

☆ Special Exhibition: Treasures of Daikakuji: From Imperial Villa to Buddhist Temple (Japan)

Commemoration of the 1150th Anniversary of the Founding of Daikakuji Temple

Tuesday, January 21 - Sunday, March 16, 2025

9:30 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. Open to 8:00 p.m. on Fridays and Saturdays.

Last admission 30 minutes before closing.

Closed Mondays

Venue: Heiseikan, Tokyo National Museum (Ueno Park), 13-9 Ueno Park, Taito-ku, Tokyo

Admission fee: Adults: 2,100 yen; university students: 1,300 yen; high school students: 900 yen; junior high school students and under: free

Visitors can view the exhibition without making reservations for a specific date and time, but may be asked to wait if the exhibition is crowded.

It is possible to take photos of most of the works in the exhibition; the use of flash is prohibited.

For further information: tel: 050-5541-8600;

<<https://tsumugu.yomiuri.co.jp/daikakuji2025/english.html>>

Organizers: Tokyo National Museum, Daikakuji Temple, The Yomiuri Shimbun, Nippon Television Network Corporation, BS Nippon Corporation

☆ "Otonami" Japanese Cultural Experience & Ikebana Workshop

From January to March 2025:

Fridays: 2:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

Saturdays: 10:30 a.m. – 2:00 p.m., and 2:30 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

[Check for availability in the calendar (in Japanese) at <<https://otonami.jp>>]

Organizer: Sogetsu School

Venue: Hotel Emion Kyoto, 20-4 Sujakudonokuchi-cho, Shimogyo Ward, Kyoto

Fee: ¥11,200 (includes workshop, materials, and afternoon tea)

☆ "The 59th Kyoto Winter Tour" Special Public Viewing of Non-Disclosed Cultural Properties at Choho-ji (Rokkakudo) Temple

Friday, January 10 – Tuesday, March 18, 2025 (Closed on Saturday, March 15)

10:00 a.m. – 4:30 p.m. (Last entry at 4:00 p.m.)

Ikebana School: Ikenobo

Venue: Choho-ji (Rokkakudo) Temple, Kyoto

Admission Fee: ¥800 (includes admission to the main temple and museum)

Contact for further information: the Choho-ji website or the Kyoto Winter Tour website

Landscapes with Flower Containers: Special Exhibition (Japan)

Featuring flower vases donated by Rimei Ogo (Koryu-Sho Oh Kai)

Saturday, January 25, 2025 - Sunday, March 16, 2025

Closed Mondays. Exceptions: open on Monday, February 24; closed Tuesday, February 25

*11:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Exception: Fridays until 7:00 p.m.

*Last entry: 30 minutes before closing

Venue: Sen-Oku Hakukokan Museum Tokyo, 1-5-1 Roppongi, Tokyo

For further information: tel: 050 5541 8600; <<https://sen-oku.or.jp/tokyo/>>

Admission fee: 1,200 yen; students: 600 yen; those under 18 years old: free

Tickets can be purchased at the door or online (in Japanese) at the link above.

☆74th West Japan Ikebana Federation Exhibition Ryuseiha (Japan)

Wednesday, March 12, 2025 - Monday, March 17, 2025, 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Closes at 4:00 p.m. on March 14

Venue: 8th Floor Event Hall, Main Building, Daimaru Fukuokatenjin (Department Store), Tenjin 1-4-1, Chuo-ku, Fukuoka, Fukuoka Prefecture

Admission: Free

☆ The 63rd Japan Ikebana Association Exhibition

Wednesday, March 12 – Monday, March 17, 2025, 10:30 a.m.—7:00 p.m.

1st Term: March 12 (Wednesday) & March 13 (Thursday), closing at 5:00 p.m. on March 13 (Thursday)

2nd Term: March 14 (Friday) & March 15 (Saturday), closing at 5:00 p.m. on March 15 (Saturday)

3rd Term: March 16 (Sunday) & March 17 (Monday), closing at 5:00 p.m. on March 17 (Monday)

Venue: 11th floor Exhibition Hall, Takashimaya Shinjuku, 5-24-2 Sendagaya, Shibuya-ku, Tokyo

Admission: General admission and university students: ¥1,000; high school students and younger: Free

Organizer: Japan Ikebana Association

☆ Spring Ikebana Exhibition Ikenobo Central Training Institute Festival Exhibition (Japan)

1st Term: Friday, March 14, 2025 - Saturday, March 15, 2025, 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

2nd Term: Sunday, March 16, 2025 - Monday, March 17, 2025, 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Closes at 4:00 p.m. on March 15 and 17

Venue: Iemoto Dojo, Ikenobo Headquarters, West 18, Donomae-cho 248, Rokkaku-dori Higashinotoin Nishi-iru, Nakagyo-ku, Kyoto

248, Donomae-cho, Nakagyo-ku, Kyoto,

Note: No Ikebana arrangements will be displayed in Choho-ji Temple (Rokkakudo).

