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Workshop on Understanding Different Cultures

This is a workshop that gives you a chance to learn about how your food is different from people of different cultures. Members from the Japan International Cooperation Agency (JICA) will also have a booth and be talking about their experiences on the program.

When: September 1 (Sat), 10AM - 4PM

Where: Mukunoki Center Cooking Room, Classroom, Meeting Room

Capacity: First 40 people (Parents or guardians must accompany any children younger than fourth grade)

Participation Fee: 500 Yen (for lunch)

Application: Please apply through the application form on the Seika Global Network homepage by August 24 (Fri).

Contact: Seika Global Network

E-mail: seika-global-net-info@zeus.eonet.ne.jp

Website for Application: <http://seikaglobalnet.wixsite.com/japanese>

MY NUMBER WEEKEND RECEPTION

On the fourth Sunday of every month (this month is August 26) from 9AM-12PM and 1PM-4:45PM, there will be a weekend reception counter for My Number Card applications at the My Number Card special reception counter on the second floor of Seika Town Hall. This is only for those who have received the My Number notification card. A reservation is required and must be made when Seika Town Hall is open. NOTE: The schedule may change due to maintenance or other circumstances.

Contact: General Services Counter

TEL: 0774-95-1915

E-mail: madoguchi@town.seika.lg.jp

TAISHOGOTO CLASSROOM (2 CLASSES)

The Taishogoto, or Nagoya Harp, is a stringed instrument that gets its name from the Taisho Era (1912-1926) in Japan. There will be instru-

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ments available to play, but feel free to bring your own if you have one!

※This class will be held in a two-part series, but the second class date and time will be decided amongst the participants of the first class (details below).

When: August 25 (Sat), 10AM - 11AM

Where: Mukunoki Center, 3F Classroom

Capacity: 5 people

Application: Call the number below to apply.

Contact: Kindenryuu Taishogoto (Murakami Shoushu)

TEL: 090-8380-4805

SENDING THE LIGHT OF KEIHANNA TO THE NORTH STAR ~ 2018

This is an event that takes place around the Keihanna Plaza sundial, which shines a laser in the direction of the North Star. There will be fair activities for kids and food stands for all to enjoy.

When: August 10 (Fri), 5PM - 8:30PM (Cancelled if it is raining)

Where: Keihanna Plaza, Sundial Square

Contact: Keihanna Interaction Plaza Inc., Keihanna Sundial Laser Association Office

TEL: 0774-95-5111

ENGLISH GUIDE STUDY GROUP

When: September 10 (Mon), 10 AM to 12 PM

Where: Mukunoki Center Classroom, 3rd Floor

Details: This is an event that introduces Japanese culture, famous food/drink, and places in English. This month's theme is Japanese gardens. Foreign participants are welcome!

Cost: Free (Bring your own drink and snacks)

※No reservation required, just show up

Contact Info: Seika Global Network; Masatoshi Wakita TEL: 090-2191-9864

QUICK LIST

Hello and welcome to the Quick List! Each week we will present a short list of vocabulary that you can quickly put to use in daily life.

This Week's Theme: **Vacation**

Please send me feedback! Is this list at a good level? Too hard? Too easy? Also, if you have topic suggestions please tell me what you want to learn!

1. 祝日 — しゅくじつ — national holiday
2. 休暇 — きゅうか — day off (from work)
3. 三連休 — さんれんきゆう — three-day weekend
4. 観光客 — かんこうきやく — tourist
5. 旅立つ — たびだつ — to set off (on a trip)
6. 出発する — しゅつぱつする — to depart
7. 渋滞 — じゅうたい — traffic
8. 到着する — とうちゃくする — to arrive
9. 郷土料理 — きょうどりょうり — local cuisine
10. ぶらりと — aimlessly (i.e. walking)

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THIS MONTH'S EVENTS

Day	Time	Details	Place
Aug 26 (Sun)	10:00 - 12:00	A Tour of Seika Town's Cultural Artifacts Pt. 1	Mukunoki Center, Meeting Room 3 and 4
Sept 17 (Hol/Mon)	9:00 - 12:00	A Tour of Seika Town's Cultural Artifacts Pt. 2	Hosono Station East Exit Rotary

Mukunoki Center		
Day	Time	Details
8/8 (Wed)	15:00 - 17:00	Table Tennis Day
8/14 (Tues)	-	Closed
8/15 (Wed)	15:00 - 17:00	Table Tennis Day
8/22 (Wed)	-	Closed
8/26 (Sun)	9:00 - 12:00	Smile Sports Arena
8/29 (Wed)	15:00 - 17:00	Table Tennis Day
9/5 (Wed)	15:00 - 17:00	Table Tennis Day

Health Center		
Day	Time	Details
8/8 (Wed)	13:00 -	2 Yr-Old Dental Checkup
8/10 (Fri)	13:00 -	1.5 Yr-Old Health Checkup
8/28 (Tues)	13:00 -	9 ~ 10 Mo-Old Health Checkup
8/29 (Wed)	13:00 -	3 ~ 4 Mo-Old Health Checkup
9/4 (Tues)	13:00 -	3.5 Yr-Old Health Checkup

EVENTS

A Tour of Seika Town's Cultural Artifacts

※This event will be held in two parts, but it is not necessary that you attend the first part in order to attend the second part. This event is in Japanese ONLY.

