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1. Medical Services on Weekends in November

Hours: 9:30a.m.- 2:00p.m., except noon-1:00p.m.(Hours are available for all locations.)

Sun. 2: Tokai Village Hospital, ph. 029-282-2188

Mon. 3: Muto Pediatric Clinic, ph. 029-282-7722

Sun. 9: Tokai Village Hospital, ph. 029-282-2188

Sun. 16: Tokai Village Hospital, ph. 029-282-2188

Sun. 23: Ishii Orthopedics (Seikeigeka) Clinic ph. 029-270-5141

Mon. 24: Tokai Clinic ph. 029-283-1711

Sun. 30: Ibarakihigashi National Hospital, ph. 029-282-1151

Ibaraki Prefecture 24 Hour Emergency Medical Information Control Center, ph.

029-241-4199

Ibaraki Children's Resource Line, ph. #8000 (touch-tone phones and mobile phones) or 029-254-9900: everyday 6:30p.m.-00:30a.m., Sundays, public holidays, Monday 29 December, 2014- Saturday 3 January, 2015 9:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m.

2. Calisthenics Class in November

Stretch and yoga exercise class will be held at Kizuna Welfare Center.

Date: Thursdays 6, 13, 20, 27 November

Time: 9:30-11:00 a.m.

Eligible people: Residents aged 40 -64 years old.

Other: People coming for first time need to apply in advance.

Inquiries: SC Smile Tokai Secretariat, Tokai-mura Gymnasium, ph. 029-283-1001

- 3. Health Checks for Infants and Toddlers November at Kizuna Welfare Center
- (1) Mother and Child Health Consultation

Date: Fri. 7

Time: 9:30-11:00 a.m., 1:00-2:00 p.m.

(2) 'Genki-up' Health Consultation

Please make an appointment.

(3) Health Check for Babies

①Infant born in June, 2014

Date: Wed. 5

Time: 1:00- 1:45 pm.

②Children(born in April, 2013) aged 1 and a half years old

Date: Thu. 6

Time: 1:00- 1:45 pm.

(3) Children (born in September, 2011) aged 3 years old

Date: Wed. 12

Time: 1:00- 1:45 pm.

(4) Dental Checks for Children (born in April, 2012) aged 2 and a half years

Date: Thu. 13

Time: 1:00- 1:45 pm.

(4) A Class for Babies born in August 2014

Date: Tue. 25

Time: 1:00- 1:20 pm.

Inquiries: Inquiries: Tokai-mura Health Center, ph. 029-282-2797

4. Sukoyaka Walking

One hour of walking along the Ibaraki Health Road (Akogigaura/ Kokuzodo Course).

Date: Wed. 5 Nov. (Canceled in case of rain.)

Time: 10:00 a.m. (register from 9:30 a.m.)

Meeting place: Muramatsu Community Center

Eligible people: Tokai-mura residents

Cost: Free

Others: Bring a drink and small towel.

Inquiries: Tokai-mura Health Center, ph. 029-282-2797

5. Daycare Center Applications

Each of the following day care centers has a few places available for new entries on 1 April 2015.

Public: Hyakutsuka Daycare Center, Integrated Institution of Kindergarten and Daycare Center (Muramatsu Daycare Center), Funaishikawa Daycare Center Private: Tulip Daycare Center, Migiwa Daycare Center, Ozora Daycare Center, Sunflower Kodomo-no-mori Daycare Center

Eligibility:

Applicants should meet one of the following conditions, and have no other family member resident in the household who can take care of a child:

- 1. Parents or guardians work during the day.
- 2. The mother is about to give birth, or has just recently given birth.
- 3. Parents or guardians are ill or with disabilities.
- 4. Parents or guardians have long-term nursing care obligations.
- 5. Parents or guardians are working in disaster recovery.
- 6. Parents or guardians are job- hunting or in the process of starting a business continually.
- 7. Parents or guardians are studying at any school or in job training.
- 8. Parents or guardians are abusive.
- 9. Any other valid reason for not being able to take care of a child at home.

Application: Submit the application form (available from Tuesday 4 November at the Social Welfare Section in the Village Office or daycare centers) and documentary

proof of why care at home is not possible (e.g. certificates of employment or medical certificates) to the Social Welfare Section on the 1st floor of the Tokai-mura Village Office between Monday 17 and Friday 28 November (closed weekends and public holidays).

Others: Application form will be also available from the website of Tokai-mura Village Office.

Inquiries: Social Welfare Section of Tokai-mura, ph.029-282-1711 ext.1185

6. Free Distribution of School Bags for Single-Parent Families

Donated school bags will be distributed for child in single-parent family by Welfare Association of Fatherless Families and Widows Tokai-mura.

Eligible people: Resident who is a single-parent and has child that will be an elementary student from April, 2015.

Application: Apply between 8:30 a.m. and 5:15 p.m. till Thursday 25 December (except weekends and public holidays) by phone or directly to the Social Welfare Section (1st floor of Tokai-mura Village Office) with the following information.

