

Joe's NEWS

Selected information from the city magazine "ONOJO"



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Recycle Exhibition

Sale and transfer of used bicycles and steel furniture for reusing purpose.

●Date and Time

Tue, Feb. 3rd - Sun, Feb. 8th except Sat, Feb. 7th 9:00am - 4:00pm

●Venue

Kasuga Onojo Recycle Plaza (6-2 Kasugakoen, Kasuga city)

●Subject Person

Onojo or Kasuga citizens

●Items

◇Bicycles ◇Steel furniture

*A family unit may apply for a bicycle and a piece of steel furniture.



●Price

Bicycle: 2,800yen (including 800yen for bicycle theft prevention registration)

Steel furniture: Free

●How to Apply

Fill in the application form (distributed at the venue) and submit it at the reception.

●Notes

- ◆Only visitors can apply for items.
- ◆A drawing will be held and the notification will be sent to elected applicants only.
- ◆If more than an application is submitted from a family unit, all applications of the family will be invalid.
- ◆More than a year must be passed to apply as for those who have received a bicycle in the past through Recycle Exhibition.
*Including the persons who declined to receive a bicycle after being elected.
- ◆Applications for the purpose of profit and sales are not accepted.
- ◆Elected applicants must pick up their items between Mon, Feb. 16th and Fri, Feb. 20th from 9:00am to 3:30pm.
*Please bring the notification sent to elected applicants.

Have you paid the 9th period of National Health Insurance Tax?

The deadline of the 9th period of national health insurance tax is Mon, Mar. 2nd. Delinquent charge will be charged when the payment of the tax is overdue. Please make sure to pay by the deadline.

●Delinquent Charge 9.1% annually for 2026

*From the next day of the deadline to the day a month passes: 2.8% annually

*Making a payment of municipal tax, national health insurance tax, etc. by direct debit is convenient. For application, please contact us.

Severe Water Shortage

We ask for your cooperation in conserving water.

Two-thirds of the tap water supply in the city is from Chikugo River. However, due to low rainfall since last September, water storage in the dams related to Chikugo River system is declining. Your effort to conserve water will lead to the protection of our precious water resources. Therefore, we ask for your cooperation in conserving water.

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

Let's watch the stars together!

●Date and Time Sat, Feb. 14th 7:00pm - 8:50pm

●Venue Kita Community Center, Star-dome-madoka

●Contents ◇Observing Jupiter and other stars in autumn and winter with a telescope

●Fee Free

*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.

*No registration in advance necessary.



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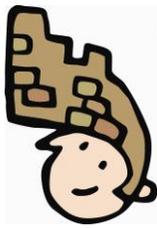
For application or further information, please contact

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Onojo Cocoro-no-furusato-kan City Museum Information - Japanese History Experience held in February -

Cocoful Workshop

Time	Contents
Sat, Feb. 7 th / Sun, Feb. 8 th Sat, Feb. 14 th / Sun, Feb. 15 th Sat, Feb. 21 st / Sun, Feb. 22 nd	Let's make a "Hina" doll with paper!

- **Subject person** Whoever wants to join.
*3rd graders of elementary school and younger must be accompanied by their guardians.
- **Time** 10:00am - 4:00pm (Reception is closed at 3:30pm.)
- **Venue** Kids History Experience Room
【1st Floor, Onojo Cocoro-no-furusato-kan City Museum】
- **Limit** 70 people per day
- **Fee** Free



Cocoful Experience Workshop

Let's make "Kafu", an ancient coin!

- **Subject person** Elementary School Students or older
*3rd graders of elementary school and younger must be accompanied by one of their guardians.
- **Date** Sat, Feb. 21st / Sun, Feb. 22nd ● **Time** 1:00pm - 3:00pm
- **Venue** Lecture Room
【M2nd floor, Onojo Cocoro-no-furusato-kan City Museum】
- **Limit** 10 people / each day
*If applications exceed capacity, a drawing will be held.
- **Fee** 300 yen
- **Application Period** Sun, Feb. 1st - Tue, Feb. 10th
- **How to apply** Send e-mail or fax to us with the name of event "February's Cocoful Experience Workshop", participant's name, name of guardian (In case of the participant is a 3rd grader of elementary school or younger), telephone number, e-mail address, preferred time written.
*1 application for 1 participant
*For application or further information, please contact us.

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



International Exchange Party

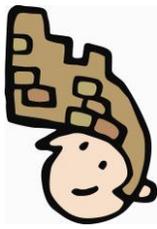
- **Date and Time** Sun, Feb. 22nd 2:00pm - 4:00pm
(Reception: from 1:30pm)
- **Venue** Madokapia Multipurpose Hall
- **Contents** ◇party (game, dance etc.)
◇light meals
- **Limit** 30 people (general public)
*If applications exceed capacity, a drawing will be held.
- **Fee** 1,000 yen (for general public)
- **Application Deadline** Mon, Feb. 16th
- **Contact and Application**
Onojo International Exchange Association Contact Office
Phone: 090-2067-3173
(Reception: 10:00am - 4:00pm weekday only)
*Closed on Wednesday
E-mail: begin@city.onojo.fukuoka.jp



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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.

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●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

Feb. 2nd Onojo Cocoro-no-furusato-kan City Museum will be CLOSED

Feb. 4th Madokapia will be CLOSED

Feb. 9th Onojo Cocoro-no-furusato-kan City Museum will be CLOSED

Feb. 14th Citizen Service Section will be open from 9:30am to 12:30pm

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