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The following articles are taken mainly from "Koho Ashiya" – the bulletin of Ashiya City (September15th & October 1st issue). It is, of course, a Japanese edition, and translated into English by a voluntary group from the Shio-Ashiya Exchange Center.

Please understand that some phone numbers listed under the various events are staffed by people who may not speak English.





The 30th Ashiya Autumn Festival

Ashiya Autumn Festival, the finale of Ashiya's three major festivals, will be held on Sunday, October 7 with a full day of enjoyable events: *Danjiri* for men, a portable shrine parade for children, street stalls wind music and a bingo game.

The 30th Ashiya Autumn Festival

Date and Time: Sunday, October 7 8:45 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.

Proceed in drizzly weather, Cancelled in rough weather

Place: Seido Elementary School ground and the road east of the school

Contents: Danjiri, (float), a portable shrine parade for children, street

stalls, wind music, bingo game, etc.

- * The road east of the school will be controlled during the event.
- There is no parking; please come by public transportation.

Inquiries: Ashiya Autumn Festival Association

Regional Economy Promotion Section (Phone: 38-2033)



Emergency Petition for Typhoon No.21 Disaster Submitted

On September 11. Ashiya City, jointly with Kobe City and Hyogo Prefecture, submitted an "Emergency Petition for Typhoon No.21 Disaster" to the Minister of State for Disaster Management, Mr, Okonogi.

- Contents: ① In order to dispel a general feeling of anxiety and to protect residents' life and property, urgent financial measures must be taken into account to prevent the storm surge damages in the city.
 - ② Drifting ships and containers cause further damages for the land area behind the seawall and hold up quick recovery. Preventive measures are required.
 - 3 We want financial measures for increasing removal cost of driftage.

Inquiries: Disaster Prevention and Security Section (Phone: 38-2093)

Application of Disaster Victim Certificate (risai shomeisho)

People who have had damages from Typhoon No.21 will require a certificate to be eligible to receive various aid for disaster victims. The certificate is issued after an investigation of the damage status by city staff.

Application: On weekdays 9:00 a.m. - 5:30 p.m.

Place: City Hall South wing 1F Livelihood Assistance Section

Items to bring: Application Form (available for download at the City Official Website)

Drawings of the damaged places and photos, certificate to identify the address and the name of the applicant.

Inquiries: Livelihood Assistance Section (Phone: 38-2041)



~Please report road and park problems~ Reports Accepted on LINE



Inquiries: Help & Advice Section Okomaridesu-ka 20797-38-5401

Road Section 20797-38-2118/Parks and Greens Section 20797-38-2065

Damages to roads and parks managed by Ashiya City may now be reported on LINE. Please add Ashiya City as a friend (友だち追加 TOMODACHI TSUIKA).

■ How to add Ashiya City as a friend:

- 1 Install the LINE app on your smartphone and open the app.
- ② From the "友だち追加"
 (add friend) screen,
 scan/read the above QR
 code and press "追加"
 (add).



How to report a problem:

- Take a couple of photos of the damage, one up close and another from a distance to show the entire area.
- ② Choose "芦屋市" (Ashiya City) from the chat/talk screen.
- ③ Send the photos and information on the location or the address.
- * The app is for the purpose of gathering information to manage and maintain roads and parks appropriately. Problems reported will not necessarily be repaired, etc.
- * Reports will not be responded to individually.
- X Statuses will be updated on a monthly basis on the city webpage.



~One of a kind, just for you~ A Personalized "KOHO ASHIYA" Cover

The joys of birth/marriage may be displayed on the cover of "KOHO ASHIYA" (Ashiya City Bulletin) with a photo of your choice. You may choose between an A4 sized print or a PDF file.

◆ Price: 800 yen per copy (300 yen for each subsequent copy)

♦ Inquiries: Public Relations and International Exchange Section



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~Preparing for water supply difficulties~ Registration of Cooperating Water Wells in Times of Disaster



In order to supply water in times of major disaster, the city is accepting registrations of privately owned water wells by citizens and businesses as Cooperating Water Wells in Times of Disaster (災害時協力井戸 SAIGAI-JI KYORYOKU IDO). The well water will be utilized for household purposes (e.g. toilets, cleaning, and laundry).

Inquiries: Disaster Prevention and Security Section 20797-38-2093

Community Chest "KYODO BOKIN" Drive

Donations collected will be used for community and social welfare activities.

◆ Period: October 1 - December 31, 2018

♦ Inquiries: Community Chest Committee 20797-32-7530



Health Examination before Elementary School Entrance

"Notice of School Attendance and Health Examination" will be sent to the guardians of the estimated enrollees in elementary school in 2019 by the middle of October.

Please have a health examination at the designated school on the appointed date and time.

■ Date and Place of health examination

Monday, Oct. 22	Shiomi Elementary School	
	Seido, Iwazono, Asahigaoka an	
Tuesday, Oct. 23	Hamakaze Elementary	
	Schools	
Monday, Oct.29	Miyagawa Elementary School	
Monday, Nov. 5	Uchidehama Elementary School	
Tuesday, Nov. 6	Yamate Elementary School	



(Time: 1:30- 2:30 p.m. in all schools)

- * The health examination will be canceled in case warning of heavy rain or flood or storm wind is issued by 11:00 a.m. on the appointed day. The substitute day will be announced later.
- Eligibility: Children born between Apr. 2, 2012 and Apr. 1, 2013
- What to bring: The Notice and Maternity passbook
- * Those of you who correspond to any of the following conditions, please make contact with us.
 - (1) The appointed date is not convenient for you.
 - (2) Your locality of residence is not the same as the resident registered place.
 - (3) Anyone who lives in Ohara-cho or Kami-miyagawa-cho or Narihira-cho and wants to be enrolled in Iwazono Elementary School
 - (4) Anyone who lives in Maeda-cho or Shimizu-cho and wants to be enrolled in Seido Elementary School
 - (5) Residents of the condominium "Eslead Ashiya Yo-ko-cho" (8-20 Yo-ko-cho) who want to be enrolled in Hamakaze Elementary School

[Foreign-registered children or students who want to enter a municipal elementary or junior high school]

Notification is required. Please come to the Management Section of the School Board with your seal and any one of the child's Residence card, Special Permanent Resident Certificate, or former Alien Registration Card.

