Fukushima. Rich in nature, culture, and a passion to rebuild.

In addition to easy access from the Tokyo area, Fukushima Prefecture boasts magnificent natural panoramas, some of the best hot springs in Japan, and delicacies from both the sea and the mountains, making it perfectly suited for conventions.

But that is not all. Fukushima is also a place where you can witness firsthand the formidable spirit of challenge borne from the efforts to rebuild after the 2011 Tohoku earthquake and nuclear disaster. We are convinced that gathering in Fukushima and experiencing the region’s unique culture and its recovery efforts can provide extra educational depth to any conference.
Fukushima Prefecture has plenty of experience hosting large international conventions of over 1,000 persons, such as Medical Creation Fukushima (2017) and the JANOG40 Meeting (2017). In particular, the Pacific Islands Leaders Meeting (PALM 8) has been held twice in Iwaki. The Fukushima spirit of hospitality, with which the government leaders were welcomed, was a key ingredient in helping make these summits successful.

For international conventions involving at least three countries, including the host country, Fukushima Prefecture provides subsidies of up to 5 million yen according to the number of persons requiring accommodations. The prefectural government also offers support to help cover excursion expenses. Convention bureaus in each city also offer consultations on organizing social gatherings and post-convention activities.

As part of the recovery efforts following the 2011 Tohoku earthquake, Fukushima Prefecture promotes R&D and the creation of new industries in such cutting-edge fields as robotics and renewable energies. Tours of these developing facilities can be arranged as post-convention activities.

From inexpensive business lodgings to top-class hotels suited for guests of state, Fukushima Prefecture offers a wide range of reasonably priced accommodations. From as many as 132 hot springs in Fukushima Prefecture. The many virtues of their waters will provide some hard-earned R&R after your convention.
Fukushima: Alive with Rich Nature and Traditional Culture

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Natsui River Valley
This is a valley with fantastic rock formations and waterfalls of various sizes. The beautiful scenery is rich in variety, from rushing whitewater to calm pools.

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Nature

Fukushima Rankings

- No. 1 Rankings of Fukushima Prefecture within Japan.
- No. 1 in Japan! No. 1 in Japan! No. 1 in Japan! No. 1 in Japan! No. 1 in Japan!


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Traditional Industries

Aizu Lacquerware
This lacquerware is a nationally designated traditional craft product with a history of over 400 years. It features a variety of decorations, using such techniques as maki-e (sprinkling of powdered gold or silver) and chinkin (gold-embedding). Recently, lacquerware with modern designs has also been developed and is gaining increasing popularity.

Festivals

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Soma Nomaoi Festival
Popular annual summer festival, where armored equestrian warriors race to capture sacred flags. The festival boasts a history of over a thousand years.

Introduction to Fukushima

Spring

Autumn

Winter

*1 Certified facility capacity after the start of the fixed price purchase system.
*2 Kitchen and table lacquerware products

No. of Gold Medals at the Japan Sake Awards
22 brands (2018 sake season)

No. 1

No. 1

No. 2

Shipsments of Medical Equipment and Parts
76.6 billion yen (2015)

20.13 million yen (2015)

Shipsments of Aircraft Engine Parts
29,300 tons (2016)

No. 2

No. 2

No. 3

No. 4

Renewable Energy Certified Capacity of Power Generation Facilities
132.5 billion yen (2016)

1.352 billion yen (December 2016)

Number of Onsen Resorts
132 resorts (End of 2015)

Peach Harvest
2018 sake season

Peach Harvest
2016

Peach Harvest
2015

Peach Harvest
2014

Peach Harvest
2013

Peach Harvest
2012

Peach Harvest
2011

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Fukushima City serves as the prefectural capital of Fukushima Prefecture. It plays an important role as a transportation hub in the southern Tohoku region. Famous for its many fruit farms, Fukushima is blessed with beautiful natural surroundings, including Hanamiyama and distinctive onsen resorts like Iizaka Onsen, Tsuchiyu Onsen, and Takayu Onsen. Following a busy convention, these attractions – only to be found in Fukushima – will heal both body and mind.

https://fukushima-guide.jp

Find sightseeing information on Fukushima City here:

Delicious peaches
Kyu Horikiri-tei (Former Horikiri Residence)

Bandai-Azuma Skyline
Takayu Onsen
Hanamiyama

Fukushima City
5-54 Kasuga-cho, Fukushima-shi, 960-8116
Tel: (+81) 24-534-9191
E-mail: culture@fcp.or.jp
http://www.culture.fcp.or.jp/

This composite facility is located at the southern foot of Mt. Shinobu, which towers over the Fukushima urban area. There is free parking for about 450 vehicles (including large buses), a large 1,752-seat hall for various events and presentations, and meeting rooms that can also be used as exhibition spaces. The Center can thus be used for a variety of purposes.

