

OITA WALK PROGRAM WITH LOCAL GUIDE



Oita Prefecture has many local guides.
You'll come to love Oita even more when you
see it with a guide.
Let's go to Oita, a nostalgic and heart-warming
neighborhood!



Town Walk Course

Oita City [Guides] Oita Funai Volunteer Guides

The course takes visitors on a casual stroll, enjoying a close look at the ruins of Funai Castle, the Yuho Park with its sculptures and monuments, and the Red Brick Building in the city center.

[Book] Oita Funai Volunteer Guides
TEL: 097-537-7043 (Japanese only)
FAX: 097-537-5670
e-mail: kanko2@city.oita.oita.jp
[Fee] Free



Tour of Otomo Funai's historical sites

Oita City [Guides] Volunteer Guides Otomoshi Yugakukai

The walking trail takes you on a tour of the historical sites associated with the Otomo family while unraveling the history of the Otomos that enjoyed the height of glory for nearly 400 years.

[Book] Volunteer Guides Otomoshi Yugakukai
Ninomiya, Chairman.
Mobile: 090-4580-1594 (Japanese only)
[Fee] 200 yen per person (inclusive of accident insurance)
Free admission for elementary and junior high school children.



Historical trail of Tsurusaki

Oita City [Guides] Tsurusaki Volunteer Guides Club

The course takes you through the historical sites of Tsurusaki which flourished as the enclave of Lord Kiyomasa of the Higo Domain, as you learn about the history and culture of the area.

[Book] Tsurusaki Volunteer Guides Club
TEL: 097-521-4893 (Japanese only)
FAX: 097-521-4893
[Fee] Free (bookings for the folk entertainment are taken separately)



An attractive town that exudes an air of history and culture.

Oita City [Guides] Hetsugi Anzu-no-kai



With a focus on Hoashi Honke Sake Brewery, you will tour the historic streets that prospered from the late Edo period to before World War II.

[Book] Hetsugi Anzu no Kai
TEL・FAX: 097-597-0602 (Japanese only)
[Fee] 200 yen per person, 1,000 yen per group of 10 and up to 20.
※An extra 1,000 yen charged for every 20 people



Historic Walking Trail through the cobbled street of Imaichi on Higo Highway

Oita City [Guides] Notsuharu Volunteer Guides Council



Imaichi was a post town of the Oka Domain, and the Higo Domain also used the cobbled street on their journey to perform their Sankinkotai detail (where feudal lords were required to spend alternate years residing in Edo.) Let's stroll through the historical highway, imagining what things were like back in the day.

[Book] Notsuharu Volunteer Guides Council
TEL: 097-588-1111 (Japanese only)
FAX: 097-588-1613 (Japanese only)
[Fee] Free



The Saganoseki Ryoma saw

Oita City [Guides] Saganoseki Volunteer Guides Association



Explore the historical streets while learning about the time

Katsu Kaishu and Sakamoto Ryoma visited Saganoseki in 1864.

[Book] Saganoseki Volunteer Guides Association
NPO Saganoseki Machizukuri Council
TEL: 097-575-2000 (Japanese only)
FAX: 097-574-7261 (Japanese only)
[Fee] 300 yen (contribution)



Tour of Beppu's Historical Sites

Beppu City [Guides] Beppu Hatto Tatsujin Guides



The Battle of Ishigakibaru fiercely fought between Kuroda Kanbei and Otomo Yoshimune's army is regarded as "Kyushu's Battle of Sekigahara." See what remains of the dreams of the feudal powerful as you listen to the stories told by an expert local guide.

[Book] Hirano Museum
TEL・FAX: 0977-23-4748 (Japanese only)
※Guides are available in English, Chinese (Cantonese and Mandarin), and Korean by prior arrangement.
※Additional fee applies
[Fee] 700 yen (with tea and snack)



Meander through the alleys of Takegawara at night

Beppu City [Guides] Yunomachi Mama-san Guides



See the neon-lit streets of Beppu while listening to the guitars played by second-generation buskers Hacchan and Bunchan.

