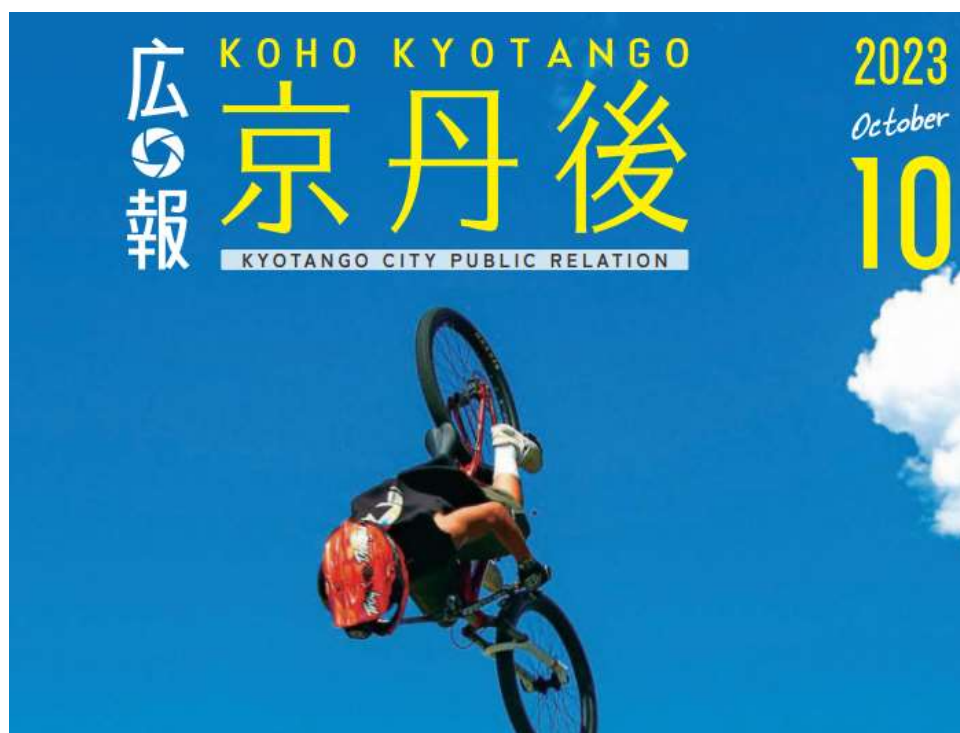


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Kyotango Art Festival 2023

This autumn, the Kyotango Art Festival begins and takes the whole city as its stage!

The sea, mountains, and countryside meet and weave out abundant natural landscapes and within them, lie various cultural assets and facilities. Appreciate different kinds of art your way in Kyotango.

The Art Map is a guide for you to get to know and enjoy the Kyotango's art and culture while experiencing a diverse and colorful selection of art that portrays the city's uniqueness. When you open up the map, you can easily take a glance at all of the events that will be held during the festival. The **red dots** on the map show the venues where you can view artwork that uses Kyotango as its backdrop, and the **green squares** show where the national, prefectural, and city-designated cultural assets are. The festival will be held until February 25th of next year. With the Art Map in hand, journey at your own pace to appreciate Kyotango's one-of-a-kind art and culture that you can only experience in the moment.



Spread the love with hashtags!

When you visit and appreciate the different art displays, don't forget to post on social media with the hashtag **#kyotangoartfes!**

Scan below for the official Kyotango Art Festival Instagram account:



Special Exhibition

The Surrealist Art of Gentaro Komaki
Omiya Fureai Workshop
October 21st ~ November 12th



Choumonzukei
"Avian-patterned Figure" (1941)



Oshiragamizu
(*Kaikogamizu*) No.1
"Figure of the Silkworm God" (1948)

Nyoirin to fukuro "Nyoirin Bodhisattva and the Owl" (1944)



Kyotango Art Festival Art Map

Have you seen the Art Map yet? A copy of this fun fold-out map should have been mailed out to each household in Kyotango early September, but you can view the map here:



By the Lifelong Learning Section TEL 0772-69-0630

New Osaka-Kobe U.S. Consul-General Visits Kyotango

Osaka-Kobe U.S. Consul-General Jason Cubas came to Kyotango City Hall for a customary visit to greet Mayor Nakayama on August 17th. Consul General Cubas was newly appointed on the 16th, and made a visit to City Hall en route to attend a ceremony at the Kyogamisaki Communications Site for his first affair of official business.

