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# 1. Weekend Medical Services in Aug.

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

Fri. 11: Tokai Hospital, ph.029-282-2188

Sun. 13: Ishii Orthopedics (Seikeigeka) Clinic, ph.029-270-5141

Sun. 20: Higashihara Clinic, ph.029-283-2301

Sun. 27: Ogata Clinic, ph.029-282-4781

Ibaraki Prefecture 24 Hour Emergency Medical Information Control Center, ph. 029-241-4199

Ibaraki Children's Resource Line, ph. #8000 (for mobile phones), or 029-254-9900: Between Mon. and Fri. 6:30p.m.-8:00a.m. of the following day. Sundays, public holidays, 8:00 a.m.-8:00 a.m. of the following day.

### 2. Extension of Administrative Service Time

Date: Every 1st and 3rd Thu. 2017

**Time:** 8:30a.m.-7:00p.m.

Services and Sections:

**Civil Registration Section;** Resident registration, seal (hanko) registration, passport issuance, and publishing of other certifications and permissions.

Welfare and Insurance Section; Procedures of national health insurance and national pension plan and long life medical care for the elderly.

Welfare and Nursing Care Section; Application of long-term care insurance and support of the elderly.

**Tax Section;** Issuance of certifications, (local) taxpayer assistance (needs reservation)

Accounting Section; Payment of tax (except national tax, prefectural tax and national pension premiums) and royalties.

**Childcare Support Section;** Procedures for day-care center, application of children allowance and child-rearing allowance.

Waterworks Section; Procedures to supply public water, payment of water and sewage bills.

**Tokai Health Center;** Procedures of vaccination, health check and healthcare for mother and child, and issuance of Maternal and Child Health Handbook (boshi kenko techo)

### 3. Zumba Gold

Zumba Gold is dance fitness exercise integrated Latin music with dance. This exercise is easier than Zumba and recommended to beginners and elderly people.

Date: Class A; Wed. 13 Sep., Class B; Thu. 21 Sep.

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

Place: Tokai Central Community Center

**Eligible people:** People who are living, working or going to school in Tokai Village.

Instructor: Ms. Mayumi Seki (Zumba Instructor)

Capacity: 20 people for each class

Fee: Free

Other: Childcare service will be provided for 6 months and over pre-school children.

Application: Submit the application form (you can get it at Tokai Central Community Center and Tokai Village Office) to Central Community Center (between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m. except Sundays, Mondays and Fri. 11 Aug.) or send a postcard giving the name of lectures, the applicants' address, names (with "furigana", the pronunciation), gender, age and telephone number by Thu. 24 Aug. Address is Tokai Central Community Center, Funaba768-15, Tokai Village 319-1115.

Inquiries: Tokai Central Community Center, ph. 029-282-3329

# 4. Hello Baby Classes for Pregnant Women

Let's learn about pregnancy, childbirth, child care, and share with us your concerns and your experience as a future mother.

#### Date and Content:

1) Tue. 5 Sep., 9:30 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

Discussion with a midwife about nutrition during pregnancy and cooking tips. Bring an apron, a bandana to cover your hair, a wiping cloth and a hand towel. Childcare service will be provided.

2) Thu. 7 Sep., 1:30 -4:00 p.m.

Delivery process and life after childbirth/ dental checkups and brushing guidance/ children safety seat for cars. Childcare service will be provided.

3) Sat. 9 Sep., 9:20 a.m.-noon

Talk about babies / how to bathe a newborn/ pregnancy experience for fathers. Bring an apron. There is no childcare service.

Place: Tokai Health Center

Cost: Free

**Others:** Bring your Mother and Child Health Handbook (boshi kenko techo), the supplementary handbook, pen and notebook.

**Inquiries and applications:** Please call Tokai Health Center (ph.029-282-2797) by Tue. 15 Aug. Registration is necessary for all classes.

## 5. Learning English through Games and Storytelling

Let's learn English through games with NLT (Native Language Teacher) and enjoy storytelling by the staff of Tokai Library.

Date: Tue. 5 Sep.

**Time:** 9:45 –11:15 a.m.

Place: Tokai Muramatsu-syuku Kodomoen

Eligible people: Children between one and a half years old and pre-school age with

a guardian.

Capacity: The first 10 pairs will be accepted.

Cost: Free

**Application and Inquiries:** Apply to Tokai Muramatsu-syuku Kodomoen Parenting Support Center from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. on Tue.22 Aug., ph. 029-282-7390.

