

Numazu Newsletter

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INFORMATION

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Classes, Lectures

Numazu Citizen's College; ready to welcome new students

Applications & Inquiries: Lifelong Learning Division ☎ 055-934-4870

Numazu Citizen's College, this year as well, will hold a series of lectures presented by distinguished lecturers playing active parts in many different fields. The lecture presentations by top-class lecturers will surely give you a great chance to obtain new knowledge. Come and attend the lectures!

KAWAI ATSUSHI san (the 1st lecture)



~Life-enhancing way of life we can learn from Great Men who flourished in the last days of the Tokugawa shogunate~

Mr. Kawai is a well-known student of history who appears on the TV program "*Sekai-ichi Uketai Jugyo* (World's Most Desirable Lessons)". His popular lectures are often on historical facts full of surprise and laughter, which seem never to appear in school textbooks. He has written many a book.

HADA KEISUKE san (the 2nd lecture)

~I love it, which is the absolute requirement essential to a professional~

Mr. Hada made his debut as a novelist when he was a 17-year-old high school student, his first novel "KOKUREISUI (Black Cold Water)" being awarded "the 40th *Bungeishou* (Literary Award)". His novel "Scrap and Build" was also awarded "Akutagawa Award".



OGI NAOKI san (the 4th lecture)

~Ogi Mama's Way of Life Theory; how to live without feeling down~

Mr. Ogi is a popular educational critic called "Ogi Mama".

He works energetically on the down-to-earth study and research into the issues concerning child-raising and education, media problems, and others.

KINDAICHI HIDEHO san (the 8th lecture)

~How to use Japanese Language~

Mr. Kindaichi worked as a lecturer of Japanese Language at many foreign colleges after finishing the graduate program at Tokyo University of Foreign Studies. His books are "*Kimochi ni soguu kotobatachi* (Right words to express your feelings)", "*Fishigi Nihongo Seminar* (Wonderful Japanese Language Seminar)", and many others.



NO	WHEN	WHERE	THEME	LECTURER (Titles are omitted.)
①	June 17 (Fri)	Plaza Verde Convention Hall B	Life-enhancing way of life we can learn from Great Men who flourished in the last days of Tokugawa Shogunate	Kawai Atsushi (Study of history / Guest Professor at Tama University)
②	June 25 (Sat)	Plaza Verde Convention Hall A	I love it; which is the absolute requirement essential to a professional	Hada Keisuke (Novelist)
③	July 2 (Sat)	Plaza Verde Convention Hall B	What Bhutan, the country of happiness, shared with me	Seki Kensaku (Photographer)
④	July 12 (Tue)	Cultural Center Large Hall	Ogi Mama's Theory; how to live a life without feeling down	Ogi Naoki (Educational critic / Professor at Hosei University)
⑤	July 23 (Sat)		W PLACE ~a new lifestyle with agriculture~	Numao Hiroko (Free announcer)
⑥	Aug.6 (Sat)		iPS cells and RNA switch; Is it possible to make cells with specific purposes?	Saito Hirohide (Professor of iPS Cell Research and Application at Kyoto University)

⑦	Aug.20 (Sat)	Plaza Verde Convention Hall B	What's the difference between home cuisine and restaurant cuisine?	Kasahara Masahiro (Restaurant keeper of Japanese Cuisine Restaurant "Sanpi-ryoron" or Pros and cons)
⑧	Aug.26 (Fri)		How to use Japanese Language?	Kindaichi Hideho (Professor of the Foreign Language Department at Kyorin University)
⑨	Sep.4 (Sun)		Key to living happily every day, which I learned in New York	YUKARI (Musician)

Time: 14:30 ~ 16:00 (①⑧) 19:00 ~ 20:30 / ④ 19:00 ~ 20:20)

Applicants: Junior high school students and older who live in the city or commute to the city

Capacity: 400 persons (If applications are many, there will be a draw.)

Tuition: 4,500 yen (9 lectures in total)

How to apply: By May 27 (Fri) / By phone or FAX / You can get a designated application form through City Home Page on the Internet. Use it for FAX.

❖❖Lecture ② and ④ can be attended as a separate one❖❖

Capacity: ② 600 persons / ④ 1,100 persons

Tuition: 1,000 yen for each / How to apply: The same way mentioned above

※When you need a sign language interpreter, please let us know beforehand by phone or FAX.

Applications: Lifelong Learning Division ☎ 055-934-4870 / FAX 055-931-7551

Recruitment

Sponsors for Kano River Firework Display of Summer Festival ~ ~

Would you like to be sponsors for Kano River Summer Firework Display? You can give messages to celebrate a coming of age ceremony, your wedding, 60th birthday and graduation etc.

