



Takasaki International Relations Society 高崎市国際交流協会

TAKASAKI & YOU

Takasaki City: Population: 373, 331 Area: 459.16 km²

Registered Foreign Residents:

There are 5,503 foreign residents from around 60 different countries residing in Takasaki City from China, Philippines, Vietnam, etc... (28th February 2019)

=Information from Takasaki City=

SOS Service for Families of Small Children

TEL: 027-384-8009, 8:30am-6pm daily

This is a new home helper-style service provided by Takasaki city, aimed at supporting families by taking away some of the burden of household chores. A helper will visit you at home generally within one hour of your call to help you with what you need done.

Can be used by:

- Residents of Takasaki who have children not yet in elementary school
- Can be used regardless of whether parents are living with other family members or not

Can help with:

- Help with feeding, changing and bathing babies
- Meal preparation for the family, tidying up after meals
- Cleaning the living room, kitchen or toilet
- Doing laundry and ironing
- Running errands to the supermarket, paying bills
- Listening to parents' concerns, giving advice

Cost: 250 yen per hour (paid in cash on the day)

Shochiku Grand Kabuki in Takasaki

Date & Time: Friday 17th July, 2pm

Place: Gunma Music Center

Details: Matsumoto Hakuo II and Matsumoto Koshirō X, Ichikawa Komazo, Otani Hirotarō, Matsumoto Kingo and Ichikawa Ennosuke star in this double-headed performance of Futatsu Chocho Kuruwa Nikki (Chogoro and Chokichi: A Diary of Two Butterflies in the Pleasure Quarters), and Iromoyo Chotto Karimame-Kasane, a dramatic story of forbidden love and death.

Tickets: On sale now at Gunma Music Center, city culture halls, and at ticketing machines in convenience stores.

Kurabuchi English Village Short Stays

Kurabuchi English Village is a facility in the mountains to the north-west of central Takasaki where children can experience daily life using English through interaction with staff from diverse cultural backgrounds. The children spend time outdoors in the beautiful surrounds of this traditional farming area, playing in the river and enjoying seasonal events. Applications are open now for children wishing to participate in short stays at the Village.

Eligible children: Elementary to junior high school age.

Maximum participants per course: 25 (children will be selected at random if applications exceed places).

Courses:

Course Dates 2019		Cost	Application Period	Results Mailed
Summer A	7/22-8/1	80,000 yen	5/7-5/21	5/29
Summer B	8/2-8/12			
Winter	12/26-12/29	30,000 yen	10/1-10/15	10/23

Apply: Visit the Village website and submit the application form. www.kurabuchi-eigomura.jp/



Receive this Newsletter by Email

Send an email to: office@takasaki-irs.org

Subject="Request for Newsletter Notification"

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City Museum Exhibitions

誕生110周年 松本忠義・豊田一男2人展

110th Anniversary Year of the Birth of Matsumoto Tadayoshi and Kazuo Toyoda

Period: Sunday 14th April-Sunday 23rd June 2019 (closed April 15th & 22nd; May 7th, 13th, 20th & 27th; June 3rd, 10th & 17th).

Place: Takasaki Museum of Art (Yashima-cho 110-27)

Details: Former school mates from Hokkaido, these two artists left a lasting impression on the post-war art scene in Takasaki. Matsumoto's works are enchanted depictions of everyday life, while Toyoda's are based on war and environmental destruction. **Entrance:** 500 yen

四季の彩り 季節をめぐる表現

Color of the Four Seasons-Expressions of Season

Period: Saturday 13th April-Sunday 16th June 2019 (closed April 15th & 22nd; May 7th, 13th, 20th & 27th; June 3rd & 10th) *open 27th April-5th May

Place: Takasaki Tower Museum of Art (Sakae-cho 3-23)

Details: A collection of 60 nihonga Japanese-style paintings of landscapes, birds and life through the seasons.

Entrance: 200 yen

Museum hours: 10am-6pm (8pm Fridays), closed Mondays (but open 4/29 and 5/6 during the exposition)



City Hall Hours During Golden Week

Takasaki City Hall and branch offices will open certain counters on Monday 1st and Tuesday 2nd May, despite them being public holidays.