■ Inquiries: Management Section, Board of Education (Phone: 0797-38-2085)

Free Photographing Service for the Application of Individual Number Card, Currently Available!!

Date an	d Time:	9:00	a.m5:3	30 p.m.	on V	Veekdays
Place:	Window	No.6.	1F City	Hall N	orth \	Wina



- ☐ What to bring: Your *Mitome-in* (an informal seal) /Two ID certificates (a driving license, an insurance certificate, etc.) / Notification Card/
 Application form
- * An office staff will take your picture with a digital camera, which will be used as a photo for application of Individual Number Card then and there.
- * It will take 1-2 months from application to delivery of Individual Number Card.

☐ Inquiries: My Number Desk, Citizen's Section (Phone: 0797-38-2070)





- Ashiya city Volunteer Fire Corps - Equipment Has Been Purchased with Takara-kuji Grants (Lottery Grants)!

With *Takara-kuji* (Public lottery) grants through the "Community Grant Program" which is financed by lottery entrusted business income, the Ashiya city Volunteer Fire Corps has purchased equipment, such as a portable fire pump, a set of wheeled platforms and a balloon light (for night lighting).



Inquiries: General Affairs Section, Fire Department Headquarters (Phone: 0797-32-2345)

Events by Gender-Equality Center

How about spending two hours in reading leisurely for yourself, or having "your own time"? We'll take care of your child at our nursing room. Please enjoy reading any books you bring in, or any books and materials in the information corner, or enjoy "your own time" as you like.

time" as you like.	
(1) Reading Time for Adults with Temporary Child-care	
☐ Date and Time: Monday, October 15 / Tuesday, October 16	10:00 a.mnoon
(2) Spend "Your own time" with Temporary Child-care	
☐ Date and Time: Saturday, October 27 10:00 a.mnoon	
* No Wi-Fi available !	
For both (1) and (2)	
☐ Place: With-us Ashiya (Ashiya City Gender-Equality Center)	
☐ Eligibility and Capacity: 4 child-rearing parents (including grandpa	rents) and
preschool children over 6 months old in each time. Bringing a	ny child into the
room is not admitted.	
☐ Cost for day-care: 300 yen per child	
☐ Application: Come to our window, call us (except Sunday and ho	oliday) or send us

☐ Application and Inquiries: Gender-Equality Center (5–8 Kinmitsu-cho, 659–0065)

(Phone: 0797-38-2023) <E-mail: josei-ce@city.ashiya.lg.jp>

an E-mail by Sunday, October 7.

Application for Admission to Child Daycare Center for FY 2019

Application period: 1st Application: Oct. 22 - Nov. 9

2nd Application: Dec. 3 - Jan. 18, 2019

*Acceptable on Sunday, Oct. 28 & Saturday, Nov. 3.

XPlease note that the 2nd application will take place if there are still some places left after the 1st application.

Where to apply: Childrearing Promotion Section

Ashiya City Hall South Wing 1F, Window No. 16

*Application forms can be obtained at Childrearing Promotion Section, Ashiya City Hall North/South Wings reception desk or Laporte Citizens' Service Corner from Monday, Oct. 1. The forms can also be downloaded from the City's website.

- **Please note that if you want your child to be enrolled in a child daycare center from next January, February or March, you should apply together with the application for a place from next April.
- Eligibility: Children who meet all of the following criteria
 - **1**Living in Ashiya City
 - ②Requiring childcare because their parents or guardians are working or for other reasons
 - 3Born between April 2, 2013 and January 1, 2019

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■ Inquiries: Childrearing Promotion Section 20797-38-2128

Vendors Wanted for Environmental Flea Market

- ■Date and Time: Saturday, November 3 9:30 a.m. = 3:00 p.m. (Cancelled in case of rain)
- *The cancellation will be announced on the website of Society of Commerce and Industry around 8:00 a.m. on the day.
- ■Venue: Pedestrian Deck on the north side of JR Ashiya Station
- ■Capacity: 27 stalls (one household or one group with residence in Ashiya)
- Sales of food and drinks are not permitted.
- ■Fee: 1,000 yen
- Application: Send a double postcard providing your name (*furigana*), address, phone & fax number and items to sell, and your name and address on the reply-paid post card to the following address no later than Wednesday, October 10.

Ashiya City Society of Commerce and Industry

(4-28 Kimmitsu-cho 659-0065 / 🖀 0797-23-2071)

- XA lottery will be held to decide the section at 4:00 p.m. on Oct. 17 (Wed.).
- ■Inquiries: Environmental Facilities Section 20797-32-5391



Applications for Admission to Municipal Kindergarten & Nintei Kodomoen

(Kindergarten Section)

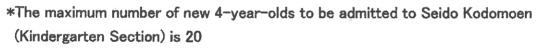
- Application Period: October 3 ~ 11 (3:00 4:30 p.m. on weekdays)
- Eligibility: 4-year-olds (2 years of childcare) and 5-year-olds (1 year of childcare) with residence in Ashiya, born between April 2, 2013 and April 1, 2015.
- Application: Bring an application form to the kindergarten you want to apply to between

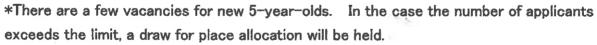
Oct. 3 and Oct.11. An application form will be handed out at each kindergarten from Monday, October 1 except Saturdays, Sundays and holidays.

Kindergarten	Location	Phone
Seido Kindergarten	11-10 Kawanishi-cho	22 -0208
(Seido Nintei Kodomoen)		
Miyagawa Kindergarten	1-20 Hama-cho	22 22-5995
Iwazono Kindergarten	24-3 Iwazono-cyo	22 22-5038
Kozuchi Kindergarten	15-7 Uchidekozuchi-cho	22-4885
Asahigaoka Kindergarten *	10-3 Asahigaoka-cho	23 32-0278
Nishiyama Kindergarten	22-15 Nishiyama-cho	23 32-5457
Ise Kindergarten	13-14 Ise-cho	23 31-8313
Shiomi Kindergarten	1-3 Shiomi-cho	34-0710

^{*}The application form can only be submitted to the kindergarten in which you wish to enroll your child.