When: July 30 (Sat), 31 (Sun)

*If it rains, the firework display will be put off.

Firework types: Sosaku Hayauchi = 55,000 yen

Star Mine = 110,000 yen per a machine

Middle-sized Star Mine = 165,000 yen per a machine

Large-sized Star Mine = 220,000 yen per a machine



Privileges: You can see the fireworks from a special seat. Also, your name will be written in the summer festival leaflet.

How to apply: By phone by June 10 (Fri) *You will receive an application form later.

Applications and Inquiries: NPO Numazu Tourist Information Center, ☎ 055-964-1300
Inquiries: Numazu Tourism and Exchange Division, ☎ 055-934-4747

*You can check whether the firework display will be held or not on the city official Facebook, “Numazu Topics” on the day.



Events

Events in National Historical Park “Nagahama Joseki (Ruins of Nagahamajo Castle)

Inquiries: Tourism and Exchange Division, ☎055-934-4747

the 2nd Nagahamajo Hojo Suigun Festival

When: May 22 (Sun), 8: 00 – 15:00

Where: Nagahamajo Castle Ruins, and Mito (Uchiura Fishing Port)

the Site Nagahama (Ruins of Nagahamajo Castle)

★A play “Surugawan Kaisen (Sea Battle in Suguga Bay) by armored warriors

Time: 10:15 –

Where: “Atakebune” on the Omosu side of Guidance Hiroba

★Performance of harquebusiers (Gun Fighter Unit)

Time: ①11:10 ② 12: 10 ③ 13:30 ④14:50

Where: Daini Kuruwa

★A parade of handmade armored warriors

Time: 11:30 –

(They’ll leave the site Nagahama for the site Mito).

★Guided Tour to Ruins of Nagahamajo Castle Time: 12:30 – 14:30

Curators and armored warriors will show visitors around the ruins, giving commentary on the history.

★Armor-wearing Class, A workshop of Conch Shell Whistle

Time: 11:00 – 14:30

The Site Mito in Uchiura Fishing Port

★ Okusurugawan Nichiyo-ichi (Sunday Market) and Sales of local products by local groups

Time: 8:00 – 15:00 (Sales of local products start at 10:30.)



★Performance of Japanese instruments performers “Otozanmai” and Japanese drum performance

Time: 11:00 –

★Stage Performance (e.g. Theatrical combat)

Time: 13:00 –

★A parade of handmade armored warriors

Time: 14:00 –

★A cruise to see the castle ruins from the sea

Time: ① 11:00 ② 12:00 Fare: 500 yen

Contents: Pleasure cruise (They leave and come back to the Chidori Kaikan.)

There are buses from the south exit of Numazu Station to the site (The return fare: 500 yen).

They run from the Numazu Station to the site between 9:00 – 10:45.

Also, they run from the site to the station between 13:45 – 15:30.

There are free shuttle buses and treasure boats moving to each site (They run as needed).



Child Raising

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Information

Let's Try “EIKEN 3 Grade Test! Numazu Offers You a Grant



EIKEN is the Japan's most widely recognized English language assessment.

Inquiries: Public high school in Numazu or School Education Division

☎055-934-4809

Applicants: 14 or 15 year old students, who go to public middle school and plan to take EIKEN 3 grade test.

Grant: Half of the testing fees (one chance for each student)

How to apply: Fill out the application and proxy, which you get from school, and then submit them to school



Event

Please visit *Ohisama-Hiroba*

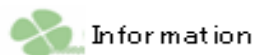
Inquiries: *Numazukko Fureai Center (Poppo)* ☎ 055-952-8077

When(①②cancelled due to rain)		Where
①	May 23 th (Mon) 10:30~12:00	An open space, in front of Nagahama Community Center

②	June 12 th (Sun) 10:00~12:00	An open space of <i>Hokubu Hoikujyo</i>
③	June 20 th (Mon) 10:30~12:00	Hall , the 4 th Floor of Ishibashi Plaza

Applicants: Protector and its Child

*Please wear clothes which you would not mind getting dirty, and come to the venue directly



Child Care Support Service (The First Half Year)

Inquiries: Numazu City Council Of Social Welfare ☎055-922-1500 Fax055-922-1502

Numazukko Fureai Center (Poppo) ☎, Fax 055-952-8077

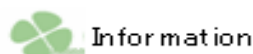
When: June 14th (Tue), 16th (Thr), 23th (Thr): 9:30~12:00

*June 21th (Tue): 9:30~12:30

Where: Sunwell Numazu Large conference room

Applicants: Person who is interested in child care / Capacity: About 40

How to apply: Make a phone call or fax by June 7th(Tue).



