

# What's New in Yokosuka

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## EVENT CALENDAR

### JULY

- 16 Marine Day**
- 28 International Youth Forum**
- 28 Yukata DE Sukabra & Machi Ichi - Yokosuka**

### AUGUST

- 4 Yokosuka Kaikoku Fireworks Festival**
- 10 Aurora View Night (8/10-8/19)**
- 11 Mountain Day**
- 18 Uraga Port Fireworks Festival**
- 25 Nishi District Summer Fireworks**
- 26 Uwamachi Genki Festival**

### SEPTEMBER

- 15 "Modern Art Revisited" (9/15-11/4)**
- 17 Respect for the Aged Day**
- 23 Autumnal Equinox Day**
- 24 Substitute Holiday**

For English info about events in Yokosuka call the **Yokosuka Call Center 046-822-2500**. Operators may need time to search for info. **8am-8pm daily**.

## CURRENT EVENTS

### NHK Taiga Drama Petition Campaign

Become a part of an online petition to realize a NHK drama centered on William Adams and Tokugawa Ieyasu!

You can find the petition form at the URL link below:

<https://www.city.yokosuka.kanagawa.jp/2210/anjin-project/taigadrama-petition/online.html>



## UPCOMING EVENTS

All events free unless otherwise noted.



### International Youth Forum

**Sat Jul 28, 1pm - 3pm**

Take the opportunity to meet exchange students from Yokosuka's sister cities! This forum will have presentations by international exchange students and local high school students. There will even be games and the chance to talk to people from all over the world!

(Werk Yokosuka 6F)



### Yukata DE Sukabra & Machi Ichi - Yokosuka

**Sat Jul 28, 11am - 8pm**

Stroll along the streets of Yokosuka wearing a yukata! Rental for one-size-fits-all (165cm) is free for women and staff will be available to help you get dressed; however quantity is limited so make a reservation through the Yokosuka Call Center (046-822-2500)! Enjoy the yukata fashion show, booths, and more!

(Yokosuka Chuo Area)



### Yokosuka Kaikoku Fireworks Festival

**Sat Aug 4, 7:15pm - 7:45pm**

See a wide variety of fireworks ignite and color the night sky at the biggest fireworks festival in the Miura Peninsula! Before the fireworks show, there will be other festivities taking place such as the Yokosuka Summer Fest! See what's going on at the JMSDF Yokosuka Base from 9am to 4pm.

(Mikasa Park, Umikaze Park, surrounding area)



## Aurora View Night

**Fri Aug 10 - Sun Aug 19, 7:45pm - 8pm**

Experience this natural phenomenon recreated in Yokosuka through a fantastic display of smoke, colorful lights, and accompanying music. In addition, you can enjoy restaurants and other facilities open during this special time. General admission is ¥1,000, and free for elementary school students and under. (Soleil Hill)



## Uraga Port Fireworks Festival

**Sat Aug 18, 7:30pm - 8pm**

See a display of about 500 hundred fireworks illuminate the night sky! During this festival, the streets of Uraga will be bustling with the spirit of the local community. Stroll along the glowing lanterns setup along the walkways and take in the ambiance of this summer event. (Uraga Port Grounds and surrounding area)



## Nishi District Summer Fireworks

**Sat Aug 25, 4:30pm - 9pm**

Wrap up the summer season with a bang! On the west side of Yokosuka, a brilliant spectacle of around 1,200 fireworks will be launched from 7:30pm to 8:00pm. Take the time and also enjoy bon odori dance, taiko drum performances by the JSDF, and food and drink stalls! (JGSDF Camp Takeyama)



## Uwamachi Genki Festival

**Sun Aug 26, 2pm - 6pm**

The Uwamachi area springs to life with an assortment of activities and special events! Have fun and try the tug-of-war contest and watermelon splitting game! There will also be band performances, hula dancing, taiko drum performances, food and drink stalls, and more!

(Uwamachi Nakazato Shopping Street)



Yves Klein «Antropometrie (ANT157)» 1961

## “Modern Art Revisited” Special Exhibition Gallery

**Sat Sep 15 - Sun Nov 4**

See a wide range of modern art by the great masters of the 20th century. You will be able to see iconic pieces by Marc Chagall, Joan Miró, Salvador Dali, and other famous artists from the collection of the Fukuoka Art Museum.

General Admission: ¥900

(Yokosuka Museum of Art)

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