# 6. Karugamo Circle (Autumn)

Karugamo Circle is a support group for parents and babies.

Date: Every Tuesday from 12 Sep. to 31 Oct. (eight classes)

**Time:** 10:00-11:15 a.m.

Place: Tokai Muramatsu-Syuku Kodomoen

Eligible People: Children born between February and August 2016 accompanied by

a guardian.

Capacity: The first 10 pairs will be accepted.

**Contents:** Conversation meeting and play together etc..

Cost: Free

**Application and Inquiries:** Apply in person on Tue. 29 Aug. from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Tokai Muramatsu-Syuku Kodomoen Parenting Support Center, ph. 029-282-7390

## 7. Nikoniko Club (Autumn)

Date: Every Friday from 15 Sep. to 20 Oct. (six classes)

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

Place: Tokai Muramatsu-Syuku Kodomoen

Eligible People: Children born between 2 Apr. 2014 and 1 Apr. 2015 accompanied by

a guardian.

**Capacity:** The first 8 pairs will be accepted.

Contents: Rhythm activities, crafts and social play

Cost: Free

**Application and Inquiries:** Apply in person on Fri. 1 Sep. from 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. at the Tokai Muramatsu-Syuku Kodomoen Parenting Support Center, ph. 029-282-7390

### 8. Aikido Classes

Aikido is practiced by a wide range of people, regardless of age and gender. You can learn manners, basic skills and demonstration. A series of five classes will be offered, please feel free to join them.

Dates: Sat. 16, 23, 30 Sep., 7, 14 Oct.

**Time:** 4:00 -5:30 p.m.

Place: Tokai Gymnasium

Eligible people: Anyone of elementary school or above, who either lives, works or goes to school in Tokai Village (including family living together).

Capacity: First 20 people will be accepted.

Cost: 500 yen per person

Others: Please wear long sleeves and pants (jersey, Judo or Karate outfit) for preventing injury.

Application and Inquiries: Apply with the fee at Tokai Gymnasium between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., from Tue. 15 Aug. to Sun. 10 Sep. (except Mondays). Tokai Gymnasium, ph. 029-283-0673.

## 9. Kendo Classes

Kendo is a traditional Japanese martial art.

Please feel free to join. We welcome from beginners to advanced.

**Dates:** Sun.24 Sep., 1, 8, 15, 22 Oct., 12 Nov. (six classes)

**Time:** 1:30 -3:00p.m.. The advanced classes can be extended up to 60 minutes.

Place: Tokai Gymnasium

**Eligible people:** Anyone of elementary school or above, who either lives, works or goes to school in Tokai Village (including family living together).

Capacity: The first 20 applicants will be accepted. (minimum applicant count is 5)

Cost: 1,000 yen per person

**Others:** Free tools will be offered for applicants.

**Application and Inquiries**: Apply with the fee at Tokai Gymnasium between 9:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., from Tue. 15 Aug. to Sun. 10 Sep. (except Mondays). Tokai Gymnasium, ph. 029-283-0673

## 10. Night Hike in Tokai Village

A Night Hike will be held on Sat. 16 Sep.

Time: 2:40- 10:30p.m. (reception from 2:30 p.m.)

**Course:** Along a twenty kilometers course through Tokai Village starting from Tokai Welfare Center "Kizuna".

**Eligible people:** Participants from grade 4 of elementary school or above. Elementary and junior high students must be accompanied by an adult (20 years old or above).

Participants must make a group of at least two members.

Cost: 500 yen per person (a light meal will be provided.).

### Others:

-Make groups of ten people with participants.

-An information session for group leaders will be held at the Tokai Central Community Center on Wed. 6 Sep.

**Application:** Send a fax or an email to the Tokai Seinen-kai with the group leader's name (with furigana), address and phone number, and names and age of other group members by Fri. 18 Aug.

Inquiries: Tokai Seinen-kai (Tokai Youth Center): ph. 029-282-7049, fax. 029-282-7813, E-mail: <a href="mailto:seinenkai 1977@yahoo.co.jp">seinenkai 1977@yahoo.co.jp</a>

## 11. The 23rd Festival and Fireworks at Hitachinaka City

Date: 1) Fireworks: Sat. 19 Aug. (estimated) 7:00-8:30 p.m.

2) Festival: Sat. 19 and Sun. 20 Aug.

**Place:** 1) Ground Self-defense Force Katsuta Base (Katsukura 3433, Hitachinaka City)

2) Around JR Katsuta station

Inquiries: Hitachinaka Festival Executive Committee, ph. 029-272-0540