



The national border island: Tsushima A complete personal experience.

#### Soba Noodle-Making Experience

Mix water and work the batter—Experience making your own version of Tsushima's local dish, "Taishu soba noodles" using Tsushima's buckwheat, known for its wonderful smell and taste.

#### A&Q

Personal Experience Meeting School "Takumi" (Izuhara Town)
Tsushima Furusato Denshokan (Mitsushima Town)
Soba Dojo "Agata no Sato" (Kamiagata Town)

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### Wakata Ink Stone Manufacturing Experience

Wakata inkstones are created from the ore of stones which were taken from the Wakata river. They are known for their strength and fine surface. Here, create your own personal inkstone while learning the basics.





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☎(0920)56-0118



#### Strolling Through a Primeval Forest

Many ancient forests and woods still remain on the island. Feel the fresh air and majestic natural scenery. Tsushima's mountains will always greet hikers.





#### Popular Mountain Climbing Spots

- · Mt. Tatera Primeval Forest
- · Mt. Ariake Primeval Forest
- · Mt. Shiratake Primeval Forest
- Mt. Mitake Primeval Forest

#### A&Q

Izuhara Forest Office (Izuhara)

(0920)52-0243

## "Toro no hana" Experience • Sightseeing

Tsushima's brand of tuna called "flower tuna" are raised in the intersection of Aso bay and the Tsushima strait. Witness the tuna jumping powerfully right in front of your eyes.



## Aso Bay Sea Kayaking Experience

Aso bay has a sharply-indented rias coastline formed by a multifaceted inlet with small islands. Starting from the Shinwa Nature Park, enjoy the beautiful nature by sea kayaking. Beginning to advanced levels are available.

Q&A

Tsushima Eco Tour. Ltd (Mitsushima Town)

☎ (0920) 54—3595
Tsushima Kayaks(Mitsushima Town)

☎ (0920) 54—4329



#### More to Experience

Scuba Diving, birdwatching, Tsushima shiitake harvesting, and much more!

## These rare items are made from Tsushima's abundant natural resources.





#### Pearls

Since the time of our ancestors, Tsushima was an island where high grade, natural pearls were harvested. Now, in Aso Bay, pearls are cultivated and then shipped thoughout Japan



Tsushima's coastal waters are a prominent fishing area for squid. Tsushima's swordtip squid products are among the best in the world.



#### Tsushima Honey

Tsushima honey, made by the the Japanese honey bee, is collected from the nectar of flowers that bloom year round. This honey is called "the Nectar of 100 Flowers." Because it ages for many years, the honey is very concentrated.



#### Shiitake Mushrooms

The shiitake that many work hard to cultivate amidst Tsushima's harsh nature are a favorite of souvenir buyers. Enjoy the meat-like thickness, full flavor, and smell of these mushrooms.



#### Yellowtail

The vellowtail raised within the Tsushima current are said to be the king in terms of rich flavor and are shipped throughout Japan.



### Hiougi (Fan) Shellfish

The Hiougi shellfish, raised in the peaceful waves of Tsushima's coves. can be cooked and enjoyed in various ways such as frying or boiling. The vibrant color of the shell is also a merit.



#### **Marine Products**

Tsushima's environment is rich with an abundance of minerals. Enjoy the aroma of the island's surroundings.



#### Kasumaki

One of Tsushima's most famous souvenirs, and similar to castella This sweet bean roll cake was served 350 years ago when the feudal lords returned to their homes from Edo (modern day Tokyo) to express the joy that the entire household felt.



#### Sea Urchin

Enjoy the fresh taste of sea urchin just harvested from the sea shore.



#### Abalone · Turban Shell Mollusc

The abalone and turban shell molluscs cultivated in Tsushima's rough seas have a pleasing texture and taste, and retain the smell of the sea. Enjoy having this rare food delivered to your table.

Raised through the grace of Tsushima's oceans, a supreme article of rare beauty - that is "Tsushima Brand Fish". Tilefish, "Beniou: Crimson King" ited Northern Blue Fish Tuna Toro no hana Scabbard Fish, "Ginta" 22 TSUSHIMA GUIDE BOOK TSUSHIMA GUIDE BOOK • 24





Hitotsubatago Flower Festival (First Ten Days of May : Kamitsushima)



Chiromo Harbor Festival (April 10 : Toyotama)



Jizobon Festival (July 24: Izuhara)



Izuhara Harbor Festival-Tsushima Arirang Festival (First Saturday and Sunday of August : Izuhara)

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Kokkyo (National Border) Marathon IN Tsushima (First Ten Days of July : Kamitsushima)



Watazumi Shrine Festival (First day of the 8th month (old calendar): Toyotama)



Tsushima Chingu Music Festival (Last Ten Days of August : Mitsushima)



Kisaka Kaijin Shrine Festival (Fifth day of 8th month(old calendar): Mine)



Tsushima Paragliding Tournament and Hydrangea Festival (Middle Ten Days of June : Kamiagata)



Yakuma Festival (First Ten Days of the 6th month(old calendar): Mine)





Hatsu Uma Festival (Horse race) (Middle Ten Days of October : Kamiagata)



Komoda Beach Shrine Festival (November 12: Izuhara)



Winter



Akagome Tou-Uke Shinto Ritual (10th day of the first month (old calendar): Izuhara)



Sanzoro Festival (3rd day of first month(old calendar): Izuhara)



Spend time and visit all of Tsushima.

