

Japanese Summer and Fall festivals

Here in Japan, we hold various festivals from summer through fall. This time, we welcome foreigners to participate in two festivals: the 52nd Nakameguro Summer Festival and the International Mikoshi (portable shrine) held during Annual Kumano Shrine Festival.

Nakameguro Festival Megurohoujinkairen

Date: Saturday, August 5th 2017

Time: 5:30pm

Locations: Nakameguro Station West side, Meguro Ginza Street, Nakameguro West Ginza Street and Nakameguro GT

Awa Dance Rehearsals:

held every Monday and Wednesday of July (except Monday the 17th)

6:00pm – 8:00pm

non-japanese residents are welcome to practice with us!

For more information to Meguro houjinkai office via phone, FAX and e-mail.

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International Mikoshi Festival

Date: Saturday, September 2, 2017

Time: 3:00pm-8:30pm (Reception desk opens at 3:00pm)

Reception Location: Mizuho Bank Jiyugaoka Branch Parking Lot

Requirements: Any non-japanese 14 years of age or older who can speak Japanese, French, English or Chinese. Application is required in advance.

Once you file an application, you will receive a participation card. Participation is free. On the day of the event, please come wearing white shorts and sneakers.



Limited Enrollments: 50

Participants will be provided with a "Hanten" jacket and a "Tenugui" a Japanese head towel. The jackets must be returned after the event but the head towels are for you to take home as souvenirs. Please join a free barbecue party after the event!

Inquiries: Jiyugaoka Information Center (Japanese language only) Phone: 03-5731-7274

How to apply: Send a fax noting the information below to 03-3717-4549

Your name, nationality, language(s) spoken, home address, phone number, fax, email and how you heard about the event (1. S.F.J.J 2. MIFA 3. Jiyugaoka-abc.com 4. Friends 5. Meguro-navi.com 6. other)