[Book] Hirano Museum
TEL・FAX: 0977-23-4748 (Japanese only)
※Guides are available in English, Chinese (Cantonese and Mandarin), and Korean by prior arrangement.
※Additional fee applies
[Fee] 1,000 yen (with a complimentary illustrated postcard)



"Kumahachi Tour" explore the alleys of Takegawara at dusk

Beppu City [Guides] Beppu Hatto Tatsujin Guides



You will be taken on a fun guided tour of the sites associated with Aburaya Kumahachi, known as the father of Beppu tourism, by a guide impersonating the man himself or a guide who is a look-alike of Japan's first female bus guide.

[Book] Hirano Museum
TEL・FAX: 0977-23-4748 (Japanese only)
※Guides are available in English, Chinese (Cantonese and Mandarin), and Korean by prior arrangement.
※Additional fee applies
[Fee] 700 yen (include Abuhachi rice crackers and Kumahachi pamphlet)



Explore the alleys of Takegawara area

Beppu City [Guides] Beppu Hatto Kataribe-no-kai



Why not meander through the back alleys that retain the look of the good old days of the hot spring town, Beppu? The tour will visit many public baths and old establishments cherished by the locals. You will find the undiscovered charms of Beppu Onsen.

[Book] Beppu City Tourism Association.
TEL: 0977-24-2828 (Japanese only)
FAX: 0977-24-5959 (Japanese only)
※Guides are available in English, Chinese (Cantonese and Mandarin), and Korean by prior arrangement.
※Additional fee applies
[Fee] Adults 1,000 yen / elementary school children 500 yen / free for preschool children (Complimentary snack)



Hamawaki Onsen /Nostalgic Tour

Beppu City [Guides] Hamawaki Club



Visit the scenic town that has flourished since the olden days as a hot spring resort which retains the faded ambience of Meiji, Taisho, and early Showa.

[Book] Hamawaki Club (Beppu Tsuge Kogei)
TEL/FAX: 0977-23-3841 (Japanese only)
※Guides are available in English, Chinese (Cantonese and Mandarin), and Korean by prior arrangement.
※Additional fee applies
[Fee] 300 yen



A romantic journey through Asamigo

Beppu City [Guides] Asami Chiiki Shinkokai



The origins of Beppu, history, famous water, and views. The Beppu City area was called Asamigo in the olden days. There is tranquility in the air and time flows quietly in the Asami region that has retained the prestigious place name.

[Book] Asami Chiiki Shinkokai
TEL/FAX: 0977-23-0592 (Japanese only)
※Guides are available in English, Chinese (Cantonese and Mandarin), and Korean by prior arrangement.
※Additional fee applies
[Fee] 700 yen, children 400 yen, including tea and snack.
※Please book as tea and snack must be arranged.



Explore the town of Horita Onsen shrouded in steam

Beppu City [Guides] Beppu Hatto Horita Onsenkyo Club



Horita Onsen resort opened in the Edo period to offer hot spring cures, and the area was a key junction of traffic that led to Yufuin, Hita, and Dazaifu. Let's explore the town shrouded in steam while imagining how it prospered from the Edo period to early Showa as you walk on the original cobbled stone streets.

[Book] Beppu Hatto Horita Onsenkyo Club
TEL: 090-2502-8055 (Shuto) ※Japanese only
※Guides are available in English, Chinese (Cantonese and Mandarin), and Korean by prior arrangement.
※Additional fee applies
[Fee] 700 yen (including tea and snack)



An evening tour of Kannawa Onsen

Beppu City [Guides] NPO Kannawa Yukemuri Club



We want visitors to see life in Kannawa, where Onsen culture is in the air, while walking on Oita's longest cobbled street, and feel soothed by the town that is likened to a place where time stands still.

[Book] Kanawa Yukemuri club
TEL: 0977-66-0527 (Kono) ※Japanese only
※Guides are available in English, Chinese (Cantonese and Mandarin), and Korean by prior arrangement.
※Additional fee applies
[Fee] 500 yen (Complimentary snack)



Take a leisurely stroll through a town with a lot of heart, Kamegawa

Beppu City [Guides] Kamegawa Onsen Kame-kame Club



The area of Kamegawa which used to be directly governed by the Shogunate has an abundance of flowing hot springs and is visited by Onsen connoisseurs across Japan. Why not explore the area where historical buildings survive?