For consultations on holding conventions in Fukushima City, please contact:

Fukushima City Tourism and Convention Association
Tel: (+81) 24-563-5554
E-mail: kankou@f-kankou.jp
https://fukushima-guide.jp

Examples of support:
- Advice regarding venues and accommodation facilities
- Welcome posters
- Souvenirs and catering referrals
- Installation of a souvenir sales stands
- Provision of tourism brochures and carrier bags
Support available only for conventions with more than 50 participants

Convention subsidies available – please contact us!

Access
About 15 minutes by bus from Fukushima Station (JR Tohoku Shinkan Line).
About 10 minutes from the Fukushima-Iizaka IC, west off the Tohoku Expressway. About 20 minutes from the Fukushima-nishi IC, west off the Tohoku Expressway.

Parking Lot
450 vehicles (free)

Floor Venue Name Size (m²) Ceiling Height (m) Theater Capacity (persons) Classroom Capacity (persons) Square Capacity (persons) Island Capacity (persons) Buffet/Sitsy Party (persons) Seated Party (persons)

1F
Large hall 1,713 3 1,753
Small hall 392 3 379
Audiovisual room 110 3 110
1st floor meeting room 46 3.5 30 24
Reception room 51 3.8 10 8

2F
2nd floor meeting - exhibition room 964 3 964 104 180 180
3rd floor meeting room 964 4.5 964 104 180 180

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Corasse Fukushima

Recognized for the abundance of its halls and location adjacent to Fukushima Station

Public complex located just next to Fukushima Station's West Exit. It holds 13 halls and conference rooms of various types and sizes, including a multipurpose hall on floors 3 to 5. There is also a restaurant on the 12th floor and a store selling souvenirs from Fukushima and other products on the 1st floor.

1-20 Mikaemon-machi, Fukushima-shi, 960-8053
Tel: (+81) 24-525-4089 (conference room reception)
E-mail: kaigishitsu@f-open.or.jp
http://www.utsukushima.net/kaigishitu/

1-20 Mikawaminami-machi, Fukushima-shi, 960-8053
Tel: (+81) 24-521-1500
E-mail: fukushima-terrsa@celery.ocn.ne.jp
http://www.f-shinkoukousha.org

Fukushima Terrsa

Within walking distance from Fukushima Station - a venue popular for its convenience

A full-scale art hall with a 473-person FT Hall. Conference rooms and training rooms in this facility are equipped with projectors and sound consoles to support a wide variety of purposes. Nursing room available for mothers with infants.

4-25 Uwamachi, Fukushima-shi, 960-8101
Tel: (+81) 24-521-1500
E-mail: fukushima-terrsa@celery.ocn.ne.jp
http://www.f-shinkoukousha.org

Post-Convention Activities

Experience Japanese culture

For further information, please contact:
Fukushima City Tourism and Convention Association
Tel: (+81) 24-563-5554
E-mail: kankou@f-kankou.jp

Experience Kokeshi Painting

https://www.f-shinkoukousha.org/

Nishida Memorial Hall
This museum has a collection of some 10,000 kokeshi, including the collection of kokeshi researcher Nishida Minekichi.

Transportation
About 30 minutes by bus from Fukushima Station (JR Tohoku Shinkansen Line). About 10 minutes by car from the Fukushima-nishi IC, exit off the Tohoku Expressway.

Experience Kokeshi Painting

Kokeshi in the colors of their choice.

Transportation
About 30 minutes by bus from Fukushima Station (JR Tohoku Shinkansen Line). About 10 minutes by car from the Fukushima-nishi IC, exit off the Tohoku Expressway.

Learning about Fukushima industries

Fruit Picking

For further information, please contact:
Fukushima City Tourism and Convention Association
Tel: (+81) 24-563-5554
E-mail: kankou@f-kankou.jp

Transportation
About 20 minutes by train from Fukushima Station (JR Tohoku Shinkansen Line).