Renewal Application: Grant for the Medical Cost in Single-Parent Family

Applications & Inquiries: Child-Rearing Family Welfare Division ☎ 055-934-4827

When: June 1 (Wed) ~ 7 (Tue), 9:00 ~ 17:00 (except for June 4(Sat) & 5(Sun))

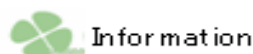
Where: Child-Rearing Family Welfare Division (City Hall 1F)

Applicants: Members of fatherless or motherless family whose annual income is exempted from income tax

※Since the exemption for dependents was abolished in the latest tax system revision, the audit of applicant's annual income is also to be conducted in the fiscal year 2016 in the way of deeming that the exemption for dependents has been partly applied to the income.

What to bring: Notice letter, Health Insurance Card (of each member of the family), Certificate of the beneficiary of grant for the medical cost in single-parent family(orange colored), *inkan*(seal), Certificate of income and withholding tax for 2015, and others

※Those who have newly become the applicants for the grant above should ask for the details.



Daycare for Sick Children

If your children are sick and you can't take care of them because of your work, we can care for and nurse them temporarily in *Shoei* Kindergarten certificated as a children center. This is the first trial in this city.

Applications & Inquiries: Shoei Kindergarten (Otsuka) ☎ 055-967-4521

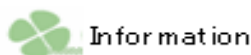
Inquiries: Child Support Division ☎ 055-934-4842

When: Monday ~ Friday, 8:00 ~ 17:00

For: babies aged 6 months ~ children aged about 10 (those living in Numazu City)

Capacity: three (first-come-first-served basis) / Fare: 2,000 yen a day

*When you want to use this service, you need to register or fill in the form by doctors in advance.
Please ask for the details.



A Consultation Sponsored by the Board of Education

Inquiries: Consultation Center of Youth Education(*Seishonen Kyoiku* Center) ☎ 055-951-3440

If you have a trouble with your children, such as about their school lives or the way to raise them, counselors will give you some hints to solve the problems.

*** Consultation about your children's school lives or troubles**

When: June 8(Wed), 9(Thu), 9:00 ~ 17:00 [one hour per a person]

Where: Consultation Center of Youth Education (Hachiman-cho)

Capacity: 15 people a day (first-come-first-served basis)

How to apply: By phone between May 23(Mon) and June 6(Mon), 9:00-17:00
(except for May 29 and June 5)

* **Interview counseling:** Please make a reservation by phone. (☎ 055-951-3440)

When: weekday, 9:00 ~ 17:00

Where: Consultation Center of Youth Education



* **Telephone counseling (*Yamabiko* Telephone Counseling)**

You can consult over the telephone. (☎ 055-951-7330)

Counseling staff provides you advice on your problems. *Please feel free to call us.

When: weekday, 10:00 ~ 19:00

Events

Enjoy Top-rated Performance at Cultural Center!

Applications and Inquiries: Cultural Center, ☎055-932-6111

Inquiries: Cultural Promotion Division, ☎055-934-4812

“West Side Story” by the Shiki Theater Company

When: Sep. 1 (Thu)

Open: 18:00 Start:18:30

Where: Cultural Center, Dai Hall

Admission: S-seat= 8,000 yen, A-seat= 6,000 yen,
B-seat= 3,000 yen

*Children younger than 3 are admitted free.

Tickets: Tickets are available at Ticket Booth in
Cultural Center or other ticket agencies after May 28 (Sat).



The 19th KOGA Melody Numazu Music Festival

When: Sep. 3(Sat) 13:30 ~ / Where: Cultural Center, Dai Hall

Admission fees: 1,000 yen (All seats are to be reserved.)

Free for junior high school aged and under (Each needs a ticket for a free seat.)

Ticket: June 3 (Fri) ~ at Ticket Corner in Cultural Center and other ticket agencies

<Recruitment of Contestants >

15 contestants are selected by a preliminary review.

Application fee: 1,000 yen for each song

How to apply: Fill out the application form available at Cultural Center or Cultural Promotion Division (City Hall 7F), and send it by mail or bring it directly to the Cultural Center. Please enclose Koga Masao's melody sung by the applicant, recorded on a cassette tape, MD or CD (the 1st and 2nd verses for each song), and also the application fee.

Application period: June 1(Wed) ~ July 15(Fri) (No later than July 15)

<Recruitment of Choir Members >

Participants: anyone (Children underage need parental consent.) / Capacity: about 100 persons

How to apply: Apply directly or by phone to Cultural Center by July 15(Fri).