- 1. Your child's name/ gender/ date of birth
- 2. Guardian's name
- 3. Address
- 4. Phone number
- 5. Bag's color choice (red or black).

A lottery will be held if there are too many applicants.

Inquiries: Social Welfare Section of Tokai-mura, ph. 029-282-1711 ext. 1185

7. Kangaroo Circle

The Kangaroo Circle is a parents and babies support group that meets in Hyakutsuka Daycare Center. It provides an opportunity for young children to play with each other and parents to hear talks on childcare.

Date:

- 1. Every Tuesday from Tuesday 18 November to Wednesday 25 February. (10 Classes)
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Time: 10:00- 11:15 a.m.

Place: Hyakutsuka Daycare Center

Eligible People: Children born between November, 2013 and May 2014 accompanied by a parent.

The first 15 parents and children for each class will be accepted.

Cost: Free

Application: Apply between 10:00a.m. and 0:00p.m. on Friday 7 November at the

Regional Parenting Support Center in Hyakutsuka Daycare Center directly.

Others: Only first-time attender (child) will be accepted.

Inquiries: Regional Parenting Support Center, ph. 029-270-5660

8. Learning Child Care

Let's enjoy hip hop dancing with your kids.

Date: Thu. 20 Nov.

Time: 10:00-11:00 a.m.

Place: Nakamaru Community Center

Eligible people: Preschool age children who are 2 years old or over accompanied by a guardian who is a resident of Tokai-mura.

The first 20 families will be accepted.

Instructor: Ms. Azusa Terunuma (Hip hop dance instructor)

Cost: Free

Others: Bring a drink, indoor shoes, and wear comfortable clothes that allow movement.

Application: Please make a reservation between Wednesday 29 and Friday 31 October from 1:00 to 4:00p.m. by phone.

Inquiries: Regional Parenting Support Center in Hyakutsuka Daycare Center, ph. 029-270-5660

9. A Room for Parents and Children to Support their Childcare

Hyakutsuka Daycare Center opens a room for guardian and children to support their childcare, through playing and listening to storytelling.

Date: Thursday 6 and Friday 21 November

Time: 9:30-11:30 a.m.

Place: Hyakutsuka Daycare Center

Eligible people: Preschool age children accompanied by a guardian who is a resident

of Tokai-mura.

Cost: Free

Others: Bring a drink, towel and spare clothes.

Reservations are not necessary.

Inquiries: Regional Parenting Support Center at Hyakutsuka Daycare Center, ph.

029-270-5660

10. Happy Land for Children and Parents

Date: Thursdays 13 and 27 November, 2014

Time: 10:00-11:00 a.m.

Place: Funaishikawa Community Center

Eligible people: Preschool age children accompanied by a guardian who is a resident

of Tokai-mura.

Cost: Free

Others: On 13 November, we will make the Shichigosan Festival crafts and we will do the rhythm activities on 27 November.

Bring a drink, towel and spare clothes.

Reservations are not necessary.

Inquiries: Regional Parenting Support Center at Hyakutsuka Daycare Center, ph. 029-270-5660

11. A Class for Fossil Excavation Experience

Let's discover fossil at 4 million-year-old stratum!

Investigation group in Tokai-mura gives you guidance about fossil excavation. Maybe you can find a rare one!

Date: Sun. 16 Nov.

Time: 9:00~11:30 a.m.

Meeting place: Parking area of Suwama Cemetery

Eligible people: Anyone who lives or works in Tokai-mura.

Elementary school student must be accompanied by a guardian.

Preschooler is not allowed.

First 15 applicants are accepted.

Application: Apply between Tuesday 28 October and Wednesday 12 November by phone or e-mail to Lifelong Learning Section with the following information.

- 1. Name of the class: "Kasekisaishu taiken sanka kibou"
- 2. Name
- 3. Age
- 4. Address
- 5. Phone number

Inquiries: Lifelong Learning Section of Tokai-mura, ph. 029-282-1711 ext.1423, e-mail address syougaigakusyu@vill.tokai.ibaraki.jp

12. Rent a Grand Piano for Private Practice

The stage Yamaha grand piano is available to rent for private piano practice.

Date: Wed. 12, 19, 26 Nov., 3 Dec. 2014, Mon. 12, Wed. 21, Tue. 27 Jan. 2015

Time:

Tuesdays and Wednesdays; 1:00-8:00 p.m.

Monday; 9:00 a.m. 5:00 p.m. (except 0:00- 1:00 p.m.)

Place: Tokai Culture Center

Eligible people: Player who lives, works or goes to school in Tokai-mura.

Cost: 300 yen per person per hour. A limit applies of two practice sessions per person per term (from November, 2014 to January, 2015).

Reservations cannot be changed and the rental cost cannot be refunded.

Application: Apply at Tokai-mura Culture Center after 9:00 a.m. on Saturday 1 November directly. Reservations for any remaining vacant time slots may be made over the telephone after 1:00 p.m.

Inquiries: Tokai Culture Center, ph. 029-282-8511

13. Kensetsu Festa (Construction Festival) 2014

Let's enjoy the attractiveness of constructional industry!

