

*Our town doesn't have an art museum.
Our beautiful beach is our art museum.*



Irino Coast,
Kuroshio Town

Natural beauty is the permanent exhibit of the Seaside Gallery.
Come to experience our "works" in this relaxing environment.



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<https://www.facebook.com/9640town/>

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http://instagram.com/kuroshio_town/

Kuroshio Town Guidebook

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英語版



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**Come eat
our delicious
bonito!**

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Kuroshio Town Map

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Saga Area Area Magnified Map

道駅
なぶら土佐佐賀
Roadside Station
Nabura Tosa Saga

Magnified Map ①

土佐くろしお
鉄道中村・宿毛線
Tosa kuroshio railroad
Nakamura-Sukumo line

森のパンやさん
Mori-no-Panyasan

さか谷三里
マーケット
Sagatanisanri
Market

土佐佐賀温泉
こぶしのさと
Tosa Saga
Hot Springs
Kobushi-no-Sato

交番
Police Box

荷稲
Kaina

民宿 弘田
Hirota B&B

Magnified Map ②

土佐佐賀天然塩
いごてつ
Tosa Saga Natural Salt
Igotetsu

(有) ソルティープ
Saltive corporation

企業組合
ソルトビー
Industrial
Coop

土佐のあまみ屋
Tosa-no-Amamiya

山三荘 Yamasanso

土佐佐賀産直出荷組合
Tosa Saga Sanchoku Shukka
Co-op Inc.

土佐西南大規模公園
佐賀東公園多目的広場
Tosa Seinan Large-Scale Saga Park,
Higashi Park Multi-purpose Open Space

シーカヤックくろしお
Sea Kayak Kuroshio

土佐神社
Tosa Shrine

漁家民宿 魚影
B&B Uokage

塩屋の浜
Shiroya Beach

明神水産株式会社
Myojin Suisan Co., Ltd.

金比羅神宮
Konpira Shrine

(有) 土佐佐賀水産
Tosa Saga
Suisan corporation

佐賀漁港
Saga Fishing port

鹿島ケ浦
Kashimagaura

鹿島
Kashima

erba (エルバ)

赤字・・・食
Red letter・・・Dining

青字・・・宿泊
Blue letter・・・Lodging

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Ogata Area Magnified Map

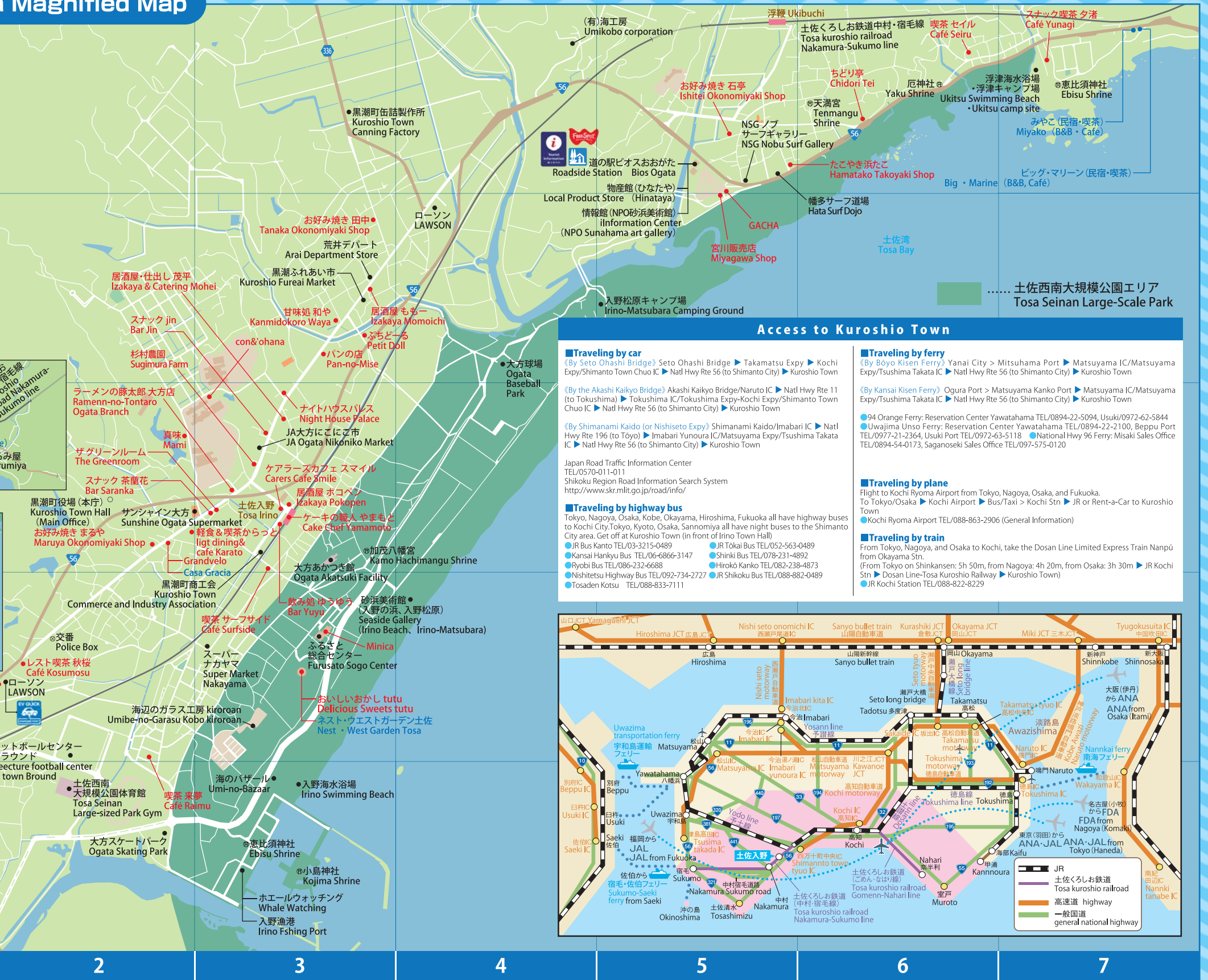
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Magnified Map ④