Counters open: City Hall 1st floor Citizens Division and Citizens Welfare Divisions of branch offices.

Services available: Move in/move out notices, per-

sonal seal registration and certificates, resident certificates, My Number procedures, National Health Insurance, pensions.

Hours: 8:30am-5:15pm

*Garbage collection services will operate as usual.

Kyujitsu Toban-i Hospital Information

Kyujitsu toban i' are the medical clinics on duty on weekends and national holidays. Surgery hours are 9am to 6pm. Be sure to take your health insurance card. See table below.

Night Clinic: (1F Public Health Center Takamatsu-cho) Mon-Fri=7:30pm-10pm; Sat, Sun, pub. hol=7pm-10pm

Children's Emergency Health Consultations: Dial #8000 to speak with a health professional for advice on whether to go to the hospital (Mon-Fri=6pm-8am next day; Sat, Sun, pub. hol=9am-8am next day).

AMDA International Medical Information Center 03-6233-9266

(Monday-Friday, 10am-3pm)

Introduction of medical facilities with staff who speak the patients' language and explanation of the Japanese health care system.

休日当番医

Date	Wed 1st May (Pub. Hol.)	Thu 2nd May (Pub. Hol.)	Fri 3rd May (Pub. Hol.)
Internal Medicine (Naika)	Yoshida Naika (Egi-machi) ☎027-326-6210	Sato Shonika Naika lin (Sakae-cho) ☎027-322-4498	Kondo lin (Iwahana-machi) ☎027-346-2208
	Oyama lin (Hamagawa-machi) ☎027-343-6036	Koyagi Naika (Koyagi-machi) ☎027-365-5897	Yawata Clinic (Yawata-machi) ☎027-343-2247
Pediatrics (Shonika)	Shonika Sato lin (Yanagawa-cho) ☎027-322-2145	Hiura lin (Kenzaki-machi) ☎027-344-1175 Shonika Meimei Clinic (Shimonojo-machi) ☎027-387-0733	Arai Kinder Clinic (Shimonakai-machi) ☎027-325-4152 Oguri Shonika lin (Kaminakai-machi) ☎027-327-7887

Date	Sat 4th May (Pub. Hol.)	Sun 5th May (Pub. Hol.)	Mon 6th May (Pub. Hol.)	Sun 12th May	Sun 19th May	Sun 26th May
Internal Medicine (Naika)	Naika Okajo Clinic (Watanuki-machi) ☎027-395-6116	Okamoto Naika Clinic (Kaminakai-machi) ☎027-325-5050	Ariga Clinic (Azuma-cho) ☎027-326-1711	Takagi lin (Egi-machi) ☎027-322-1540	Jinseido lin (Ino-machi) ☎027-361-4165	Yoshida Shokaki Naika Clinic (Oyagi-machi) ☎027-388-1079
	Nakazawa lin (Tsukunawa-machi) ☎027-361-2996	Akagi Clinic (Shimokobana-machi) ☎027-340-7400	Katsuta Naika Shokaki Clinic (Yachiyo-machi 4) ☎027-327-555	Gunma Yawata Shokaki Naika Clinic (Yawata-machi) ☎027-381-5505	Inui Naika Clinic (Shimokobana-machi) ☎027-343-3368	Uehara Naika lin (Nakatoyooka-machi) ☎027-327-6955
Pediatrics (Shonika)	Kodomo-no-Mori Shinryosho (Iizuka-machi) ☎027-388-8863 Kamioka Kodomo Clinic (Dai-machi) ☎027-315-3741	Shonika Himawari Clinic (Minamiorui-machi) ☎027-352-9552	Kaminakai Family Clinic (Kaminakai-machi) ☎027-326-4155	Shigeta Kodomo Allergy Clinic (Shimano-machi) ☎027-350-1700	Shonika Asahi Clinic (Yanaka-machi) ☎027-345-2323	Terao Kodomo Clinic (Terao-machi) ☎027-324-7788