



Gifu Prefecture Public Relations Announcements from Gifu Prefecture



December, 2016

Events to Check Out This Month

Connecting, Expanding • The Charms of Hanga “Hanga of Gifu” Exhibition

Gifu's *hanga* (pictures made with woodblock prints) have captured the attention of people from all



Doshun Mori. "Katsura Imperial Villa." 1960.

over Japan. In this exhibit, we will feature works by Doshun Mori, among other artists held by this museum. New creative expressions are expanding in media like photography and CG, inheriting the DNA of Gifu's *hanga* and evolving through its influence. We will introduce the direction these modern works are taking through a combination of artist workshops and collaborative efforts with schools.

◆**Exhibit Period:** January 12th (Thurs.) to February 26th (Sun.), 2017

◆**Place:** The Museum of Fine Arts, Gifu (*Gifu Ken Bijutsu Kan*), Gifu-shi, Usa 4-1-22

◆**Entrance Fee:** ¥330 (College Students ¥220)

◆**Inquiries:** The Museum of Fine Arts, Gifu

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●Prefecture Population
2,031,903 people

●Households in Gifu Pref.
753,212 households

※as of Oct. 1, 2015

(results of 2015 national census)

Facebook 「Seiryu no Kuni Gifu」

Dispatching information at Minamo Dayori!!

Pref. Gov. PR Television Show
“Gifu Pref. Hot Line” Now airing
(Air Date) Thurs. 18:53~18:57
(Rerun Date) Sun. 20:56~21:00

Minamo's in
the show too!
Check it out!



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Upcoming Exhibition

Creatures Which Made Headlines

Frilled-neck lizards, axolotls, and more – we have gathered together many nostalgic creatures which spent time in the media spotlight



An axolotl.

over the years, and will exhibit them in order from past to present, decade by decade. This exhibit can be enjoyed by adults and children alike.

◆**Exhibit Period:** December 17th 2016 (Sat.) to April 9th 2017 (Sun.)

◆**Place:** World Freshwater Aquarium Aqua-Totto Gifu (*Sekai Tansuigyo-en Suizokukan Akua-Toto Gifu*) (Kakamigahara-shi, Kawashimakasada-machi 1453)

◆**Entrance Fee:** Adults ¥1,500

Middle & High School Students ¥1,100

Elementary Schoolers ¥750

Pre-Elementary Children ¥370

◆**Inquiries:** World Freshwater Aquarium Aqua-Totto Gifu

☎0586-89-8200 (in Japanese only)

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◆**Search Keyword:** アクアトト

Information Corner

Consultation Free Consultations with Lawyers

Legal specialists will answer your questions. ※Registration required

●**Time:** December 7th (Wed.) & December 21st (Wed.), 13:00 to 15:50

●**Place:** General Consultation Center for Gifu Citizens, Fureai Fukuju Plaza Building 1, Floor 5 (Gifu-shi Yabuta Minami 5-14-53)

- **Consultation Method:** One-on-one meetings, 20 minutes per person, 8 people per day
- **Applications:** Please apply via telephone at least two days before the consultation date. ※ Consultation receptionists will ask about the content of your consultation request.
- **Applications/Inquiries:** General Consultation Center for Gifu Citizens ☎058-277-1001 (in Japanese only)
- **Search Keywords :** 岐阜県 面接法律相談

Announcement Second Special-Needs School Art Exhibit ~Contact with Clay~

There will be an exhibition of the artistic efforts of students at eight of the prefecture's special needs schools. The exhibit will feature their pottery and installations (creations which make use of open space) which they made by leveraging the unique qualities of clay.

- **Time:** January 9th (Mon., public holiday) to February 3rd (Fri.), 2017
9:00 to 17:00 (Closes at 15:00 on the final day of the exhibit)
- **Place:** Gifu *Seiryu Bunka Plaza* Floor 1, Gifu Citizens' Culture & Fine Arts Gallery (Gifu-shi Gakuen-chou 3-42)
- **Inquiries:** Gifu Foundation for Education and Culture ☎058-233-8164 (in Japanese only) FAX 058-233-5811

Announcement Yoro Railway "Tokai Jalan Car" Now Running!

The "Tokai Jalan Car," a single train with the interior decorated with the cute cat character "Nyanan," is now running on the Yoro Railway.

- **Time Period:** Until March 26th (Sun.), 2017 ※Because the timetable is undetermined, please make inquiries to the number listed below.
- **Zone of Operation:** all Yoro Railway lines
- **Fee:** regular Yoro Railway fare
- **Inquiries:** Yoro Railway Company (*Yourou Tetsudou Kabushiki Gaisha*)
☎0584-78-3400 (Weekdays 9:00 to 18:00) (in Japanese only)
- **Search Keyword :** 養老鉄道

Announcement 2017 Gifu Prefecture New Year Police Review

Gifu Prefecture will hold the "New Year Police Review," to provide Gifu citizens with a chance to become more familiar with the police. The event will include a parade, a general inspection of the force, a public performance of techniques for making arrests, a band performance, and more. Come see the police officers who train hard each day to meet the expectations and earn the trust of the citizens of Gifu prefecture.

※free of charge · no application necessary

- **Time:** January 12th, 2017 (Thurs.) 13 : 30~15 : 15
- **Place:** OKB *Gifu Seiryu Arena* (Gifu-shi Yabuta-Minami 2-1-1)
- **Inquiries:** Prefectural Police Training Department ☎058-271-2424 (in Japanese only) FAX 058-272-9054

Caution Protecting Yourself from Harm in the Snow

In order to keep yourself safe during the snowy season, keep the following points in mind:

- ① Pay attention to weather reports. When heavy snow is predicted, stock up on items essential to your day-to-day life, and avoid going outside.
If you sense an imminent avalanche, snow slide, or anything of the like, take cover quickly.
 - ② When there is continual snowfall, remove the snow from your roof as soon as possible. When removing snow from roofs, do so together in a group with other people in your area.
To prevent falling or being injured, check that everyone has a rope lifeline, wears a helmet, has equipment to prevent slipping, and that ladders are tightly secured.
If a snowblower gets jammed with snow, turn off the engine and remove the snow blockage.
 - ③ When going outside, wear shoes which prevent slipping, and try to keep both of your hands free.
 - ④ Put studless winter tires on your car. Always remove snow from your vehicle, and make sure you have an unobstructed view of the road when driving.
- **Inquiries:** Prefectural Office Disaster Prevention Division (*Kencho Bousai Ka*)
☎058-272-1125 (in Japanese only) FAX 058-271-4119

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