Donations for Kumamoto Earthquake Victims

Applications & Inquiries: Social Welfare Division ☎055-934-4824

*Direct acceptance

Where: The detached office of City hall, Social Welfare Division, Welfare planning room

When: 8:30~17:15, weekdays

*By postal transfer to Yucho Bank (Japan Post Bank)

Bank account number: 00130-4-265072

Account's name: *Nisseki* (Japan Red cross) Heisei 28nen, Kumamoto Jishin Saigai Gienkin

*By transfer to bank account (There are some cases you need to pay transfer fee)

①Mitsui Sumitomo Bank, Suzuran branch, ordinary deposit account 2787530

②Mitsubishi Tokyo UFJ Bank, Yamabiko branch, ordinary deposit account 2105525

- ③Mizuho Bank, Kunugi branch, ordinary deposit account 0620308
④Higo Bank, Saburou branch, ordinary deposit account 591893
⑤Kumamoto Bank, Nissekidori branch, ordinary deposit account 3087071
①~③ Account name is “Nihon Sekijujisya”
④~⑤ Account name is “Nihon Sekijujisya Kumamotokenshibu Shibuchō Kabashima Ikuo”

“Numazu Citizen’s Big Bazar!”

~Supporting Event to rebuild after Kumamoto Earthquake~

Inquiries: Crisis Management Division ☎055-934-4758

When: May 21(Sat), 10:00~15:00

Where: Kira-Messe Numazu

Contents: Bazar, flea market, sales of products, acceptance of donation, presentation of disaster prevention measure

*Please look at the website about the details.

Recruitment

Numazu Official ‘Konkatsu (Marriage Hunting)’ Supporters “Enmusubi-tai” Member

Applications & Inquiries: Policy Planning Division ☎055-934-4704

Numazu city recruits volunteers to consult or mediate between men and women who want to get married. Personal activities as intermediary are main role. Also you will do marriage counseling through the city’s contact service.

Applicants: Meet all requirements below

- 1- person who is over 20 years old living in Numazu
- 2- person who can do marriage support activities as volunteer
- 3- person who isn’t professional matchmaker
- 4- person who isn’t a gangster

Numbers of recruitment: 5 people

How to select: screening of documents and interviewing

How to apply: bring or mail the application form and commitment form from HP with identity verification document (a copy of driver’s license, etc.).

Deadline: June 20(Mon)

*Please ask the details.

*Numazu city assists your marriage and accepts your marriage consulting. Numazu city mediates between you and “Enmusubi-tai”. Please feel free to ask us.

Time to consulting: 8:30~17:15 on weekdays

Works of Literature Arts Department at The City Art Festival

Applications and inquiries: Numazu Culture Association (13:00 to 16:30 on week days)

〒410-0887, 27 Higashi-miyaushiro-cho, ☎☎055-952-6597

Inquiries: Culture Promotion Division, ☎☎055-934-4812

Items: essay, poem, tanka, haiku, senryu (self-made and unpublished only)

Fee: 1,000yen per work

Applications: write zip code, address, name with furigana, age, telephone number, item on the application manuscript, then send or bring it with the fee(limited to straight-line postal order in case of mail).

Applications period: June 1(Wed) to July 31(Sun) (Applications should be postmarked on or before the due date.)

Participants in Experience Harvest of Potatoes

Inquiries & Applications: JA Nansun Kanaoka Seinen-bu, Hara-san, ☎055-921-4456,
FAX:055-921-4415

Inquiries: Agriculture and Forestry Division ☎ 055-934-4751

When: June 11(Sat), 9:30 – (It will be postponed to Jun. 12 in case of rain)

Gathering place: JA Nansun tea factory (Matsuzawa-cho),

Capacity: 70 groups (up to 4 people for one group)

Fee: 1,000 yen for one group (you can take some potatoes home)

Things to bring: cotton work gloves, a plastic bag, shoes for working

How to apply: By fax or telephone

Special Exhibition “Serizawa Kojiro and his Novels for Girls”

In commemoration of the one-hundred-twentieth year since his birth, we introduce his works for children, with focus on those for girls, written before and after WW II.

When: June 15 (Wed) – Oct.30 (Sun), 9:00 – 16:30 (You must enter by 16:00)

Where: Serizawa Kojiro Memorial Museum

Admission fee: 100 yen for adults, 50 yen for elementary and junior high school students
(free for elementary and junior high school students living in Numazu)

Closed day: Mondays, the following days of holidays

The 53rd Yohosai Festival

Inquiries: Numazu High School, ☎☐055-921-0805

When: Cultural Festival = May 29 (Sun), 10:00 –14:00/Sports Meet = May 30 (Mon), 8:40 –15:20

Where: Numazu High School Junior High School*Please come to the place directly.

Lecture by Iwasaki Kyoko in Commemoration of the 70th Anniversary of Athletic Association “Get Your Happiness by Yourself”

Inquiries: NPO Numazu Athletic Association ☎ 055-922-7201

Sports Promotion Division(City Gymnasium) ☎ 055-922-7200

When: June 4 (Sat), 14:00 – 15:30 / When: Cultural Center, Main Hall

Capacity: About 500 people *Please come to the place on the day.