Magnified Map ⑤



Access to Kuroshio Town

Traveling by car

By Seto Ohashi Bridge Seto Ohashi Bridge ▶ Takamatsu Expy ▶ Kochi Expy/Shimanto Town Chuo IC ▶ Natl Hwy Rte 56 (to Shimanto City) ▶ Kuroshio Town
By the Akashi Kaikyo Bridge Akashi Kaikyo Bridge/Naruto IC ▶ Natl Hwy Rte 11 (to Tokushima) ▶ Tokushima IC/Tokushima Expy-Kochi Expy/Shimanto Town Chuo IC ▶ Natl Hwy Rte 56 (to Shimanto City) ▶ Kuroshio Town
By Shimanami Kaido (or Nishiseto Expy) Shimanami Kaido/Imabari IC ▶ Natl Hwy Rte 196 (to Toyo) ▶ Imabari Yunaura IC/Matsuyama Expy/Tsushima Takata IC ▶ Natl Hwy Rte 56 (to Shimanto City) ▶ Kuroshio Town

Japan Road Traffic Information Center
 TEL/0570-011-011
 Shikoku Region Road Information Search System
<http://www.skr.mlit.go.jp/road/info/>

Traveling by highway bus

Tokyo, Nagoya, Osaka, Kobe, Okayama, Hiroshima, Fukuoka all have highway buses to Kochi City. Tokyo, Kyoto, Osaka, Sannomiya all have night buses to the Shimanto City area. Get off at Kuroshio Town (in front of Irino Town Hall)
 ●JR Bus Kanto TEL/03-3215-0489 ●JR Tokai Bus TEL/052-563-0489
 ●Kansai Hankyu Bus TEL/06-6866-3147 ●Shinko Bus TEL/078-231-4892
 ●Ryobi Bus TEL/086-232-6688 ●Hiroko Kanko TEL/082-238-4873
 ●Nishitetsu Highway Bus TEL/092-734-2727 ●JR Shikoku Bus TEL/088-882-0489
 ●Tosaden Kotsu TEL/088-833-7111

Traveling by ferry

By Bōyo Kisen Ferry Yanai City > Mitsuhamu Port ▶ Matsuyama IC/Matsuyama Expy/Tsushima Takata IC ▶ Natl Hwy Rte 56 (to Shimanto City) ▶ Kuroshio Town
By Kansai Kisen Ferry Ogura Port > Matsuyama Kanko Port ▶ Matsuyama IC/Matsuyama Expy/Tsushima Takata IC ▶ Natl Hwy Rte 56 (to Shimanto City) ▶ Kuroshio Town
 ●94 Orange Ferry: Reservation Center Yawatahama TEL/0894-22-5094, Usuki/0972-62-5844
 ●Uwajima Unso Ferry: Reservation Center Yawatahama TEL/0894-22-2100, Beppu Port TEL/0977-21-2364, Usuki Port TEL/0972-63-5118 ●National Hwy 96 Ferry: Misaki Sales Office TEL/0894-54-0173, Saganoseki Sales Office TEL/097-575-0120

Traveling by plane

Flight to Kochi Ryoma Airport from Tokyo, Nagoya, Osaka, and Fukuoka.
 To Tokyo/Osaka ▶ Kochi Airport ▶ Bus/Taxi > Kochi Stn ▶ JR or Rent-a-Car to Kuroshio Town
 ●Kochi Ryoma Airport TEL/088-863-2906 (General Information)

Traveling by train

From Tokyo, Nagoya, and Osaka to Kochi, take the Dosan Line Limited Express Train Nanpu from Okayama Stn.
 (From Tokyo on Shinkansen: 5h 50m, from Nagoya: 4h 20m, from Osaka: 3h 30m) ▶ JR Kochi Stn ▶ Dosan Line-Tosa Kuroshio Railway ▶ Kuroshio Town
 ●JR Kochi Station TEL/088-822-8229



Kuroshio Town Recommended Events

Admire the dancing carp in the sky



You'll find yourself captivated by the roughly 100 carp and bonito streamers hanging above the river of Iyoki from the end of April to beginning of May. The Bonito and Carp Streamers River

Crossing Festival is held on May 3rd. There's bonito-searing shows using hay and food stalls selling fish dishes. Kids even get to make their own handmade carp paper streamers to take home! (Limited number available)



Bonito and Carp Streamers River Crossing

From end of April to beginning of May

The Bonito and Carp Streamers River Crossing Executive Committee (office located a few min. on foot from roadside station)

☎0880-55-3307

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Run across a relaxing beach



Soak in the rays of the summer's first sunlight and feel the salt breeze as you run "barefooted" through the fine sands of the expansive 4-kilometer stretch of beach covering the

"Sunahama Bijutsukan" (Seaside Gallery). Enjoy the sensations of the comfortable salt breeze and sand under a deep blue sky. The "many footprints" covering the beach are a part of the Seaside Gallery's art pieces!



The National gata Seaside Barefoot Marathon Competition

Scheduled for May 3rd

Barefoot Marathon Competition Office (Kuroshio Town Board of Education)

☎0880-43-0044

MAP P4 N-4



There's plenty to do and see aside from the T-shirt Art Exhibition such as the Seaside Post Office, Sand Figure Experience and Candle Night so make sure to check in advance!

