

Events in Kyoto

Kyoto Tourist Information Center (Kyo Navi)



Aug 5 – 18, 2024

Events

Rokusai Nembutsu Dance

Religious dance created about 1,100 years ago, registered as a UNESCO Intangible Cultural Heritage

Aug 9 ● 19:00- 21:00 ● Mibudera Temple



Aug 14 ● 19:00 - ● Senbon Enmado Temple

Aug 16 ● 19:00 - 20:30 ● Mibudera Temple

Toro Nagashi

Hundreds of paper lanterns floated on the river or on the pond to send off the ancestor's spirits

Aug 16 ● 19:00 - 21:00 ● Arashiyama Nakanoshima Park



Aug 16 ● 19:00 - 21:00 ● Hirosawa Pond

Mantoe (Religious Lantern Ceremony)

Aug 2 - 18 ● Sunset – 20:00 ● Kitano Tenmangu Shrine

Aug 8 - 10 ● 20:00 - 21:00 ● Rokuhara-mitsuji Temple

Aug 9 - 16 ● 18:00 - 21:00 ● Mibu Temple



Gozan Okuribi Bon Fire

Aug 16 ● 20:00~

One of Kyoto's symbolic religions ceremonies to send off ancestor's spirits. 6 fires in different characters are lit on the mountains one by one



Evening Light-Up

For details →

Aug 14 - 16 The Evening Special Visit ● 18:30 – 21:00 ● 400 yen ● Kiyomizu Temple

Aug 14 - 16 Akari-no-Michi

● Traditional streets light up with 100 lanterns ● 18:00- 20:00 ● Ninenzaka and Sannenzaka slope

Until Aug 18 Special Evening Opening

● 17:00 - 21:30 ● 600 yen ● Kodaiji Temple



Until Aug 25 NAKED Summer Festival

● 18:30 - 21:20 ● Nijo-jo Castle



Noh plays

For details →

Aug 16 Rosoku Noh (Noh Play under candlelight)

● 17:00~ ● "Aoi-no-Ue"
● 5,000 yen ~ 7,000 yen ● Kongo Noh Theater
● Reservation 075-441-7222

Museums

Until Aug 28 Exhibition of the Collection

"Heian Picture Scrolls Adorned with Nishijin Textiles"

● 10:00 - 16:00 ● Admission Free
● Closed Aug 5 & 13 ● Nishijin Textile Center 3F

Until Sep 1 Takashi Murakami MONONOKE KYOTO

● 10:00 - 17:30 ● 2,200 yen ● Closed Aug 5 & 13
● Kyoto City KYOCERA Museum of Art Higashiyama Cube

Until Sep 1 Giant Robots

The Core of Japanese Mecha Anime

● 10:00 - 17:30 (open till 19:00 on Fri.) ● 1,800 yen
● Closed Aug 5 & 13 ● The Museum of Kyoto

Until Sep 1 Kaga Maki-e and Kyo Maki-e

● 10:00 - 16:30 ● 1,000 yen
● Closed Aug 5, 6 & 13 ● Kiyomizu Sannenzaka Museum

Until Oct 1 Fukuda Animals on Parade ①

● 10:00 - 16:30 ● Open daily ● 1,500 yen
● Fukuda Art Museum

Until Oct 1 Saga Arashiyama Bird & Flower Garden ②

● 10:00 - 16:30 ● Open daily
● Saga Arashiyama Museum of Arts and Culture ● 1,000 yen

Combination ticket for ① and ② : 2,300 yen

Markets

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

Aug 7 - 10 Gojo Wakamiya Pottery Market

● 10:00 - 22:00 ● on Gojo street (Higashioji St. ~ Kawabata St.)

Aug 9 Kyoto Heian Antique Market

● 9:00 - 16:00 ● Okazaki Park

Aug 10 Heian Rakuichi Handicraft Market

● 16:00 - 20:00 ● Okazaki Park

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

No performance on Aug 16



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
● 700 yen tickets are 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 "Ninja Show", "Samurai Sword Fighting Lesson", etc. in the Edo period.

● Open: 9:00-16:30 (last entry)
Aug 3, 4: 9:00-20:30 (last entry)
● Price: 2,400 yen
● 2,200 yen tickets are available at Kyo Navi!



* Information is subject to change without notice.

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