To the west of Fukushima City, fruit fields spread along Prefectural Route 5, nicknamed the "Fruit Line". From early summer to winter, visitors can enjoy picking cherries, peaches, pears, grapes and apples.

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E-mail: kankou@f-kankou.jp

Transportation
About 20 minutes by taxi from Fukushima Station (JR Tohoku Shinkansen Line). About 10 minutes by car from the Fukushima-nishi IC, exit off the Tohoku Expressway.

Genkyo Kokeshi Collection
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One of the key cities in the Tohoku Region where people, goods and information come together

Koriyama City

This city is located in the center of Fukushima Prefecture and is one of the prefecture’s core cities, with the second largest economy in the Tohoku Region. It is characterized by convenient transportation such as railways and expressway, and continues to develop as a commercial hub where people, goods and information come together. On the other hand, you can enjoy the beautiful nature that spreads out from the suburbs, such as the magnificent views of Lake Inawashiro, the Nunobiki Plateau and the Bandai-Atami Onsen, which boast a history of some 800 years.

https://www.kanko-koriyama.gr.jp/index.html

Find sightseeing information on Koriyama City here:

Kaiseizan Park
Bandai-Atami Onsen
Lake Inawashiro
Nunobiki Plateau
Koriyama Station Square

An extensive network of support

We can introduce facilities that match the content of your convention. We can also offer accommodation arrangements, initial inspections, and give advice on sightseeing after the convention.

For holding your convention in Koriyama City, please contact:

Koriyama Convention Bureau
Tel: (+81) 24-991-1811
E-mail: kcb@blue.ocn.ne.jp
http://www.kcb.or.jp

Big Palette Fukushima: Fukushima Trade Fair Centre
Venue with an attractive range of uses, from large-scale exhibitions to receptions

A convention facility that combines three functions: exhibitions, meetings and receptions. This multipurpose exhibition hall has no pillars and is ideal for holding large-scale events. There are also meeting rooms, a training room and a presentation room, etc., each of which can be selected depending on the number of participants, making it highly suitable for a wide range of events.

For more details, please visit https://www.big-palette.jp

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Please contact the individual convention facility for its usage fees.
Koriyama Civic Cultural Center
(Keisshi Koriyama Bunka Center)
Available for a wide range of events, from academic conventions to live concerts.
A multipurpose facility featuring an exhibition hall, meeting rooms, a rehearsal room, a practice room, as well as a large hall accommodating about 2,000 people, a medium-size hall for about 900 people and an assembly room for some 300 people. Available for a wide variety of activities such as concerts, meetings, ceremonies and different types of presentations.

1-2 Tsutsumishita-machi, Koriyama-shi, 963-8878
Tel: (+81) 24-934-2288
E-mail: kc-center@bunka-manabi.or.jp
https://www.bunka-manabi.or.jp/kyouiku_shogaigakushu/shogaigakushu/6/
https://www.city.koriyama.lg.jp/kyoiku_shogaigakushu/shogaigakushu/6/
https://www.city.koriyama.lg.jp/kyoiku_shogaigakushu/shogaigakushu/6/10963.html

Koriyama City Central Community Center / Working Youth Center
The best of both worlds: make use of an historical building, while enjoying a facility with the latest equipment.
In addition to the large multipurpose hall accommodating up to 500 people, this facility has 10 lecture rooms, making it suitable for workshops and more. Koriyama Public Hall, located next to this facility, is a historical building designated as a National Registered Tangible Cultural Property. It features a sizable hall accommodating 200 people and is available for lectures, meetings, concerts, etc.

1-8-4 Hayama, Koriyama-shi, 963-8876
Tel: (+81) 24-934-1212
E-mail: chuo@pubhf.koriyama.lg.jp
https://www.city.koriyama.lg.jp/kyoiku_shogaigakushu/shogaigakushu/6/10863.html