Date: Sun. 9 Nov.

Time: 9:00 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.

Place: Special site at the west side of the indoor swimming pool in Kasamatsu Sports

Park

Inquiries: Department of Public Works in Ibaraki Prefectural Government, ph.029-301-4370

14. Joint Emergency Drill for Nakamaru/ Funaishikawa Elementary School and Tokai-minami Junior Highschool

Nakamaru Elementary School, Funaishikawa Elementary School and Tokai-minami Junior High will practice handing over of students to their guardians at the case of emergency. A traffic jam caused by the emergency drill will be expected at the surrounding area.

We would like to ask for everyone's cooperation.

Date: Tue. 4 Nov.

Time: Around 2:00 to 4:00 p.m.

Inquiries:

Nakamaru Elementary School; ph. 029-282-2767

Funaishikawa Elementary School; ph. 029-282-9238

Tokai-minami Junior Highschool; ph. 029-282-7821

School Education Section of Tokai-mura, ph. 029-282-1711 ext.1412

15. Tokai Deai-mura (Marriage Hunting Party)

A buffet party for marriage hunting will be held.

Date: Sat. 20 Dec.

Time: 1:20-5:00 p.m. (reception from 1:00 p.m.)

Place: Nakamaru Community Center

Eligible people: 30s and 40s single men and women with priority given to Tokai-mura resident.

20 men and 20 women will be accepted.

A lottery will be held if there are too many applicants.

Cost: 2000 yen per person

Application: Apply by e-mail to Daisuki Ibaraki Networking Association Tokai-mura Secretariat (tokaideaimura2013@gmail.com) with the following information. The deadline of the application is Thursday 20 November.

- 1. Name of the event; Tokai Deai-mura sanka kibou
- 2. Name
- 3. Date of birth
- 4. E-mail address
- 5. Address
- 6. Phone number

Others: You cannot apply by phone.

Inquiries: Daisuki Ibaraki Networking Association Tokai-mura Secretariat (Citizen Autonomy Promotion Section of Tokai-mura), ph. 029-287-0856

16. Invitation Tickets to the Mito Hollyhock Game

Invitation tickets to a soccer match between Mito Hollyhock and Tochigi SC are available for Tokai-mura residents.

Date: Sat. 15 Nov.

Time: 2:00 p.m. kickoff

Place: K's Denki Mito Stadium (2058-1 Kobuki-cho, Mito City)

Eligible people: Anyone who either lives or goes to school in Tokai-mura.

Application: Bring a ID such as a driver's license or school identification card to the Tokai-mura booth next to the stadium main entrance to receive a ticket on the day. Inquiries: Lifelong Learning Section of Tokai-mura, ph. 029-282-1711 ext.1422

17. Hitachinaka Industry Fair in Hitachinaka City

The Hitachinaka Industry Fair will be held and events commemorating 20th anniversary of Hitachinaka City will take place.

Enjoy the exhibitions and distribution of products, lottery and stage performances.

Date: Sun. 2- Mon. 3 Nov.

Time: 9:00 a.m.- 3:30 p.m.

Place: Hitachinaka Sports Park (Hitachinaka-shi Sogo Undo Koen,49 Shinko-cho)

Inquiries: Industry Promotion Section of Hitachinaka City, ph. 029-273-0111

18. Ibaraki Matsuri (Festival)2014 in Ibaraki Town

The festival will feature products, stage performances, a lottery, a mock topping-out (completion of construction) ceremony and fireworks.

Date: Sun. 2 Nov.

Time: 10:00 a.m.- 6:30 p.m.

Place: At the parking area in front of Yuyu Kan, (Ibaraki-machi Welfare Center,

1037-1 Ozutsumi, Ibaraki-machi)

Inquiries: Ibaraki Matsuri Executive Committee Secretariat, ph. 029-292-1111.

19. Ujo no Sato Minato (Port) Festival in Kitaibaraki City

Enjoy local products, bazar and entertainments on stage.

Date: Sun. 2 Nov.

Time: From 9:00 a.m.

Place: Otsu Fishing Port (Otsu-cho, Kitaibaraki City)

Others: A free shuttle bus service will operate between the festival site and JR

Isohara Station, JR Otsu-ko (Port) Station and Kitaibaraki City Hall.

Inquiries: Kitaibaraki City Society of Commerce and Industry, ph. 0293-42-2511

20. The 31st Tokai Yattan-sai Festival

This annual festival is organized by student volunteers from Tokai-mura High School Students Association, junior high students who went on the Nature Learning Tour and other youth associations. Enjoy exciting amusements such as a giant maze and wheelchair riding experience. The main event will be playing tag. Refreshments available from the stalls include udon (wheat noodles), yaki-dango(baked rice dumpling) and others.

Date: Sun. 2 Nov.

Time: 10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.

Place: Tokai-minami Junior High School

Inquiries: Tokai Yattan-sai Festival Administration Committee in Tokai-mura Youth

Center, ph. 029-282-7049