T-Shirt Art Exhibition

Scheduled for beginning of May

NPO Seaside Gallery

☎0880-43-4915

MAP P4 N-4

A dream-like world of T-shirt art across the seaside

Now, a specialty of Irino, the T-shirt Art Exhibition touches on unique and abstract ideas and has an increasing number of visitors from all over the world. It is one of Kochi's popular events. The t-shirts hang as if on a laundry line, dancing freely on the sandy shores in the fluttering wind.



Experience the deep expanding blue of the Pacific



With shallows that stretch far from the shore, the area is great for families to enjoy swimming. Both beaches have parking, restrooms, showers, and changing areas (Irino showers require a fee). Ukitsu has camp grounds and shops. *During swimming season, both areas prohibit surfing

Swimming season (Ukitsu and Irino)

Scheduled for mid-July to around Aug 31st

Kuroshio Town Hall Industry Promotion Office

☎0880-43-2113

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A Mid-Summer Endurance Contest!



The Swimming and Marathon Survival Race started in Kuroshio Town and Saga in Kochi Prefecture. Try it yourself, cheer, or help out as a volunteer and let's enjoy this extra

hot and exciting Kuroshio Town event together! There will be a meet-and-greet bonito party the day before the race where you can eat Japan's freshest seared bonito.

Igoso Aquathlon Contest

Scheduled for end of July

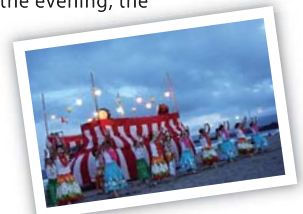
Igoso Aquathlon Contest Office (Kuroshio Town Board of Education)

☎0880-43-0044

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Plenty of summer delights to enjoy

The fireworks display is held on over 4 kilometers of the Irino seaside. Watch roughly 500 rockets and exhibition fireworks shooting off just barely above the water while lighting the summer exhibition pieces of the Seaside Gallery. Watch the fireworks while sitting on the beach and listening to the music of the waves. Special events such as beach yoga and hula dance will be held starting in the late afternoon. In the evening, the bon festival dance will be held. Have your fill of summer at this popular event!



Seaside Gallery Summer

Scheduled for August 15th

NPO Seaside Gallery

☎0880-43-4915

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Tosa Saga no Modori-Katsuo Festival

Scheduled for end of October

Kuroshio Town Hall Marine and Forestry Division

☎0880-55-3115

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Have a taste of bonito, the specialty of Kuroshio Town!

To show our daily appreciation for the bonito, we celebrate with the fattier modori-katsuo bonito. Hurry to buy popular whole bonitos! On the day of the event, watch out for closed roads around the area. There will be free shuttle buses from Tosa Saga Station and the Tosa Seinan Large-Scale Multi-Purpose Area Parking Lot so check for them beforehand!



Praying for a plentiful autumn...



As big as the spring Kashima Festival, the Mikoshi and Children's Hanadori Dance from Tenmangu Soga Shrine to Saga New Port is a sight to see.

Tenmangu Soga Shrine Grand Festival

Scheduled for beginning of November

Kuroshio Town Hall Industry Promotion Office
☎0880-43-2113

Be charmed by the art pieces and flowers



The colorful patchwork quilt pieces are displayed in a pine grove in Irino Matsubara. Nearby will be rakkyo flowers in full bloom. Enjoy

watching the quilt pieces slowly swaying in the salt breeze, surrounded by a field of stunning purple flowers.

Rakkyo Flower Viewing - Salt Breeze Quilt Exhibit

Scheduled for beginning of November

NPO Seaside Gallery
☎0880-43-4915

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Let us hope for many blessings to come



The shrine return ceremony and dances will be held. There will be many visitors at the Bountiful Haul Fishing Boat Parade in Kashimagaura. Palanquin bearer volunteers welcome.

Kashima Shrine Grand Festival (eve of the festival)

Scheduled for the first Monday of March (eve is day before)

Kuroshio Town Hall Industry Promotion Office
☎0880-43-2113

Stalls and shops line the street!



Enjoy all that Kuroshio Town has to offer such as the Kuroshio Town local talent show and art exhibit, produced by preschoolers, elementary and junior high schoolers from Ōgata throughout the year. You can also enjoy tasty bonito dishes at the food stalls.

gata's Autumn Festival: Kuroshio Town Marugoto Sangyo Festival

Scheduled for beginning of November

Kuroshio Town Hall Industry Promotion Office
☎0880-43-2113

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A gift from a foreign country!?



It's exciting to think of what we often see as "garbage" as something that floated from some distant land beyond Japan.

Washed Ashore Exhibition

Scheduled for the winter season

NPO Seaside Gallery
☎0880-43-4915

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A Sunday Market that brings a smile to your face



Enjoy the home-like atmosphere as you shop for fresh produce, homemade specialties, and crafts.

Hata Market "Seaside Sunday Market"

Held next to the gym at Tosa Seinan Large Scale Park (Ōgata District)

Town-Building Market Project
☎090-2786-3702

MAP P4 O-2

What's the Seaside Gallery?

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Our beautiful beach is the art museum.

I am the director
at the Seaside
Gallery



When you picture an art museum, isn't the first thing that comes to mind probably a beautiful grand building? However, the 4 kilometer length of the Irino beach serves as the art museum for Kuroshio Town's Seaside Gallery. The scenery we'd taken for granted each day is now seen as a piece of artwork. For example, the "Nitari Kujira" (Bryde's whale) swimming offshore, the "Rakkyo Flower Fields" spread across the sandy shores, the "Driftage" that arrives on the beach, the "Ripple Mark" designs made on the sand by the waves and wind, and the "Matsubara" (pine grove) welcoming the salt breeze... All of these are "works of art" to us. Bathed in moonlight, the waves lap like music by the Seaside Gallery. These art pieces co-exist with the abundant nature and are on display 24 hours a day, 365 days a year, presenting the various expressions of the seasons and passage of time to those who visit. The "Seaside Gallery" is a place where you can take what you ordinarily experience and, with a little change in perspective and work of the imagination, develop your senses.