*Asahigaoka Kindergarten will be integrated with Iwazono Kindergarten in April, 2020. Therefore, the kindergarten will only have a 5-year-old class in FY 2019.

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Inquiries: Board of Education Management Section 23 0797-38-2085



Subsidies for Children attending Schools for Non-Japanese in Japan

Parents or guardians of non-Japanese children attending schools for non-Japanese in Japan (schools equivalent to elementary and junior high schools) can receive subsidies.

Amount of subsides:

Type of Stability		Who is eligible?
School supply expenses	11,420 yen - 24,550 yen *Amount varies depending on the grade.	Students in grades equivalent to the grades between the 1 st year of elementary school and the 3 rd year of junior high school
School supply expenses for first-year students	40,600 yen	Students in the grade equivalent to the 1st grade of elementary school
	47,400 yen	Students in the grade equivalent to the 1st grade of junior high school
School trip expenses (a long trip during the last grade)	21,490 yen	Students in grades of elementary school Students in grades of junior
	57,590 yen	high school

- Eligibility: Children who meet both of the following criteria.
- ①Parents or guardians of non-Japanese children, born between April 2, 2003 and April 1, 2012, attending schools for non-Japanese in Japan (schools equivalent to elementary/junior high schools)
- ②As of Oct. 1, 2018, those living in Ashiya and receiving Children's Allowance

 * Not eligible if you receive Special Benefit. However, you are eligible, if you received
 the subsidies in FY 2017, even if you receive Special Benefit.
- ■Application: Apply to schools for non-Japanese in Japan between Oct. 1 and Oct. 31.

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Inquiries: Board of Education Management section
20797-38-2085

Doctors on Call for Emergencies on Sundays and Holidays

●Evening Me	dical Care Rotation *20:00 - 23:00 on Friday	
Oct. 5	Ueda Internal Medicine Clinic (Internal Medicine)	☎ 0797−34−1878
Oct. 12	Sujishi Clinic (Internal Medicine)	2 30797-23-0627
Oct. 19	Matsuba Clinic (Internal Medicine)	2 30797-22-1641
Oct. 26 Ashiya St. Maria Hospital (Surgery/ Internal Medicine/Orthopedics)		☎ 0797−23−1771
	lay - 7:00 on the next day / 20:00 excluding Friday - ami-Ashiyahama Hospital (Phone: 0797-22-4040)	7:00 on the next day

*Please contact each clinic beforehand.

Hospitals designated for emergencies

Ashiya Municipal Hospital (Internal Medicine)

5 0797-31-2156

Minami-Ashiyahama Hospital (Surgery/Internal Medicine) 2 0797-22-4040

Ashiya Saint Maria Hospital (Surgery/Internal Medicine)

23 0797-23-1771

◆Internal Medicine and Pediatrics (9:00 - 17:00 on Sundays and Holidays)

Ashiya City Holiday and Emergency Clinic

23 0797-21-2782

(5-13 Kimmitsu-cho)

◆Ear, Nose and Throat Clinic for emergency care

Amagasaki Medical Center (3-15-20 Suido-cho)

22 06-6436-8701

(9:00 - 16:00 on Sundays and Holidays / 18:00 - 20:30 on Saturdays)

♦Eye Clinic for emergency care

Amagasaki Medical Center 2 06-6436-8701

(9:00 - 16:00 on Sundays and Holidays)

◆Dental Clinic for emergency care

Dental Center

53 0797-31-0658

(14-9 Kurekawa-cho, Health and Welfare Center 1F)

(9:00 - 11:30 on Sundays, Holidays, and in the end/beginning of the year)

◆Kobe Children's Primary Emergency Medical Center

Days & Hours Open:

Consultation days Reception hours	
Monday - Friday	19:30 - 6:30 on the next day
Saturday	14:30 - 6:30 on the next day
Sunday & National Holiday	20:30 -6:30 on the next day
New Year Holidays	<u>s'</u>

Inquiries: Kobe Children's Primary Emergency Medical Center 2 078-891-3999 (1-4-1, Wakihamakaigandori, Chuo-ku, Kobe-City) (In HAT KOBE)





Breast Cancer and the Importance of Examinations

Shin Mizutani (Deputy Director of Ashiya Municipal Hospital)

Breast cancer is the number one cancer among cancers that affect women; it is supposed that one out of ten Japanese women has breast cancer, and moreover, the rate will increase. However, breast cancer is a disease which can be completely treated, without losing the breasts, with early detection and proper medical treatment. Therefore, it is important for all women to know about examinations and treatments for breast cancer. In a breast cancer examination, besides self-examination, it is recommended that women over 30 years of age undergo examination with mammography screening or ultrasonic wave once a year at a professional medical organization. Even minute breast cancer, not detectable by palpation, may be identified.

Ashiya Municipal Hospital adopts mammary gland surgery as its slogan, so mammary gland examinations are available any time. Furthermore, the outpatient clinic specializing in mammary glands is open on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday, and you can make an appointment by calling the reservation center. The hospital is equipped with a high-performing mammographic unit and supersensitive ultrasound instruments; examination is performed by a professional female operator, and the diagnosis and explanation of the results by a professional doctor are available within a day, so feel free to visit us. Regarding our treatment for breast cancer, we fundamentally perform breast-conserving operations, and try to consider the cosmetic aspects in conformity with the patient's wishes. Breast reconstruction surgery is available for those who wish it; last year, we operated on more than 100 cases of mammary gland disease including breast cancer.

Finally, breast cancer treatment has made rapid progress recently, and breast cancer is no more a fearful disease as long as you understand and keep in mind the importance of examinations.

<Citizen's Gallery> at Ashiya Municipal Hospital Exhibition of photos by AC (Ashiyagawa College) 27th graduates



- ♦ Period: Oct. 1 -31
- ♦ Place: Gallery space, 4F Management Building, Ashiya Municipal Hospital

Inquiries: Ashiya Municipal Hospital (Phone: 0797-31-2156)

Examination for HIV/Hepatitis/Syphilis

- ◆ Date and Time: Oct.12 / 26 (Fri) 1:30 p.m.-2:00 p.m.
- ◆ Content: Free and anonymous examination; available also for residents in the suburbs of Ashiya (Appointment required)
- ◆ Inquiries: Ashiya Health and Welfare Office (Phone: 0797-32-0707)

ASHIYA RESUME (Excerpts)

- Aiming to make Ashiya a place where Women Shine -

"ASHIYA RESUME" is a project to support women's wish to work again and contribute their talents in the community and in the workplace. Women are affected by life events such as marriage, child birth or child rearing. So the project aims to help women take action by themselves and to realize their ideas or dreams. It provides opportunities to get information, to learn and to access a network with those who share the same idea. Another important activity is that we are urging busineses a corporations or public entities who want women's participation to take initiatives on their own and to support and encourage this project. We appreciate your registration.