The sea and the mountains teach of the Earth's vastness

# Trace the eternal history of Tsushima

Experience the turbulent era in the history of Tsushima when lord Hideyoshi ordered to invade Korea! (3 hour walking course)

#### Highlights-

During the end of the 16th century, Toyotomi Hidevoshi ordered all feudal lords across the nation to send troops to Korea. Until then, Tsushima had a good relationship with Korea through trade and interchange. However, the war caused Tsushima to lose all their trust with Korea. Soh Yoshitoshi, who was the lord of Tsushima domain, worked for years to restore diplomatic relations with Korea. Their efforts were rewarded when they welcomed the envoys of friendship, the Joseon Correspondence Envoys to Japan. This course walks through the former castle town, Izuhara and visits various historical sites.

1) Tsushima Tourism Association > 2) Prefectural Tsushima History and Folk Customs Museum(pg. 13) 3Banshoin Temple(pg.8) (4Former Kaneishi Castle Garden 5Mt. Shimizuvama Outerpart of the castle === 6 Izuhara Hachiman Shrine ①Tsushima Tourism atsu Port Assocation

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Izuhara port

# SEL COURSE Enjoy the extraordinary scenery.

Formed with numerous small islands and deeply indented coastlines, discover Aso bay. (3 hour driving course)

#### Highlights-

Starting from Izuhara port or Tsushima airport by car, head north driving on route 382. A common sightseeing course including visits at Manzeki bridge and Mt. Eboshi viewpoint.

(Izuhara Port / Tsushima Airport) > 7Manzeki Bridge (pg.9) 8 Manzeki Viewpoint 9 Western Ship Inlet (pg. 10) Watazumi Shrine(pg. 10) Mt. Eboshi open course Viewpoint(pg.6) (Izuhara Port / Tsushima Airport)

# Enjoy the extraordinary scenery.

In northern Tsushima, see the night views of the city of Busan Korea across the sea. (2 hour driving course)

#### Highlights-

Tsushima is only 49.5km away from Busan, Korea, and the proximity is palpable when in the northern part of Tsushima. To visit up north, take a taxi, a rental car, or a bus from Izuhara port or Tsushima airport and drive north on route 382 for about two hours. From Hakata, Fukuoka, take the ferry to Hitakatsu port. There are taxis up north as well.

(Hitakatsu Port) \*\* 12 Tsushima Wildlife Conservation Viewpoint(pg.6-7) Toyo Battery Ruins(pg.11) (5Korean Viewpoint(pg. 13) (Hitakatsu Port)

(Approximately two hours from Izuhara port / Tsushima airport to Hitakatsu port)



## Enjoy the extraordinary scenery.

Explore southern Tushima around cape Tsutsu and discover the white lighthouse floating in the sea. (4 hour driving couse)

A course including visits to unique villages around southern Tsushima such as Uchivama, Tsutsu, and Shiine.

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(18 Cape Tsutsu(pg.4) 19Shiine's stone

Roofings (pg. 9) (Izuhara Port · Tsushima Airport)

Tsushima Airport

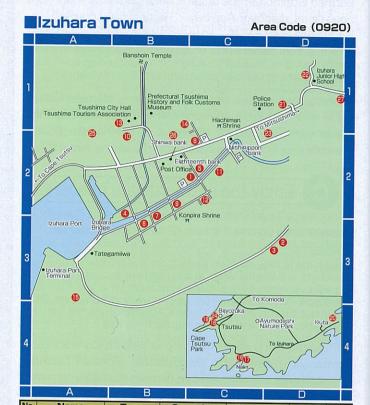
Tsushima Tour Guide Association "Yankomo"



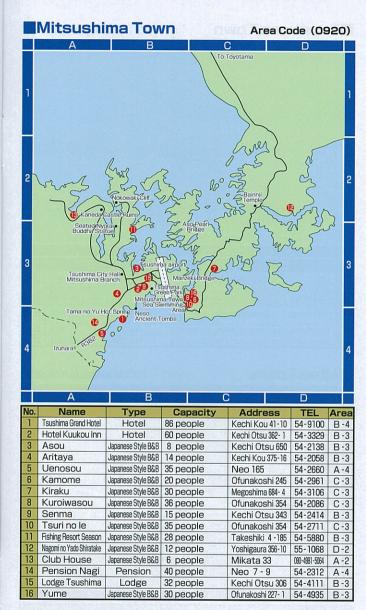
Tsushima Tourism Association TEL 0920-52-1566 Opening Hours / 9:00am~5:00pm

"Yankomo" is an association formed by professional tour guides and former faculties. Our job is to guide tourists through former castle town of Izuhara and trekking.