See Page 6 for the
T-Shirt Art Exhibition
details!

See Page 8 for the
Salt Breeze Quilt
Exhibition details!

Works you can enjoy at the Seaside Gallery ↓

Akaumigame (loggerhead turtle)



During June through August, loggerhead turtles come to the beach to lay their eggs. At dawn, you can see the unique footprints they leave behind.

Mairuka (common dolphin)



The name comes from the "ma" in "masani tenkeiteki" (quite typical) and "iruka" (dolphin). Whale watching is also possible.

Shiro-chidori (Kentish plover)



Check for these cute birds chasing each other across the shore and sticking their heads in the sand for food.

Kashima



This small island floating in Saga's cove can be counted as one of Hata's ten most beautiful scenes.

Driftage



Seashells, agricultural containers which make you think of environmental problems, and driftwood carved into "natural sculptures" collect from around the world.



Roadside Station Recommended Dishes

A roadside station where you can try authentic straw-seared bonito

Myojinmaru's straw-seared bonito has ranked first overall for Kochi Prefecture's popularity event, the 2014 Kochi-ke Dining Prefectural General Election, and at this roadside station, you can enjoy their famed "straw-seared bonito." There's a medley of different bonito dishes to try from at their restaurant such as the

Bonito Set, Bonito Rice Bowl, Bonito Curry Rice, and Bonito Burger! Economical breakfast sets are also served in the morning. In the goods corner, you can find an assortment of local specialties and fresh produce. There are also freshly-made lunch boxes and bread so make sure to stop by!



Salted Bonito Set

The intense hot heat that comes from straw-searing brings out the umami flavor of the bonito that goes well with salt or sauce.



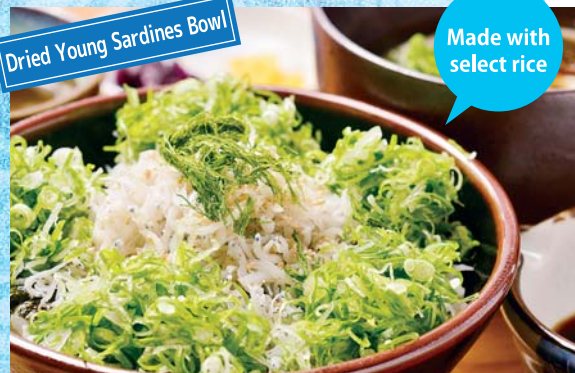
Kuroshio Bonito Bowl



Bonito Cutlets Curry



Dried Young Sardines Bowl



Made with select rice

A roadside station facing the Pacific and only a minute's walk away from the sea!

At the "Hinatabi Ichiba" goods corner, you can find locally picked vegetables and seafood as well as an arrangement of Kochi's select products. We are loved by visitors and community members alike at this roadside station. At the "Hinatabi Shokudo" restaurant, the rice cooked in traditional cooling stove is extremely popular. Check out the popular homemade ice cream and limited time sweets as they change each season!



↑ Othello

An original product of Roadside Station Bios Oyata

Popular! Great for gifts!



↑ Whale Walking Trail

Udon with Tempura Toppings



Seared Bonito Burger



道の駅 なぶら土佐佐賀
Roadside Station Nabura Tosa Sagan
☎0880-55-3325

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1350, Saga, Kuroshio Town
Food Court 9:00~14:00 (Sat, Sun & Public Hols until 18:00),
Take out available from 9:00~18:00
Shop: 8:00 AM - 6:00 PM
Parking/Handicapped spaces: 2, Regular spaces: 62, Large-scale automobile spaces: 3, Motorbikes: 12



道の駅 ビオスおおがた
Roadside Station Bios Oyata
☎0880-43-3113

MAP
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Hinatabi (joining) 7:00~17:00 (LO16:30)
Morning: 7:00~10:50
Produce Shop: 7:00~18:00

Made with the greatest of care in the local Ōgatatabi River area, we use "Nikomaru" rice cooked with Japanese traditional cooking stove hoping "for you to eat our delicious local rice."

Here's where Kuroshio Town's bonito is different!

There's a reason Kuroshio Town's "Tosa Saga no Himodori Bonito" is so delicious!

The blessings of the Kuroshio flowing in from surrounding areas of the Tosa Bay, skilled fishermen who fish for bonito one by one with the eco-friendly pole-and line fishing method, and the fishing port's daily hauls are a crucial part of Kuroshio Town's dining culture. Kuroshio Town's sun-dried salt is another reason why the "salted seared bonito" is so delicious.



Eat it the same day you catch it!

Tosa Saga no Himodori Bonito

Bonito is good for you!

Here are the results from a one-year study held from July 2008 to July 2009 during which Kochi University and Kuroshio Town collaborated to find the components found in Tosa Saga no Himodori Bonito.

Carnosine
(73.3mg/100g)

Is reported to be effective in lessening fatigue and increasing mobility when taken with anserine.

Anserine
(258mg/100g)

Is reported to be effective in lessening fatigue and increasing mobility when taken with carnosine. Also said to decrease levels of uric acid.

Histidine
(892mg/100g)

Acts as an appetite suppressant and is said to be good for diets.

Eating it with other condiments such as garlic will increase your nutrition intake!



Try the straw-searing experience!

Cooking it yourself makes it all the better!