Numazu Sho Gekijo “Wahha” The 37th Machinaka Yose (vaudeville)

Inquiries: NPO Machizukuri Center Numazu ☎ 090-8180-7104

Commerce and Industry Promotion Division ☎ 055-934-4748

One-man show by Sanyu-tei Hakucho will be held

When: June 12(Sun), 14:00 - / Where: Oote-machi Kaikan

Admission fee: 2,000 yen (2,200 yen for a ticket on the day, pre-school children can't enter)

Places to get a ticket: Marusan Shoten Bookshop (Nakamise Honten), Oote-machi Kaikan, the Chamber of Commerce and Industry

Charity concert and lecture “Habatako Kodomo no Mura Tohoku”

Applications & Inquiries:

”Habatako Kodomo no Mura Tohoku” Planning Committee Yokoyama-san ☎ 090-9898-8961

Inquiries: Cultural Promotion Division ☎ 055-934-4812

Charity concert of Haruko Harada, a pianist, and lecture will be held to support Tohoku earthquake orphans.

When: May 28 (Sat) 18:30 / Where: Civic Cultural Center, small Hall

Fee: 2,500yen

Places to get a ticket: Tanzawa Gakki musical instrument shop, Marusan Shoten Book shop (Nakamise Honten),

Kiseisen Shogi Match, Habu Yoshiharu vs Takuya Nagase, and Events

applications & Inquiries: Numazu Bokusui Kai ☎ 055-962-0424

Inquiries: Cultural Promotion Division ☎ 055-934-4812

On July 2 (Sat), the third game of the big shogi (Japanese Chess) title match, *Kiseisen*, one of the biggest titles in Japan will be held at Numazu Club, Senbon Gorin. Other events will also be held before and just on the day.

The concerned events at Wakayama Bokusui Memorial Hall

	when	contents	Fee
1	June 26(Sun) 10:00~	Junior shogi matches by three categories: lower elementary school, upper elementary school grader, junior high)	free
2		Senior shogi (over 59years old) matches	free
3	July 2 (Sat) 10:00~	Shogi matches with professional advice	2000 yen
4	July 2 (Sat) 14:00~	Watch the <i>Kiseisen</i> game by the big screen with professional comments	2000yen

How to apply: by June 15 (Wed), by phone or Fax

* Eve Party: July 1 (Fri) 18:00 at Numazu Riverside Hotel *Ask for the details

Art Health Care Festival

Applications & Inquiries:

NPO Attentive Hearing Volunteer Network, Eastern Shizuoka ☎ 080-4440-7545

Inquiries: Health Promotion Division ☎ 055-951-3480

Where: Sunwell Numazu

Date and Contents: May 29(Sun)

10:00-11:30 keynote lecture (audience capacity 70)

11:20-14:00 Health check, Enjoy tea & children's flower art

Fee: 500yen How to apply: by phone

Classes, Lectures

Grass Cutter Handling Class

Applications and inquiries: Koekishadanhojin Numazu City Silver Human Resource Center ☎ 055-964-1153

Inquiries: Longevity and Welfare Division, ☎ 055-934-4834

When: from 9:00 to 16:00 on June 14(Tue),

Where: Aqua Plaza (Hara)

Applicants: people who want to acquire the technology, at the age of 60 years and older and living in Numazu

Capacity: 20 people(first come first served basis)

Fee: 2,571yen for text

How to apply: by phone from 9:00 on May 30(Mon)



Flower Arrangement and Tea Ceremony Classes for Children

Applications and inquiries: Ikenobo Seiryukai, ☎&FAX: 055-962-7233

Inquiries: Cultural Promotion Division, ☎ 055-934-4812

When: ①Flower arrangement=once a month starting from June 4(Sat) to Mar. 2017

②Tea ceremony=once a month starting from June 18(Sat) to Mar. 2017

Both classes start from 10:00 to 12:00.

Where: Midori Gakuen (Sannodai)

Applicants: primary and junior high school students

Capacity: 20 people each time

Materials: ①1,000yen per lesson (1,500yen in Dec.) ②500yen per lesson

How to apply: by phone or Fax

*you can apply for each lesson. Please contact us about the details.

Information from City Hall

Light Moter Vehicle Tax is due on June 6(Mon)

Inquiries: Tax Collection Division, ☎ 055-934-4732

Do not forget to pay it by the due date. The office is open on a holiday. Please take advantage of it.