Floor | Venue Name | Size (m²) | Ceiling Height (m) | Theater Capacity (persons) | Classroom Capacity (persons) | Square Capacity (persons) | Island Capacity (persons) | Parking Lot | Other Facilities
---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|---
1F | Multipurpose hall | 650.99 | 4.9 | 350 | 230 | 70 | - | None | -
2F | Lecture rooms 1 to 2 | 72.48 ~ 81.76 | 2.6 | 48 each 48 each | 48 each | 36 each 36 each | 36 each 36 each | - | -
3F | Lecture rooms 3 to 4 | 74.16 ~ 78.7 | 2.6 | 48 each 48 each | 48 each | 36 each 36 each | 36 each 36 each | - | -
4F | Lecture rooms 5 to 6 | 84.32 ~ 85.27 | 2.6 | 270 / 7 36 | 270 / 7 36 | 24 each 24 each | 24 each 24 each | - | -
5F | Japanese-style room 1 to 2 | 63.92 ~ 109.94 | 2.7 | 360 / 7 30 | 342 / 7 26 | 24 each 24 each | 24 each 24 each | - | -
6F | Japanese-style room 3 | 24.56 ~ 35.24 | 2.5 | 270 / 7 36 | 24 each 24 each | 24 each 24 each | - | -

The scores can be interconnected.

Post-Convention Activities
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Koriyama Convention Bureau
Tel: (+81) 24-991-1811
E-mail: kcb@blue.ocn.ne.jp

◆ Experience Japanese culture

Papier-mâché Painting Experience
The production of papier-mâché crafts made from multiple layers of washi (Japanese traditional paper) is a folk art with a history of about 300 years. Enjoy painting your own papier-mâché doll at the Takahashi Dekiyashiki.
Transportation
About 10 minutes by taxi from Mihara Station (JR Ban’etsu East Line).
About 10 minutes by car from the Koriyama-igaiyagai I.C. exit off the Ban’etsu Expressway.

◆ Learn more about the present Fukushima

Commutan Fukushima: Exchange Building of the Fukushima Environment Creation Center
https://com-fukushima.jp
Learn about Fukushima’s environmental recovery, through various exhibits on radiation and the current state of Fukushima in this large-scale dome theater - one of only two existing ones in the world. This theater has a hall that accommodates 300 persons plus other space, making it possible to use it as a convention facility.
Transportation
About 15 minutes by bus from Mihara Station (JR Ban’etsu East Line).
A free bus service managed by the town is also available.
About 5 minutes by car from the Funehiki-Miharu I.C. exit off the Ban’etsu Expressway.
Please inquire.

Fukushima Renewable Energy Research Institute
https://www.aist.go.jp/fukushima/en/
Established in April 2014, this is a new research center of the National Institute of Advanced Industrial Science and Technology. This is an institute for renewable energy open to the world. In corporation with research institutions, companies, universities and other organizations, it develops and disseminates creative renewable energy technology for use around the world.
Transportation
About 10 minutes by taxi from Kikuta Station (JR Ban’etsu West Line).
About 10 minutes by car from the Koriyama I.C. exit off the Tohoku Expressway.
Please inquire.

Koriyama City
©AIST
A historical and traditional city that continues to develop as an industrial center

Aizu-Wakamatsu City

Aizu-Wakamatsu City has prospered as a castle town since ancient times. In recent years, the city has focused on the development of renewable energy and IT technology together with Aizu University. Situated in the western part of Fukushima Prefecture, Aizu-Wakamatsu City is continuously developing as an important hub for industry, transportation and culture. On the other hand, important historical sites such as Tsurugajo Castle, and numerous traditional industries including sake brewing and lacquerware manufacturing remain to this day. Aizu-Wakamatsu City is also popular as a sightseeing destination.

https://aizuwakamatsu.mylocal.jp/trip/en/

Find sightseeing information on Aizu-Wakamatsu City here:

Sazaedo Temple
Suehiro Sake Brewery, Kaeigura Storehouse
Sake brewing
Rinkaku Tea Room
Tsurugajo Castle

12-1 Joto-machi, Aizu-Wakamatsu-shi, 965-0807
Tel: (+81) 242-27-0900
E-mail: info@aizu-bunka.jp
http://aizu-bunka.jp/fugado/

A multipurpose facility, including a fully-equipped hall with 1,758 seats (including wheelchair spaces), Japanese-style room, western-style meeting room, and rehearsal room.

An extensive network of support

In addition to introducing the best support staff to suit the content of your convention, we can also offer consultation on various kinds of subsidies, and we can prepare various support tools depending on your needs.

Examples of support

- Referral to event planning companies
- Assistance liaising with local groups who can hold traditional Japanese performances at post-conference social gatherings and send-offs
- Local products referrals
- Provision of stock photos of Aizu
- Provision of various brochures

Please contact the individual convention facility for its usage fees.

