feb. 25.
- R 20 people

EVENTS AT INSECTARIUM

St. Valentine's Day Event: Take a Photo with Butterflies

- February 13 (Sat.) & 14 (Sun.)
- ① 10:00 12:00 ② 13:00 14:00
- Insectarium admission fee

Craft Workshop with Silkworm Cocoon



🛐 Sundays, February 21 & 28

① 10:00 ② 11:00 ③ 13:00 ④ 14:00

Send an e-mail (hirokon@midoriikimono.jp) with your family's representative name, number of participants, address, telephone number, the event date and time you wish to go and the event name by February 4 (Thurs.). Please apply in a family.

¥120 (3 cocoons)

R 25 people for each time slot

The Hiroshima Botanical Garden

3-495 Kurashige, Saeki-ku

082-922-3600

9:00 - 16:30

Fridays (Closed until Feb. 7)

Adults: ¥510 Seniors & high sch

Seniors & high school students: ¥170 Middle & elementary school students: Free

http://www.hiroshima-bot.jp/

★ EXHIBITIONS ★

Exhibitions will close at 15:30 on their last day.

Museum Exhibitions Secrets of Cacao and Chocolate

Until February 14 (Sun.)

Greenhouse Exhibitions Omoto (Japanese Sacred Lily)

February 9 (Tue.) – 15 (Mon.)

Outdoor Exhibitions Spring Orchids

February 20 (Sat.) – 28 (Sun.)

Floral Decorations

February 20 (Sat.) – 28 (Sun.)

Christmas Roses

31 February 20 (Sat.) – 28 (Sun.)

★ EVENT ★

St. Valentine's Day Festival

February 11 (Thurs.) – 14 (Sun.)

★ GARDENING LESSONS ★

Omoto (Japanese Sacred Lily)

February 13 (Sat.)

4 13:30 – 14:30

E 10 people

Christmas Roses

February 20 (Sat.), 21 (Sun.), 23 (Tue.), 27 (Sat.) & 28 (Sun.) 11:00 – 12:00

E 10 people for each day

Orchids

February 21 (Sun.), 23 (Tue.), 27 (Sat.) & 28 (Sun.) 13:30 – 14:30

E 20 people for each day

★ LECTURE ★

Floral Decorations

February 23 (Tue.)

① 11:00 ② 13:00

★ This will be held five times in each time slot. A lecture is 10 minutes long.

E 8 people for each lecture

5-Days Children's Museum of Culture and Science

5-83 Motomachi, Naka-ku

**** 082-222-5346

9:00 – 17:00

February 1, 8, 12, 15, 22 & 24 (Closed until Feb. 7)

Admission Fee for Planetarium

Adults: ¥510

Seniors & high school students: ¥250 Middle & elementary school students: Free

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

★ PLANETARIUM PROGRAMS ★

For the time being, admission to the planetarium is limited to 120 people.

Planetarium Shows (45 min.)

- Betelgeuse: A Star Nearing the End of Its Life
- Intil February 27 (Sat.)
- Weekdays: 11:00

Sat. & national holidays: 16:00

Night Flight: Music from Maaya Sakamoto

- Intil Middle of July
- 4 Sat., Sun. & national holidays: 11:00

360° Full Dome Shows (40 min.) Jurassic Heroes

Until April 23 (Fri.)

Weekdays: 15:00

Sat. & national holidays: 13:00

Refretarium: 2020-21 Winter Program (20 min.)

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

- III Until March 12 (Fri.)
- Weekdays: 13:00

Sat., Sun. & national holidays: 15:00

High school students and above: ¥200

Starry Sky Tour (50 min.) Tonight's Starry Sky & the Last 40 Years of Astronomy Part 2

- 31 Sundays until February 28 (Sun.)
- 4 16:00

Kids Program (30 min.) Winter Starry Sky

- February 16 (Tue.) March 19 (Fri.)
- Weekdays: 11:00

★ EVENTS ★

The 13th Hiroshima Children's Rakugo Performance

- ★ Rakugo = traditional Japanese comic story telling
- February 14 (Sun.)
- 4 14:00 16:30 (Doors will open at 13:45.)
- Apollo Hall (80 seats)
- Free

Craft Workshops

- 🛐 February 13 (Sat.), 21 (Sun.) & 28 (Sun.)
- ① 13:00 ② 14:30 (20 min. 50 min.)
- MFeb. 13 & 28: 3F, *Sôsaku-shitsu* Feb. 21: 3F, *Kôsaku-shitsu*
- Children under elementary school entry age, elementary school students (the 1st –

the 3rd grade), and their parents or quardians

- ¥30 for materials
- E Maximum number of people varies depending on to the day.
- Numbered tickets will be distributed from 9:00 on the day. The content of each workshop is different. For more information, please contact the museum.

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

- March 7 (Sun.)
- ① 12:00 12:45 ② 14:30 15:15 (Doors will open at 11:45 for ① and at 14:15 for ②)
- Apollo Hall (80 seats)
- Free
- Applications must be no later than February 21 (Sun.).
- R 80 people for each time slot

Science Workshops

① Make Konnyaku(手作りこんにゃく

"Tezukuri konnyaku")

- February 21 (Sun.)
- 4 13:30 16:00
- **R** Elementary school students
- Applications must be postmarked no later than February 7 (Sun.).

