

Joe's NEWS

Selected information from the city magazine "ONOJO"



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July 15th, 2025 issue (No.1)

To Prevent Public Nuisances

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Onojo City is committed to creating a comfortable and livable community for all. To support this goal, we have enacted the Ordinance on Ensuring a Comfortable Living Environment Free from Public Nuisances, which defines 13 specific behaviors as public nuisances.

Preventing public nuisances requires each of us to be considerate and mindful of others. It is essential to avoid causing or permitting nuisances. By following proper manners and respecting one another, we can create a community where everyone can live comfortably.

■ 13 Prohibited Public Nuisances Under the Ordinance

- ① Littering
- ② Leaving pet waste unattended
- ③ Dangerous bicycle riding
- ④ Improper bicycle parking
- ⑤ Vandalism (graffiti, defacement)
- ⑥ Violating garbage disposal rules
- ⑦ Neglecting overgrown weeds on vacant land
- ⑧ Making loud noises late at night
- ⑨ Overgrown hedges encroaching onto roads
- ⑩ Irresponsible feeding of stray animals
- ⑪ Illegal dumping of TVs, furniture, etc.
- ⑫ Outdoor burning of garbage
- ⑬ Reckless or disruptive driving

Let's follow the manners and rules!



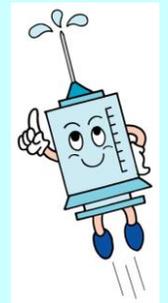
Watch out for Hornets!

Hornets named *Vespa Velutina* is found in Kitakyushu City, Fukuoka City and Hisayama Town in Fukuoka prefecture. Its body length is about 2cm. It builds a nest high location in a tree or a building. The nest is larger than the nest of native hornet. It is said that the symptom of its sting is almost the same as native one. When you find its nest, please contact us. When you get rid of it, please contact an exterminator.



Please receive the DT (Diphtheria and Tetanus) vaccine

The second stage of the DT (Diphtheria and Tetanus) vaccination is given. Receiving this follow-up vaccination can help protect the body by producing antibodies against the viruses. Please have your child receive the vaccination if he/she has not received it yet.



- **Subject Person** Onojo citizens aged 11 or 12
(standard vaccination grade: Elementary School Grade 6)
- **Cost** Free of Charge
- **Venue** Medical institutions Onojo City entrusted
- **Necessary Items** Maternal and Child Health Handbook
- **Remarks**
 - ◆ A subject child must be accompanied by his/her guardian.
 - ◆ In case of having the vaccine after subject age, you are required to pay full amount.

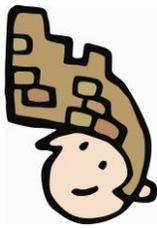
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Home Cooking and Baby Food Class for Pregnant Women and New Mothers

Let's learn cooking basics, healthy meals and the tips how to convert the usual meals to baby foods!

- **Subject Person** Pregnant women or guardians of babies aged up to 1 year and 3 months living in Onojo City
 - **Date and Time** Wed, Aug. 27th 10:00am - 12:30pm
 - **Details** Lecture about cooking basics and baby food and cooking
 - **Venue** Sukoyaka Koryu Plaza, Cooking Room
 - **Limit** 18 people
*If applications exceed the limit, a drawing will be held.
 - **Necessary Items** Apron, Bandana, Writing materials, Hand towel, Drinks
 - **Fee** 500yen
- *Daycare is available. ◇Fee for daycare: 300 yen (Limit 13 (from 3 months old))
- **Application Deadline** Wed, Aug. 6th
(Reception: 9:00am - 5:00pm *weekday only)



Onojo Cocoro-no-furusato-kan City Museum

Visitors are able to learn the history of Onojo City easily and widely through exhibitions.

- **Closed** Every Monday
*If Monday falls on a public holiday, the museum is closed on the following weekday.
- **Hours** 9:00am - 7:00pm
- **Admission** Permanent Exhibition: Free
*Special Exhibition: Charged
- **Address** 3-8-3 Akebono-machi, Onojo City



Kids Cooking Class

Why don't you learn with your child how to cook Miso soup (bean paste soup) made with dried-sardine-soup stock and rice? The aim of this class is to encourage children to cook by themselves and to eat what they cooked.

- **Subject Person**
Children aged 5 and 6 (as of Mar.31st, 2026, Preschoolers) and their guardians living in Onojo City
*Each child must be accompanied by one of the guardians.
- **Date and Time**
Sat, Sep. 6th 10:00am – 12:15pm
- **Venue** Sukoyaka Koryu Plaza, Kitchen
- **Contents**
 - ◇Cooking Onigiri (rice ball), Miso soup, easy side dish
 - ◇Lecture given by a national registered dietitian etc.
- *If you or/and your child are allergic to any ingredients, please let us know when applying. We will try not to use them.
- **Limit** 12 groups
*If applications exceed capacity, a drawing will be held.
- **Fee** 500yen per group
- **Necessary Items**
Aprons and Bandanas (for you and your child), Writing materials, Drinks, Chopsticks for your child
- **Application Deadline** must be received by Sat, Aug. 16th
* No daycare for infants



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Reiwa Kodomo Joho Center (Reiwa Children Information Center) Information Akachan (baby) Hiroba

Come join us and have a relaxing time with other mothers!