Aizu Fugado Performance Hall
Features a spacious seating area and a hall that can respond to changing acoustic reverberation

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*Western-style room  **Japanese-style room

Convention subsidies available — please contact us!

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Access

About 25 minutes by bus from Aizu-Wakamatsu Station (JR Ban’etsu West Line / JR Tadami Line)
About 30 minutes by bus from Hachi- Wakamatsu Station (JR Tadami Line / Aizu Railway Line)
About 20 minutes from the Aizu-Wakamatsu I.C. exit of Bandai-Kawahigashi I.C. exit off the Ban’etsu Expressway.

Parking Lot

141 vehicles (free)

Other facilities

Restaurant
First-Aid Office
Wheelchair Rental
Nursing Room
Stroller Rental
Wi-Fi Coin Lockers
Cafe

Aizu-Wakamatsu City
### Post-Conference Activities

#### Get to know Fukushima

**Aizu-Wakamatsu City Tourism Bureau**

**Tourist Products Division**

For further information, please contact:

**Aizu-Wakamatsu City Tourism Bureau**

Tel: (+81) 242-23-8000  
E-mail: info@aizukanko.com

**Hideyo Noguchi Memorial Museum**

http://www.noguchihideyo.or.jp/

**Ouchi-juku.com**

http://ouchi-juku.com/

**Lacquerware Experience**


**Experience Japanese culture**

**Hideo Noguchi, born in Fukushima Prefecture, was a world-renowned doctor for his research on yellow fever. At the Hideyo Noguchi Memorial Museum, you can learn about his life and achievements through video materials and an exhibition of the house where he was born.**

**Hideyo Noguchi Memorial Museum**

Transportation: About 10 minutes by bus from Inawashiro Station (JR Ban’etsu West Line / JR Tadami Line).  
About 5 minutes by car from the Inawashiro Bandai Kogen I.C. exit off the Ban’etsu Expressway.

**Ouchi-juku**

The townscapes of this post-town from the Edo Period have been preserved as it appeared in the past. It has more than 30 souvenir shops and restaurants with thatched roofs lined along the kaido (old main highways). Aizu Soba (soba noodles eaten with a green onion instead of chopsticks) is a local delicacy.

**Transportation:** About 15 minutes by bus from Yumekami Onsen Station (Aizu-Hanawa Line).  
About 50 minutes by car from the Aizu-Wakamatsu I.C. exit off the Ban’etsu Expressway.

**Lacquerware Experience**

Aizu Lacquerware is a traditional craft of Aizu-Wakamatsu City. Visitors can experience decorating lacquerware with the maki-e technique of applying gold and silver powder at some of the craft studios across the city.

**Transportation:** Please inquire.

**Aizu Hako Nishinkan (Samurai School for the Aizu Clan)**

https://nisshinkan.jp

About 10 minutes by bus from Yumekami Onsen Station (Aizu-Hanawa Line).  
About 5 minutes by car from the Ban’etsu Kogen I.C. exit off the Ban’etsu Expressway.

**Access:** Please inquire.

**Aizu-Wakamatsu Wholesale Business**

A green compound facility situated next to Aizuwakamatsu I.C.

**Transportation:** About 10 minutes by bus from Yumekami Onsen Station (Aizu-Hanawa Line).  
About 50 minutes by car from the Aizu-Wakamatsu I.C. exit off the Ban’etsu Expressway.

**Access:** Please inquire.

### Advanced ICT Laboratory of Aizu University

Fostering human resources for next-generation ICT, sharing research results and deepening the exchange of opinions

This university offers an optimum environment for deepening discussions, such as conference spaces available for lectures, workshops and various types of conferences, a meeting room with a full-wall whiteboard, and lots of open space where people can meet and freely interact.

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A green compound facility situated next to Aizuwakamatsu I.C.

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Iwaki City

Iwaki City, located to the south of Fukushima Prefecture’s Hamadori region, is blessed with a mild climate. The city has the largest surface area and population of any city in Fukushima Prefecture. As well as being a city of ports and abundant landing facilities, Iwaki City has many places to visit, including beaches, onsen, an aquarium and more. The city’s Okahama Port is the leading port area in the prefecture. Additionally, it is one of the biggest industrial cities in the Tohoku Region, with many industrial zones where manufactured products are shipped.

