

# What's New in Yokosuka



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\* All information may be subject to change.

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## EVENT CALENDAR

### SEPTEMBER

- 07** Kurihama Flower Park Cosmos Festival (9/7-10/27)
- 14** The World of Sarah Bernhardt, Luminary of the Belle Époque (9/14-11/4)
- 16** Respect for the Aged Day
- 23** Autumnal Equinox Day

### OCTOBER

- 01** Discover Kinugasa Photo Contest (10/1-12/6)
- 05** Uwamachi Halloween
- 06** Yokosuka Fish Market Festival
- 13** URAGA Historical Art Festa 2019
- 14** Health and Sports Day
- 14** Kids Festival
- 19** Kitakurihama Autumn Festival and Halloween (10/19-10/20)
- 20** Yokosuka Mikoshi Parade
- 22** Ceremony of Enthronement
- 26** Anjin Festival

### NOVEMBER

- 03** Culture Day
- 04** Substitute Holiday
- 09** Disaster Prevention Course

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 Flower Park Cosmos Festival

Sat Sep 7 - Sun Oct 27

See one million cosmos of different varieties bloom across the park! There will also be a special event on Oct. 12 and 13 from 10am to 3pm that is filled with exciting activities such as music and dance performances, and features booths selling local food and drinks!

(Kurihama Flower Park)



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"Sarah Bernhardt à la Ville" 1902

### The World of Sarah Bernhardt, Luminary of the Belle Époque

Sat Sep 14 - Mon Nov 4

Sarah Bernhardt was a French actress active in Paris from the latter half of the 19<sup>th</sup> century to the beginning of the 20<sup>th</sup> century. See over 150 works that feature her image through photos, portraits, works by Mucha and Lalique, and more! General Admission: ¥900 / HS & University Students • 65 yrs. old and over: ¥700 / JHS Students and under: Free

(Yokosuka Museum of Art)



### Discover Kinugasa Photo Contest

Tue Oct 1 - Fri Dec 6 (submission period)

Capture and submit your special Kinugasa moment! Subjects can range from the local scenery, festivities, delicious food, history, locals, or whatever you think reflects the charm of the Kinugasa area! Check for more details at <https://kinugasa.yokosuka-kanko.com/>

(Kinugasa area)



### Uwamachi Halloween

Sat Oct 5, 3pm - 4:30pm

Trick or treat! Celebrate Halloween all along the Uwamachi Shopping Street! Children wearing costumes will be able to receive sweets so dress-up and visit! Wear your favorite costume and have a Happy Halloween!

(Uwamachi Shopping Street)



### Yokosuka Fish Market Festival

Sun Oct 6, 7am - 12pm

Celebrate Yokosuka's iconic seafood! Participate in the intense auction sale, see the tuna filleting show, experience the fish touching pool, taste seafood dishes from local restaurants, and more! See what's for offer on this action packed day!

(Yokosuka Fish Market)



## URAGA Historical Art Festival

Sun Oct 13, 11am - 8pm

This year celebrates the 120<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the brick dry dock and signals the countdown for the 300<sup>th</sup> anniversary since the founding of the Uraga Magistrate's Office. Experience the rich history of Uraga through projection mapping on the dry dock, live music, and the Uraga historical cruise!

(Sumitomo Heavy Industries, Uraga Factory, and Uraga Dock)



## Kids Festival

Mon Oct 14, 1pm - 3pm

Have some fun and join the Kids Festival hosted by the YIA (Yokosuka International Association)! There will be a costume contest and fun games to enjoy alongside Japanese children! Please call YIA for more info and to register at 046-827-2166.

\*Limited to 50 children (ages 12 and under)

(Werk Yokosuka 6F)



## Kitakurihama Autumn Festival and Halloween

Sat Oct 19 - Sun Oct 20, 10am - 5pm

See dance performances, play games, and browse the booths and flea market at this local event! There will even be a Halloween Festival taking place at the same time at the Kitakurihama Shopping Area! Enjoy the festivities of this family-friendly event.

(Negishi Traffic Park and Negishi Traffic Park No.3)



## Yokosuka Mikoshi Parade

Sun Oct 20, 10:30am - 3pm

This parade pulls together everyone's efforts and willpower to carry *mikoshi* portable shrines around the city. Experience one of Yokosuka's largest events and feel the unique blend of Japanese traditions and the American atmosphere that is iconic of Yokosuka!

(Starts at Yokosuka-chuo Main Street)



## Anjin Festival

Sat Oct 26, 11am - 6:30pm

This festival is dedicated to the legacy of William Adams, also known as Miura Anjin in Japan. Experience the charm of Hemi while browsing through the various stores and local specialties. Enjoy the performances by the Sakamoto Junior High School Brass Band Club and a concert by Hemi-born singer-songwriter, Tsubaki.

(Hemi area, Kashima Shrine, Jodoji Temple)



## Disaster Prevention Course

Sat Nov 9, 10am - 11:30am

This course is designed for residents from abroad who want to learn and prepare in the event of a disaster. There will be a lecture in English and Japanese, as well as, a first aid with everyday items experience and a sampling of emergency rations throughout this course. Please call YIA for more info and to register at 046-827-2166. \*40 participants limit

(Werk Yokosuka 4F)

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