Mayor Nakayama discussed matters such as traffic safety countermeasures for military personnel and noise control measures concerning the electrical



generator within the Site, as well as daily efforts to ensure safety and peace. He also expressed his gratitude towards friendly U.S.-Japan relations with the military's participation in local events and volunteer activities. The Mayor also requested continued backup from the Consulate, help in promoting American tourism in the area, and a future visit from U.S. Ambassador Emmanuel.

Consul General Cubas expressed his appreciation towards the City and how he felt honored to visit Kyotango and the Kyogamisaki Communications Site as his first affair of business in office. He also expressed his gratitude toward the City for guiding and building good relationships with each generation of Commanders at the Communications Site, and hoped to continue collaborating and cooperating to deepen exchange between the City and the U.S.

World Café

A Great Opportunity to Enjoy Foreign Languages, Even if You Can't Speak

The Kyotango City International Association held the World Café on July 20th, an event where people could enjoy speaking English, Chinese, and Korean, at Machi Machi Information Center in Mineyama.

Around 20 people attended this event. To begin the event, the Chinese teacher, Mr. Jiaxin Chen, introduced a variety of Chinese snacks that the participants got to sample and enjoy them. Afterwards, once everyone separated into their different language groups, the participants enjoyed multilingual conversations about a range of topics such as food culture and cartoons in their respective groups.



"It was fun to talk with people who were interested in Chinese, and gave me an opportunity to introduce my country to the," spoke Mr. Chen.

Next time, the International Association plans to feature Korean food to sample at the next World Café. Please join us next time!

Follow our Instagram account for more updates and details about World Café!



By the **Kyotango City International Association** TEL 0772-69-0120

Events Calendar

10/14

Kyotango Job-Hunting Fair 2023

Information and interview sessions from over 35 different companies within Kyotango will be held at this event. Please come and learn about the special characteristics of each company!



Time: 1:30PM ~ 3:30PM

Location: Agri Center Omiya

For Who?: General Jobseekers, University/High School Students, U/I/J-Turners Students expected to graduate after March 2025 may also attend

Contact: Kyotango Regional Hiring Promotion Council (within the Industry and Commerce Promotion Section) TEL 0772-69-0440

10/21

Kyoto Sanga F.C. - Kyotango City Hometown Day

The first-ever Kyotango City Hometown Day will be held at Sanga Stadium! You can buy tickets for a special price if you are a resident of Kyotango City. Tickets sales will begin on designated websites starting October 7th at 11AM. Let's root for Kyoto Sanga together!



Time: 3PM (Kickoff)

Location: Sanga Stadium by Kyocera (Kameoka City)

For Who: Kyotango City Residents

Other: You will need to register a J-League ID to purchase tickets. Please check the website below for more details.



Contact: Kyoto Sanga F.C. Hometown Promotion Section TEL 0774-55-7603
Lifelong Learning Section TEL 0772-69-0630

10/28

Tango Expo 2023

The huge SDGs event planned and executed by local high school students is happening again this year! The theme is "Let's Protect the Good Things about Tango – Nature, People, Tradition, Food, and Industry". There will be lots of fun booths and stage performances waiting for you!



Time: 10AM ~ 4PM (planned)

Location: Tango Kingdom “Syoku no Miyako”

Other: More details and information about the event will be released on the SDGs website (QR Code below).



Contact: Tango Expo Executive Committee (within the Policy and Planning Section)
TEL 0772-69-0120

Read more on the Official Kyotango SDGs Website:

Every Saturday

Silver Morning Market

This month, it will be held on the 7th, 14th, 21st, and 28th.

Time: 9AM ~ 10:30AM

Location: Mineyama General Welfare Center

Contact: Kyotango City Silver Human Resource Center
TEL 0772-65-0052

Tango Arts & Culture Festival 2023

11/19

The 44th Tango Choir Festival

Time: 1PM

Venue: Tango Cultural Center (Sugitani, Mineyama-cho)

Admission: Free (free seating)



11/23

The 39th Tango Folkdance Festival

Time: 1:30PM

Venue: Tango Cultural Center (Sugitani, Mineyama-cho)

Admission: ¥300 (free seating)



Population and Number of Households in Kyotango City

The number in the parentheses shows the difference over the month of August according to the Basic Resident Registry. Includes foreign residents.

