What's New in Yokosuka

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*All information may be subject to change.

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EVENT CALENDAR

NOVEMBER

- **03** Special Art Exhibit: Susumu Shingu's Spaceships (11/3-12/25)
- 23 Labor Thanksgiving Day
- **26** Aizuwakamatsu Fair (11/26-11/27)

DECEMBER

- **03** Oppama Night Bazaar
- Rogaining Through Dollar City Yokosuka
- 23 The Emperor's Birthday
- 23 Kurihama Christmas Festival
- 31 Yokosuka Countdown 2017 (12/31-1/1)

JANUARY

- **02** New Year's Holiday
- **08** New Year's Fire Review
- 09 Coming of Age 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.

ANNOUNCEMENTS



We now have Twitter, Facebook, and Instagram accounts in English!

Yokosuka City aims towards being a place where couples and children are proud to live. The City's theme of "Where Kids Take Center Stage," promotes nature, international exchange, and education opportunities in Yokosuka. Follow our social networking accounts below to learn more about upcoming events and about the City of Yokosuka!



@yokosukakids



@yokosukankids



@kidstakecenterstageyokosuka



UPCOMING EVENTS

All events free unless otherwise noted.



Special Art Exhibit: Susumu Shingu's Spaceships

Nov. 3 (Thu.) - Dec. 25 (Sun.), 10am - 6pm

Susumu Shingu, well-known for his unique outdoor displays, will make use of the art museum to create "Wind Caravan," an exhibit which has traveled around the world.

General Admission: ¥900 (Yokosuka Museum of Art)



Aizuwakamatsu Fair

Nov. 26 (Sat.) - Nov. 27 (Sun.), 10am - 4pm

Aizuwakamatsu, a city in Fukushima, has a sister city relationship with Yokosuka. Their local products will be available for sale in Yokosuka! Come get their persimmons, apples, grapes, vegetables, ramen, sake, honey, and more!

(Yokosuka Port Market)



Oppama Night Bazaar

Dec. 3 (Sat.), 2pm - 7pm

Come enjoy the Christmas lights that illuminate the Oppama station area, along with an open bazaar with lots for sale! Expect food stalls, hot food, plenty of fresh vegetables from the Miura area, games, and more! Bazaar runs until 7 pm, or until products are sold out.

(Oppama Station, Sunbeach Oppama area)



Rogaining Through Dollar City Yokosuka

Dec. 4 (Sun.), 10am - 2pm

Rogaining is a type of orienteering sport that is coming to Yokosuka! Using only a map, navigate to various checkpoints within the time limit. This event will take place in the Dollar City area of Yokosuka, so make sure you find all the checkpoints next to shops and the surrounding area!

(Yokosuka-chuo area)



Kurihama Christmas Festival

Dec. 23 (Fri.), 10am - 4pm / National Holiday

Enjoy the local shops, food stalls, and music performances. Most importantly, you will also be able to meet and greet with Santa Claus and Sukarin, the Yokosuka City mascot! Both are available for greeting and for taking pictures together. Happy Holidays!

(shopping area in front of Keikyu Kurihama Station)



Yokosuka Countdown 2017

Dec. 31 (Sat.) - Jan. 1 (Sun.), 6pm - 1am

Come enjoy a fireworks show only possible in Yokosuka. There will not only be the fireworks show, but also navy ships from the port that will be fully decorated with lights.

This will all happen at Verny Park, which is just a 5 min. walk from either Shioiri Station or Yokosuka Station. The fireworks show starts from 12am. Happy New Year!

(Verny Park)



New Year's Fire Review

Jan. 8 (Sun.), 10am - 12pm

Come and see firefighters and various groups show off their skills, and celebrate their hard work, all while learning about fire safety. Don't miss the acrobatic ladder performance!

(Umikaze Park)

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