Inquiries: Gender Equality Promotion Section (Phone: 38-2518)

Details: 芦屋リジューム

Take the First Step! - We support your start-

Support for women's wish to work again

Before I was involved in this field, I was working as a freelance web-director. I learned that some women in Ashiya started businesses but had not been successful and others want to work part-time not full-time not as a full-time because of childcare responsibilities. So many women have few opportunities to start working and to contribute their talents. If we overlook these women's potential, it is a loss to society. I 've heard there has been the latent demand on the business side. I hope to offer chances of matching both needs.

It is really rewarding to see that those who looked very unsure of themselves find work in their area of expertise and be satisfied. One must seize the opportunity to accelerate and expand their own advancement. We offer free counselling workshops on the second Thursday of every month. Everyone is welcome to study or exchange ideas.

Ms. Mika Suzawa, Representative Director of Mamantre Inc.

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My Motto is to Enjoy Work.

Work is one of my reasons for living as I am always looking for something enjoyable. While working, we often come face to face with troubles, worries or feelings of depression, as well as happiness. Nevertheless, work adds color to our lives. When I went out into the world, I decided to work and enjoy to my heart's content for self-realization. This is a challenge to myself. My aim is to feel a sense of achievement through work, a life of no regret. I have been involved in career consultation. Women want to do something but cannot take a step forward. I'd like to advise them to do self-analysis. If one can find a kind of "focus" in oneself, it will help them to relaunch themselves into society or the community.

Ms. Yuka Noboritate, Director of mapB, Inc.

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"Try-yaru Week" Experience Report

"Try-yaru" Week is a vocational experience week for junior high school students to learn from working in the community. We sincerely thank the businesses and facilities who accepted the students for their warm support and instruction.

Inquiries: School Education Section (Phone: 38~2087)

<Experience at "Lifelong Learning Section, Cultural Property Division">

Through the restoration of ancient earthenware, I felt somewhat nostalgic to find that ancient people worked hard to make these earthenware. Ancient people be similar to modern people like us. So it is very valuable that a picture of people's everyday life remained as a form of cultural property. It will be



necessary not only to put them on display but to put them to practical use, for example, to learn how ancient people lived. Then we can see things from various viewpoints

Gina Brett (Shiomi Junior High School)

Working at Ashiya Municipal Hospital>



The staff at the Rehabilitation Section told us that doctors and nurses help patients recover with the help of medicine but the rehabilitation staff do so by bringing out patients' abilities and character. The staff take pride in their work and feel their job is rewarding job. I hear it is gratifying for the staff to hear "Thank you" from patients.

When I wash their hair or dry it with a towel, I'm told, "Thank you very much. Please keep it up!" I feel so happy.

Again, I think I want to be a medical worker in the future. A nurse said to me, "I thought that I support patients, but it is I that am supported." I hope I can be a medical worker who will have a good relationship with patients.

Sayumi Ueno (Seido Junior High Scyhool)

(Experiences at Seido Nursery School)

An event still stays with me. One day, I was playing in the mud with the children.

When for a short time I was not looking, they daubed mud on the wall Teachers showed for a moment an expression of "Oh, no. They' ve done it." But one of the teachers soon praised them. "Have you all done this? Amazing! They are very good hand prints." I could not understand why she didn't scold the children but praised them. I asked her why. She told me that she had told children exactly to do this or not to do that. You don't want to be



given a sharp scolding suddenly, do you? She just changed the words a little. I was impressed by her making such comments to children. There is no work as difficult or as important work as childcare, I thought.

Kimihisa Tsunohuri (Yamate Junior High School)

Publication of fruits of daily cultural activities! Citizen's Gallery and Stage in October



Exhibitions at Citizen's Gallery> Place: Citizen's Center

- * All exhibitions are free.
- * Exhibition hours: 9:00-17:00 except on Tuesday when the Citizen's Center is closed.
- * The opening time of the first day and closing time of the final day are shown in the table.

Period (Opening / Closing Time)	Exhibitor's Name and Content	Room	
Oct. 13 (Sat. 11:00 a.m.) ~	Exhibition of works by	Multipurpose	
Oct. 17 (Wed. 3:30 p.m.)	Sanjo Community School Art Club	Hall	
Oct 18 (Thu. 10:30 a.m.) ~	Exhibition of works by	Multipurpose	
Oct. 22 (Mon. 4:00 p.m.)	Ashiya Camera Club	Hall	
Oct.18 (Thu. 10:00 a.m.) ~	The 47th Exhibition of works by	Multipurpose	
Oct. 22 (Mon. 4:30 p.m.)	Ashiya Photo Club	Hall	
Oct.18 (Thu. Noon) ~	The 49 th Exhibition of	D 201	
Oct. 22(Mon. 4:30 p.m.)	Ashiya Painting Group	Room 301	
Oct.24 (Wed. 10:00 a.m.) ~	Exhibition of works by	Multipurpose	
Oct.27 (Sat. 4:30 p.m.)	Ashiya YO Club <i>Sharakukai</i>	Hall	
Oct.24 (Wed. 11:00 a.m.) ~	The 42 nd Exhibition of works by	Multipurpose	
Oct.27 (Sat. 4:00 p.m.)	Ashiya YO Club Painting Group	Hall	
Oct.24 (Wed 1:00 p.m.) ~	Exhibition of Bointings by Mine Club	Room 301/302	
Oct.27 (Sat. 4:00 p.m.)	Exhibition of Paintings by <i>Miro</i> Club	ROOM 301/302	
Oct.28 (Sun. 1:00 p.m.) ~	Exhibition of works by	Multipurpose	
Nov. 1 (Thu. 4:00 p.m.)	"Kaiga Tomo-no Kai"	Hall	
Oct.28 (Sun. 1:00 p.m. ~ Nov. 1 (Thu. 3:00 p.m.)	Autumn <i>Bonsai</i> Exhibition	Room 301	

 <Citizen's Stage Performance>

Place: Luna Hall / Small Hall

(The Hall opens 30 minutes before curtain rises.)

