

Gotemba Newsletter

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Information from Numazu Tax Office

❖ Consulting Place is at Kiramesse Numazu.(Inside Plaza Verde)

- **Place:** Kiramesse Numazu 2nd floor, Citizen gallery
(Inside Plaza Verde, 1-1-4 Otemachi, Numazu city)
- **Consultations Period:** Starting from Monday, February 18th through Friday, March 15th except Saturdays and Sundays.
- **Time:** From 9:00 am to 5:00 pm (Reception will be closed at 4:00pm)

◆ We give pensioners guidance on the application foams.

- **Consultations Period:** Starting from Thursday, February 14th through Friday, February 15th except Saturdays and Sundays.
- **Time:** From 9:00 am to 5:00 pm (Reception will be closed at 4:00pm)

*Depending on the congestion situation, consultation may finish guidance early.

*During this period we don't give any instruction how to filling out tax return application.

*If you have already filled your tax report, please mail it to the taxation office.

❖ Inquiries regarding of year-end tax report by phone, please contact Numazu Tax office (Numazu Zeimusho) at 055(922)1560.

According to operator's guidance, press "0".

*This support guidance will be available by Frisday, March 15th, 2019.



★ The Gotemba Newsletter can be viewed on the GIA Internet site:

<http://city.gotemba.shizuoka.jp/cgi-bin/gia/infombbs/magbbs.cgi>

★ Copies of this Newsletter are available at the City Hall, the City Branch Offices, Library, Health Care Center and GIA.

1. Let's Consider Purchasing a Sunto Area Mutual Aid Traffic Accident Insurance Plan for the Entire Family.

This insurance plan compensates Gotemba, Susono, Oyama, Nagaizumi and Shimizu residents. It is a mutual aid system for anyone unfortunately involved in a traffic accident. Please enroll in a mutual aid insurance plan with your family!

- **Eligibility:** Gotemba registered residents
- **Coverage period:** From April 1st, 2019 to March 31st, 2020.
※In the case you move out from Gotemba during this period, you are still eligible to be a member.
- **Fee:** The premium is 500 yen (1 year) per person. You can join up to 2 shares.
※Later on the April 1st enrollment will be still same fee.
- **Application submit period:** By March 31st, 2020.
※You can apply after April 1st on an as needed basis, but coverage start the day after the premium is paid. (Coverage period is March 31st.)
- **How to enroll:**
Please submit a completed application with a premium to your community association leader. You can also submit your application to financial institutions within the city (excluding post offices).
- **How to receive:**
To receive compensation, please submit the necessary documentation such as, to the Kurashino Anzen-ka. Claims must be made within two years following the day of the accident.
 - Designated consolation payment claim form by Sunto area mutual aid traffic accident insurance plan.
 - Traffic accident certificate (Copy is available.)
 - Certificate of treatment which specifies injury date, reason and name of illness, visitation date.
- **Sympathy amount of money will be reviewed from this year!!**
 - Grade 4 to 9 sympathy money increased.
 - Hospitalized sympathy money increased.
- * **Consolation payment for Orphans**
Children up to junior high age left as orphans due to accidents are eligible for a consolation payment of 300,000 yen per person.
- * To receive compensation, please submit the traffic accident certificate issued by the Japanese safe driving center. If you don't have it, you will only receive half compensation. In this case you need proof from a third party.
- * 5,000 yen will be paid as a fee of documentation if the original medical certificate is submitted.

For more information please contact Kurashino Anzen-ka at (82)4123.

2. You Can Get a Copy of Your Resident's Card and Seal Registration Certificate at Convenience Stores

❖MY number System (Social Security and Tax Number system)

In order to report your income tax, special corporation tax, reconstruction tax, and or local consumption tax, you must fill out your form with your "My number", and either attach a copy of your photo ID or present your photo ID to the taxation office. (Sending by e-tax doesn't require any ID)

Inquiries: Shimin-ka (Citizen division, for MY number) at (82)4195.

- Issuance fees: 300 yen per certificate.
- Available store: Any seven-eleven, family mart and Lawson which has multi-copy machine in Japan.
- Available Hour: From 6:30am to 11:00pm.