When: from 9:00 to 15:00 on May 22(Sun)

Where: Tax Collection Division, 2nd floor, The City Hall

Payment Consultation of National Insurance Premium on a Holiday

Inquiries: National Health Insurance, ☎ 055-934-4727

When: from 9:00 to 15:00 on May 22(Sun)

Where: National Health Insurance Division, 1st floor, The City Hall

Have You Already Paid National Health Insurance Premium of the Previous Years?

Inquiries: National Health Insurance Division, ☎ 055-934-4725

You are requested to pay it early if you had not paid it yet. If there is a non-payment, the following cases might happen. 1. The expiration date of the insurance card is shortened. 2. You tentatively pay all medical expenses. 3. You might not receive the medical expense subsidies of general checkup and medical checkup of brain.

The Notice of Generic Drugs will be Sent.

Inquiries: National Health Insurance Division, ☎ 055-934-4725

Postcard notices are sent at the end of June to the people who are the national health insurance member and whose drug charge is cheaper if they change their drug to generic one. Please consider it after your consultation with doctors and pharmacists on this occasion.

Applicants: people who meet conditions such as age, applicable drugs, expenses and prescription period.

Consultation of Water Fee Payment at Night

Inquiries: Water and Sewage Service Division, ☎ 055-934-4853

When: from 17:15 to 20:00 on June 7(Tue) & 21(Tue)

Where: Water and Sewage Service Division, 1st floor, Water Service Department Building

Water Week from June 1(Wed) to 7(Tue)

Inquiries: Water and Sewage Service General Affairs Division, ☎ 055-934-4862

Jaguchikara Anshintodoke Miraimade(Safety From Faucet Reaches to Future)

Water is indispensable to our life. The city provides safe and secure water. Reconfirm the good taste of Numazu water at this opportunity. Izumi water source is open to the public and events are held during the week.

When: 10:00 to 15:00 on June 5(Sun)

Where: Izumi water source (Yahata, Shimizu-cho)

Contents: visiting the facilities, free service of tea, a quiz corner, etc.

Please Cooperate with the Exchange of Water Meters

Inquiries: Water and Sewage Service Division, ☎ 055-934-4853

The contractors the city entrusted will visit you to replace the meter that the expiration date is approaching. A post card will be sent to you whose meter corresponds to it.

When	Area
May 23(Mon) to June 12(Sun)	Ekinan, Senbon and Kanuki
June 22(Wed) to July 11(Mon)	Ekihoku, and Ohka
July 22(Fri) to Aug. 11(Hol)	Ganyudo and Shizuura
Aug. 23(Tue) to Sep. 11(Sun)	Katahama and Hara(except Hara-danchi)
Sep.23(Fri) to Oct. 12(Wed)	Ukishima, Hara-danchi, Ashitaka, Ohhira, Uchiura, Nishiura and Heda
Oct. 21(Fri) to Nov. 13(Sun)	Kanaoka and Ashitaka

June 1 (Wed) is the Human Rights Commissioners' Day

Applications and Inquiries: Public Relations Division, ☎ 055-934-4701

Human Rights Commissioners set up free human rights consultation booth.

When: June 1 (Wed), 10:00 ~ 15:00

Where: Citizens' Consultation Center (in City Hall 2F), Heda Chiku Center Conference Room 3 (in Kurura Heda)

Contents: Consultation about human rights such as unjust discrimination, bullying at school or work place, problems between neighbors, invasion of privacy, etc.

※Advance reservations are recommended.

Subsidy for Energy-Saving Measure

Applications and Inquiries: Environment Policy Division, ☎ 055-934-4741

Numazu City subsidizes the expenses required for energy-saving measures such as installation of new energy equipment (solar power generating system, etc.) and energy-saving equipment (lithium-ion battery, etc.), renovation for energy-saving (residential insulation, etc.)

※Application before the start of construction is required. Please visit City website for details.

Foster Family for Doggy and Kitty

Inquiries: Environment Policy Division, ☎ 055-934-4741

This is the message board for people who want to hand over their pets (dogs or cats) and people who want to have a pet (dog or cat).

If you want to hand over your pet, fill out the message form which is available at Environment Policy Division (City Hall 7F), and post it with the photo of your pet on the message board in the 1F Lobby. And if you want to have a pet, contact and negotiate directly with the person who posts the form. The form will be posted for a month.

※Do not use the board for a profit.

Information about the 46th Chrysanthemum Exhibition at Imperial Villa Park

Inquiries: Tourism and Exchange Division,

☎ 055-934-4747

Category: Sanpachi-gumi (Atsumono, Kudamono), etc.

When: Nov. 3 (Holiday) ~ 13 (Sun)

More information will be in the Sep. 15 issue of the Newsletter.



