

What's New in Yokosuka

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EVENT CALENDAR

NOVEMBER

- 18** Kurihama Food Festival
- 18** Kyuzaburo Ito: A Retrospective (11/18-12/24)
- 19** Yokosuka Traditional Japanese Theatre Performances
- 23** Labor Thanksgiving Day
- 25** Aizuwakamatsu Fair (11/25-11/26)

DECEMBER

- 02** Oppama Night Bazaar
- 10** Yokosuka Ekiden Race
- 23** The Emperor's Birthday
- 23** Kurihama Christmas Festival
- 31** Yokosuka Countdown 2018

JANUARY

- 01** New Year's Day
- 07** New Year's Fire Review
- 08** 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**.

UPCOMING EVENTS

All events free unless otherwise noted.



Kurihama Food Festival

Sat Nov 18, 10am - 3pm

Who will reign supreme as Fall Food King this year? You get to decide among the many dishes brought out by different groups competing for your vote! Enjoy stage performances and meet Admiral Sukarin!

(Shopping district in front of Keikyu Kurihama Station)



"Pendulum" 1937, Itabashi Art Museum

40 Years Memorial

Kyuzaburo Ito: A Retrospective

Sat Nov 18 - Sun Dec 24

Kyuzaburo Ito started his career as a surrealist painter from the latter half of the 1920s. This exhibit honors Ito, 40 years since his passing, through a display of 150 of his avant-garde designs and works.

¥800 General Admission

(Yokosuka Museum of Art)



Yokosuka Traditional Japanese Theatre Performances

Sun Nov 19, 12:30pm - 4pm

Eight groups from the Yokosuka Traditional Japanese Theatre Preservation Society and a group from Kawasaki will each represent their area with various music performances and local dances.

(Yokosuka Culture Hall)



Aizuwakamatsu Fair

Sat Nov 25 - Sun Nov 26, 10am - 4pm

Check out famous local produce from Yokosuka's friendship city, Aizuwakamatsu! You will be able to get your hands on persimmons, apples, Koshihikari rice, fresh vegetables, special sweets, and more!

(Yokosuka Port Market)



Oppama Night Bazaar

Sat Dec 2, 2pm - 7pm

See what's up for offer at the bazaar! There will be vendors selling fresh produce from the Yokosuka and Miura area. You can also enjoy the food and game stalls while you shop! In addition, there will be a Christmas tree in front of Oppama Station.

(Sunbeach Oppama in front of Oppama Station)



Yokosuka Ekiden Race

Sun Dec 10, 10am (race begins)

Ekiden are long-distance relay races originating in Japan hundreds of years ago when messengers would run great distances to the next station to pass their messages and parcels. Watch and cheer on the runners in the Yokosuka Ekiden!

(Soleil Hill)



Kurihama Christmas Festival

Sat Dec 23, 10am - 4pm

Hear the sleigh bells ring in Yokosuka! Celebrate Christmas in Kurihama with band and dance performances, special food booths, a flea market, and a meeting with Santa and Admiral Sukarin!

Happy Holidays!

(Shopping district in front of Keikyu Kurihama Station)



Yokosuka Countdown 2018

Sun Dec 31 - Mon Jan 1, 6pm - 1am

Celebrate the coming of the New Year with a grand display of fireworks in Yokosuka! You can experience a unique view of the iconic U.S. Navy and JMSDF ships illuminated for this special moment.

Happy New Year!

(Verny Park)



New Year's Fire Review

Sun Jan 7, 10am - 11:45am

Come and see firefighters and various groups show off their skills! The Fire Review is a traditional New Year's event carried on from the Edo period. Celebrate the firefighters' service and learn about fire safety! Don't miss the acrobatic ladder performance!

(Umikaze Park)