		(The Hall Opens 30 initiates before curtain rise:	3./
Date	Time	Performer / Content	Hall
Oct. 7	1:00 p.m	Ashiya YO Chorus	Luna Hall
(Sun)		"Autumn Color Concert VII"	
Oct.14	2:00 p m =	00 p.m Melodies of <i>Shinobue</i>	
(Sun)	2.00 p.m.	∼ Beautiful Japanese Lyricism (Admission: Free)	Small Hall
Oct.21	6.00	REMIX DANCE	
(Sun)	6:00 p.m	(Admission: 2,000 yen; all seats are non-reserved)	
Oct.28 (Sun)	10:00 a.m	Performance by "Ashiya City Gin-Ei-Ken-Shi-Bu Renmei"	Luna Hall



Inquiries: The Citizen's Center (Phone: 0797-31-4995) (Closed on Tuesday)

Museum of Art and History

Inquiries: 12-15 Ise-cho, Ashiya City, Hyogo 659-0052

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A Visit to Poet Tomita Saika's Former Residence

◆ Date & Time: Sun., October 21, 2:00 – 3:00 p.m. (approx.)

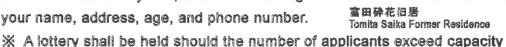
Place: Tomita Saika Former Residence

Capacity: 30 people ◆ Fee: Admission required

* Registration: Call the museum by Fri.. October 5 and give

your name, address, age, and phone number.

Tomita Saika Former Residence



Art Study Program: Teku-Teku Mana-Bihaku 2018

(1) Shukugawa Walk: History of Nishinomiya and the City's Cultural Assets

Referring to old photographs, trace the modern history of Nishinomiya by visiting

cultural assets along Shukugawa River (approx. 4 km).

Date & Time: Sat., October 20, 1:00 p.m. (approx. 31/2)

hours) % Postponed to Sun.. October

21 in case of rough weather.

Lecturer: Kyoko Kasai, Curator,

Nishinomiya City Museum

Capacity:

Note:

30 people • Fee: 200 yen

香棚園のウォーターシュート(明治 40 年ごろ) A water chute in Koroen (around 1907)

Wear comfortable shoes and clothes for walking, a cap/hat, rain gear, etc.

Bring a smartphone or tablet if you have one.

2 Ashiyagawa Walk: Discover the City's Hidden History

Referring to old photographs, follow the history and culture along Ashiyagawa River (approx. 4 km).

♦ Date & Time: Sat., October 27, 1:00 p.m. (approx. 3½

hours) * Postponed to Sun., October

28 in case of rough weather.

Lecturer: Yukari Moriyama, Curator,

Lifelong Learning Section

Capacity: ◆ Fee: 200 yen 30 people

Note: Wear comfortable shoes and clothes for walking, a cap/hat, rain gear, etc.

Registration: Send a reply-paid postcard to the museum by Wed., October 10 with your name, address, phone number and the name of the walk you wish to join.

※ One postcard application for each walk.

A lottery shall be held should the number of applicants exceed capacity



芦屋遊園を走るタクシー(大正時代) 国道2号線業平穩付近 A taxi passing Ashiya Yuen (Taisho period) Around Narihira Bridge on Route 2

Tanizaki Junichiro Memorial Museum of Literature

Inquiries: 12-15 Ise-cho, Ashiya City, Hyogo 659-0052

曾0797-23-5852/昌0797-38-3244



■ The Tale of Genji: Sculptor Semimaru Exhibition

A sculptor portrays characters in The Tale of Genji as ceramic cats.

Period: September 15 - October 8

◆ Venue: Lobby Gallery

Admission required Fee:

■ 30th Anniversary: Path of the Museum

Follow the history of the museum as 2018 marks the 30th anniversary since its opening on October 8, 1988.

October 2 - 21 Period: Admission required Fee:

Venue: **Lobby Corner**





Inspired by everyday scenery of nature, a Japanese painter delicately conveys what cannot be seen by the eyes such as the alistening of lights and the sighs of winds.

Period: October 11 – 28 Venue: Lobby Gallery

Admission required Fee:



Based on Junichiro Tanizaki's "In Praise of Shadows" (陰翳礼讚 In'ei Raisan), the film captures the essence of Japanese beauty. 24 minutes. Commentary by the director, Marei Takaki.

◆ Date & Time: Mon., October 8 (holiday), 1:00 - 2:00 p.m.

♦ Venue: Lecture Room

@TRANSMEDIA Creators Co., Ltd / Merei TAKAKI

Fee: 500 yen (includes, admission)
 Capacity: 40 people (reservations required)

Emba Museum of Chinese Modern Art

An exhibition of approximately 70 pieces of pottery, etc. from the museum collection.

Period: Until Sun., November 18, 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m. (enter by 3:30 p.m.)

X Open on Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays and public holidays)

◆ Fee: Adults ¥800 / Ages 65 and over ¥500 / Highschool/College students ¥400

Emba Museum of Chinese Modern Art **20797-38-0021** ◆ Inquiries:

Ashiya Film Collection

A screening of films taken during the early Showa period of family lives in Rokurokuso, the Great Hanshin Flood (1938), etc. with commentary.

◆ Date & Time: Sat., October 27, 2:00 - 3:30 p.m. ◆ Venue: Ashiya Citizens' Center

♦ Commentator: Tatsuro Kawaguchi ♦ Capacity: 100 people

◆ Inquiries: Community Learning Center **20797-35-0700**



NHK Open Seminar

Leonard (Tsuguharu) Foujita - Retracing his Nostalgic and Pious Paintings -

A lecture on "Leonard (Tsuguharu) Foujita Exhibition: A Retrospective Commemorating the 50th Anniversary of his Death"

(Oct.19-dec.16, at The National Museum of Modern Art, Kyoto)

☐ Date and Time: Wednesday, Oct. 31 2:00-3:30 p.m.