[Book] Kamegawa Onsen Kame-kame Club
TEL: 090-5742-7473 (Takahashi) ※Japanese only
※Guides are available in English, Chinese (Cantonese and Mandarin), and Korean by prior arrangement.
※Additional fee applies
[Fee] 1,000 yen *Includes a meal.



Outstanding view! Uchinari Rice Terraces Experience and Walking Tour

Beppu City [Guides] Uchinari Tanada Society



Would you like to experience rural life surrounded by 1,300 terraced paddies? At the end of the course, you get the unique chance of tasting the rice harvested from the Uchinari rice paddies.

TEL: 090-7923-7881 (Goto, Admin Office) ※Japanese only
※Guides are available in English, Chinese (Cantonese and Mandarin), and Korean by prior arrangement.
※Additional fee applies
[Fee] Adults 1,500 yen Elementary school children 500 yen, free for preschool children ※Includes experiences and lunch.



Go on a historical romance trail of Kankaiji

Beppu City [Guides] Kankaiji Historical Romance Club



Have a fun exploration of the famous historical sites in Kankaiji, including the location of the encampment of the Ohtomo troops during the Battle of Ishigakibaru, Kyushu's Battle of Sekigahara.

[Book] Kankaiji Historical Romance Walk
TEL: 0977-22-4271 (Restaurant & Inn Matsubaya)
※Japanese only
※Guides are available in English, Chinese (Cantonese and Mandarin), and Korean by prior arrangement.
※Additional fee applies
[Fee] Adults 700 yen (Complimentary tea and snack)



Nakatsu Castle Town North Course

Nakatsu City [Guides] Nakatsu Yabakei Tour Guides(Nakatsu)

The course takes you on a tour of the highlights of the castle town, Nakatsu. It includes typical sights such as Nakatsu Castle, the old residence of Fukuzawa Yukichi, and Tera-machi.

[Book] Tourism Information Center, Nakatsu Yabakei Tourism Association.
TEL: 0979-23-4511 (Japanese only) FAX: 0979-64-6611 (Japanese only)
E-mail: info@nakatsuyaba.com
FAX and emails in English are available if you are willing to wait some time for a response.
[Tour guide fee] 3,000 yen per guide
There is no admission to establishments included in the tour.



Hachimenzan Peace Park Route

Nakatsu City [Guides] Nakatsu Yabakei Sightseeing Guide (Sanko)

The route takes visitors on a drive and walk to visit the reclining Buddha of Jingoji Temple and Yayama Gongen Ishibutai (a stage-like rock). You can also enjoy the open-air baths of Kanairo Onsen (hot spring spa). (Subject to change to the Cosmos Garden according to the season)

[Book] Tourism Information Center, Nakatsu Yabakei Tourism Association.
TEL: 0979-23-4511 (Japanese only) FAX: 0979-64-6611 (Japanese only)
E-mail: info@nakatsuyaba.com
FAX and emails in English are available if you are willing to wait some time for a response.
[Tour guide fee] 2,000 yen per guide



Ao-no-Domon, Yabakei Bridge, Rakanji Bridge Course

Nakatsu City [Guides] Nakatsu Yabakei Sightseeing Guide (Honyabakei)

Ao-no-Domon is a tunnel dug by a Buddhist monk named Zenkai over 30 years in the Edo period. Would you like to touch the chisel marks that remain? You can also enjoy the elegant Yabakei Bridge and Rakanji Bridge made of stone on foot.

[Book] Tourism Information Center, Nakatsu Yabakei Tourism Association.
TEL: 0979-23-4511 (Japanese only) FAX: 0979-64-6611 (Japanese only)
E-mail: info@nakatsuyaba.com
FAX and emails in English are available if you are willing to wait some time for a response.
[Tour guide fee] 2,000 yen per guide



Yabakei Dam, Keiseki-en Garden, Shinyabakei Route

Nakatsu City [Guides] Nakatsu Yabakei Sightseeing Guide (Yabakei Gorge)

The recommended driving route includes the Keiseki-en Garden, which mirrors the nature of Yabakei Gorge, the nature of Shinyabakei Gorge, hot springs, and Yamakake soba noodles.