Bonito Searing Tour

Bonito Straw-Searing Tour

- Tour Season/Between Feb. and mid to end of Dec. ※May be subject to change based on bonito catches
- Hours/11:00 AM - 3:00 PM ※Please call at least 3 days in advance for reservations
- Tour Length/Takes roughly 2 hours (including meal time)

Katsuo Fureai Center, Kuroshio Ichibankan
☎0880-55-3680 MAP P3 H-3



Seared bonitos make great gifts!

For more information, contact the following locations: (frozen bonitos are not Himodori bonitos)

明神水産株式会社 Myojinmaru Suisan Co., Ltd.

☎0880-55-2800 MAP P3 H-3

(有)土佐佐賀水産 Tosa Saga Suisan Co., Ltd.

☎0880-55-3200 MAP P3 H-3

(有)土佐佐賀産直出荷組合 Tosa Saga Sanchoku Shukka Co-op Inc.

☎0880-31-4188 MAP P3 G-3

舩耕水産 Masukou Suisan

☎0880-55-2020 MAP P3 H-1



\ Kuroshio Town has lots to actively enjoy and plenty of historical spots to see! /

Kuroshio Town Recommended Spots



If you're lucky, you might get to see both whales and dolphins!

Travel the sea with the whales

Enjoy the nature of the expansive Pacific through whale watching to your heart content. In the warm Kochi waters, you'll find sperm whales, Bryde's whales, as well as Risso's dolphins, common dolphins, and many more. Experience nature through the vast sea, blue skies, and soothing salt breeze and be prepared for the indescribable excitement and emotions when you encounter a whale.

Whale watching

Weekdays/10am • Sat, sun, public hols, Summer Holidays/3times a day (8am, 10am, 12pm) • Goldenweek/2times a day (8am, 1pm)

Whale watching season: End April ~ End Oct

Ōgata Fishing Boat Association Office
☎0880-43-1058

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Not just for looking! Fishing and eating are some of Kuroshio Town's perks! Have a blast fishing on ferries and rafts!



Fishing Raft

Fishing Raft (Jōkawakuchi Port)
☎0880-44-1124

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Fishing Raft (Suzu)
☎090-5277-3274

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Rock Fishing (Ferry)

Kakegawa Ferry
☎0880-44-1441

MAP P4 Magnified Map ③

Daini Asahimaru
☎0880-55-3223

MAP P4 Magnified Map ③

Set in the middle of the ocean between port and coast, many fish gather here. There are no limits to fishing and throughout the year, you can catch seasonal fish such as sea bream, amberjack, smallscale blackfish and more.

Golf under blue skies and calm winds



A golf club with lodging and hot spring facilities

Tosa Utopia Country Club
☎0880-43-2345

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A lodging and experience facility reusing a closed school



Deai no Sato Minagawa

Deai no Sato Minagawa
☎0880-43-2010

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Let's camp on the beautiful sandy shore!



Irino-Matsubara Camp Grounds
Roadside Station Bios Ōgata
Information Center
☎0880-43-0105

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Ukitsu Camping Ground
Kuroshi Town Hall Industry
Promotion Office
☎0880-43-2113

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Appreciating salt made by nature



Natural sun-dried salt is one of Kuroshio Town's specialties. Without using any fire, you can experience making salt from the natural energies of the sun and wind. You'll be surprised by its sweetness!

Sun-Dried Salt-Making Experience Tour

Industrial Coop Salt-bee
☎0880-55-2040

MAP P3 Magnified Map ②

Saltive Nada Salt Factory, Inc.
☎0880-55-3226

MAP P4 Magnified Map ③

A picturesque ocean perfect for surfing



With expansive sand beaches and calm waves, it's the perfect location for swimming. From beginners to pros, surfers from all over come to enjoy this place.

Surfing Experience Tour

The Green Room

☎0880-43-4862

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NSG Nobu Surf Gallery

☎0880-43-2185

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Hata Surf Dojo

☎0880-43-3309

MAP P5 K-5

Enjoy the appeal of freshly caught fish from the port



Sagadanisanri Market

Kuroshio Town North Saga
revitalization council
☎0880-55-7272

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Make your own unique glass



Glassblowing and Tombo Bead-Making Tour

Seaside Glass Studio Kiroran
☎0880-43-4336

MAP P4 N-3

Enjoy the nature to your heart's content from this seaside town with a boundless ocean view.



With endless sea before you and warm rays basking down, you feel the cool salt breeze as you enjoy a cycling tour of Kuroshio Town. Cycling fees start at 500 yen for 2 hours. There are a limited number of bikes so call ahead to reserve yours.

Rent-a-Cycle

Nest West Garden Tosa

☎0880-43-0101

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Grandvelo

☎0880-43-0332

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From children to adults, everyone can enjoy the ocean!



During the months between May and November, you can enjoy sea kayaking from Shioya shore to the port area of Tosa Saga! Have fun rowing on the beautiful sea or float along like a leaf on the water!

Sea Kayak

Sea Kayak from May to November (weather permitting)

SEA KAYAK 9640 (KUROSHIO)

