

Information Bulletin

HAMAMATSU

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Hamamatsu population: 779,629 Foreign resident population: 30,750 (Population figures as of 9 2025) *This bulletin contains selected information from the Japanese edition published by City Hall. *The telephone numbers listed in this bulletin will all be answered in Japanese only.



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Consultations for Foreign Residents (Free)

< 外国人のための相談会(無料) >

Details Date		Time
Mediatory Consultations between Foreign and Japanese People with an Administrative Scrivener (Alternative Dispute Resolution)		
Consultations with a Lawyer	Nov 8 (Sat), 27 (Thu)	13:00 - 16:00
Consultations with a Labor and Social Insurance Consultant	Nov 20 (Thu)	
Consultations about Residence Status	Dec 4 (Thu)	

Venue: CREATE Hamamatsu (*Hayauma-cho, Chuo-ku*)

Application: In person or by telephone (on a first come, first served basis)

Website ► HAMAPO Search

Intercultural Center (Tabunka Kyōsei Sentā) ☎458-2170

Child Rearing Support Division

< 子育て支援課 >

•Single-Parent Household Loan Program (Loans for Educational Expenses)

Eligibility: Single-parent households with a child scheduled to enroll at a high school, college/university, graduate school, vocational school, or other applicable school in the following year (loan qualification requirements apply).

Application: (First round) Dec 19 (Fri)

*Submit applications early to allow sufficient time for your application to be processed.

※Applications after the deadline are accepted as necessary.

Inquiries: Contact details in the table below

Website ▶ ぴっぴ 母子父子寡婦福祉資金貸付金 (Pippi Boshi Fushi Kafu Fukushishikin Kashitsukekin)

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Children's Allowance

The October payment (for August 2025 to September 2025) was deposited into your designated account on October 14 (Tue).

Inquiries: Contact details in the table below

Website ▶ ぴっぴ 児童手当 (*Pippi Jidō Teate*)

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Inquiries			
Chuo Child and Family Support Center	2 3457-2035	Hamana Child and Family Support Center	☎ 585-1121
Higashi Child and Family Support Center	☎ 424-0175	4-0175 Kita Child and Family Support Center ☎523-2893	
Nishi Child and Family Support Center	☎ 597-1157	Tenryu Child and Family Support Center	☎ 922-0023
Minami Child and Family Support Center	☎ 425-1463	_	_

Subsidy for Cancer Patient Support Programs

< がん患者支援事業費補助金 >

Subsidies are provided to reduce the financial burden on cancer patients.

Eligible expenses	Conditions
Fertility Preservation Treatment Costs	People who meet the requirements, including being under 43 years of age at the time of cryopreservation.
Medical prosthetic device purchase expenses	People who meet the following conditions: hair loss or breast removal due to cancer treatment, purchase of a prosthetic device, etc.
In-home service usage fees, etc.	People who are in the terminal stages of cancer and meet other conditions such as being under 40 years of age at the time of use.

****There is an application deadline**

City Website ▶ がん対策(Gan taisaku)

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Partial Subsidy for COVID-19 Vaccination Fees

< 新型コロナウイルス予防接種費用の一部を助成します >

Item	COVID-19
Period	Oct 1 (Wed), 2025 - March 31 (Tue), 2026 ※If interested, please schedule an appointment with a participating healthcare institution
Eligibility	①Citizens aged 65 or older on the day of vaccination ②Citizens aged 60 to 64 on the day of vaccination who have a severe disability of the heart, kidney, respiratory system, or immune function, which can be proved by their Physical Disability Handbook.
	Self-Pay Cost: 8,000 yen (limited to one time during the program period)
Cost	People in households receiving public assistance: A free vaccination ticket was mailed around the end of Septemberr People in households where all members are exempt from municipal resident tax: Free of charge by either (1) or (2) below (1)Present documents at the medical institution showing all members of your household are exempt from municipal tax. (2)Apply for a free vaccination voucher at one of the health centers (see table below) before receiving the vaccination. *No refunds can be issued after vaccination.
What to Bring	People in categories ① and ②: Proof of address and age (e.g., My Number card) and, if applicable, a free vaccination voucher. **Services can be received without a free vaccination ticket by those paying out of pocket Only for those in category ②: Proof of the degree of disability (e.g., Physical Disability Handbook, etc.)

Inquiries			
Chuo Health Promotion Center	☎ 457-2891	Hamana Health Promotion Center	☎ 585-1171
Chuo Health Promotion Center (Higashi)	☎ 424-0125	₾424-0125 Hamana Health Promotion Center (Kita) ☎523-31	
Chuo Health Promotion Center (Nishi)	☎ 597-1120	Tenryu Health Promotion Center	☎ 925-3142
Chuo Health Promotion Center (Minami)	☎ 425-1590	_	_

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新型コロナウイルス予防接種(Shingata koronauirusu yobō sesshu)

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Public Health Promotion Division (Kenkō Zoshin-ka) ☎453-6119



Free Entry on Culture Day on November 3

< 11月3日は文化の日次の施設は無料で利用できます>

Facility	TEL	
Museum of Musical Instruments (Gakki Hakubutsukan)	☎ 451-1128	
Kamo no Mabuchi Memorial Hall (Kamo no Mabuchi Kinenkan)	☎ 456-8050	
Keisuke Kinoshita Memorial Museum (Kinoshita Keisuke Kinenkan)	☎ 457-3450	
Nakamura Residence (Nakamura-ke Jūtaku)	☎ 597-1117	
Hamamatsu History Museum (Hakubutsukan)	☎ 456-2208	

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文化の日 無料開放 (Bunkanohi Muryō Kaihō)

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Payment Deadline for Municipal and Prefectural Taxes

< 市民税·県民税 >

Tax Deadline for 3rd Quarter: Oct 31 (Fri), 2025 Pay your taxes conveniently via bank transfer!