- **Subject Person** 3 months -12 months old child and mother living in Onojo City
*It is not acceptable to bring siblings.
- **Contents** ◇Talk about child-rearing ◇Parent-child play ◇Reading stories ◇Parenting consultation

Date	time	Venue
Mon, Aug. 18 th	10:30am-12:00pm	Reiwa Kodomo Joho Center(Reiwa Children Information Center), Kosodate-oen (support for child raising) Floor (Sukoyaka Koryu Plaza 3F)
Mon, Aug. 25 th		

(Reception: from 10:00am -) *Participation is limited to once a month.

- **Fee** Free
- *Limited Parking

Reiwa Kodomo Joho Center (Reiwa Children Information Center) Information Asobi-no-Hiroba (play area) · Picture Books Library

- **Subject Person** 0-year-old children - preschoolers and their guardians living in Onojo City
- **Dates** Tue, Aug. 5th
- **Time** ◇Part 1: 10:00am-11:30am ◇Part 2: 2:00pm-3:30pm
- **Contents** ◇parent-child play ◇reading picture books ◇lending picture books
- **Limit** 50 groups each time (First-come First-served Basis)
- **Venue** Reiwa Kodomo Joho Center (Reiwa Children Information Center), Kosodate-oen (support for child raising) Floor (Sukoyaka Koryu Plaza 3F)



*No application necessary. *Free of charge.

Reiwa Kodomo Joho Center (Reiwa Children Information Center) Information Nobinobi Hiroba

Why don't you experience parent-child play and picture book reading with our day-care center staff?

- **Subject Person** Children aged 1 - 3 years and their guardians living in Onojo City
*Please consult as to participation of siblings.



● Date and Time

Class	Date	Time	Venue
Class for Children aged 1	Tue, Sep. 2 nd	10:45am - 11:45am (Reception:10:30am-)	Reiwa Kodomo Joho Center(Reiwa Children Information Center), Kosodate-oen (support for child raising) Floor (Sukoyaka Koryu Plaza 3F)
	Fri, Sep. 26 th		
Class for Children aged 2 and 3	Fri, Sep. 5 th		
	Tue, Sep. 30 th		

*Multiple participation is not acceptable.

- **Necessary Items** ◇water bottle ◇towel ◇extra clothes

*Please join wearing casual clothes.

- **Fee** free ● **Limit** 12 groups / each day (a drawing)

- **How to Apply** Online

*Please apply through online form during the application period by scanning the two-dimensional code on the right.

- **Application Period** from Fri, Aug. 1st to Thu, Aug. 7th



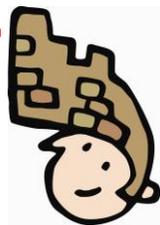
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Reiwa Kodomo Joho Center (Reiwa Children Information Center) Information Oyako Salon (Parent-Child Salon)

- **Subject Person** Preschoolers and their guardians
 - **Time** 10:00am - 4:00pm
*2 hours maximum for each use
 - **Opening days** Mon. Wed. Thu. Fri. Sat. Sun.
*Closed on Tue, 1st Sun, National Holidays (except May 3rd-May 5th), Year-end and New Year holidays from Dec. 28th to Jan. 4th)
 - **Limit** 50 groups (First-come First-served Basis)
 - **Venue** Reiwa Kodomo Joho Center (Reiwa Children Information Center), Oyako Salon (Parent-Child Salon) (Sukoyaka Koryu Plaza 1F)
- *No application necessary. *Free of charge.

Child-related Consultation Center

Consultants will respond consultations such as family, school life, friendship, physical and mental development and child-raising over the phone and in person.

- **Eligibility** Children up to 18 years old and their guardians
- **Date** Mon. - Fri. (excluding Sundays, National Holidays and Year-end and New Year holidays)
- **Time** 8:30m - 5:00pm
- **Consultation Method** ◇Call ◇Fax ◇In person ◇Visit
- **Consultation Desk** Child and Family Center
Phone Number 092-585-2460
(2nd floor, New building, Onojo City Hall)

For further information, please contact us.

Let's go to "Star-dome-madoka"!

Let's watch the stars together!



- **Date and Time** Sat, Jul. 26th 7:00pm - 8:50pm
- **Contents** ◇Observing the stars in spring and summer with a telescope

Let's watch the moon together!