☎090-7105-8447

Tour Meeting Place → MAP P3 G-2

Learn about traditional paper making and its artistic value



Mulberry paper making experience

NPO Seaside Gallery
☎0880-43-4915

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Kuroshio Town Dining Areas

Restaurants/Light Dining/Cafés

杉村農園 Sugimura Noen ☎080-3925-4402 P4 M-3	藤 Fuji ☎0880-55-2093 P3 G-2	GACHA ☎090-9559-1358 P5 L-5
幡多路 Hataji ☎0880-55-2608 P4 Magnified Map③	喫茶セイブル Café Seiru ☎0880-43-1489 P5 K-6	46 CAFE ROSSI ☎0880-43-2525 P4 Magnified Map⑤
ラコスタ Lacosta ☎0880-55-2141 P3 G-1	喫茶サーフサイド Café Seaside ☎0880-43-4818 P4 M-3	minica ☎090-6881-4555 P4 N-3
庄寿庵 Shōjuan ☎0880-55-3500 P4 Magnified Map③	レスト喫茶・秋桜 Rest Café - Cosmos ☎0880-43-2313 P4 N-2	ラーメンの豚太郎 大方店 Ramen no Tontarō (Ōgata branch) ☎0880-43-2141 P4 M-3
いろりや Iroriya ☎0880-43-3838 P4 N-2	喫茶四馬路 Café Sumaro ☎0880-43-2834 P4 Magnified Map⑤	erba (エルバ) ☎0880-55-3177 P3 J-2
喫茶来夢 Café Raimu ☎0880-43-4804 P4 N-2	宮川販売店(軽食) Miyagawa Hanbaiten (light dining) ☎0880-43-4192 P5 K-5	ひなたや Hinataya ☎0880-43-3113 P5 K-5
カフェレストちゅうりっぷ Café Rest Tulip ☎0880-43-1186 P4 Magnified Map⑤	散歩道 Sanpomichi ☎0880-55-2974 P3 G-2	ケアラズカフェ Smile Carers Cafe Smile ☎090-3785-1446 P4 M-3
カツオふれあいセンター 黒潮一番館 Katsuo Fureai Center Kuroshio Ichibankan ☎0880-55-3680 P3 H-3	はれ Hare ☎0880-55-3788 P3 G-2	con&ohana (コンアンドオナハ) ☎電話無し P4 M-3
コーヒーショップ駅 Coffee Shop Eki ☎0880-55-3266 P3 G-1	ちどり亭 Chidori-Tei ☎0880-43-1335 P5 K-6	Solana surf camp (ソラナサーフキャンプ) ☎090-4903-1993 P4 M-3
めし・酒処 むうん Dining and Drinks Muun ☎0880-55-2978 P3 G-1		

Izakaya bar and grills

鬼守家 Kishuya ☎0880-55-2128 P3 H-2	居酒屋・仕出し茂平 Izakaya and Catering Shigehira ☎0880-43-2838 P4 M-3	小梅 Koume ☎0880-55-3638 P3 G-2
居酒屋もーい Izakaya Momō ☎0880-43-2561 P4 L-3	飲み処 ゆうゆう Bar Yūyū ☎0880-43-0737 P4 M-3	花積 Hanazumi ☎0880-55-2165 P3 G-2
居酒屋ポコペン Izakaya Pokopen ☎0880-43-1287 P4 M-3		真味 Maaji ☎0880-43-0616 P4 M-2

Okonomiyaki/Takoyaki

お好み焼き石亭 Okonomiyaki Ishi-Tei ☎0880-43-4791 P5 K-5	お好み焼きまるや Okonomiyaki Maruya ☎080-3921-0735 P4 M-2	お好み焼き田中 Okonomiyaki Tanaka ☎0880-43-4800 P4 L-3
掛川たこ焼店 Kakegawa Takoyaki-ten ☎0880-44-1621 P4 Magnified Map③	たこやき浜たこ Takoyaki Hamatako ☎no phone number P5 K-5	くいしんぼ Kuishinbo ☎0880-55-2873 P3 H-2
たこやきこむぎ Takoyaki-Komugi ☎電話無し P2 B-3		

Bakeries/Desserts

パンの店 Pan-no-Mise ☎0880-43-4332 P4 L-3	ぶちどーる Puchi Dōru ☎0880-43-4144 P4 L-3	シェリル Sheruru ☎0880-55-3551 P3 G-2
ケーキの職人やまもと Cake Maker Yamamoto ☎0880-43-2178 P4 M-3	森のパンやさん Mori-no-Panyasan ☎0880-55-7226 P3 Magnified Map①	甘味処 和や Kanmidokoro Waya ☎090-9329-7472 P4 L-3

Pubs and Bars

Life ☎0880-55-3609 P3 H-1	スナック喫茶夕渚 Snack and Café Yūnagi ☎0880-43-4812 P4 E-0	スナックJin Snack Jin ☎0880-43-2833 P4 M-3
スナック茶蘭花 Snack Saranka ☎0880-43-2002 P4 M-3	ナイトハウスパレス Night House Palace ☎0880-43-4815 P4 M-3	

Lodging Facilities in Kuroshio Town

... Day trip plans and bathing facilities available
... Dining available

Hotels and Minshukus

Fully experience the tranquil nature of the deep blue sea and expanding green of the mountains!

 ☎0880-43-0101 P4 N-3 ネスト・ウエストガーデン土佐 Nest West Garden Tosa 184, Irino, Kuroshio Town	 ☎0880-55-7011 P3 Magnified Map① 土佐佐賀温泉こぶしのさと Tosa Saga Hot Springs Kobushinosato 2161, Kobushinokawa, Kuroshio Town
 ☎0880-44-1146 P4 Magnified Map④ 海坊主 Umibouzu 1-2, Ariigawa, Kuroshio Town	 ☎0880-55-3381 P3 F-3 山三荘 Sansansō 68-3, Saga, Kuroshio Town
 ☎0880-43-2345 P2 C-2 土佐ユートピアカントリークラブ Tosa Utopia Country Club 3878, Ukibuchi, Kuroshio Town	 ☎0880-44-2010 P2 C-2 であいの里 蜷川 Deainosato Minagawa 666, Minagawa, Kuroshio Town
 ☎0880-44-1046 P4 Magnified Map④ たかはま Takahama 3, Ida, Kuroshio Town	 ☎0880-55-2571 P4 Magnified Map③ ニュー白浜 New Shirahama 244-1, Shirahama, Kuroshio Town
 ☎0880-44-1239 P5 K-7 ビッグ・マリン Big Marine 1433-20, Kamikawaguchi, Kuroshio Town	 ☎0880-43-0332 P4 M-2 casa gracia 1572-7, Irino, Kuroshio Town
 ☎0880-44-1485 P5 K-7 みやこ Miyako 1486-1, Kamikawaguchi, Kuroshio Town	 ☎0880-44-1354 P5 拡大MAP④ 民宿しらたがわ Minshuku Shiratagawa 1031-1, Kamikawaguchi, Kuroshio Town