Total Population: 51,255 (-46)

Male: 24,682 (-26)

Female: 26,573 (-20)

Number of Households: 22,945 (-5)

Changes by Main Criteria

Move-in: 76

Move-out: 70

Births: 32

Deaths: 85

Other reasons: +1

Be Conscious and Act to Reduce Food Waste

Food loss that results from foods reaching their marked best-by or expiration dates, leftovers, or food that is simply thrown away despite still being edible is becoming a serious problem. Within Japan, there were approximately 5.23 million tons of food waste recorded in 2021, and approximately 2.24 million tons of the waste were thrown away from household kitchens.

What You Can Do to Reduce Food Waste

- **When Shopping:** Try not to buy more food than you need and buy from the front of the shelf if you plan to consume the food right away.
- **Inside of Your Fridge:** Let's store foods properly.
- **When Cooking:** Be careful not to make too much, and try to use as much of the ingredient as possible.
- **When Eating Out:** Order as much as you know you can finish, and talk with the restaurant staff about taking leftover food home.



Red Feather Cooperative Fundraiser

Help support local children grow up safe and healthy by donating to the Red Feather Fund! Your donation will go towards community watch services, welfare activities, youth educational and recreational activities, and welfare facilities. (Fundraiser Goal: 8,405,000 JPY)

Fundraising Period: October 1st, 2023 ~ March 31st, 2024

Contact: Kyoto Prefecture Cooperative Fundraising Association, Kyotango City Fundraising Association TEL 0772-69-0310

More Baby-Friendly Amenities in Kyotango City!

Introducing breast-feeding rooms and changing stations at local businesses

Business Name	Amenity Description	Location
Kissuien Stay & Food	Breastfeeding Room, Diaper-changing Station	Sugitani, Mineyama-cho
Toda Dental Clinic	Kids Play Space	Sugitani, Mineyama-cho
Honobono Café	Breastfeeding Space, Diaper-changing Station	Amino, Amino-cho
Restaurant Konoshiro	Breastfeeding Space, Kids Play Space	Konoshiro, Tango-cho
LINKU Share Space & Community Kitchen	Baby Play Pen Area	Kurobe, Yasaka-cho
Yama no Ie @ Swiss Village	Breastfeeding Room, Diaper-changing Station	Nonaka, Yasaka-cho
Kaze no Gakkou Kyoto @ Swiss Village	Breastfeeding Room, Diaper-changing Station	Nonaka, Yasaka-cho
Gelande Cafeteria @ Swiss Village	Breastfeeding Room, Diaper-changing Station	Nonaka, Yasaka-cho
Yamada Dental Clinic	Child Safety Seat in Restroom, Baby Bed	Kumihama-cho
Fuuran no Yakata	Child Safety Seats/ Changing Tables	Kamai, Kumihama-cho

*There are now diaper-changing stations available on the 1F of Kumihama and Yasaka Town Halls.

By the Child and Parenting Section TEL 0772-69-0340

ECHO Tomorrow Field – Tango/Kinosaki

An Art and Food Event

There are three themes to ECHO Tomorrow Field in Tango & Kinosaki:

- Artwork focusing on the history of Tango as once a land that produced *tan* or cinnabar.
- Ambition to innovate on the abundant ingredients and once-prosperous Tango chirimen industries.
- Novel art projects based in the local land and created in collaboration with the next generation.

This event will take the stage in Tango and Kinosaki as its backdrop.

Duration: 10/7 (Sat.) ~ 11/26 (Sun.) 2023

Time: 10:00AM ~ 4:00PM

Closed: Tuesdays, Wednesdays, Thursdays

Kyotango Venues:

- Taiza Studio
- Takano/Itsukinomiya Shrine
- Tango Ancient Village Museum
- Roadside Station Tenki Tenki Tango



Scan for more details

Event Organized by: NPO TOMORROW, Japan Arts Council, Agency for Cultural Affairs