

# Events in Kyoto

Kyoto Tourist Information Center (Kyo Navi)

## June 23 – July 6, 2025



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### Events

#### June 21 - Aug 31 Tanabata Wind Chime Festival

- 8:30- 17:30 ● Enjoy the refreshing sound of 1,000 wind chimes ● 600 yen ● Heian Jingu Shrine Garden

#### June 27 - 29 Kyoto Antique Fair

- One of the largest Antique Fairs ● 10:00 - 17:00 (~16:00 on 29th)
- Pulse Plaza (Free shuttle bus available from west exit #4 of subway Takeda station)

#### June 30 Nagoshi no Harae

- All day long ● Shinto purification ritual performed by walking through the huge wreath made of grass ● Free of charge
- Yasaka shrine, Kitano Tenmangu shrine, Kamigamo shrine Shimogamo shrine & Heian shrine etc.



#### July 1 Naginata Hoko Osendo (the beginning of Gion Festival)

- 10:00~ ● This year's Chigo (sacred boy who rides on the leading Naginata Hoko float) visits Yasaka shrine to pray for the safety during the festival ● Yasaka shrine

### Evening Light-Up

#### July 1 - Aug 15 Tanabata Evening Illumination

- Sunset - 20:00 ● Free of charge ● Kifune Shrine

#### July 5 & 6 Tanabata Evening Illumination

- 17:00 - 21:30 ● 600 yen ● Kodai-ji Temple

#### July 1 - Sep 6 Beer Garden with Maiko

- Enjoy the atmosphere of old Kyoto. Maiko and Geiko (dressed in cotton kimono) will visit your table and take pictures with you ● Enter between 17:30 - 20:30 (2 hours)
- 2,500 yen ● Kamishichiken Kaburenjo Theater

#### Until March 31, 2026 Light Cycles

- 19:30 - 20:30 (until July 21)
- Closed on Mon ● 2,500 yen at the door, 2,300 yen at Kyo Navi
- Kyoto Botanical Gardens



Tickets available at Kyo Navi

### Noh plays

#### July 1 Kamo Mitoshiro Noh

- 18:00~ ● Noh performed by torch light
- 4,000 yen at the door / 3,000 yen in adv.
- "Toboku" ● Kamigamo shrine



### Gion Corner

Tickets available at Kyo Navi

7 Traditional Performances including Kyogen, Maiko Dance, Koto music on One Stage!

- Every day 18:00 / 19:00
- Premium Seat : 6,600 yen
- Seat with tea and sweets : 6,050 yen
- Adults : 5,500 yen
- Age 16 - 22 : 3,850 yen
- Age 7 - 15 : 3,300 yen



### Museums

#### Until Aug 3

Byobu and Emaki (Expansive Large Screens & Illustrated Narrative Handscrolls)

- 10:00 - 16:30 ● Closed on Mon
- 1,800 yen ● Hosomi Museum

#### Until July 6

WASHOKU

Tickets available at Kyo Navi

- 10:00 - 17:30 (~19:00 on Fri)
- Closed on Mon ● 1,800 yen ● The Museum of Kyoto

#### Until Sep 7

YAYOI KUSAMA

Tickets available at Kyo Navi

- 10:00 - 17:30 ● Closed on Mon
- 2,200 yen ● Kyoto City KYOCERA Museum of Art

#### Until Jul 6

Konoshima Okoku (Kyoto Master Artist)

- 10:00 - 16:30 ● 1,000 yen (Saga Arashiyama Museum of Arts and Culture) ● 1,500 yen (Fukuda Museum)
- 2,300 yen for both museums

### Maiko Dance

Tickets available at Kyo Navi

#### June 28 & 29

Joint performance of five Maiko & Geiko districts in Kyoto ● 11:00~ & 14:30~

- 14,000 yen/ 13,000 yen/ 6,500 yen
- Minamiza Theater



#### June 27

Maiko Dinner

- Japanese traditional culture experience with Maiko/ Dance and Japanese Cuisine ● 18:30~
- 25,000 yen (Reservation & payment in advance are required) ● Hyatt Regency Kyoto, Touzan Restaurant

### Japanese Music

#### June 25

Koto, Shamisen & Shakuhachi Concert

- 19:00 - 21:00 ● 1,000 yen ● Kyoto Pref. Center for Art & Culture, Japanese room

#### June 28

Shamisen Dojo with live music

- 18:30 - 21:30 ● 2,000 yen with a drink ● Liquor Store Sakatani (near Shichijo - Keihan mae bus stop)

### Cormorant Fishing

#### July 1 ~

- 19:00 & 20:00 ● Oi River in Arashiyama ● 3,000 yen
- 19:00 ● Uji River in Uji ● 2,700 yen



### Markets

Notice: In case of rain, the market may be cancelled

#### June 25

Tenjin-san, Flea Market

- 7:00 - 16:00 ● Kitano Tenmangu Shrine

#### June 28

Re: Kyotohaku, Handicraft Market

- 9:00 - 16:00 ● Okazaki Park

#### July 6

Garakuta-ichi, Antique & Handicraft Market

- 7:00 - 16:30 ● To-ji Temple

## Discover Kyoto Q

#### NIDEC KYOTO TOWER

Tickets available at Kyo Navi

Enjoy a view 100 meters above the ground! You can also enjoy the night view at the highest place in Kyoto!

- Open: 10:00 - 20:30 (last entry)
- Price: 900 yen
- The cheapest ticket (700yen) is available at Kyo Navi!



#### TOEI KYOTO STUDIO PARK

Tickets available at Kyo Navi

The only theme park in Japan where you can observe the filming of period dramas!

Enjoy attractions based on the Edo period, such as "Ninja Show", "Samurai Sword Fighting Lesson", etc.

- Open: 9:00 - 16:00 (last entry)
- Price: 2,800 yen ● 2,200 yen ticket is available at Kyo Navi