Admission Fee:

Same-day ticket: ¥1,000; Advance purchase ticket: ¥500

Ikenobo Kado Association members should contact their affiliated branch for advance purchase tickets.

High school students and younger: Free

Organizers: Ikenobo Headquarters Administration Office / Ikenobo Kado Association

Supporters: Kyoto Prefecture, Kyoto City, Kyoto Shimbun, Asahi Shimbun Kyoto Bureau, Mainichi Shimbun Kyoto Branch, Yomiuri Shimbun Kyoto Bureau, Nihon Keizai Shimbun Kyoto Office, Sankei Shimbun Kyoto Bureau

☆ "Flower Play - Shoka": Ikebana Exhibition: Ohara School of Ikebana Sakata Chapter (Japan)

Saturday, March 15, 2025, 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m., Sunday, March 16, 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Venue: Lobby, Miraini, Hikari no Minato, 1-10-1 Saiwai-cho, Sakata, Yamagata Prefecture

Admission: Free

☆ "In the Season of Laughing Mountains": Ochi District Flower Exhibition: Ohara School of Ikebana Iwami Chapter (Japan)

Saturday, March 15, - Sunday, March 16, 2025, 9:30 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

Venue: Yuyu Furusato Kaikan Multi-Hall, 332-15 Kawamoto, Kawamoto-cho, Ochi-gun, Shimane Prefecture

Admission: Free

☆ "Connecting": 70th Anniversary Exhibition: Ohara School of Ikebana Yatsushiro

Chapter (Japan)

Sunday, March 16, 2025: 1:00 p.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Tuesday, March 18, 2025: 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Venue: Citizen Exchange Area, Multipurpose Hall, Yatsushiro City Hall, 1-25 Matsuejo-machi, Yatsushiro, Kumamoto Prefecture

Admission: Free

☆ "Kozukata no Haru": 70th Anniversary Ikebana Exhibition Ryuseiha Morioka

Chapter (Japan)

Saturday, March 15, 2025 - Sunday, March 16, 2025, 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Closes at 4:00 p.m. on March 16

Venue: Iwate Human Gallery, Aiina • Iwate Prefecture Information Exchange Center, Moriokaeki Nishidori 1-7-1, Morioka, Iwate Prefecture

Admission: Free

☆105th Anniversary Ikebana Exhibition: Saga Goryu Mishima Division

Saturday, March 15 – Sunday, March 16, 2025

Venue: Senri Hankyu Hotel Osaka, Shinsenri Higashimachi 2-1, Toyonaka, Osaka

Friday, March 21, 2025 Fukuoka Chapter #76 (Japan)

Fukuoka Chapter 60th Anniversary Ikebana Exhibition

Exhibition is open to the public from 12:00 to 15:00

* Venue: Grand Hyatt Fukuoka, 1-2-82 Sumiyoshi, Hakata-ku, Fukuoka

* Admission: Free

* Contact for further information: <i.i.fukuoka.76@gmail.com>

☆"Transitions of the Seasons: Hana Urara" Ikebana Exhibition: Ikenobo Shimizu Chapter (Japan)

Friday, March 21- Saturday, March 22, 2025, 10:00 a.m.–5:00 p.m. (closes at 4:00 p.m. on March 22)

Venue: 6th Floor Exhibition Gallery, Granship (Shizuoka Convention & Arts Center), 2-3-1 Higashi-Shizuoka, Suruga-ku, Shizuoka, Shizuoka Prefecture

Admission fee: Free

Organizer: Ikenobo Shimizu Chapter

Supporters: Shizuoka City Board of Education, Shizuoka Shimbun and Shizuoka Broadcasting, Shizuoka City Association for Multicultural Exchange

☆"Hospitality of Flowers": Nihombashi Takashimaya Spring Ikebana Exhibition (Japan)

Wednesday, March 19 –Tuesday, March 25, 2025: Ikenobo 45th Headmaster, Senei Ikenobo

Wednesday, March 26 –Tuesday, April 1, 2025: Ohara School of Ikebana Headmaster, Hiroki Ohara

Wednesday, April 2 – Tuesday, April 8, 2025: Sogetsu School of Ikebana Iemoto, Akane Teshigahara

10:30 a.m.– 7:30 p.m.

