

Local Events – March 2025

Bluegrass Music @ Kyotango Trailer

Date: Mar. 2nd (Sun.)

Time: From 1:30PM (Doors Open at 1:00PM)

Location: Kyotango Trailer (located in Tango Kingdom)

Tickets: 1,000 yen per person (plus one drink order)

**Payment will be taken at the door.*

Enjoy the second bluegrass session with performances by local groups in an intimate and casual venue!



8th Annual Hina Doll Exhibition

Dates: Until Mar. 2nd (Sun.)

Times: 9:30AM ~ 3:30PM (Closed on Wednesdays)

Location: Komachi Hut within Komachi Park (Ikaga, Omiya)

Hinamatsuri, or the Doll Festival, is a Japanese tradition in early spring that prays for the health and beauty



of young girls. For this one-month period, browse through rows of exquisite *hina* dolls at Komachi Park, which celebrates the great Japanese poet and one of the three Historical Beauties, Ono no Komachi.

Mitsumasa Anno Museum Winter Exhibition

Chiisana Ie no Rōra – “Laura in the Little House” & Rakuchū

Rakugai – “Views Within and Around Kyoto City”

Duration: Until Mar. 3rd (Mon.)

Hours: 9:30AM ~ 5:00PM (Last Entry at 4:30PM)

Location: Mitsumasa Anno Museum (764 Tani, Kumihama-cho)

Admission: General – 1000 yen

Junior High/High School – 600 yen

Elementary School – 400 yen

“Laura in the Little House”

Based on the world of the beloved American series, *The Little House on the Prairie*, Anno depicts colorfully Laura’s and her family’s everyday life on the harsh American frontier.



“Views Within and Around Kyoto City”

“Finding the right landscape to paint is like searching for a bride,” are famous words from the watercolor artist, Mitsumasa Anno. We hope you enjoy these scenes of the old capital of Kyoto and Tango that struck Anno’s heart.



「東寺 終い弘法」／『洛中洛外』©空想工房

2nd Annual Final Presentation -

Tango Kataribe Storyteller’s Association

Date: Mar. 5th (Wed.)

Time: 1:30PM ~ 4:30PM

Location: Multipurpose Hall, Agri Center
Omiya

Admission: Free

Sign-Up: Please contact the Tango Kataribe Storyteller's Association with your name and phone number to register.

Contact: Tango Kataribe Storyteller's Association

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The Tango region is full of local legends, histories, and traditions are largely unknown to the general public. Combatting the loss of these stories to old age and time are a small group of passionate individuals who have worked hard over the year to produce videos that preserve these local tales. There will a lecture from Professor Hidehiko Sakagami (Professor Emeritus at Kyoto Saga University of the Arts) and a video screening of this year's newly-produced works.

Please note, the event will be primarily conducted in Japanese.

Tsubaki Garden 2025

Duration: Mar. 15th (Sat.) ~ 30th (Sun.)

Hours: 9:00AM ~ 5:00PM (Last Entry at 4:00PM)

Location: Maizuru Nature and Cultural Park

Admission: 500 yen (250 yen for Elementary and Junior High School students)



Marvel at brilliant camellias of all colors while overlooking Maizuru Bay. The park has over 30,000 bushes and 1,500 varieties of this beautiful flower.

16th Rakuza Music Live

Date: Mar. 16th (Sun.)

Time: From 3:30PM (Doors Open 2:30PM)

Location: 2F Mineyama General Welfare Center (691 Sugitani, Mineyama)

Admission: Free



Enjoy performances from local singer-songwriters at this special live event!

Maizuru Curry Festa

Dates: Mar. 22nd (Sat.) ~ 23rd (Sun.)

Time: 10:00AM – 3:00PM

Location: Maizuru Red Brick Park

Indulge in the history of Japanese curry culture in Maizuru at this special food event. You can try the original 1908 Japanese Navy Curry recipe and the modern curry recipe enjoyed by the Japan Maritime Self Defense Forces on their Curry Fridays. Plus, there will be local vendors selling their specialty curries and even limited-edition merchandise at the event!

Follow the event Instagram account for more information: @maizuru_curry_festa



Railway Photo Exhibition of the Japan National Railway, Kitakinki Tango Railway, and Kyoto Tango Railway

Records of the Miyazu Line from 1966 – Nostalgia for the JNR's Steam Locomotives

Duration: Mar. 22nd (Sat.) ~ 30th (Sun.)

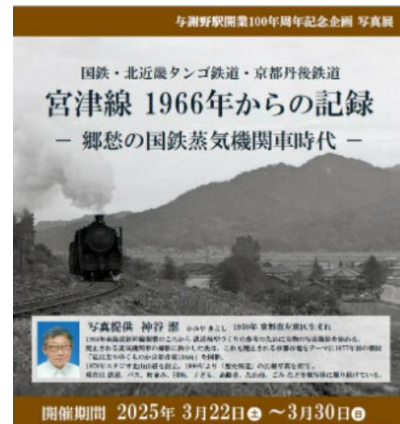
Hours: 9:00AM ~ 5:00PM (Until 3:00PM on the 30th)

Location: Former Kaya Town Hall

Admission: Free

A selection of Kiyoshi Kamiya's photographic works from a 60-year span will be put on display in Yosano.

There will also be limited edition items on display and for sale during this exhibition, such as iron stamps at the Yosano, Nodagawa, and Tango-Yamada stations, nostalgic signboards and ticket collection boxes from the former Kitakinki Tango Railway, merchandise branded with the former Kaya Railway designs, screenings of old videos taken of the Miyazu line, and more.



Yosano Garden Fest – Cherry Blossom Festival

Date: March 22nd (Sat.)

Time: 11:00AM – 4:00PM

Location: In front of Yosano Station (Shimoyamada)

In celebration of Yosano Station's 100th Anniversary, come over to Yosano and join in for some family-friendly fun under blooming *okame-sakura* trees.

There will also be a train car on display at the station!

Please use the parking spaces at the Shimoyamada Community Center or the Itoi Tax Accounting Office if attending the event.



21st Annual Kumihama Doll Festival

Duration: Jan. 4th (Sun.) ~ Apr. 3rd (Thurs.)

Location: Inaba Honke (Kumihama)

Open Hours: 9:00AM – 4:00PM (Closed Wed.)

Admission: Free

Contact: Inaba Honke TEL 0772-82-2356



Stop by Kumihama's town center to see beautifully crafted Japanese *hina* dolls for a limited time. The Inaba Family Merchant House is famous for their doll display resembling the Imperial Palace in Kyoto. This year, try your hand at making your own *take-hina* doll display, or bamboo lantern (please call beforehand to book). You may also purchase a *take-hina* doll display to commemorate your visit. Each of the *take-hina* dolls are handcrafted with care by local women's groups in Kumihama.

**As of 2/21. For more up-to-date event information, please check www.visitkyotango.com/events/ (for English) or other local event websites.*