The Matsushiro Family Residence Open to the Public

Inquiries: Heda Shipbuilding & Local Data Museum, ☎ 0558-94-2384

The *Matsushiro* Family Residence (National Important Cultural Properties) is open to the public until August, but it will be temporarily withheld from public from September due to restoration construction.

When: the 1st and 3rd Sunday, 9:00 ~ 11:30 until Aug.

Where: the *Matsushiro* family residence (Heda)

Contents: observation with guidance by volunteer guide (about an hour)

※No reservation is required.

Observation of Municipal Numazu Special Support School

Applications and Inquiries: Municipal Numazu Special Support School, ☎ 055-966-0980

Inquiries: Handicapped Person's Welfare Division, ☎ 055-934-4830

When: June 15 (Wed), 9:20 ~ 11:30

Where: Municipal Numazu Special Support School (Otsuka)

Contents: explanation of learning at elementary school, class observation

Applicants: guardians of pre-school children, etc.

How to apply: by phone by June 8 (Wed)

Fire Fighting (Sunto-Izu Fire Fighting Union)

Hazardous Materials Safety Week

Inquiries: North Fire Station Fire Prevention Division, ☎ 055-920-9119

When: June 5 (Sun) ~ 11 (Sat)

Fire incidents when operating pumps at self-service gas stations and accidental explosions caused by the inappropriate disposal of spray cans have been on the increase recently.

We should handle these things with great care and always use them according to the instructions.

Free Events

Numazu Commercial High School OB Art Exhibition

Inquiries: Numazu Commercial High School OB Art Exhibition Committee, Sugiyama-san,
☎ 055-931-5397

When: June 2 (Thu) ~ June 8 (Wed) 10:00 ~ 17:00, June 2 (13:00 ~), June 8 (~ 15:00)

Where: Shizuoka Bank Gallery “Shiki” (Otemachi)

Exercise Experience in Care Prevention Training Machine

Inquiries: Conditioning Gym “Astre”, Takigawa-san, ☎ 055-969-0055

When: May 28 (Sat) and 29 (Sun), 10:00 ~ 17:00

Where: Conditioning Gym “Astre” (Hara) ※No reservation is required.

Magic Presentation

Inquiries: Numazu Magic Kenkyukai, Ito-san, ☎ 090-1742-8293

When: May 29 (Sun), 13:00 ~ 15:30 / Where: Cultural Center Small Hall

※No reservation is required.

Counseling and Support for Truant Students

Applications and Inquiries: Japan Aviation High School Numazu, ☎ 055-923-8644, FAX
055-929-9082

When: June 18 (Sat), 10:00 ~ 12:00

Where: Japan Aviation High School Numazu (Takashima-cho)

Contents: Individual consultation about truancy and changing schools

Applicants: Junior high and high school students and their guardians

Capacity: 10 students (first-come-first-served basis)

How to apply: by phone or by FAX from May 22 (Sun), 9:00

Health Mah-Jong for Women

Applications and Inquiries: Iwamoto-san, ☎ 080-3280-1291

When: 1day between 15th and 20th a month, 13:30 ~16:30

Where: Pay Nursing Home “Elysion Numazu” (Shinjuku-cho)

How to apply: by phone

Information from Health Center

Applications & inquiries: Health Promotion Division (Health Center) ☎055-951-3480

We'll Give Aid for You to Quit Smoking

May 31 (Tue) is “World No Tobacco Day”. May 31(Tue)~June 6(Mon) is “No Smoking Week”.
There is a consultation and a level check of carbon monoxide in the blood.

When: May 31(Tue)~June 6(Mon) (except for Saturdays and Sundays) 9:00~16:15 (30min. per person)

Where: Health Center

How to apply: by phone (Reservation is required)

Mouth Care Event “Let’s Go Happy Week!”

June 4(Sat)~10(Fri) is a “Dental and Oral Care Week”.

When: June 5(Sun) 9:30~12:00 (Reception Close at 11:30)

Where: San-Well Numazu

Contents: ① dental check-up, dental health consultation, tooth brushing instruction, topical fluoride application, etc.

② award ceremony for 8020 achievers (They will be noticed in advance)

Dental hygiene posters drawn by elementary and junior high school students will be displayed at the gallery (1F) from June 5(Sun) to 11(Sat).

Inquiries: Numazu Dental Association ☎055-963-0425



Specific Medical Checkup and Health Screening for Cancer are offered between June 13(Mon) and Oct.31(Mon)

Numazu Medical Checkup Ticket will be sent to citizens at the beginning of June. If you haven't received the ticket by that time but want to take the checkup, please call Health Center. As there will be a lot of applicants in the latter month, it is advisable to take a checkup as early as you can. The details will be informed in “Medical Checkup Information 2016”, which is delivered with Numazu Newsletter (*Koho Numazu*) June 1 issue, or please see our homepage.

