

Local Events – August 2023

Sui-Sui Beach Night Carnival

Date: August 2nd

Time: 6:30PM~

Location: Shotenkyo Swimming Beach

Gather around Shotenkyo Beach and enjoy a summer festival with a variety of gourmet local food trucks! There will be takoyaki, yakisoba, sake, burgers, and more! Firework show will begin at 8:30PM.



“Be IKIMONOGATARI” - Kyotango Forest Art Camp 2023

Dates: August 4th ~ August 6th

Time: 10AM ~ 9PM (Some morning activities available)

Location: Kyotango Forest Park Swiss Village

Admission: Entry is Free

Workshop Ticket Prices (valid for all three days):

Presale (Until 7/30)

Adult - ¥1,800

Child - ¥1,000

At-the-door:



Adult - ¥2,500

Child - ¥1,500

[Scan here to reserve your ticket:](#)



Child tickets are for children 4 to 12 years old. Tickets are free for children under the age of three.

Enjoy an outdoor art exhibition complete with family-friendly experiences and workshops!

Activities:



1. Converse with the Birds!! – Sound Art Exhibit with the Sounds of Life
2. Morning Tea Gathering on the Mountain – Learn about the waters that flows from the mountains to the sea, and through your own body!
3. Magic Charm Craft – Totem Poles and *Michikiri*
4. Road Art – Doodle on the blacktop!
5. Make your own Love-Nyokis!
6. Doodle Inside an Underwear-Themed Art Exhibit
7. Draw A Fish of Dreams
8. Weave a Flag out of String!

9. Make Fluffy, Smile-y Crafts!
10. Make Wildlife-Watching Glasses! (Limited to 200 pairs)
11. Campfire & Rhythm Workshop
12. Gaze at the Stars!

Summer Festa 2023

Dates: August 5th – 13th

Times: 10:30AM ~ 4:30PM

Location: Tango Kingdom "Syoku no Miyako"

Things to Eat:

Fruits Fair – 8/5~8/13

Enjoy some limited-edition sweets! Fruits Quiz on the 5th through 6th (Entry fee required).

Fish Fair – 8/11 ~ 8/12

The seafood dishes from all over Tango will be served up!

There will also be a Fish Quiz (free to enter).

Things to Learn:

8/5

Leaf Portrait Workshop

10AM~12PM

*First 15 participants to register. Registration closes on 8/3. Workshop fee is ¥300 per person.



Let's make a Chirimen Hand-fan!

10AM ~ 3:30PM

*No pre-registration needed. Workshop fee is ¥500 per person.

Things to Enjoy:

8/12

11AM~4PM

Special Stage Performances

Bingo Tournament (Participation fee is ¥200)

Beat the Heat Festival @ Tennyō no Sato

Date: August 5th

Time: 6:00PM~

Location: Tennyō no Sato's

Special Events Plaza

There will be all sorts of stalls
and food trucks!



2023 Kyotango City Dragon Boat Qualifiers ~Melon Cup~

Date: August 6th

Time: 9AM (Race Start)

Location: Hama Park, Kumihama Bay Canoe Stadium

Experience the exciting sport of Dragon Boat Racing in Kumihama Bay! In every decorated boat, twelve crew members row fiercely and call out in time with the taiko drum to reach a singular goal: the finish line.

You can't turn your eyes away from this fierce competition!

General and High School Divisions will both compete at the event.



Hagoromo Legend Musical Show

Date: August 6th

Time: 1:00PM~

Location: Tennyō no Sato (1642 Masudome, Mineyama-cho)

Enjoy ancient legends, music, and more at Tennyō no Sato! There will be performances on piano and erhu (the Chinese two-stringed instrument), as well as food trucks and family-friendly fun!



Sennichie Summer Festival

Date: August 9th

Time: 7:30PM~

Location: Kumihama Park

The Sennichie Summer Festival is back for the first time in four years! Enjoy a nighttime illumination on Kabutoyama, floating lanterns, and a 1,700-firework show! There will also be stalls selling goods and food items.



Tango Night Market 2023

Date: August 11th

Time: 2PM ~ 9PM

Location: Along the Konishi River (From Hokuto Shinkin Bank to Kissuien Hotel)

Entry: Free

Food and game stalls will be operated on a ticket system.

Food and merchandise stalls, performances by UNCHAIN and local bands, yosakoi dances, local dance groups, and BMX shows, etc.

Parking is available in front of Kyotango City Hall, Mineyama General Welfare Center, and Tango Cultural Center.



Kyotango Fruits Trail

Duration: Until October 31st

Location: Along Route 178 in Kumihama

With various fruits coming into season, why not take advantage of the bounties of the earth and indulge in delectable locally-grown fruits in Kyotango this summer? Various fruit stands will be selling farm-direct peaches, watermelons, sand melons, grapes, pears, strawberries, and more along the Fruits Trail in Kumihama! You can also enjoy crepes, parfaits, fresh-squeezed juices, and frozen smoothies to satisfy your sweet tooth!



25th Special Exhibition -

***Platero and I* by Yoko**

Yamamoto//Flowers of the Imperial Garden in Kyoto by

Mitsumasa Anno

Dates: Until September 4th

Open Hours: 9:30AM ~ 5:00PM (Closed on Tuesdays)

Admission: General - ¥1,000

Junior High/High School Students - ¥600

Elementary School Students - ¥400

Location: Anno Mitsumasa Museum @ Mori no Naka no Ie (Wakuden no Mori,



764 Tani, Kumihama-cho)

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Platero and I is an anthology of prose written by the Spanish Nobel Prize-winning poet, Juan Ramón Jiménez. The nostalgic world weaved by Platero the donkey and the narrator are portrayed through a warm orange color-scape by copperplate artist Yoko Yamamoto.

Flowers in the Imperial Garden in Kyoto is a collection of illustrations that showcase the blooms quietly flourishing in the imperial City of Kyoto by world-renowned artist, Mitsumasa Anno.

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