[Book] Tourism Information Center, Nakatsu Yabakei Tourism Association.
TEL: 0979-23-4511 (Japanese only) FAX: 0979-64-6611 (Japanese only)
E-mail: info@nakatsuyaba.com
FAX and emails in English are available if you are willing to wait some time for a response.
[Tour guide fee] 2,000 yen per guide (Separate charges apply)



Okuyabakei Nature Walk Route

Nakatsu City [Guides] Nakatsu Yabakei Sightseeing Guide (Yamakuni)

The route includes the tomb of the first woman in Kyushu to donate her body for an autopsy and a series of canyons and pits created by the forces of nature. The Manyo-no-Kahi Monument Road en route is safe for children and the elderly to enjoy.

[Book] Tourism Information Center, Nakatsu Yabakei Tourism Association.
TEL: 0979-23-4511 (Japanese only) FAX: 0979-64-6611 (Japanese only)
E-mail: info@nakatsuyaba.com
FAX and emails in English are available if you are willing to wait some time for a response.
[Tour guide fee] 2,000 yen per guide



Mameda Town Walking Tour

Hita City [Guides] Hita Local Conductor

Hita's local conductor will respectfully provide an introduction to Mameda-machi that retains the ambiance of the era when the region was under the direct control of the Edo shogunate.

[Book] Hita City Tourism Association
TEL: 0973-22-2036 (Japanese only)
FAX: 0973-22-2444 (Japanese only)
[Fee] 1,400 yen (per person) ※Booking is accepted for a party of two or more.



A historical and literary exploration tour

Saiki City [Guides] Saiki Tour Guides Society

Take a guided tour of the "historical and literary trail" chosen as one of the "100 famous Japanese roads" by the Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism.

[Book] Saiki City Tourism Association
TEL: 0972-23-1101 (Japanese only)
0972-28-5656 (Sat, Sun, and national holidays) ※Japanese only
FAX: 0972-23-1146 (Japanese only)
e-mail: gxsta03@gmail.com
[Fee] A group of 8 or more, 2,000-3,000 yen
(Free for a group of 7 or less, excluding admission to Kunikida Doppo Museum and Kyushintei.)



Usuki City Guides (Nioza: Machihaccho)

Usuki City [Guides] Usuki Machinami Guide Society, etc.



Visitors can explore the temples, samurai residences, and the labyrinthine castle town centered around Usuki Castle, and walk through the remarkable streets while reflecting on the history.

Usuki Machinami Guide Society
TEL: 0972-63-7898 (Japanese only)
Usuki Town Tourism Kenkyukai
TEL: 090-7380-4337 (representative)※Japanese only
[Fee] 2,000 yen per guide.



Tour of the national treasures, the Stone Buddhas of Usuki.

Usuki City [Guides] Sekibutsu Volunteer Guide no kai (Sekibutsu Volunteer Guides Society)



The national treasure Usuki Stone Buddhas with a 1,200-year history is a secret spiritual vortex. Tour the four clusters of Stone Buddhas while feeling the history of Usuki.

[Book] Sekibutsu Volunteer Guide no Kai
Sekibutsu Office
TEL: 0972-65-3300 (Japanese only)
[Fee] Free



A walking tour of Hoto Island

Tsukumi City [Guides] Tsukumi Kanko Volunteer no kai (Tsukumi Volunteer Tour Guides Association)



Hoto, an island of romance that gives off the scent of the Black Current. Let's explore Hoto Island with the vibrant cerulean waters of Bungo Channel, home to one of Japan's largest tuna fleet!

[Book] Tsukumi Volunteer Tour Guides Association
TEL: 0972-82-9542 (Japanese only)
FAX: 0972-82-9520 (Japanese only)
[Fee] 2,000 yen per group
※Excludes boat fare and cost of lunch



A path of discovering the castle town.

Taketa City [Guides] Taketa City Volunteer Tour Guides Committee



The ancient streets to meander, listening to the gentle sound of the flow of clear water.