Fishing Lodges

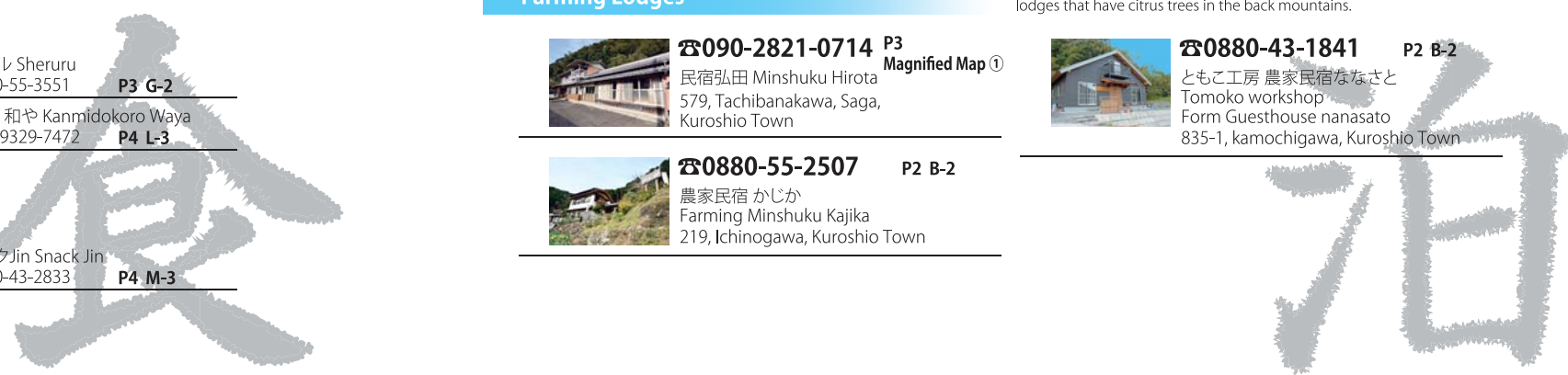
Stay at a fisherman-run lodge and fish to enjoy the freshest catch.

 ☎0880-55-3048 P3 G-2 魚影 Gyoei 435-2, Saga, Kuroshio Town	 ☎0880-55-2353 P3 H-2 おおまち Ōmachi 796-1, Saga, Kuroshio Town
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Farming Lodges

Enjoy the farming experiences available at these farming minshuku lodges that have citrus trees in the back mountains.

 ☎090-2821-0714 P3 Magnified Map① 民宿弘田 Minshuku Hirota 579, Tachibanakawa, Saga, Kuroshio Town	 ☎0880-43-1841 P2 B-2 ともし工房 農家民宿ななさと Tomoko workshop Form Guesthouse nanasato 835-1, kamochigawa, Kuroshio Town
 ☎0880-55-2507 P2 B-2 農家民宿 かじか Farming Minshuku Kajika 219, Ichinogawa, Kuroshio Town	



Must-buys in Kuroshio Town!

Roadside
Station
Recommend
ations!



↑ Natural Honey



↑ Ginger



↑ Mini Whale-shaped Cookies



↑ Processed Kabinago-fish Products



↑ Shimeji mushrooms



↑ Rice syrup, potato syrup



↑ Dried goods



↑ Satokibi (sugar cane)

All the sa-shi-su-se-so's of seasonings are made in this rare collection of seasoning factories in Kuroshio Town. Collect them all and become a cooking pro!



↑ Brown sugar



↑ Sun-dried salt



↑ Ponzu Vinegar



↑ Gyoshō fish sauce



↑ Miso

Now sold at the following roadside stations:

道の駅 ビオスおおがた Roadside Station Bios Ōgata/953-1, Ukitsu, Kuroshio Town/☎0880-43-3113/P5 K-5
道の駅 なぶら土佐佐賀 Roadside Station Nabura Tosa Saga/1350, Saga, Kuroshi Town/☎0880-55-3325/P3 F-1

Kuroshio Town Shopping Areas

Bonito

- 1 明神水産(株) Myojin Suisan Co., Ltd. ☎0880-55-2800 P3 H-3
- 2 (有)土佐佐賀水産 Tosa Saga Suisan, Inc. ☎0880-55-2040 P3 H-3
- 3 (有)土佐佐賀産直出荷組合 Tosa Saga Sanchoku Shukka Co-op Inc. ☎0880-31-4188 P3 G-3
- 4 舩耕水産 Masukou Suisan ☎0880-55-2020 P3 H-1

Salt

- 1 (有)ソルティーブ Saltive, Inc. ☎0880-55-3226 P3 Magnified Map②
- 2 企業組合ソルトビー Salt-bee Business Union ☎0880-55-2040 P3 Magnified Map②
- 3 土佐のあまみ屋 Tosa no Amamiya ☎0880-55-3402 P3 Magnified Map②
- 4 土佐佐賀 天然塩 いごてつ Tosa Saga Tenensho Igotesu ☎0880-55-2828 P3 Magnified Map②
- 5 (有)海工房 Umikobo, Inc. ☎0880-43-1432 P5 K-4

Direct Sales Markets

- 1 黒潮ふれあい市 Kuroshio Fureai-ichi ☎0880-43-2205 P4 L-3
- 2 JA大方にこここ市 JA Ōgata Nikoniko-ichi ☎0880-43-4400 P4 M-3
- 3 JAまごころ市 JA Magokoro-ichi ☎0880-55-2913 P3 G-1

Look
What
Else!