> City Website ▶ 市税 納期限 (Shizei Nōkigen)

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Inquiries:

About paymentTax General Affairs Division (Zeimu Sōmu-ka) ☎457-2261 Tax detailsMunicipal Tax Division (Shiminzei-ka) ☎457-2145

Nationwide Instant Warning System (J-Alert): Nationwide Emergency Information Dissemination Drill < 全国瞬時警報システム(Jアラート)の全国一斉情報伝達試験 >

A nationwide emergency information dissemination drill will be held in order to swiftly inform citizens of emergency information received by the city from the national government. The drill will be conducted using the city's radio broadcasters (using outdoor speakers and individual receivers).

Date: Nov 12 (Wed) 11:00

*Note that the test may be postponed or canceled in the event of a disaster, etc.

City Website ▶ Jアラート (*J arāto*) Search



Crisis Management Division (Kiki Kanri-ka) 2457-2537

Collection of Unneeded Household Fire Extinguishers

<一般家庭の不要消火器の回収 >

Date: Nov 9 (Sun) 9:00 - 12:00

Eligibility: Unneeded household dry chemical fire extinguishers (up to model-size 20)

No refilling or sales will be conducted

Cost		
Without a recycling sticker	1,000 yen (per unit)	
With an expired recycling sticker		
With a recycling sticker 500 yen (per unit)		
Please bring your extinguisher(s) to the collection site on the collection day.Spray-type compact fire extinguishing devices (canisters) and commercial-use devices will not be accepted.		

Collection Sites		
Naka Fire Station Shimoikegawa-chō, Chuo-ku		
Higashi Fire Station Sasagase-chō, Chuo-ku		
Nishi Fire Station Magori-chō, Chuo-ku		
Minami Fire Station Morita-chō, Chuo-ku		
Kita Fire Station Hosoe-chō Sanwa, Hamana-ku		
Hamakita Fire Station, Akasa Branch Oro, Hamana-ku		
Tenryu Fire Station Futamata-chō, Futamata, Tenryu-ku		

City Website ▶ 消火器 (Shōkaki) Search



Fire Prevention Division (Yobō-ka) ☎475-7541

Hamamatsu Flower Park

く フラワーパーク >

Details	Date	
1) 100-variety Tsugiwake-giku Chrysanthemum Display Nov 1 (Sat) - Nov 23 (Sun) 9:00 – 16:30		
274th Hamamatsu Chrysanthemum Festival Nov 2 (Sun) - Nov 23 (Sun) 9:00 – 16:30		
3 Royagaki Persimmon Display Nov 7 (Fri) - Nov 9 (Sun) 9:00 – 16:30		
4 Flower Walk Nov 8 (Sat) 10:00 – 12:00		
⑤Autumn Knowledge Stroll Nov 9 (Sun) 13:00 – 15:00		
⑥Flower Illumination	Nov 22 (Sat) - Jan 4 (Sun), 2026 17:00 – 20:00	

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Hamamatsu Fruit Park Tokinosumika

<フルーツパーク時之栖 >

Details	Date	
①Seasonal fruit harvest experience Early Grown Mikan until mid-November		
Winter Illumination Oct 25 (Sat) - Feb 1 (Sun), 2026 17:00 – 21:		
③Nanyo Junior High School Wind Ensemble performance	Nov 1 (Sat) at 11:00 & 14:00	

はままつフルーツパーク (Hamamatsu Fruit Park)

(Miyakoda-chō, Hamana-ku) ☎428-5211



Act City (Cultural Promotion Foundation)

< アクトシティ(文化振興財団) >

Promenade Concert (Cancelled in Case of Rain)

Date	Performances	Venue
Nov 1 (Sat) 15:30-	Seiryu Junior High School & Hikarigaoka Junior High School, Hamamatsu Keiyo High School, Hamamatsu Nittai Junior High and High School	Nayuta Hamakita Station Plaza
Nov 8 (Sat) 14:00-	Kaisei Junior High School, Kitahama Junior High School, Hamakita Nishi High School, Fanfare	JR Hamamatsu Station North Exit Kitara Plaza
Nov 9 (Sun) 16:45–	Hamamatsu Commercial High School, Shizuoka Prefectural Hamamatsukita High School, Hamamatsu Municipal High School, Hamana High School, Hamamatsu-Konan High School	Gallery Mall Soramo

Website ▶ まちなかコンサート (Machinaka konsāto)

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(Itaya-cho, Chuo-ku) **☎**451-1151



Call for Entries for the 73rd Shiten Art Show (application procedures and the reception site have changed since last year)

< 第73回市展作品募集 (昨年度と申し込み方法、受付場所が異なります) >

Reception time/date (closed 12:00–13:00)	Reception site	Eligible artwork
Feb 15 (Sun), 2026 10:00–14:00	Futamata Fureai Center (Tenryu-ku Futamata-cho Futamata)	Paintings, drawings, photographs (individual artists only)
Feb 16 (Mon), 2026 13:30–15:00	CREATE Hamamatsu (<i>Hayauma-cho, Chuo-ku</i>)	All categories (businesses and groups only)
Feb 17 (Tue), 2026 10:00–15:00	CREATE Hamamatsu (Hayauma-Cho, Chuo-ku)	All categories (individual artists only)

*Please see the Shiten Art Show Submission Guidelines for details (available on our homepage around the beginning of October).

Submissions require an application using the form available on our website or included in the Submission Guidelines prior to the dates above.

We cannot accept artwork for which a prior application has not been submitted.

City Website ▶

市展 (Shi-ten)

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Art Museum (Bijutsukan) 2454-6801



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