Venue: 1st Floor Central Stage, Main Building, Nihombashi Takashimaya S.C., 2-4-1 Nihombashi, Chuo-ku, Tokyo

Admission fee: Free

☆"Budding": Ueda and Karuizawa District Flower Exhibition: Ohara School of Ikebana Shinano Chapter (Japan)

Saturday, March 22, 2025: 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.

Sunday, March 23, 2025: 10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m.

Venue: AEON Style Ueda, 2-12-18 Tokida, Ueda, Nagano Prefecture

Admission: Free

Saturday and Sunday, March 22-23, 2025 San Diego Chapter #119 (USA)

*Ikebana Exhibition

*Theme: Nature in Balance

*10 a.m. - 4:30 p.m.

*Venue: Room 101, Casa del Prado, Balboa Park, San Diego, California

*Admission fee: Free

*Contact for further information : <sandiegoikebana@gmail.com>

Other information: San Diego Chapter website: <https://www.ikebanasandiego.org>

People responsible for event: Judi Bowes and Deborah Warriner, Co-Chairs

“Glass in Bloom: An Ikebana Exhibition” Seattle Chapter #19 & Tacoma-Olympia Chapter #147 (USA)

*Ribbon cutting ceremony, Grand Hall: Saturday, March 22, 11 a.m.

*Saturday, March 22: 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

*Sunday, March 23: 10 a.m. - 4 p.m.

*Venue: Grand Hall, Museum of Glass, 1801 Dock Street, Tacoma, Washington

*Admission fee: Free

*Contact for further information : Vicky Czaplewski:

<vczaplewski@fulcrumpoint.com>

*Names of people responsible for event:

Vicky Czaplewski, President, Tacoma-Olympia Chapter #147

Machiko Faught, President, Seattle Chapter #19

☆ Daisuke Takahashi × Senshu Ikenobo: Hana no Stage – A One-Night Spring Spectacle Ikenobo (Japan)

Thursday, March 27, 2025, 6:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. (approximately)

Venue: Club eX: 3rd floor, Annex Tower, Shinagawa Prince Hotel, 4-10-30 Takanawa, Minato-ku, Tokyo

Admission fees:

2nd floor Royal Seat: ¥16,500 (includes exclusive benefits: signed items by Daisuke Takahashi & Senshu Ikenobo, original event goods, and one drink)

1st floor Sofa Seat: ¥13,500 (includes special benefits: original event goods and one drink)

1st floor SS Seat: ¥12,000

1st floor S Seat: ¥10,000

1st floor Limited View Seat: ¥7,000

Tickets: available from PassMarket

Application period for tickets: Tuesday, January 7, 2025, 3:00 p.m. - Sunday, January 19, 11:59 p.m. (lottery-based)

Organizer: Sky Court Co., Ltd.

Contact: Sky Court Event Office (info_event@skyc.jp)

☆12th AT Award Exhibition: Sogetsu School (Japan)

The AT Award was established in 2002 to commemorate Headmaster Akane Teshigahara's succession. It was named after her initials.

Thursday, March 27 - Friday, March 28, 2025, 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Venue: Sogetsu Kaikan, 7-2-21 Akasaka, Minato-ku, Tokyo

Contact for further information: <kyoshitsu@sogetsu.or.jp>

Ikebana Exhibition Featuring Orchids: Rochester Chapter #53 (USA)

*All Ikebana arrangements will use orchids.

*The ikebana exhibition will be in the foyer before you enter the Genesee Region Orchid Society's Annual Show & Sale.

*Friday, March 28: 1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.

*Saturday, March 29: 10:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

*Sunday, March 30: 10:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.