☐ Place: Luna Hall (The Hall opens at 1:30 p.m.)

☐ Content of the talk: Introduction of highlights of the Exhibition

☐ Lecturer: Mr. Shuichi Kajioka, the chief researcher of the National Museum of

Modern Art, Kyoto

☐ Application: Send a double-postcard with (1) seminar title "Fujita Tsuguharu Exhibition"

(2) your address, (3) name, (4) phone number and (5) the number of participants (1 or 2 persons) to the address indicated below by Monday,

Oct.15.

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

☐ Mailing Address and Inquiries:

Kominkan (The Community Learning Center) (Phone: 0797-35-0700)

Desk of "Fujita Tsuguharu Exhibition", 8-24 Narihira-cho 659-0068

~Renaissance Music performed with Period instruments~ Searching for the Origin of Early Music in Ashiya

- Date and Time: Saturday, Nov.17 2:00 p.m.-
- Place: Music room in the Citizen's Center Annex
- Programs: "Lachrimae or Flow my tears", etc. by John Dowland
- Capacity: 120 * Lottery will be held with priority for the Ashiya citizens if there are too many applicants.
- Performers: Mr. Kenji Sano (Renaissance Lute)/ Ms Mamiko Hirai (soprano)/
 Ms. Ayumi Nakanishi, Ms. Hitomi Yoshida, Ms. Makiko Ueda, Ms. Rei Yorita
 (Viola da gamba) / Ms. Kyoko Masunaga (guest)
- Participating Fee: 500 yen
- Application: Send a postcard or a fax with the name of the Concert, your name and address, phone number and the number of participants (one or two) to the address written below by Wednesday, October 31.
- Mailing address and Inquiries:

Kominkan (Community Learning Center) 8-24 Narihira-cho 659-0068 (Phone: 0797-35-0700 / Fax: 0797-31-4998)



Kenii Sano



Mamiko Hirai



Ayumi Nakanishi, Hitomi Yoshida, Makiko Ueda, Rei Yorita

Let's Cook and Eat International Food: Cake & Quiche

- ■Date & Hours: Monday, October 15 10:00 a.m. 2:00 p.m.
- Venue: Shio-Ashiya Exchange Center
- Menu: Quiche containing bacon and vegetables such as onion and zucchini, chocolate pound cake
- U-15

- Instructor: Mariko Nishida
- Capacity & Fee: 30 people / 1,800 yen
- *Please contact us two weeks before the class date to cancel. Otherwise you will be charged for course materials.
- Application & Inquiries: Make a reservation by phone or at the office counter Shio-Ashiya Exchange Center 20797-25-0511

Participants Wanted for Eco-Cooking

~Let's learn how to save energy, reduce trash and keep water clean!~

- ■Date and Time: Monday, Nov. 5 9:20 a.m. 2:00 p.m.
- Meeting Place: In front of the ticket gate at Hanshin Ashiya Station
- ■Venue: Osaka Gas hu+gMuseum
- Content: Eco- cooking (rice, miso soup, stir-fried vegetables, spring roll, etc.) and tasting Group work: Measuring the amount of gas, water and trash used for preparing the meals
- Eligibility & Capacity: Those living, working or studying in Ashiya / First 20 people
- Things to bring: an apron, a bandana to cover your hair, a towel, a drink
- Application: Call the Environment Section by 5:00 p.m. on Oct. 15.
- Inquiries: Environment Section 20797-38-2051

The 74th Citizen's Yose. A Trio of Zakoba, Nanko and Jyakusaburo

- ■Date and Time: Friday, November 30 6:30 p.m. ~ (Doors open at 6:00 p.m.)
- Venue: Luna Hall (Reserved seats only)
- Performers: Zakoba Katsura, Nanko Katsura, Jyakusaburoi Katsura, Yoneza Katsura, Yoneki Katsura
- Admission Fee: 3,000 yen (advance ticket) / 3,500 yen (at the door)
- ■Tickets are available at: Citizens' Center Office, City Hall Shop,

Lawson Ticket (L code 56162)

■Inquiries: Luna Hall Project Desk 🔁 0797-35-0700



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Gardening Seminar at Ashiya Grand Park (Sogo Koen) for October

- & Date, Time and Content:
 - (1) Saturday, Oct. 20 10:30-Noon Make a terrarium of succulent plant.
 - (2) Monday, Oct. 22 1:30-3;00: Make a pot of assorted bulbs and flowers
 - (3) Sunday, Oct. 28 Part 10:30-Noon / Part 21:30-3:00 p.m. Make a Halloween lantern
- & Capacity: 20 for each class of (1) and (2) and 15 for each Part(1) and (2) of (3)
- - * Please bring a writing material and a bag to carry the work home.
- Application: Apply by phone or fax or E-mail with notification of your name and address, your phone number and course you want to take by Saturday, Oct.13 for (1), Monday, Oct 15 for (2), Saturday, Oct.27 for Part① of (3) and by the morning hours of Oct.28 (the day of the class) for Part ② of (3).
- Application and Inquiries: Ashiya Grand Park (Sogo Koen)
 (Phone: 0797-38-2103/Fax: 0797-25-2026) (E-mail: ashiyasogo@mizuno.co.jp)

The 54 "Ashiya Chrysanthemum Exhibition"

~Waiting for your application with the Chrysanthemum of your own growing~

In this exhibition, chrysanthemum flowers of your own growing will also be displayed in the designated citizen's exhibit corner. Application with only a pot of chrysanthemum is available.

ш	Exhibition Period:	Oct. 30 -Nov.11	9:00 a.m	5:00 p.m.	
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- ☐ Place: Exhibition corner beside the entrance of the City Hall North Wing
- ☐ Content: Flower beds of "Ohgiku" (large chrysanthemum flower), "Fukusuke" and "Bonten", "Kengai (cliff) style, "Daruma" style, etc.

Inquiries: Office of Ashiya Chrysanthemum Association (Phone: 0797-38-2033)



M. T. C (Marine Technical College) Open Seminar 2018

Date and Time: Saturday, October 27, November 3, 10, and 17 1	:30-3:00 p.m.
Content: Learning about the Sea, Ship and Natural Science	
Capacity: The first 60 people	٥
Instructor: Dr. Katsutoshi Kouzai, professor at Kobe University	
Graduate school and others	
What to bring: Writing utensils	
Application: Come, call or send a fax with the filled application	form which car

October 19.