*Except from December 29th to January 3rd, due to system maintenance.

3. Memorial Gift Distribution for Absentees from the Coming of Age ceremony 2019

Memorial gifts will be distributed to those who were absent from the coming-of-age ceremony held at the civic center. This gift is a special feature of collected newspaper articles from the past 20 years starting from the year they were born.

Distribution Period: Starting from January 21st to February 28th (excluding weekend and holiday)

Distribution Place: City Hall at Shakai-Kyoiku-Ka or any branch office

Object: For absentees' or a substitute for an absentee born between April 2nd, 1998 and April 1st, 1999 that could not attend the coming-of-age ceremony.

※It is possible to be received by a third party if you can't come for this.

Inquiries: Shakai-Kyoiku-ka at (82)0339.

4. Gotemba Citizen's Art Festival –Children Exhibition

Date& Time: From February 7th (Thu.) to 14th (Thu.), from 9am to 5pm (Last day is closed at 4pm.)

Place: Citizen's hall, small hall and exhibition hall.

Content: Display for pictures, craft and calligraphy of nursery school/ kindergartener and students in city.

Admission fee: Free.

Inquiries: Gotemba citizen's art festival executive committee secretariat, Shakai kyoiku-ka at (82)4319.

5. Before You Get Rid of Small Appliances

Recently there are fire incident reports caused by portable rechargeable batteries. Please make sure to take out batteries before you dispose any electronics.

Batteries can be brought to collection bins at participating stores.

- ①. Coin batteries (Mercury containing type)
 - Silver oxide batteries (used for watches, and etc.)
 - Zinc air batteries (used for hearing aids, and etc.)
 - Alkaline batteries (used for games, and etc.)

Participating stores: *Edion: (81)0500 *Jumbo Encho: (81)2111 *Megane Ichiba: (83)7711

- ②. Portable rechargeable batteries (There is a risk of smoke or fire caused by impact.)
 - Nickel-cadmium batteries (used for electric power tools, cordless telephones, and etc.)
 - Nickel-metal hydride batteries (used in digital cameras, electric assist bicycles, and etc.)
 - Lithium-ion batteries (used for digital cameras, laptop PCs, and etc.)

Participating stores:*K's denki: (70)0920 *Edion: (81)0500 *Susono TV: (83)2047

Inquiry: Recycling promotion division at (88)0530.

6. ECOHOUSE INFORMATION / Inquiries: (88)3337

* FREE ITEMS : Ski and Skipole, Kendo armour, Electronic piano, Minami high school uniform, Single bed, Electronic keyboard.

(NAGOTIABLE ITEMS):Shoes closet (with 90cm), Japanese chest, Girl's uniform for Fugaku nursery school.

* DONATIONS NEEDED :Kid's chair for dining table.

(NEGOTIABLE ITEMS) :Adult tricycle, Minami Elementary school uniform (size: 140cm to 160cm)

※Fax and Telephone answering machine services are not available

7. City Library News in February / Inquiries: (82)0391

○Hours of Operation: 9:00 am - 9:00 pm

○Closure Date: 18th (Mon), *3rd Monday

○Book Start:6th (Wed) & 20th (Wed)

*First-time reading for mothers with 6 month-old Infants at the Hoken Center (Health Care Center).

○OHANASHI HIROBA: Every Saturday from 2:30 pm (Picture-book reading by volunteers)

○OYAKO OHANASHI-NO-KAI: 13rd (Wed) and 27th (Wed) from 10:30 am (Picture-book reading by librarians)

○Recycled Book Day: 17th (Sun) from 9:00 am *Get free books!