For holding a convention in Iwaki City, please contact:
Iwaki Tourism and City Planning Bureau
Tel: (+81) 246-44-6545
E-mail: kankousenryaku@iwaki-kankou.or.jp
http://kankou-iwaki.or.jp/honyaku/

Alios: Iwaki Art and Culture Community Center
Responding to varying needs with diverse facilities and a convenient location

An extensive network of support
We can introduce facilities that match the content of your convention. We can also offer accommodation arrangements, survey visits, sightseeing and post-convention activities.

Convention subsidies available – please contact us!

Convenience
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About 10 minutes from the Iwaki-chuo IC, exit off the Joban Expressway.

Floor Venue Name Size (m²) Ceiling Height (m) Theater Capacity (persons)
1F Small music hall — — 200
2F Large hall — — 1,690
2F Medium-size theater — 3 668
3F Medium-size rehearsal room 171.7 5 135
4F Small theater — — 233
5F Large rehearsal room 243.2 7 240

Restaurant
Wheelchair Rental
Nursing Office
First-Aid Office
Coin Lockers
Cafe

Aquamarine Fukushima (Fukushima Ocean Science Museum)

Shiramizu Amidado Temple (National Treasure)

Iwaki Marine Tower

Yabusame (archery performed on horseback at Iino Hachimangu Shrine)

Iwaki Yumoto Onsen Aquamarine Fukushima (Fukushima Ocean Science Museum)

This city situated by the ocean has one of the largest industrial ports in the Tohoku Region, and it has also prospered and developed through coal mining
Iwaki City Further Education Plaza

Good transportation access and convenient accommodations

This venue offers large, medium-size and small meeting rooms as well as experience-based learning rooms, multipurpose rooms, Japanese-style rooms and PC training rooms. All rooms are available to accommodate a wide range of activities. There are also commercial facilities where hotels and restaurants in the same building cooperate to offer convenient services for accommodation, eating and drinking.

About 8 minutes on foot from Iwaki Station (JR Joban Line / JR Ban’ytsu East Line).

About 10 minutes from the Iwaki-chuu I.C. exit off the Joban Expressway.

Spa Resort Hawaiians

This site has a number of halls and venues to meet different requests, such as big seminars, lectures and both small and large meetings. Various types of facilities are available for different purposes, providing high-quality spaces for your meetings, including first-class hospitality. The resort offers a free bus transfer service locally as well as use of the leisure facilities within the hotel.

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Restaurant

Hibiscus 77

Lupine/Bougainvillea/Gardenia/Cattleya 29 each

Oahu/Maui/Hawaii 117 each

Kauai/Molokai 58 each

Moana/Bian 206

Japanese-style rooms (1) to (2) 54

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For further information, please contact:

◆ Learn more about the present Fukushima

Iwaki Day Cruise

http://www.iwaki-mie/city/cruise/day-

Get on the sightseeing boat Phoenix and see firsthand how Onahama Port has recovered and been reconstructed following the 2011 Great East Japan Earthquake. Take in views of Onahama Port from the top deck.

Transportation

About 20 minutes by bus from Yumoto Station (JR Joban Line). About 30 minutes by car from the Iwaki-Nakoso I.C. exit or Iwaki-Yumoto I.C. exit off the Joban Expressway.

No. of participants

20 to 35 people.

◆ Learning about Fukushima industries

Nissan Iwaki Plant

https://www.nissan-global.com/JP/PLANT/IWAKI/

The Iwaki Plant produces the VQ engines and VR engines that are mounted in the highest range of Nissan cars. At the Nissan Iwaki Plant, you can experience video screenings and a tour of the engine assembly line.

Transportation

About 10 minutes by taxi from Izumi Station (JR Joban Line). About 30 minutes by car from the Iwaki-Nakoso I.C. exit or Iwaki-Yumoto I.C. exit off the Joban Expressway.

No. of participants

From 2 to about 100 people.

Wonder Farm

http://www.wonder-farm.co.jp

At Wonder Farm, visitors can find out all about a local product that Iwaki is famous for - tomatoes! The product of Iwaki. Visitors can even participate in picking ripe tomatoes in the onsite greenhouse.

Transportation

About 15 minutes by taxi from Yotsukura Station (JR Joban Line). About 5 minutes by car from the Iwaki-Yotsukura I.C. exit off the Joban Expressway.

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