34M

Look for the "34M" symbol mark!



bonito and mushrooms simmered in tomato sauce



slow-cooked bonito in Japanese-style dashi and ginger

In preparation for the prediction of Japan's highest tsunami



In March 2012, the Kuroshio Town area was predicted to have Japan's highest tsunami at 34 meters high in the event of the Nankai (South Pacific) Truff Large-Scale Earthquake. However, since the prediction, the town has been working with its citizens to keep "casualties at zero" and create new plans. They have focused attention on "canned foods" in case of evacuation, which can be preserved to have ready at homes and in the town by establishing the Kuroshio Town Canning Facility on March 11th, 2014. Using local gourmet ingredients, the food is canned to make emergency rations that you would want to eat every day. They are also consuming what they make so as to keep food from going bad, creating a rolling stock (continuous restock) of canned goods.

Kuroshio Town Canning Factory Co., Ltd. ☎0880-43-3776 MAP P4 K-3

Write about your travels to Kuroshio Town on a postcard...

Win a specialty good of Kuroshio Town!

Look forward to what's inside!

10 winners will be selected each time for the specialty goods set!

Deadline 【4TH TIME】 Postmarked by 29 Feb 2020
【5TH TIME】 Postmarked by 28 Feb 2021

Send in the following information to the address below

- (1) Postal Code (2) Address (3) Name (4) Age (5) Gender (6) Contact info
- (7) The reason you came to Kuroshio Town (8) What you found fun or interesting in Kuroshio Town
- (9) Any requests you may have for Kuroshio Town

Send Postcards to Kuroshio Town Guidebook Present Staff, Kuroshio Town Hall Industry Promotion Office 5893, Irino, Kuroshio Town, Hata-gun, Kochi Prefecture

※Kuroshio Town Hall will not disclose nor provide any information from postcard event participants to any third parties. (With exceptions wherein the information is required by laws and regulations)

※Submitted postcards will not be returned.

※Results of the postcard present giveaway will be announced with the shipment of gifts.



An Easy-Going Trip vol.1

Experience all Kuroshio-cho has to offer in a one-night stay



A one-night two-day trip to experience all of Kuroshio Town! There's plenty more to see and do, but I took it to the limit and enjoyed my trip in Kuroshio Town! Hope this guide helps!

DAY 1

9:00 AM
Leave Kochi City ♪

Arrived in Kuroshio Town! Let's take a quick break!! To Roadside Station Nabura Tosa Saga we go!

1 Roadside Station
Nabura Tosa Saga



First, a little break at Saga's roadside station. With so many Kuroshio Town specialties lining the shop, it's fun just looking at all their products. I bought kibinago-fish and eringe-mushrooms here.

11:00 AM
Roadside Station Nabura Tosa Saga

2 Bonito Fureai Center
Kuroshio Ichibankan



We stuffed ourselves with Kuroshio Town's famous seared bonito☆ Fresh bonito is definitely the best. The meat was so tender. Ahh ... I want to eat it again!

Delicious!

Store Details

1 道の駅 なぶら土佐佐賀
Roadside Station Nabura Tosa Saga
☎0880-55-3325 P3 F-1
1350, Saga, Kuroshio Town

2 カツオふれあいセンター
黒潮一番館
Katsuo Fureai Center Kuroshio Ichibankan
☎0880-55-3680 P3 H-3
374-9, Saga, Kuroshio Town

Check out the Kuroshio Town Homepage for information on experience facilities and lodging!

Kuroshio Town

Search

<http://www.town.kuroshio.lg.jp/>


An early check-in at the lodge.

4:00 PM
Check in at the lodge!



It's pretty difficult

2:00 PM
Experience Making Salt



6:00 PM Have dinner at a local
izakaya (bar and grill)!

After getting a little hungry, we head to a little restaurant in Kuroshio Town to have a taste of the sea. Since we came all the way to Kuroshio, we ordered dishes with the freshest catches.



10:00 AM Glass-blowing!

It's fun making things!



Seared Bonito Burger

At lunch break at the roadside station! We ate the "Seared Bonito Burger" you can only get here. The flavors matched more than we expected so we were a little surprised! We bought black sugar as a souvenir. Mmm ... the ice cream was so good ☆



3 Roadside Station
Bios Ogata

12:00 PM
Roadside Station Bios Ōgata

2:30 PM
A relaxing dip in the
hot spring ♪



Right before returning to the city, we find yet another relaxing spot! We want to enjoy Kuroshio Town right up to the very last minute so we head for the hot springs! Great for the skin, we leave silky smooth ♪, ready to dive into bed. We head back to the city.

We want to go to
Kuroshio Town
again!



DAY 2

An early morning
walk through the
Seaside Gallery ♪

We love taking walks so we walked through Irino sandy beach and the pine tree trail of Irino-Matsubara ♪ Blessed with clear skies, we felt refreshed breathing in the clean air☆



I feel so refreshed

3 道の駅 ビオスおおがた
Roadside Station Bios Ōgata

☎0880-43-3113 P5 K-5
953-1, Ukitsu, Kuroshio Town

After finishing our

one-night/two-day trip in kuroshio Town...

For those staying in Kochi City or Shimanto City, we highly recommend stopping by Kuroshio Town, chock-full of Kochi goodness! This time around, we enjoyed activities and dining related to the blessing of nature! There are many more places to experience but even a one-night/two-day trip is enough to get your fill so please stop by!