Friday, March 14, 2025 Kobe Chapter #181 (Japan)

Regular monthly meeting with demonstration and luncheon

- *Floral art demonstration by Mr. Fumihiko Muramatsu of Floral Decor
- *Time: 11:40 15:00
- *Venue: Nippondaira Hotel, 1500-2 Mabase, Shimizu-ku, Shizuoka, Shizuoka Prefecture:
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- *Admission fee: Kobe Chapter members: 7,000 yen; others: 8,000 yen
- * Deadline for reservations: February 14, 2025
- *Contact for further information: <iikobe181@gmail.com>
- *Other information: Program Director: <yuka.1225.iwasaki@gmail.com>

Wednesday, March 19, 2025 St. Petersburg Chapter #65 (USA)

Sogetsu Demonstration and Luncheon

*Ikebana St Petersburg's Annual Luncheon featuring an ikebana demonstration by Christine Donck-Guelton, 2nd Grade, Jonin Sanyo, Sogetsu School of Ikebana

- *Doors open, 9:30 a.m.; demonstration starts 10:30 a.m.
- *Luncheon starts 12:00 p.m.

A basket raffle and silent auction will be held after the luncheon.

- *Venue: Ballroom, St Petersburg Yacht Club, 11 Central Avenue, St. Petersburg, Florida
- *Fee for luncheon: \$75
- *Deadline for reservations: March 14
- *Online registration: https://ikebanastpetersburg.com/ikebana-demonstration-luncheon-signup-2025/
- *Contact for further information: https://ikebanastpetersburg.com/contact-us/

or Mary Sharrow < mary 5178@outlook.com>

This event is open to the public.

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

Fukuoka Chapter 60th anniversary celebration, ceremony, demonstration, ikebana exhibition, and luncheon

* Demonstration by Ms. Rumiko Manako of the Manako Flower Academy

Event starts 12:00, ends 15:00 (Registration opens 11:00)

Deadline for luncheon reservations: Friday, February 28, 2025 (no deadline for participation in the exhibition)

- * Venue: Grand Hyatt Fukuoka, 1-2-82 Sumiyoshi, Hakata-ku, Fukuoka *Admission fee (members, guests, and non-members): 15,000 yen
- *Contact for further information: <i.i.fukuoka.76@gmail.com>

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

*Theme: Nature in Balance: Two Days of Ikebana Demonstrations

Saturday, March 22 schedule:

11:30 a.m.: Ichiyo: Deborah Warriner, Ichiyo Master

12:-00 p.m.: Ikebana school and demonstrator to be announced

1:30 p. m.: Ohara: Jackie Zhang, 1st Master

Sunday, March 23 schedule:

11:30 a.m.: Ikebana school and demonstrator to be announced

12:-00 p.m.: Sogetsu: Yumi Rakers, Jonin Somu Degree

1:30 p.m.: Sogetsu: Yuriko Caldwell and Patricia Fuchs, Teaching Degree

*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

Saturday, March 22, and Sunday, March 23, 2025 Seattle Chapter #19 & Tacoma-Olympia Chapter #147 (USA)

*Event theme: "Glass in Bloom"

Ikebana demonstrations by Ikebana International members from various schools of ikebana Saturday, March 22, and Sunday, March 23: 1 p.m. - 3 p.m.

*Venue: Theater, 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