

SEPTEMBER EVENTS!



Kamogawa Art Catalogue Exhibition

When: September 7th - 23rd

Where: Kamogawa Citizen's Gallery

The finest works from the city's collection will be on display. See a wide variety of still lifes, landscapes, and portraiture. (Closed September 9th and 17th)

Questions: Kamogawa Citizen's Gallery (04-7093-2366)

10th Annual JUMBO Pumpkin Festival

When: Sun., September 8th 9AM - 3PM

Where: Sato no MUJI, Minnami no Sato

At SATO no MUJI, Minnami no Sato, the 10th Annual Chiba Prefecture Jumbo Pumpkin Festival will be held on September 8th. This is the prefectural qualifying competition in order to go on to the national competition in Shodo Island, Kagawa Prefecture.

Questions: Kamogawa Jumbo Pumpkin Research Office, Shimizu-san (7099-8033)



Foreigner Chat Cafe!

When: Sun., September 29th 10AM - 12PM

Where: Tojo Community Center

Foreigners living in Kamogawa can gather, meet friends, and talk about life in Japan. This month's focus will be on residency and moving to Japan. There will be some consultation hours as well.

Questions or to sign-up: KIRA (04-7093-5931) kira@city.kamogawa.chiba.jp

NORTH AND SOUTH ROUTES

10 YEN~ 20 YEN PRICE INCREASE



Starting October 1st, the North-bound route [Kanayama Dam to Uchiurayama Kenmin no Mori] and the South-bound [Soro-shuten to Awa-Kamogawa Station] will have a price change depending on the area of the route. Prices will increase anywhere from 10 to 20 yen. Please take note of the change.

The Kiyosumi route will not be affected by these changes at this time. The price increase is to maintain changes with the tax price increase happening this year.

CHANGES TO THE NORTH-BOUND ROUTE SCHEDULE



Also effective October 1st, the North-bound route [Kanayama Dam to Uchiurayama Kenmin no Mori] will stop offering a special weekend bus schedule. It will only follow the weekday timetable from now on. Changes to the bus schedule will be uploaded to the Kamogawa Homepage by mid-September and pamphlets will also be available at the city hall and branch offices.

Questions: City Promotion Division (7093-7828)

SECONDHAND SMOKE AT GOVERNMENT BUILDINGS PREVENTION

Following the Health Promotion Act to prevent secondhand smoke risks, government institutions will prohibit smoking on their premises. This ban will be effective for the buildings, parking lots and will extend across the grounds of government institutions. This is just one part of the Health Promotion Act that will seek to prevent secondhand smoke. While being mindful to cutback your smoking, designated areas will continue to be established for smokers.

Please be considerate of others and refrain from smoking in restricted areas.
Questions: Finance Division (7093-7830)



KAMOGAWA BUS UPDATES

SEPTEMBER 7TH AND 8TH- GODOSAI FESTIVAL



Kamogawa's biggest festival with 7 *mikoshi*, portable shrines, 1 *katsugiyatai*, carried stage, and 7 *dashi* (*yatai*), pulled shrine carts. The festivities will be centered in the Yokosuka area of Kamogawa.

Questions: Festival Director, Suda -san (04-7093-2565)



KAMOGAWA FESTIVAL NEWS

SEPTEMBER 29TH-

KIPPO HACHIMAN SHRINE (YABUSAMEI)

This festival will begin around 3PM on Sunday, September 29th at Kippo Hachiman Shrine in the Nagasa area. A rider will fire 9 arrows from horseback to predict the harvest for the year. Come and see this intangible cultural asset of our prefecture!

Questions: Kamogawa Folk History Museum (04-7093-3800)

9/7 - 9/23

9/8 (sun.)

9/29 (sun.)