R 8 people

9 Flight Science ③: Circular Wing

Airplane (飛行の科学③首盤型飛行器 "Hikô no kagaku ③: enbangata hikôki")

- March 14 (Sun.)
- ① 9:30 12:00 ② 13:30 16:00
- Elementary (the 3rd grade and above) and middle school students
- **§** ¥400
- Applications must be postmarked no later than February 28 (Sun.).
- **R** 8 people for each time slot

Craft Workshops

- Stained Glass (大人の創作教室 ステンドグラス "otona no sôsaku kyôshitsu: sutendo qurasu")
- March 6 (Sat.)
- ① 9:30 12:00 ② 13:30 15:00
- Righ school students and above
- § ¥1,500
- Applications must be postmarked no later than February 20 (Sat.).
- R 8 people for each time slot
- **2 Wooden Puzzle** (木製パズル "*Mokusei* pazuru")
- 31 March 13 (Sat.)
- 4 13:30 16:00
- **R** Elementary and middle school students
- § ¥1,000
- Applications must be postmarked no later than February 27 (Sat.).
- R 8 people

Asa Zoo

- Asa-cho Dobutsuen, Asakita-ku
- **&** 082-838-1111
- **9:00 16:30**
- Thursdays (Closed until Feb. 7)
- Adults: ¥510
 Seniors & high school students: ¥170
 Middle & elementary school students: Free
- http://www.asazoo.jp/

Numaji Transportation Museum

- 2-12-2 Chorakuji, Asaminami-ku
- **&** 082-878-6211
- **9:00 17:00**
- February 8, 12, 15, 22 & 24 (Closed until Feb. 7)
- Adults: ¥510
 Seniors & high school students: ¥250
 Middle & elementary school students: Free
- http://www.vehicle.city.hiroshima.jp

Hiroshima City Ebayama Museum of Meteorology

- 1-40-1 Eba-minami, Naka-ku
- **%** 082-231-0177
- 9:00 17:00
- **>** February 1, 8, 12, 15, 22 & 24
- Adults: ¥510
 Seniors & high school students: ¥170
 Middle & elementary school students: Free
- https://www.ebayama.jp/

Special Exhibition: Various Sensors

- Until March 14 (Sun.)
 - ★ This event has been canceled until Feb. 7.
- ① 9:00 10:40 ② 10:40 12:20 ③ 13:20 - 15:00 ④ 15:00 - 16:40
- Reservations will be required for Saturdays, Sundays and national holidays.

The events listed below require reservations.

© You need to make an online reservation in advance to participate in almost all events held at the museum.

- How to Apply:
- ① Access the museum website.
- ② Choose the event date and time you wish to go and the number of participants (up to 5 people).
 - ★ Please see the website for more information.

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- If you make a reservation via smartphone, show the ticket information displayed on your smartphone screen at the entrance.
- If you make a reservation via PC, print the QR code on your ticket and show it at the entrance.

Science Shows

- The World 196 Degree Below Zero
- 31 February 11 (Thurs.), 13 (Sat.) & 14 (Sun.)
- ① 11:00 ② 14:00 (30 min.)
- **2** Amazing Experiments
- February 20 (Sat.), 21 (Sun.), 23 (Tue.), 27 (Sat.) & 28 (Sun.)
- ① 11:00 ② 14:00 (30 min.)



Science Workshop Make a Kaleidoscope

March 13 (Sat.)

① ① 11:00 ② 14:00 (90 min.)

5 ¥200 for materials

R 9 people for each time slot

Hiroshima City Museum of History and Traditional Crafts

📮 2-6-20 Ujina-miyuki, Minami-ku

% 082-253-6771

9:00 - 17:00

February 1, 8, 12, 15, 22 & 24

Adults: ¥100 Seniors & high school students: ¥50 Middle & elementary school students: Free

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

★ EXHIBITIONS★

History of Disasters in Hiroshima

Intil February 28 (Sun.)

Yoshiro Fukui, a Painter and the World of "Gansu Yokocho"

31 March 13 (Sat.) – May 5 (Wed.)

★ WORKSHOPS ★

You can apply by phone or fax.

Dyeing Lesson for Adults: Batik

February 21 (Sun.)

13:00 – 15:00

18 years old and above

§ ¥1,200

Apply between February 2 and 5

R 10 people

Paper Lantern

March 13 (Sat.)

13:00 – 15:00

Elementary school students (the 1st & the 2nd grade students should be accompanied by their parents or guardians.)

₹300

Apply between March 2 and 5

R 15 people

Hiroshima City Cinematographic and Audio-Visual Library

3-1 Motomachi, Naka-ku

6 082-223-3525

10:00 – 20:00 (Tuesday – Saturday), 10:00 – 17:00 (Sundays, national holidays & August 6)

February 1, 8, 12, 15, 22 & 24

35mm Film Showings

Adults: ¥510

Seniors & high school students: ¥250 Middle & elementary school students: Free

Other Film Showings

Adults: ¥380

Seniors & high school students: ¥180 Middle & elementary school students: Free Foreign students: Free (Student ID or Hiroshima International Center Complimentary Pass needed)

http://www.cf.city.hiroshima.jp/eizou/

★ This Month's Programs ★

For a more detailed screening schedule, please check the Library's website!

- Admission for each program will be limited to 84 people for the time being.
- Special Showings of Masterpieces of Japanese Film: Toshiro Mifune (Screened in Japanese only)

February 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 9, 10, 13, 26 & 27

Yamagata International Documentary Film Festival: Middle Eastern Documentary Films

(Screened in original language with Japanese subtitles)

February 17 (Wed.) – 25 (Thurs.)

