

# What's New in Yokosuka

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\*All information may be subject to change.

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## EVENT CALENDAR

### SEPTEMBER

- 03** Drawing Women (9/3-10/23)
- 19** Respect for the Aged Day
- 22** Autumnal Equinox Day
- 22** Red Spider Lily Festival

### OCTOBER

- 01** Anjin Festival
- 01** Oryo-san Festival (10/1-10/8)
- 02** Yokosuka Fish Market Festival
- 10** Health and Sports Day
- 16** Yokosuka Mikoshi Parade
- 22** Kitakurihama Autumn Festival (10/22-10/23)
- 23** Y Festival Oppama

### NOVEMBER

- 03** Culture Day
- 03** Kannonzaki Festival
- 05** Yokosuka Industry Festival (11/5-11/6)
- 17** Uraga Community Center Culture Festival (11/17-11/20)
- 23** Labor Thanksgiving Day

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**.

## UPCOMING EVENTS

All events free unless otherwise noted.  
No event parking available.



### “Drawing Women”

Sep. 3 (Sat.) - Oct. 23 (Sun.)

French paintings from the 19th and 20th centuries are collected in this exhibit, focusing on the depiction of women at the time.

General Admission: ¥1,200  
(Yokosuka Museum of Art)



### Red Spider Lily Festival

Sep. 22 (Thu.) / Autumnal Equinox Day,  
10am - 12pm

A festival for the in-bloom red spider lilies. A traditional Japanese drink, amazake, will be provided to all visitors free-of-charge.

(Mamonzan Navy Cemetery)



### Anjin Festival

Oct. 1 (Sat.), 11am - 7:30pm

A festival dedicated to the legacy of William Adams (aka Miura Anjin). An open area with concerts, contests, and more!

(Hemi area, Kashima Shrine, Jodoji Temple)



### Oryo-san Festival

Oct. 1 (Sat.) - Oct. 8 (Sun.)

A week-long festival celebrating Oryo-san, the wife of Ryoma Sakamoto, a prominent figure during the Edo period of Japan.

(Shingyoji Temple, Otsu Community Center)



### Yokosuka Fish Market Festival

Oct. 2 (Sun.), 7am - 12pm

A festival celebrating the ocean and its seafood! See, eat, buy, play, and learn all about the fish of Yokosuka. Great for kids!

(Yokosuka Fish Market)

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## Yokosuka Mikoshi Parade

Oct. 16 (Sun.), 10:30am - 3pm

A traditional Japanese mikoshi parade, in which a portable shrine is lifted up and carried throughout the streets. But since this is Yokosuka, expect a mix of both Japanese and American culture.

(starts from Yokosuka-chuo and ends at U.S. Navy Base)



## Kitakurihama Autumn Festival

Oct. 22 (Sat.) - Oct. 23 (Sun.), 10am - 5pm

A flea market, stage performances, and more to celebrate the autumn season in Kitakurihama! A Halloween-themed event will also be held, including a photo contest.

(Negishi Traffic Park, Negishi Park No. 3)



## Y Festival Oppama

Oct. 23 (Sun.), 11am - 6pm

Come see a Halloween parade, street performers, food vendors (including lots of curry), a superhero show, and more. From 5:30pm, a fireworks display will be had, with about 2,500 fireworks to be launched.

(Oppama Station area, Nissan grounds, Aicle Recycling Plaza)



## Kannonzaki Festival

Nov. 3 (Thu.) / Culture Day, 9:30am - 3:30pm

A festival celebrating the history, culture, ocean and nature of the Kannonzaki area and the surrounding Yokosuka Museum of Art, Kannonzaki Lighthouse, and Kannonzaki Nature Museum.

(Kannonzaki Park area)



## Yokosuka Industry Festival

Nov. 5 (Sat.), 9am - 4pm

Nov. 6 (Sun.), 9am - 3pm

This festival celebrates the agriculture, seafood, and other products from Yokosuka and the Miura peninsula. Come and enjoy the various delicious food vendors, stage events, and more!

(Mikasa Park)



## Uraga Community Center Culture Festival

Nov. 17 (Thu.) - Nov. 20 (Sun.)

Various performances and stage displays will be held at this festival, along with free culture experiences, green tea-tasting, and more. Various handmade products will also be available for purchase.

(Uraga Community Center)

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