THE LIONS Mobile Library Schedule (In case of rain, it will be cancelled)

DATE	TIME AND LOCATION				
	10:00 ~ 10:45	11:00 ~ 11:45	13:15 ~ 14:00	14:15 ~ 15:00	15:15 ~ 16:00
TUE 5 th & 19 th	TAKANE GAKUEN	TAKANE DAIICHI HOIKUEN	NAKABATA MINAMI KOMINKAN	NAKABATA NISHIKU SANNOGUMI	TAMAHO DAINI DANCHI
WED 6 th & 20 th	NIIHASHI HORIMAE HAITSUMAE	DAIICHI GREEN TOWN	MACHIYAKU IKENODAIRA	KOYAMA NINTEI KODOMOEN	KOYAMA SHOGAKKO
THU 7 th & 21 st	SUGINAZAWA KOMINKAN	MORINOKOSHI YOCHIEN	KAYANOKI-KU BOUSAI HIROBA	NAGAHARA DANCHI	HIGASHITANAKA-KU CHUO KOMINKAN
FRI 8 th & 22 nd	TAMAHO YOCHIEN	TAMAHO DAIICHI HOIKUEN	GOTEMBA DANCHI	HIGASHI HOIKUEN	TAKANE SHOGAKKO
TUE 12 th & 26 th	TAKANE DAINI HOIKUEN	HARASATO NISHI YOCHIEN	KAMIKOBAYASHI BUNKO	NAKABATA KABURAGIDAI DANCHI	TAMAHO DAIYON DANCHI
WED 13 th & 27 th	INNO KODOMOEN	TOKINOSU COMISEN	NAGAHARA KOMINKAN	OSAKA-KU COMISEN	KOYAMA-KU KOMINKAN
THU 14 th & 28 th	OSAWA ICHIKUMI	NAGATSUKA NANAKUMI	HARASATO YOCHIEN	FUTABA HOIKUEN	KITABATA DAINI KOMINKAN
FRI 15 th	HARASATO DAINI HOIKUEN	KAMADO YOCHIEN	KOYAMA YOCHIEN	FUJIOKA YOCHIEN	FUJIMI HARAKU SHUKAIJO

8. February's Calendar of Events

DATE	EVENTS/TIME	LOCATION	DATE	EVENTS/TIME	LOCATION
1 (FRI)	Health Consultation for Toddlers 2 years old (9:30 am)	Health Care Center	17 (SUN)	Recycled Book Day (9:00 am)	Library
	Legal Counseling (1:00 pm) (Need appointment)	City Hall	18 (MON)	Library Closure Day	
2 (SAT)				File Income Tax Return & Residence Tax (by Mar 15th)	Kiramesse Numazu
3 (SUN)			19 (TUE)	Seminar For Babies (1:00 pm)	Health Care Center
4 (MON)	Health Consultation for Babies and Children (9:15 am)	Health Care Center	20 (WED)	Health Checkup for Babies 6 months old (1:15 pm)	Health Care Center
	Vaccination Shots (BCG) (1:30 pm)		21 (THU)	Vaccination Shots (BCG) (1:30 pm)	Health Care Center
5 (TUE)	Seminar For Babies (1:00 pm)	Health Care Center	23 (SAT)		
6 (WED)	Checkup for Babies 6 months old (1:15 pm)	Health Care Center	24 (SUN)		
7 (THU)	Gotemba Citizen's art festival		25 (MON)		
8 (FRI)			26 (TUE)	Health Checkup for Infants 18 months old (1:15 pm)	Health Care Center
9 (SAT)			27 (WED)	OYAKO OHANASHI NO KAI (10:30 am)	Library
10 (SUN)				Medical Checkup for Toddlers 3 years old (1:15 pm)	Health Care Center
11 (MON)			28 (THU)	Mental Health Consultation (10:00 am) (Need appointment)	City Hall
12 (TUE)	Health Checkup for Infants 18 months old (1:15 pm)	Health Care Center	<p>The tax payment and rate of February [February 28th (Thu.) is a due date of payment.]</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ●4th Property tax and Urban Planning tax ●8th National Health Insurance tax ●7th Old Citizen Medical Care Premium <p>～ You can use convenient fund transfer system to pay before due date. ～</p>		
13 (WED)	OYAKO OHANASHI NO KAI (10:30 am)	Library			
14 (THU)	Medical Checkup for Toddlers 3 years old (1:15 pm)	Health Care Center			
	Mental Health Consultation (10:00 am) (Need appointment)	City Hall			
15 (FRI)	Workshop for Pregnant Women (9:15 am) (Need appointment)	Health Care Center			
	Legal Counseling (10:00 am) (Need appointment)	City Hall			
16 (SAT)					

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