[Book] Taketa City Volunteer Tour Guides Committee
TEL: 0974-63-2638 (Japanese only)
FAX: 0974-63-2861 (Japanese only)
[Fee] 3,000 yen per guide.



Visit the dear old town of the Showa era

Bungo-Takada City [Guides] Showa-no-machi Guides(Machizukuri K.K.)



Let's experience the Showa era at Showa Romangura after exploring the town with a unique guide.

[Book] Bungo-Takada City Kanko Machizukuri Co.Ltd.
TEL: 0978-23-1860
FAX: 0978-23-1870
e-mail: info@showanomachi.com
[Fee] 2,000 yen per guide(Not including admission fees for Romangura or lunch.)



Cultural exploration course of Rokugo-manzan (Mountain of Six Sanctuaries)

Bungo-Takada City [Guides] Tashibu Tour Guide Society



A local guide will take you on a tour of the cultural properties in the Tashibu district tailored to your needs, such as the Kumano Magaibutsu, Fukiji Temple, and Maki Ohdo Temple. Get to know Rokugo-manzan with a 1,000 year-old history through a tour only a local guide can provide.

[Book] Bungo-Takada City Hall Commerce, Industry, and Tourism Section.
TEL: 0978-25-6219 (Japanese only)
FAX: 0978-22-0955 (Japanese only)
[Fee] Fukiji Temple, Maki Ohdo Temple, Tashibunoshō: 1,000 yen per place
Kumano Magaibutsu: 2,000 yen, up to 4,000 yen.



Explore the streets of temple town, Yokkaichi.

Usa City [Guides] Usa City Tourism Association(Yokkaichi Densho Club)



The walking trail is about 1km. You will walk through the historic city where religion, politics, and trade integrated as you see Kyushu's largest timber structure, Tozai Betsuin, the satellite office of Hita Magistrate, and Sakuragaoka Shrine where a market opened on the dates of four.

[Book] Usa City Tourism Association
TEL: 0978-37-0202 (Japanese only)
FAX: 0978-37-0601 (Japanese only)
Yokkaichi Densho Club
Makino: 090-3666-1578 (Japanese only)
[Fee] 200 yen per person (including a booklet)



Recommended City Walk - A Light 60-minute Route

Kitsuki City

[Guides] Jokamachi Kitsuki Volunteer Guide no kai (Kitsuki Castle Town Volunteer Guides Society)



The route takes you on an easy stroll through the streets of Japan's only "sandwich-shaped castle town," which still retains a strong Edo ambiance.

[Book] Kitsuki Tourism Organization
TEL: 0978-63-0100
FAX: 0978-63-0112
[Fee] 1,300 yen



Explore the port town of Donko river and Sankinkotai detail.

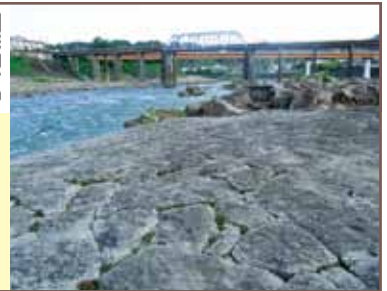
Bungo-ono City

[Guides] Donko Inukai-no-kai



See the town of Inukai where there were local government's buildings such as lodging houses, the magistrate's office, and storehouses, and the site of the Port of Inukai which was used during the Sankinkotai detail (a shogunate scheme requiring feudal lords to stay in their residences in Edo every other year.)

[Book] Tourism Bungo-Ohno
TEL: 0974-22-3706 (Japanese only)
FAX: 050-3730-6057 (Japanese only)
[Fee] Call for details.



See Kichijoji Temple and Shiroyama Shrine famous for Matsuo Kagura

Bungo-ono City

[Guides] Council for the Promotion of Tourism in Shiroyama



Tour Kichijoji Temple where many historical artefacts lay waiting, and Shiroyama Shrine famous for Matsuo Kagura, and enjoy the view from the summit of Mt. Shiroyama.