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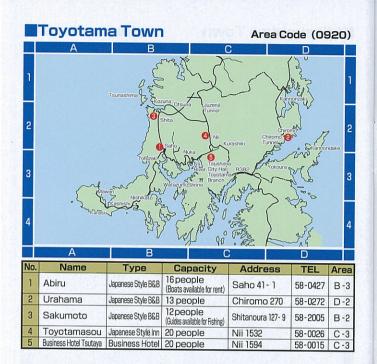


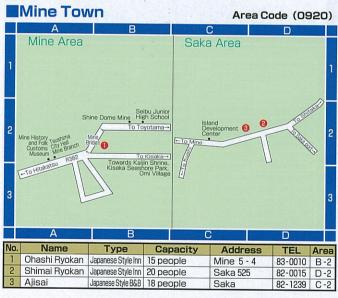
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1	Hotel Tsushima	Business Hotel	73 people	Imayashiki 765	52-7711	C-2
2	Tsushima Daia Hotel	Hotel	72 people	Higashizato 223	52-3737	D-3
3	View Hotel Mizuki	Business Hotel	48 people	Higashizato 238-12	52-2188	D-3
4	Hotel Kinsekikan	Business Hotel	50 people	Imayashiki 739	52-0154	B-3
5	Yanagiya Hotel	Business Hotel	30 people	Imayashiki 768	52-0332	C-2
6	Tsutaya Hotel	<b>Business Hotel</b>	40 people	Otebashi 1053	52-0806	B-3
7	Seaside Hotel Hamayu	<b>Business Hotel</b>	25 people	Otebashi 1048	52-2769	B-3
8	Hotel Kakitani	Business Hotel	50 people	Imayashiki 655	52-1860	C-2
9	Hotel Seaside Annex	Business Hotel	16 people	Otebashi 1041 - 4	52-2343	C-3
10	Maruya Hotel	Japanese style Inn	50 people	Kokubu 1409	52-1970	B-2
11	Banshokaku	Japanese style Inn	26 people	Tabuchi 808	52-0021	C-2
12	Kaikisou	Japanese style B&B	15 people	Tabuchi 1022- 2	52-0784	C-3
13	Tsutsu	Japanese style B&B	25 people	Kokubu 1447	52-2728	B-2
14	Nakamura	Japanese style B&B	13 people	Imayashiki 646	52-2717	C-2
15	Minato	Japanese style B&B	17 people	Higashizato 338-4	52-1098	A-4
16	Umenoya	Japanese style B&B	10 people	Yora Naiin 442- 1	57-0096	C-4
17	Kazuya	Japanese style B&B	21 people	Yora Naiin 205	57-0303	C-4
18	Tachibana	Japanese style B&B	15 people	Tsutsu 3097	57-0678	C-4
19	Komeda	Japanese style B&B	15 people	Tsutsu 3002	57-0273	C-4
20	Pekochan	Japanese style B&B	20 people	Kuta 722	52-1716	D-4
21	Shimamotosou	Japanese style B&B	30 people	Miyadani 1380	52-1705	D-1
22	Chingu	Japanese style B&B	25 people	Sajikibara 10-9	52-8820	D-1
23	Kiraku na Yado	Japanese style B&B	14 people	Nakamura 602-3	52-2970	D-2
24	Bijyozuka Sansou	Pension	27 people	Tsutsu 1506-7	57-1740	C-4
25	Tsushima Seizanji	Guesthouse	16 people	Kokubu 1453	52-0444	A-2
26	Hotel Belle Foret	Hotel	26 people	lmayashiki 660	52-1301	C-2
27	Hinoki Sansou Tsushima	Cottage	5 people(pets ok)	Namuro 34-25	52-1776	D-1

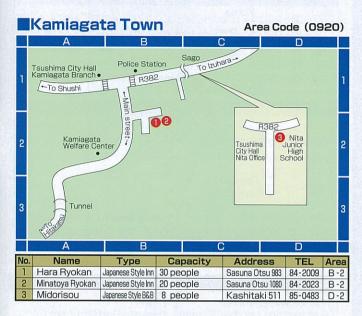


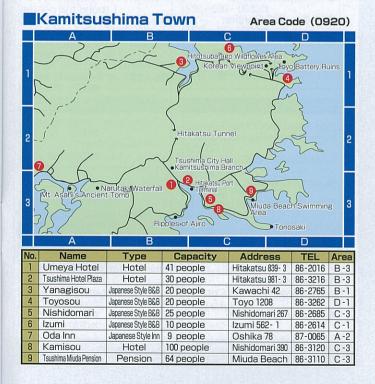
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#### Access to Tsushima



