

# EVENT

## Ose Festival

The festival of fishermen on fishing boats, praying for good catches and good marine products every year, is very famous for women's costume disguised by fishermen.



## Kaijin Sai (Fishermen Festival) and Suisan Matsuri (Sea Foods Festival)

At the main site of the fish market, you can buy fresh and cheap fish and also experience actual boating on fishing boats.



## Carp Festival

The range of carp flags in the air along the river space for boy's healthy growth and happiness.

## Numazu Tanabata Festival

The day July 7th is the only day in a year when the celestial couple, once separated, can meet together over the milky way. We call in Japan "Tanabata" that will bestow happiness by writing our desire or dream on a piece of paper to be hung on bamboo.

## Heda Port Festival

Salt festival with the prayers baptized by salt and Kuroshio drums. They play the drums vividly and vigorously. And also a big fireworks over the sea and other events occur one after another.

## Kanogawa Fireworks at Numazu Summer Festival

This festival has been famous for its splendid fireworks for the past 50 years. In the day time, there is a parade of decorated wagons, Mikoshi and summer-dancing and the Kanogawa fireworks in the center area of Numazu city which is rare to find in other cities.



## Summer Garden of the Numazu City

A music, concert is held and many beer-gardens are open along the stairs of the river bank.

## Sunset Pageant

Summer in Numazu is closed with this brilliant, 1,000 shot fireworks done by a boat floating off shore of Senbon pine beach.

## Night light over an old imperial villa

The villa is illuminated and an Asian Music concert is also held.

## Japan Art Festival in Numazu

Bamboo installation takes place in the garden of the villa. At the same time, the Japanese ancient dancing takes place.

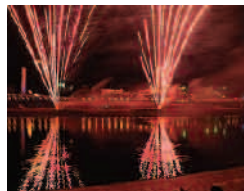
# CALENDAR

## Exhibition of chrysanthemums

A big chrysanthemums contest is celebrated by people who are fond of chrysanthemum.

## Tokaido Road with Yosakoi (a folk song)

The festival of Yosakoi folk song, familiar to every one all over Japan, takes place in Numazu and dancers come from all over Japan. Both of them make an exciting atmosphere.



## Winter stage

Special fireworks take place even in winter along the banks of the Kano River with the theme of "Collaboration of music and light".

# SPECIAL PRODUCTS

## Dried Fish



These fish represent Numazu City, and which share large market in Japan and are highly valued.

## Ashitaka Beef



Cattle raised with clean water at the foot of Ashitaka Mountain provide delicious beef.

## Heda Salt



The salt made here is produced in the way similar to the old methods burnt with the fireworks, and abundant in minerals.

## Yabukita Tea



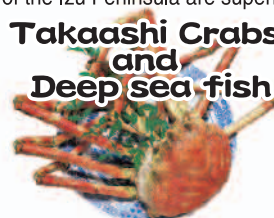
Even in Shizuoka Prefecture, the tea leaves are of good quality, so have been twice presented to the Emperor.

## Nishiura Mikan (Tangerines of Nishiura)



The products from the warm region of the Izu Peninsula are superior.

## Takaashi Crabs and Deep sea fish



Suruga Bay is one of the deepest sea in Japan. The biggest crabs called Takaashi-Gani, dwell in the bay. You can see unique sea products and taste them in Heda Area.