- **Date and Time** Sat, Aug. 9th 7:00pm - 8:50pm
- **Contents** ◇Observing the moon with a telescope
◇Observing the stars in spring and summer with a telescope

● **Venue** Kita Community Center, Star-dome-madoka

● **Fee** Free

*No registration in advance necessary.

*Junior High School students and younger must be accompanied by their guardians.

*In the case of rain or cloudiness, a story telling will be held in a room.

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JOE QUEST

"JOE QUEST" is a free tool to explore Onojo City. There are missions that consist of historical sites, shops and buildings in the city. To use "JOE QUEST", first, you access "JOE QUEST" and sign up for registration. And then, you visit the places of missions, scan the two-dimension code set in each place and get points. When you earn enough points, you will be able to exchange the points for goods such as Onojo Joe character goods and local specialities. Why don't you use "JOE QUEST" and explore the city?



("Mission" page)



●How to use "JOE QUEST"

Step 1

Scan the two-dimension code above or access the URL below and sign up for registration.

URL of "JOE QUEST" → <https://onojo-joequest.info/>

Step 2

Select "Mission" and visit!

There are places of missions that consist of historical sites, shops and buildings in the City.

Step 3

Scan the 2 two-dimension codes which are set in each place and get points.

Step 4

When you earn enough points, you will be able to exchange the points for goods such as Onojo Joe character goods and local specialities.

For further details, please contact us.

Onojo Trail

Onojo Trail Maps introduce trail courses which are set to connect scenery, beautiful nature, historical sites, townscapes and so on. You can enjoy landscape in Onojo. There is also a map focusing on nature and creatures in Ushikubi area. You can get the maps at Onojo City Office and each community center. You can also download the maps from the HP of Onojo City (by scanning the QR code below). Why don't you walk around and explore the attraction of Onojo?

Onojo Trail Map



Onojo Trail Map Separate Volume (Creatures in Onojo City)



*The maps are written in Japanese.

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Viewing the city magazine ONOJO in multiple languages is available through a multilingual translation service "Catalog Pocket"

"Catalog Pocket" is a multilingual translation service which allows you to read the city magazine ONOJO in 10 languages on PC and mobile phone.

*It is free for viewing information posted on "Catalog Pocket", but you are responsible for the usage fee.

●Useful functions of "Catalog Pocket"

Available in 10 languages including Japanese

English, Korean, Chinese (simplified and traditional), Thai, Portuguese, Spanish, Indonesian, Vietnamese

* An automatic translation system is used for the translation.

Convert text to sound and read it aloud

Make font size larger

●How to View

1. Scan the two-dimension code below and access "Catalog Pocket".
2. Search: Type「大野城市 (onojo or onojo city would be acceptable)」in Search Box.
3. Move to the page of Onojo City: the city magazine ONOJO.
4. Click the image of the city magazine ONOJO.
5. Select the language you want to use.
6. Press 「閲覧する (View)」.
7. View the articles in the language you selected.



For further information, please contact us.

Consultation in Foreign Languages FUKUOKA IS OPEN CENTER

●Opening Hours Monday - Friday 10:00am - 5:00pm

*Also open on 3rd Sunday and 4th Saturday of each month

*Closed during year-end, New Year's and national holidays

●Venue

FUKUOKA IS OPEN CENTER General Reception Counter

【Address: ACROS Fukuoka 3F, 1-1-1 Tenjin, Chuo-ku, Fukuoka City】

●We are available for consultation In-person, Online, Email, Phone

●Phone Number 0120-279-906 (Toll-free)

●Support Languages Japanese, English, Chinese, Korean, Vietnamese, Nepalese, Indonesian, Tagalog, Thai, Malay, Spanish, French, German, Italian, Russian, Portuguese, Myanmar, Khmer, Mongolian, Sinhala, Hindi, Bengali, Ukrainian, Urdu

*Consultation is free of charge.

*Your private information will be kept confidential.

*Anonymous consultations are also possible.

●Fukuoka International Medical Support Center

TEL : 092-286-9595

*Available all year round (24 hours per day, 365 days per year)

*Supported Languages:

English, Chinese, Korean, Thai, Vietnamese, Indonesian, Tagalog, Nepali, Malay, Spanish, Portuguese, German, French, Italian, Russian, Khmer language, Myanmar, Sinhara, Mongolian, Hindi, Bengali

Information on Opening Hours

Jul. 16th Madokapia will be CLOSED

Jul. 22nd Onojo Cocoro-no-furusato-kan City Museum will be CLOSED

Jul. 26th Citizen Service Section will be open from 9:30am to 12:30pm

Jul. 28th Onojo Cocoro-no-furusato-kan City Museum will be CLOSED

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