A free checkup coupon for cervical cancer and breast cancer

We recommend you to take a regular checkup. In early June, we'll send a free coupon to women who meet the ages below.

Cervical cancer (cervical part only)

Age	Date of birth
21	Apr.2, 1995 ~ Apr.1, 1996

Breast cancer (mammography)

Age	Date of birth
41	Apr.2, 1975 ~ Apr.1, 1976

Health Checkup Booth at Health Center

People can take a medical checkup including bone density, body organism (visceral fat level, fat level of each body part, muscle mass etc.). Also, carbon monoxide concentration checkups are available for smokers.

When: 9:00 ~ 16:15 (weekdays)

Checkup items: ① Bone density (for people who haven't checked it for 1 year)

② Body Organism (for people who haven't had a pacemaker and haven't checked it for 3 months)

③ Carbon monoxide concentration check (for smokers)

Available for: people (20 years old or older) living in Numazu

What to bring: your personal health record booklet (if you have it)

How to apply: by phone (the previous reservation is necessary.)

“Bi Aging Café (Beauty Aging Café)” collaborated with MAX VALUE TOKAI

We'll hold a lecture about aging care or nutritious diet. Why don't you learn about food, health and beauty?

When: June 30 (Thu), 10:00 – 12:00 / Where: Kitchen at Dai-go Chiku Center

Applicants: people (age 30 – 64) living in Numazu

Capacity: 20 people (the first 20 people) / Admission: 300 yen (for food, insurance)

How to apply: by phone after 8:30, May 25 (Wed)



Go! Go! Azul Claro Numazu!

◆ Azul Claro Numazu, aspiring to moving up to J-League Division 3, has finished up half of the games in the first stage, keeping close to the top. In order for the team to move up to J-3, not only the final ranking is important but also the average number of spectators in home games needs to reach more than 2,000 people. So far, the average number of spectator in the home games of Azul Claro is about 1,500. Let's visit a home game and support Azul Claro Numazu!

Ranking (16 teams, 15 games, as of April 25)

Ranking	Team	Win	Draw	Lose	Points
1	FC Osaka	6	2	0	20
2	Ryukeidai Dragons Ryugasaki	6	1	1	19
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5	Azul Claro Numazu	5	1	2	16

Free Passport for Students “Azulport 2016”

We're issuing an “Azulport,” which enables students (elementary, junior and senior high school students) to watch home games in 2016 for free.

*Please ask us or check the website about how to get an “Azulport.”

Let's Visit Home games and Cheer for Azul Claro Numazu!

When	Opponents / Where
May 21 (Sat), 13:00 –	Sony Sendai FC (at Fuji)
May 29 (Sun), 13:00 –	Line Mail Aomori (at Fuji)



*Please ask us about the details of the tickets or places.



Inquiries: Azul Claro Suruga, ☎055-929-8811

Website: <http://www.azul-claro.jp/>

June



Let's Participate in Events in the Central Area of Numazu

~ Information Center for Events in *Machinaka* ~

☺*Nakamise Shopping Street*☺

June 11 (Sat) : Shodo Girls: Performance of Japanese Calligraphy on huge rectangles

The members of the calligraphy club in Numazu Nishi high school will give a calligraphy performance on huge rectangles.

▶Time:15:00 ▶ ☎055-963-2580 (Nakamise-Syoutengai)

☺*Nakamise Shopping Street*☺

June 24 (Fri) – July 7 (Thu): the Star Festival at Numazu Nakamise Shopping Street

The Nakamise Shopping Street will be decorated for the Star Festival.

▶ ☎055-963-2580 (Nakamise-Syoutengai)

☺*Around Numazu Station* ☺

June 26 (Sun) : the 2nd Curry Festa

You can enjoy the various curries different from each place.

▶ ☎055-963-2580 (Nakamise-Syoutengai)

☺*Chuo Koen Park*☺

June 3 (Fri) & 18 (Sat) : Kanogawa Monthly Marathon

Let's time your 5 km or 10 km race!

▶Time: 19:00 ~(on June 3), 10:00~(on June 18) ▶ ☎055-952-3222 (N-Ste)

☺*Chuo Koen Park*☺

June 26 (Sun) : Numazu Rogaining

Participants will follow the map and visit some checkpoints including cafés and restaurants.

▶Time: 10:00 – ▶ ☎055-952-3222 (N-Ste)

☺*Kanogawa Kazeno Terrace*☺

As-needed basis : Kanogawa Kayak & BBQ by the river

Why don't you enjoy BBQ with your friends and family on the river bank or kayak and enjoy different views of Numazu from the river?

▶ ☎055-951-3810 (Lot.n)