①Pre-Tour Presentation

Details: Come learn about the artifacts of Hosono Jinja Shrine and Jounenji Temple.

When: August 26th (Sun), 10AM~12PM

Where: Mukunoki Center, Meeting Rooms 3 and 4

Capacity: 50 people

②Cultural Artifacts Tour

Details: We will go and see the artifacts of Hosono Jinja Shrine and Jounenji Temple.

When: September 17th (Mon), 9AM~12PM

Where: Meet at the Hosono Station East Exit Rotary by 9AM.

Capacity: 50 people

Cost: 300 Yen (Collected on the day of the tour. This includes insurance costs) + money for Seika Kururin Bus

※In the event of light rain, the tour will still be held unless a severe weather advisory is issued.

Contact: Seika Town Office, Lifelong Learning Division

TEL: 0774-95-1907

KEIHANNA MINI-CONCERT

In The Atrium Lobby

Date: ① August 8 (Wed)

② August 22 (Wed)

Time: 12:15 PM - 12:45 PM

Songs: ① Liszt, "Piano Sonata in B-minor, S. 178" (Piano)

② Yoshinao Nakata, "Selections from 'The Four Seasons of Japan'"; Prokofiev, "Piano Sonata No. 1 in F-minor, Op. 1" (Piano)

Contact: Keihanna Plaza

Puchi Concert Committee

(Commissioned to My Rhythm Music Office)

TEL: 0774-95-3361

WEBSITE: <https://www.keihanna-plaza.co.jp/event/concert/>

SŌRAKU EMERGENCY MEDICAL CLINIC SCHEDULE

SEIKA TOWN OFFICE
PLANNING AND
COORDINATION DIVISION

Kyoto-fu, Sōraku-gun, Seika-cho

Minami-Inayazuma, Kitajiri 70

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FAX: 0 7 7 4-9 5-3 9 7 1

EMAIL cir@town.seika.lg.jp

Date	Specialty	Date	Specialty
August 5th (Sun)	IM・PD	September 2nd (Sun)	IM
August 11th (Hol/Sat)	IM	September 9th (Sun)	IM
August 12th (Sun)	PD	September 16th (Sun)	IM・PD
August 19th (Sun)	IM・PD	September 17th (Hol/Mon)	IM
August 26th (Sun)	IM・PD	September 23rd (Sun)	IM・PD

Please call in advance to confirm.

QUESTIONS: Sōraku Emergency Medical Clinic (Sōraku Hall)

そうらくきゅうじつおうきゅうしんりょうじょ そうらくかいかんない

相楽休日応急診療所 (相楽会館内) TEL: 0774-73-9988

What to do if...

You have a question about something in Ichigo:

Call Gavyn Guigui, Coordinator for International Relations at the Seika Town Office. You may also call if you need an interpreter, as most of the events and classes in Ichigo will be in Japanese.

You have a problem with life in Japan:

If you have any questions or problems concerning life in Japan not related to an article in Ichigo, please contact Gavyn Guigui, Coordinator for International Relations at the Seika Town Office.

TEL : 0774-95-1900 FAX: 0774-95-3971 E-mail: cir@town.seika.lg.jp or kikaku@town.seika.lg.jp (Planning and Coordinating Division)

You have an issue with your visa or other questions:

The Kyōto City International Foundation (located at 2-1 Toriichō Awataguchi, Sakyō-ku, Kyōto-shi), offers advice and consultation on visa issues and general problems. **Visa consultations are available on the 1st and 3rd Saturdays of every month (appointment required). Consultations can be done in English, Chinese, Korean, and Spanish.** General counseling is available Tuesday to Sunday from 9:00 to 21:00.

TEL: 075-752-3511 Homepage: <http://www.kcif.or.jp/en>

ONLINE INFO

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Town Website



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Summer fatigue

Temperatures are already reaching 35 degrees Celsius in Kyoto Prefecture and these days will likely continue. As such, make sure to drink plenty of water and avoid long periods of time in the sun. Check out the Kyōto CIR blog: <http://tabunkakyoito.wordpress.com/>