

Kaleidoscope Meguro

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Greetings

I am privileged to forward this message as the Mayor of Meguro City at the occasion of the foundation of Kaleidoscope Meguro.

As of May 2017, 8,264 non-Japanese people are living in Meguro City, which constitutes about 3 percent of the whole population of the city. The number has been rapidly increasing.



"Meguro Multicultural Promotion Vision" was made in Meguro City in March 2017. Since then, the city has taken various measures to make the city an attractive, multicultural community.

This time, Meguro City has asked MIFA to publish Kaleidoscope Meguro as a social media to provide non-Japanese residents with useful information so that they can live a safe life beyond differences in languages and lifestyles.

I hope this newsletter will find many non-Japanese readers and make their lives richer.

Eiji AOKI Mayor of Meguro



Congratulation on the publication of Kaleidoscope Meguro.

I am delighted that Kaleidoscope Meguro has been launched for non-Japanese people living in Meguro City.

This year is the 25th anniversary of Meguro International Friendship Association (MIFA).

I am honored to undertake a task from Meguro City to publicize this newsletter in this memorial year.

While "Internationalization" was the key word 25 years ago, it is now urgent to form a multicultural society.

I sincerely hope that non-Japanese people who live, grow, study, and or work in Meguro City will find this newsletter useful to make their life richer and safer. Kaleidoscope Meguro working group and I are determined to make our best efforts to improve the content of the newsletter.

Reiko KATO
Chief Director Meguro International Friendship Association