[Book] Tourism Bungo-Ohno
TEL: 0974-22-3706 (Japanese only)
FAX: 050-3730-6057 (Japanese only)
[Fee] Call for details.



See the Stone Buddhas of Sugao and Rokujimyogo in a region steeped in the culture of stone carving.

Bungo-ono City

[Guides] Sugao Sekibutsu-wo-mamoru-kai



Go on a walking trail to see the Stone Buddhas of Sugao, Rokujimyogo inscribed "Namu Amida butsu" on a 12-meter high Buddha carved into the rock face and the site of Chifukuji Temple.

[Book] Tourism Bungo-Ohno
TEL: 0974-22-3706 (Japanese only)
FAX: 050-3730-6057 (Japanese only)
[Fee] Call for details.



Experience life in the country at schoolhouse with a red roof.

Bungo-ono City

[Guides] Akai Yane no Sato



Get the taste of country living as you observe nature on a trekking trail, try char-grilling, roast sweet potatoes, inoculate logs with shiitake spawns, and cook rice in bamboo.

[Book] Akai Yane no Sato Office
TEL: 090-3079-7806 (Takano) ※Japanese only
[Fee] Call for details.



See a stone bridge, a waterwheel, and Harajiri Falls.

Bungo-ono City

[Guides] Ogata Tour Guides Society



Tour the historical sites associated with the region's traditions and culture, and Ogata Saburo Koreyoshi, as you walk among the landscape that boasts the Harajiri Falls, a waterwheel, and irrigation channels.

[Book] Tourism Bungo-Ohno
TEL: 0974-22-3706 (Japanese only)
FAX: 050-3730-6057 (Japanese only)
[Fee] Call for details.



Explore an ancient garden and the town of fine art

Bungo-ono City

[Guides] Asaji Asobokai



Enjoy the rural scenery as you visit the expansive Yujaku Park with gorgeous autumnal foliage, trek the country lanes, and see the Asakura Fumio Museum of Sculpture.

[Book] Tourism Bungo-Ohno
TEL: 0974-22-3706 (Japanese only)
FAX: 050-3730-6057 (Japanese only)
[Fee] Call for details.



A walking tour of Lake Kinrin and Unagi Hime Shrine, the origin of Yufuin.

Yufu City [Guides] Yufu'in Guide Asagiri Association

Visit the temple of priest Zenkai who dug Ao-no-Domon in Yabakei Gorge and the shrine dedicated to the deity who founded Yufuin.

[Book] Yufuin Guide Asagiri Association(Hajikata)
Mobile: 090-1878-2980 (Japanese only)
[Fee] 1,000 yen for a group of up to 5 people,
2,000 yen for up to 10, and an additional 1,000 for
every five people.



Experience the mysterious beauty of Yufugawa Gorge and Hasama's history.

Yufu City [Guides] Hasama-machi Volunteer Guides Furusato Kenkyukai (Study Group)

See the temples and shrines associated with the Hasama family and the remains of canals to be protected and passed down to future generations.

[Book] Hasama-machi Volunteer Guides Furusato Kenkyukai
Yoko Yoshida TEL: 097-583-4316 (Japanese only)
Shuji Ninomiya TEL: 090-4580-1594 (Japanese only)
E-mail: eno-nis@tic.bbiq.jp
[Fee] Free



Tour the spiritual power vortexes that bring good fortune

Kunisaki City [Guides] Tomiku Yonarekai

The Kaiun Road Tomikuji / Takarakuji Kigan - Tomikuji Tosen Mairi is a walking trail approximately 3km long, named after a street that is supposed to bring wealth and the lucky placename.

[Book] Tomiku Yonarekai Office
TEL: 090-4984-2894 (Tabuki)※Japanese only
[Fee] 3,000 yen (1,000 yen per spot)



Stroll through Himeshima Island with a chief Shinto priest

Himeshima Village [Guides] Shima-no-Kaze

Explore the village with an illustrated map from the Meiji era in hand and enjoy the unchanged and changed sceneries as you imagine what Himeshima must have been like in the olden days.