□ Place and Inquiries: General Section, Management Dept., Marine Technical Collage

12-24 Nishikura-cho 659-0026

(Phone: 0797-38-6202 / Fax: 0797-32-7904)

downloaded from the homepage to the Desk of "Open Seminar" by

Events at Uchide Educational and Cultural Center

[Storytelling for Children at Uchide Branch]

- ■Date and Hours: Saturday, Oct. 13 / 3:00 3:30 p.m.
- Eligibility: Children age 3 and over
- * No entry during story time *Parents or guardians can accompany children.

[Picture Book Reading]

- ■Date and Hours: Saturday, Oct 27 ①1:30 2:00 p.m. ②2:00 2:30 p.m.
- ■Eligibility: ①Children age 3 and over ②Children age 5 and over
- * No entry during story time

Storytelling for Children

- Date and Hours: Saturday, Oct. 27 / 2:30 3:00 p.m.
- Eligibility: Elementary school students
- * No entry during story time
- Inquiries: Ashiya City Library 2 0797-31-2301



Free Tennis Day for Ashiya Citizens

- ■Date and Time: Monday, Nov. 5 ① 9:00 a.m. 1:00 p.m. ②1:00 5:00 p.m. 35:00 - 9:00 p.m. (In case of rain, postponed until Dec. 3)
- ■Venue: Ashiya Park Tennis Court
- ■Capacity: ①&② 80 people for each session ③ 20 people
- Application: Fill in the designated application form and send it to the address below by Oct. 25.
- Imaginies: Ashiya Park Tennis Court (4-4 Matsuhama-cho, 659-0053) **5** 0797-34-8886

Ashiya Walk & Bus Tour

- ■Date and Time: Sunday, Oct. 28 / 8:30 a.m. around 6:00 p.m.
- ■Destination: Shiso City (the midwestern part of Hyogo Prefecture)
- ■Capacity: First 120 people / about 10 children (elementary school children or younger)
- ■Fee: 4,500 yen (Member: 4,000 yen) 2,500 yen for children
- Things to bring: a lunch, a drink etc.
- Application: Apply to the office mentioned below by Wednesday, Oct. 10.
- Inquiries: Ashiya City Recreation Sports Association Office (15-3 Kawanishi-cho, 659-0072) 20797-22-7910 Fax: 22-1633

Flu Shot for the Elderly



- Term of Vaccination: Oct.15 -Jan. 31, 2019
- Place: Please check the city's webpage or get information from the Health Center and ask the clinic beforehand.
- Eligibility: Those who are 65 years or older (on the day of getting the shot) / those who are 60 years or older who have a first-class Physically Disabled Handbook for inner disabilities (heart, kidney, organ of respiration, etc.)
- * If you are to be vaccinated outside of Ashiya city, please let us know beforehand.
- Cost: 1,500 ven per shot
- Inquiries: Health Section (Phone: 0797-31-1586)

Rokko Mountains Cleaning Hiking

- Date and Time: Saturday, Oct. 27 Registration: 10:00.-10:30 a.m.
 - * Cancelling (because of weather, etc.) will be decided at 6:00 a.m. on the day.
- Place: Yumotodai Square → Empeiji → Higashi-Rokko traversing road → Iwakurayama → Yuzuriha-dai → Sakasegawa Station
- Inquiries: Rokko Mountains Cleaning Society Office (Phone: 0797-38-2033) (Inside the Regional Economy Promotion Section)

Charity Garage Sale

- ◆ Date and Time: Saturday, Nov. 3 10:30 a.m.-3:00 p.m. (Will be postponed to Nov.4 in case of rain.)
- Place: Garage at Miyamoto obstetrics and gynecology clinic, Kurekawa-cho
- Content: Sale of clothes, articles for daily use, used books, etc.
 - * The proceeds will be donated.
- ▶ Inquiries: Yamanaka from the International Soroptimist, Ashiya (Phone: 0797-32-5210)

The 2nd Natural Observation

- ◆ Date and Time: Sunday, October 28 10:00 a.m.-3:00 p.m.
- Place: Woods around Ashiya Gate bus stop on Okuyama Royu Road
- Content: Plant observation
- ▶ Eligibility / Capacity: Elementary school students and over / 20
- ◆ Application and Inquiries: "Ashiya Mori-no-Kai 2001" Office

(E-mail: ashimori.2001@gmail.com)



Let'	s	Sing	Together	in	the	Art	Museum	ļ
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Date	and	T	ime:	Friday,	Oct.	19	1:30-3:00 p.m	1.

☐ Place: Ashiya City Museum of Art and History ☐ Content: Singing merrily together!

☐ Participating Fee: 500 yen (including admission) * Bring the songbook "Aisho Kashu"

☐ Inquiries: Junko Kato of I LOVE ASHIYA (Phone: 090-4296-1790)



Koryu Hiroba "Smile Hamakaze"

◆ Date & Time: Tues., October 9, 1:30 p.m. (door opens 1:00 .m.)

◆ Program: Rakugo (traditional comic storytelling), 3 performances

◆ Fee: 300 yen

◆ Venue & Inquiries: Hamakaze Assembly Hall (closed Wed.)



20797-31-0263

Nuclear-free Peace Memorial Ceremony

◆ Date & Time: Sat., October 13, 2:00 - 4:30 p.m.

Program: Storytelling, kamishibai (picture-card storytelling), and lecture

♦ Venue: Kamimiyagawa Cultural Center (100 people)

Inquiries: Ashiya Nuclear-free Peace Memorial Ceremony Executive Committee

Fukuda 206-6481-4629

Fureai Café "Eco Origami"

◆ Date & Time: Sat., October 13, 1:30 – 4:00 p.m.

Program: Create wreaths and spinning tops with origami made from used envelops

♦ Fee: 100 yen per adult (children allowed), includes drink and snack

♦ Inquiries: Leed Ashiya 220797-26-6452

Family Festa 2018

♦ Date & Time: Sun., October 28, 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Events: Recycle bazaar (fleamarket), etc.