*Venue: Eisenhart Auditorium, Rochester Museum & Science Center (RMSC), 657 East Ave., Rochester, NY

*Admission to the ikebana exhibition: Free

*Admission fee for the Orchid Show: Adults: \$10; Students with ID: \$5; Children under 12: free

*Contact for further information: Nora Walter noraelizabethwalter@gmail.com
<<https://www.geneseeorchid.org/annual-orchid-show/>>

Name of person responsible for event: Saskia Eller <saskiaeller@outlook.com>

☆ 70th Anniversary Ikebana Exhibition, Misho-ryu Osaka Chapter

Saturday, March 29 – Sunday, March 30, 2025

Venue: 2nd Floor, Hall B, MyDome Osaka, 2-5 Honmachibashi, Chuo Ward, Osaka

☆81st Flower Offering Festival at Ise Jingu and Ikenobo Ikebana Exhibition (Japan)
Dedicated Flowers

Procession: Thursday, April 3, 2025, from Uji Bridge departing from 10:20 a.m. to Sanshuden, Ise Jingu Naiku

Flower Offering Ceremony: Thursday, April 3, 2025, Sanshuden Noh Stage

Ikebana Exhibition: Thursday, April 3 - Friday, April 4, 2025, Sanshuden Rest Area

Venue: Ise Jingu Naiku, Sanshuden, 1 Ujitachi-cho, Ise, Mie Prefecture

Admission: Free

Organizer: Ikenobo Ikebana Foundation

☆"Hana Musubi – Connecting Flowers, Connecting People": 76th Kado Kyoten

A comprehensive exhibition of 27 schools of ikebana (Japan)

First Period: Thursday, April 10– Saturday, April 12, 2025

Second Period: Sunday, April 13 – Tuesday, April 15, 2025

10:00 a.m. – 6:30 p.m.(closes at 7:00 p.m.)

Saturday, April 12, and Tuesday, April 15, last entry 4:30 p.m.; closes at 5:00 p.m.

Venue: 6th Floor, Daimaru Museum, Daimaru Kyoto, 79 Tachiuri Nishimachi, Takakura Nishi Iru, Shijo-dori, Shimogyo-ku, Kyoto

Admission fee: Advance tickets: ¥700 (tax included); same-day tickets: ¥900 (tax included); free for university students and younger

Organizers: Kyoto Ikebana Association, Kyoto City, Kyoto Arts and Culture Association, Kyoto Tourism Association

Support: Kyoto City Board of Education

☆"The Faces of Plants" Ikebana Exhibition Ryuseiha Miyagi Chapter (Japan)

Saturday, April 12, 2025 - Monday, April 14, 2025, 10:30 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Closes at 5:00 p.m. on April 14

Venue: Sendai Mediatheque, 1F, Kasuga-machi 2-1, Aoba-ku, Sendai, Miyagi Prefecture

Admission: Free

☆ Ikenobo Ikebana Exhibition

Expo 2025 Osaka, Kansai

Sunday, April 13 – Sunday, April 20, 2025, 10:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Venue: Expo 2025 Osaka, Kansai (East Gallery)

Organizer: Ikenobo Foundation

Contact for further information: Ikenobo Foundation, Ikebana Promotion

Department: tel: 075-231-4922; email: katen@ikenobo.jp

Saturday, April 19, 2025 Sarasota Chapter #115 (USA)

Ikebana Exhibition

*Theme: Ikebana Is Art

*10:30 a.m.- 4:00 p.m.

*Venue: Gulf Gate Library, 7112 Curtiss Ave., Sarasota, Florida

*Admission fee: Free

*Contact for further information: Polly Curran, Corresponding Secretary
<curranpolly@gmail.com>

Saturday, April 26 - Sunday, April 27, 2025, 10:00 a.m. - 6:00 p.m. Kyoto (Japan)

Ikebana Exhibition by many iemotos, including those from Ikenobo, the Ohara School of Ikebana, Sogetsu School, Misho-ryu, Saga Goryu, the Ichiyo School of Ikebana, Ryuseiha, and other ikebana schools based in Kyoto, plus 300 members of Ikebana International worldwide

Venue: Kyoto International Conference Center

Access: From JR Kyoto Station, take the Kyoto Municipal Subway Karasuma Line

for about 20 minutes to Kokusaikaikan Station. From the ticket wicket, go through the underground passage to Exit 4-2 and follow the walkway to the main entrance of the Conference Center.

Admission fee: ¥1,000

Contact for information about purchasing tickets: <shizuko.okubo@gmail.com>

☆"Turning a New Page" Ikebana Exhibition: Ryuseiha Akita Southern Chapter (Japan)

Saturday, April 26 – Sunday, April 27, 2025, 10:00 a.m.– 5:00 p.m.

