

Kakamigahara English News

Jack O' Lantern Carving

This year will be the second annual pumpkin carving group class. Each participating pair (child and parent or parents) will receive a pumpkin and some tips on how to carve it safely. During the two hours everyone will design and carve their own jack o' lanterns that they can take home for Halloween display.

The class will be on Saturday, October 29th from 10 AM~12 Noon. The cost of the event is 1,500 yen- families with additional children can this year request an additional pumpkin for an additional 1,500 yen. The event will also include an activity or two and a treat bag. Please contact the Kakamigahara International Association for any questions and when registering please include your name(s), address, age, telephone number, number of participants and if you want an additional pumpkin.

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The Kakamigahara International Association (KIA)

You can find us on the 6th floor of the Sangyou Bunka Center in the Brand Creation Division, our hours are 8:30 AM-5:15 PM.

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Website: www.kia1986.org

Please feel free to contact us if you have questions, comments, or for more information.

Children's Health Services For October:

Times for children health checks are from 13:00~13:30.

Please use the designated location for the area you live in. The areas are:

Sogo Fukushi Kaikan: For those living in the **Naka, Kawashima, Sohara, and Inaba Nishi Elementary School** areas.

Asahi Kodomokan: For those living in the **Unuma and Inaba Higashi Elementary** areas.

4 months

Date	Location	For Children Born
October 4 th (Tues)	Sogo Fukushi Kaikan	2016 May 1-15
October 5 th (Wed)	Sogo Fukushi Kaikan	2016 May16-31
October 6 th (Thurs)	Asahi Kodomokan	2016 May

Includes physical

11 months

Date	Location	For Children Born
October 24 th (Mon)	Sogo Fukushi Kaikan	November, 2015
October 25 th (Tues)	Asahi Kodomokan	November 2015

Physical and dental inspection

1 year 6 months (18 months)

Date	Location	For Children Born
October 11 th (Tues)	Sogo Fukushi Kaikan	2015 March 1-15
October 12 th (Wed)	Sogo Fukushi Kaikan	2015 March 16-31
October 13 th (Thurs)	Asahi Kodomokan	2015 March

Includes physical and dental check

3 years

Date	Location	For Children Born
October 18 th (Tues)	Sogo Fukushi Kaikan	2013 September 1~15
October 19 th (Wed)	Sogo Fukushi Kaikan	2013 September 16~30
October 21 st (Fri)	Asahi Kodomokan	2013 September

Includes physical, vision and hearing check, urine exam.

For more information contact the Kakamigahara Kenko Kanrikan TEL 058-383-1115

Blood Drives in October

October 21 (Fri)

Apita Kakamigahara Store 9:30 AM ~12:00 Noon; 1:30 PM~ 4:00 PM

City Hall Holiday / After Hours and Services for September:

The Kakamigahara City Hall will have the following irregular hours for the following services in July. Please use the basement entrance located on the North Side of the Main building.

City Tax:

Holiday hours: September 10th (Sat) 10 AM~5 PM

TEL: 058-383-4773

Evening Consultations:

September 8th (Thurs), 9th (Fri), 12th (Mon) 5:15 PM~8 PM (First floor of City Hall,

Tax Division)

National Health Insurance Premiums:

Holiday hours: September 10th (Sat), 1 PM~5 PM

Evening hours: September 8th (Thurs), 9th (Fri), 12th ~ 14th 5:15 PM~8 PM

TEL: 058-383-1112

Spanish Cooking Class

Join us September 7th, Wednesday at the Sangyou Bunka Center 4th F cooking room for our next international cooking soiree. This time the theme is Spain, and we will make several traditional Spanish dishes for you to enjoy at the class and make at home! Register now, space is limited to 24 persons. It should be a great time as usual for everyone! The time is from 10 AM~2PM on September 7th! Call in or e-mail your name, phone number, address to the KIA office today! Cost is 1500 yen for non-KIA members and 1000 yen for KIA members.

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Meiji Mura Summer Discount

From July 1st~September 4th

Prices in Yen: 18 up 1500 (reg. 1700), over 65/University student 1100 (1300), High School 800 (1000), Elementary/Middle School 500 (600)

Note: You need to show your Kakamigahara City ID or other proof of residence

For more info call 0568-67-0314

September Festivals:

Kasekiko Festival (Sep. 10th Sat), Kasekiko Park, Kawashima Kouda Machi

Nakasendo Unuma Autumn Festival (Sep. 18th Sun) Around Nakasendōnumajuku. Unuma Nishi Machi

Get Your Kotogakkousotsugyouteidoninteishikken On!

They will be accepting applications beginning in September for the test to receive certification that you have an education equivalency to a high school diploma if you did not go to or complete high school education. The testing will be done November 5th and 6th at a location to be announced when your application is processed. Please call 03-525-3411 for more information.

English Book Readings

In addition to the usual book reading the third Friday of each month at the Chuo Library, there will be a special readings on October 2nd (Sun) from 11:00-11:30 at the re-opening of the Chuo Life Design Center (a day long- event) and a special Halloween-themed book reading will be held at the Kawashima Library on October 28th (Fri). For more information please feel free to call the Kakamigahara International Association at TEL 058-383-1426

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Kakamigahara Citizen's Pool Cleaning Announcement

In order to continue to provide a safe environment for citizens, the Citizen's pool (including the training gym) will be closed for cleaning September 5th~10th.

Also the pool has amassed a huge collection of forgotten items such as parasols, swimming suits, and inflatable rings, and so on. If you have lost or forgotten anything in the past 3 months at the pool please inquire, and please do not simply abandon items that may no longer be of use.

For more information please call the Citizen's Pool at TEL 058-370-6506

Gifu Football Club Hometown Day

There will be a free shuttle bus service from Kakamigahara City Hall to the stadium in Gifu City for the October 2nd (Sat) game for up to 40 people. Those interested should send their name, in furigana also, age, sex, and contact information (mobile phone number) by e-mail or post card to: tourism@city.kakamigahara.gifu.jp or 504-8555 那加桜町 1-69 ブランド創造課、please be sure to mark it 「FC 岐阜 無料バス係」 to be considered for the free bus service chance.

If you have any questions feel free to call 058-383-9925