[Book] Shimanokaze
TEL/FAX: 0978-87-2844 (Japanese only)
Souvenir shop Be Born
[Fee] ①2,500 yen (include lunch) ②1,000 yen (exclude lunch)



Take it slow – meander through the castle town by the sea –

Hiji Town [Guides] Hiji-machiaruki Guide no kai

Hiji is one of a few castle towns associated with the Toyotomi family. Enjoy visiting the town's cultural properties while appreciating the quaint old streets and the superb view of Beppu Bay.

[Book] Hiji-machi Tourism Association
TEL: 0977-72-4255 FAX: 0977-72-9044
e-mail: kankou-kyoukai.hiji@fuga.ocn.ne.jp
[Fee] 1,000 yen per person, 500 yen x the number of
persons for a group of 2+, 300 yen x the number of
persons for a group of 5+, 250 yen x the number of
persons for a group of 10+.



Recommended sightseeing and coupon information in Kyushu and Oita Teppan! Oita

Recommended by locals Attraction of Kyushu and Oita. This site is a landing-type travel product sales site that conveys the unique charm of "Kyushu / Oita" recommended by locals.

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[Teppan!OITA]



Japan's No.1 onsen

Often referred to as the Hot Spring Prefecture, Oita is renowned for its onsen. It takes pride in having Japan's largest number of hot spring sources and the largest volume of spring water. Visitors can experience different kinds of effects according to the quality of the water. As the theme and the style of bathing also differ at each ryokan inn, visitors can enjoy a variety of onsen experiences while soaking in the bath.

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[Explore the onsen country]



Tadewara Wetlands Nature Observation Event

Kokonoe Town

[Guides] Kokonoe no Shizen wo Mamoru-kai



Take a slow stroll through Tadewara marshlands and a forest trail.

[Book] Chojabaru Visitor Center
TEL/FAX: 0973-79-2154
※On-the-day application is accepted. (Groups and foreign language guides require prior arrangement.) (Call the Chojabaru Visitor Center)
[Fee] Free



Guided walk in mountains

Kokonoe Town

[Guides] Kuju Nature Guides Club



Enjoy the experience according to your wishes.

[Book] Kuju Nature Guides Club
TEL: 090-9564-7140 (Keiji Masuda)※Japanese only
e-mail: experience@kuju-ngc.com
[Fee] The fee varies by distance and the number of participants.



Heritage of Industrial Modernization Bungo Mori Roundhouse Park Course

Kusu Town

[Guides] Kusumachi Tourism Association Town Guide



The Kyudai Main Line connects Kurume and Oita. The roundhouse is the only surviving fan-shaped train depot in Kyushu. The park's popular attractions include a mini train ride and plastic sheet craft-making in the museum.

[Book] Town Guide
TEL・FAX: 0973-72-1313
e-mail: info@kusumachi.jp
[Fee] 2,000 yen per group



A relaxing walking course in the government-designated scenic area

Kusu Town

[Guides] Kusu Town Tourism Association



The course will satisfy the mind, body, and soul as it includes the site of Tsunomure Castle with high stone walls from the Shokuho period and the old Kurushima family garden built by a domain lord who was now permitted to own a castle.

[Book] Kusu Town Tourism Association
TEL: 0973-72-1313
FAX: 0973-72-1373
e-mail: info@kusumachi.jp
[Fee] Free (3,000 yen per group if a tour guide is required.)
Admission to Seihoro is 2,000 yen per group.



Overview of Oita

Oita is renowned for its onsen and many other tourist attractions. Have you ever tried Oita's brand fish, Seki Aji (horse mackerel) Seki Saba(mackerel), and Shiroshita Karei (flounder)? How about Oita's soul food, toriten(chicken tempura)and karaage(fried chicken)? Are you familiar with Rokugo Manzan, Oita's 1,300-year-old mystic religious Culture? What about Oita's unique homestay program in a rural village where you can experience the farmer's life?

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Things to note when using guides

Unlike professional tour guides, Furusato Guide will show you around places they recommend as locals, giving commentaries unhurriedly. You will be able to experience local charms more profoundly.

You will need an interpreter as commentaries are in Japanese.

You may also need to book ahead.(Especially group) When you call to inquire, please note that most organizations only take calls in Japanese only.



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