Venue: Yokote City Lifelong Learning Center “Ao-na”, 2-12 Ekimae-cho, Yokote, Akita Prefecture

Admission fee: Free

☆"Feel the Beauty of Flowers": 50th Anniversary Ryuseiha Goshogawara Chapter Ikebana Exhibition (Japan)

Saturday, April 26 – Sunday, April 27, 2025, 10:00 a.m. – 8:00 p.m. (closes at 6:00 p.m. on April 27)

Venue: 2nd floor ELM Hall, 517-1 Fujimaki, Karakasayanagi, Goshogawara, Aomori Prefecture

Admission fee: Free

☆Kitakyushu Ikebana Association Exhibition (Japan)

Saturday, April 26 – Monday, April 28, 2025, 10:00 a.m. – 6:30 p.m. (closes at 5:00 p.m. on April 28)

Venue: Pastel Hall, 9th floor, Kokura Izutsuya, 1-1 Semba-machi, Kokurakita-Ku, Kitakyushu, Fukuoka Prefecture

Admission fee: Advance tickets: ¥350; same-day tickets: ¥500

☆"Harmony of Flowers and People – Towards the Future": 100th Anniversary and Youth Division 45th Anniversary Ikebana Exhibition, Ikenobo Izumo Chapter (Japan)

Sunday, April 27 – Monday, April 28, 2025, 10:00 a.m.– 5:00 p.m. (closes at 4:00 p.m. on April 28)

Venue: Toki Kaikan, 2-2456-4 Nishi-shinmachi, Izumo, Shimane Prefecture

Admission fee: Free

Organizer: Ikenobo Izumo Chapter

Supported by: Izumo City, Izumo Board of Education, Izumo Arts & Culture Foundation, Izumo Chamber of Commerce and Industry, San-in Chuo Shimpo, BSS San-in Broadcasting, TSK San-in Chuo TV

☆"Towards the 140th Anniversary of Our School" Ikebana Exhibition: Ryuseiha Fukushima Chapter (Japan)

Sunday, May 4 –Tuesday, May 6, 2025, 10:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. (closes at 4:00 p.m. on May 6)

Venue: AOZ Active Senior Center, 4th Floor, MAX Fukushima, 1-18 Sonedamachi, Fukushima, Fukushima Prefecture

Admission fee: Free

☆"Lush Green, Fragrant Breeze": 15th Tokyo West Branch Ikebana Exhibition School of Sogetsu (Japan)

Featuring works by Iemoto Akane Teshigahara

Friday, May 9 – Sunday, May 11, 2025, 10:00 a.m.– 4:30 p.m.

Venue: Hanamidori Cultural Center, Showa Kinen Park, 3173 Midoricho, Tachikawa, Tokyo

Admission fee: Free

☆"The Expressions of Plants, Radiant Brilliance" Ikebana Exhibition: Ruseiha Tsuchiura Chapter (Japan)

Saturday, May 17 – Sunday, May 18, 2025, 11:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m. (closes at 4:00 p.m. on May 18)

Venue: Tsuchiura Citizens Gallery, 1st Floor, Arcas Tsuchiura, 1-1 Yamatocho, Tsuchiura, Ibaraki Prefecture

Admission: Free

☆"The Origin of Ikebana: Flowers, Life, Future" Ikebana Exhibition: Ikenobo Tokyo (Japan)

First Period: Wednesday, May 21 –Thursday, May 22, 10:00 a.m.– 7:00 p.m.

Second Period: Friday, May 23 –Saturday, May 24, 10:00 a.m.– 7:00 p.m.

Third Period: Sunday, May 25 –Monday, May 26 May, 10:00 a.m.– 6:30 p.m.

(Last admission is 30 minutes before closing each day.)

Venue: 7th Floor Event Hall, Nihombashi Mitsukoshi Main Store, 1-4-1 Nihombashi-Muromachi, Chuo-ku, Tokyo

Admission fee: ¥1,000 (tax included); free for high school students and younger

Contact for further information: <*katen@ikenobo.jp*>

Organizer: Ikenobo Kadokai Foundation

Supporters: The Asahi Shimbun, The Mainichi Shimbun, The Yomiuri Shimbun, The Nihon Keizai Shimbun, The Sankei Shimbun, The Tokyo Shimbun