Fee: 100 yen (café corner)

♦ Venue & Inquiries: Maeda Assembly Hall (closed Wed.)
23-3899

Kamimiyagawa Cultural Center

The hall and rooms at Kamimiyagawa Cultural Center are available for use at low costs. They may be used for various meetings (neighborhood associations, management associations, etc.), clubs/circles, music, seminars, study groups, sports, etc.

♦ Inquiries: Kamimiyagawa Cultural Center 20797-22-9229

Night Time Water Supply Pipe Repairs October (On call 5:00 p.m. - 9:00 a.m.) On Call Dates Plumbing Contractor Plumbing Contractor On Call Dates Maechu-Kogyo Chuo-Suido-Komusho 1 9 13 19 25 5 24 30 **2**0797-22-3552 0797-31-8548 Harada-Shokai Jinmei-Shokai 2 8 14 20 26 6 12 18 31 當0797-22-0706 **20797-22-3565** Ochi-Shokai Osaka-Shokai 3 7 15 21 27 10 16 22 28 **2**0797-22-4446 **2**0797-22-3708 Nishioka-Setsubi-Kogyosho 4 11 17 23 29 Please contact an Ashiya city designated plumber. **2**0797-22-9056

●On Sat, Sun and public holidays: City Hall

●On weekdays during daytime: Waterworks Customer Service Center

20797-31-2121
20797-38-2082



Let's Play! Eat! and Experience! Autumn Festa 2018

Mayumi Ikuta, Yu Wadaki, from the consortium of MIZUNO/Ashiya city PA/Riken Green

- ◆ Date and Time: Sunday, October 28 10:00 a.m.~4:00 p.m.
 (Will be carried out in light rain, and cancelled in rough weather; check the city's webpage at 8:00 a.m.)
- ◆ Place: Ashiya City Grand Park (Sogo Koen)
- ◆ Contents: ① Running Class
 - 2 "Mizuno Style Ninja School" together with grandma and grandpa
 - 3 Display of police vehicles and a fire engine / Food booth / Stage
- ◆ Eligibility / Capacity: ① 50 elementary school students in the 1st −4th grade
 ② 30 couples of a grandparent and a 3-5year old child
- ◆ Cost: ① 1,000 yen / ② 2,000 yen
- ◆ What to bring: ① / ② Casual wears fit for exercise, sports shoes, towel and water bottles
 - * Because of the natural lawn, carrying in of any food and drink besides water is not admitted.
- ◆ Application for ① and ②: Call or come to the window of the Grand Park on or after October 10.

Accepting Application for Booth Opening at the Flea Market

- ♦ Numbers of booth: 20 (3m x 3m)
 - * Booths for food and drink or goldfish scooping are not admitted
- ◆ Cost: 3,000 yen / booth (2,000 yen without parking)
- ◆ Application: Call or come to the window of the Grand Park
- ◆ Inquiries: Ashiya City Grand Park (Sogo Koen) (1-1 Yo-ko-cho 659-0034)

(Phone: 0797-38-2103 / Fax: 0797-25-2026)

(E-mail: ashiya sogo@mizuno.co.jp)

Fair: Morning-harvested Organically Grown Vegetables from Tamba

◆ Date/Time: Oct 3, 10, 17, 24 and 31 (Wed) 10:00 a.m.-1:00 p.m.

◆ Place and Inquiries: Yamanaka of Work Home Tsutsuji (Phone: 0797-22-7044)



South Hanshin Fureai Sports Festa 2018

Date & Time: Sun., October 14, 8:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Events: Admission-free skating rink, artistic swimming performances, etc.

Venue: Amagasaki Sports Forest (main lawn field)

Inquiries: South Hanshin Prefectural Citizens' Center

Prefectural Citizens and Industry Promotion Section

206-6481-4629/鼻06-6482-0579

Citizens' Trekking (Beginners)

Sun., October 14, 9:30 a.m. - 2:00 p.m. Date & Time:

Route: Hankyu Ashiyagawa Station ⇒ Koza Falls ⇒ Rock Garden ⇒ Kazefuki-iwa Rock ⇒ Amaga-toge Pass ⇒ Mt. Higashi-otafuku ⇒

Dobiwari Pass ⇒ Yama-Ashiya Park

◆ Fee: 400 yen (does not include transportation)

Lunch, water bottle, and rainwear Brina:

◆ Inquiries: Ashiya Tozan-kai (Mountaineering Club)

Hirai 20797-32-6415

Citizens' Hiking

◆ Date & Time: Wed., October 17, 8:50 a.m. – 2:00 p.m.

Route: Hankyu Ashiyagawa Station ⇒ Mt. Higashi-otafuku

(enjoy autumn beliflowers) ⇒ Kurogotani Valley ⇒

Okamoto Hachiman-jinja Shrine

Fee: 200 yen (does not include transportation)

Bring: Lunch

• inquiries: Suiyo-kai (Wednesday Club) Ueda **18**0797-23-1552

Bathing Training Room Schedule (2018 2nd-Half)

Persons with Disability:

♦ Lane lines roped Tuesdays 1:30 - 3:00 p.m./Saturdays 3:45 - 5:00 p.m.

♦ No lane lines Wednesdays 9:15 - 10:30 a.m. (except the 4th week)

Children with Disability: Saturdays 0:30 - 1:30 p.m. (every other week)

Children with Athsma: Saturdays 2:00 - 3:00 p.m.

Senior Citizens: ♦ Tuesdays – Fridays 11:15 a.m. – 0:45 p.m.

※ Agua walking only (no swimming lanes)

♦ Wednesdays - Fridays 1:15 - 2:30 p.m.

(every other week on Fridays)

Schedules may change due to other engagements.

※ Prior registration and reservations are required (Tuesday – Saturday)

Health and Welfare Center Bathing Training Room **22**0797-31-0609 Inquiries:



Monthly First-Aid Training Class

Date and Time: Sun., October 28

9:30 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Place: Main Fire Department, All-purpose Room

Contents: AED cardiopulmonary resuscitation and other emergency aids

Capacity: 20 people, first-come basis

Eligibility: Those who live, work, and study in Ashiya, Junior high

School students and over

Certificate will be given to participants.

Inquiries: Main Fire Department Emergency Section (Phone: 32-2345)



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