#### By Air

Fukuoka⇔Tsushima 4 round trips per day(30 min) Nagasaki⇔Tsushima 4-5 round trips per day(35 min)

 All Nippon Airways ☎0570-029-222 Air Travel Tsushima

**☎**0920-52-7171 Oriental Air Bridge

**☎**0570-064-380

JTB Tsushima ☎0920-52-1110

#### International Sea Route

High Speed Liner "Ocean Flower" Izuhara Port⇔Busan Port (3 hours) Hitakatsu Port⇔Busan Port (2 hours)

Japan Daea, Co. Ltd **☎**0920-52-3138

 Tsushima International Line. Co. Ltd **☎**0920-86-2008 Jetfoil "Beetle"

Hitakatsu Port⇔Busan Port (1 hr 10 min)

 JR Kyushu High Speed Liners. Co. Ltd ☎092-281-2315 Jetfoil "Kobee"

Izuhara Port⇔Busan Port (1 hr 45 min)

Tsushima JETLINE **☎**0920-52-6350

#### By Sea

Ferry

Hakata Port⇔Izuhara Port 2 round trips per day (via lki Island:4 hr 50 min) Hakata Port⇔Hitakatsu Port 1 round trip per day Jetfoil "Venus"

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Hakata Port⇔Izuhara Port 2 round trips per day

(via lki Island:2 hr 15 min) Kyushu Yusen Headquarters (Hakata) ☎092-281-0831

Tsushima Branch (Izuhara) ☎0920-52-0001 For Reservation (Hakata Kairiku Agency) ☎0920-52-0793 Hitakatsu Port

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Ferry

Hakata Port⇔Izuhara Port 1 round trip per day (via lki Island:4 hr 50 min)

Iki · Tsushima Ferry. Co. Ltd (Fukuoka) **☎**092-725-1162 (Izuhara) **☎**0920-52-3840 Ferry

Hakata Port⇔Izuhara Port 1 round trip per day (Direct:4 hr 30 min)

 Taishu Marine Transportation. Co. Ltd (Fukuoka) ☎092-712-2057 ☎0920-52-4014 (Izuhara)

#### Transportation in Tsushima

#### Bus

	<ul><li>Tsushima Transportation. Co. Ltd (Izuhara)-</li></ul>	-20920-	-52-	1810
	●Hotel Tsushima (Izuhara)—(Tourism bus only)—			
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	●Asada Kanko Bus	₩0920-	-54-	2196
	●Tsushima Island Kanko ————	₩0920-	-53-	5310
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#### Taxi

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	(Izuhara)	
	●lzuhara Taxi (Izuhara) —	<b>☎</b> 0920-52-0227
	Northern Izuhara Taxi (Izuhara)	<b>☎</b> 0920-52-0940
1	●Taishu Taxi (Izuhara) ————	<b>☎</b> 0920−52−1814
	●Hotel Tsushima Taxi (Izuhara)	<b>☎</b> 0920−52−0500
Ì	(Mitsushima)	
	Mitsushima Taxi (Kechi)	₩ 20920 - 54 - 4444
	●Hotel Tsushima Taxi (Kechi)	₩ 0920-54-8800
	⟨Toyotama⟩	
l	●Chubu Taxi (So)	<b>☎</b> 0920-58-0194
	●Toyotama Taxi (Nii)	₩ 20920-58-1251
	●Mid-Tsushima Taxi (Nii) —	20920-58-1131
	(Mine)	
	●Mine Taxi (Mine)	<b>☎</b> 0920−83−0140
ı	●Saka Taxi (Saka) —	<b>☎</b> 0920−82−0779
ı	〈Kamiagata〉	
1	●Kamiagata Taxi (Sasuna)	☎0920-84-2036
	●Taiichi Taxi (Sago) —	<b>☎</b> 0920−84−5311
	〈Kamitsushima〉	
	●Tsushima Taxi (Hitakatsu) —	<b>☎</b> 0920−86−2131

#### ■Rental Car

Kamiagata Taxi (Hitakatsu)-

**☎**0920-86-2104

#### Boat (in Tsushima)

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ı	●Tsushima Dream Tourism (Kechi)———	20920-54-5330
I	●Asou Bay Excursion Boat	20920-54-2010
ı	●Tsushima City Hall Toyotama Branch —	<b>☎</b> 0920-58-1111
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