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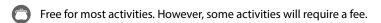


(Ota City Citizens' Sports Festival)



Ota City provides opportunities to become acquainted with various sports and recreational activities through the "Citizens' Sports Festival" held on Sports Day. The aim is to promote interest in and understanding of sports among Ota City residents and motivate them to participate in physical activity.

- October 9, 2023 (Monday/national holiday)
- Sports facilities, parks, schools, and other locations in Ota City
- **Ota Sport Association ☎** 03-5471-8787 FAX 03-5471-8789 E-mail info@sports-ota.or.jp



In general, advance application is not required. However, an application will be necessary for some activities.

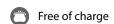


[Free Open Days for Furuhama's Beach Volleyball Court]

Why not visit Furuhama Beach and enjoy walking barefoot on a beach of soft, pure white sand? And while you're there, try your hand at beach volleyball or beach tennis.

Beach sports equipment can be rented free of charge, allowing visitors of all ages to play.

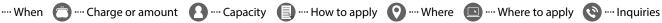
- September 17 (Sun), September 19 (Tue), October 3 (Tue), and October 15 (Sun) September: 10:30 am to 12:30 pm, 1:30 pm to 4:30 pm October: 10:00 am to 12:00 pm, 1:00 pm to 4:00 pm
- Main beach volleyball court, Omori-Higashi Waterside Sports Area 1-37-1 Omori-Higashi, Ota-ku
 - **Ota Sport Association** 🗖 03-5471-8787 FAX 03-5471-8789 E-mail info@sports-ota.or.jp



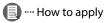
- Up to 15 people per court. A rotation system will be used.
- Apply at the court on the day you wish to play.

















(Ota City's Benefit-Type Scholarship Program)

Ota City offers a "benefit-type scholarship" program for people in tax-exempt households who are planning to enter a high school or similar institution and who meet certain academic performance criteria.

* Please ask for details concerning requirements and criteria.

Monday, November 13, 20	023, to Friday, January 12, 202	24
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80,000 yen

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Bring in the necessary forms or send them by post.

Welfare Management Division, 5-13-14 Kamata, Ota-ku 144-8621

2 03-5744-1245 FAX 03-5744-1520

[Please Observe the "Five Rules for Safe Bicycle Riding."]

- As a general rule, ride on the road, keeping to the left. Ride on sidewalks only in special cases. Pedestrians have priority on sidewalks.
- At intersections, observe traffic signals and stop signs. Make sure the way is safe before proceeding.
- **3** Use lights at night.
- 4 Never ride while intoxicated.
- Wear a helmet

Urban Infrastructure Development Management Division **2** 03-5744-1315 FAX 03-5744-1527





English Picture Book Storytelling

This program presents picture book storytelling in English by members of the storytelling volunteer group "Lupines" as well as hand play, songs, and other activities. It provides an enriching and nurturing environment by helping children become accustomed to English through picture books.

- From 11:00 am on the fourth Saturday of even-numbered months
- Multipurpose Room, Ikegami Library
- Free of charge
- 8 pairs (child and parent/guardian) (each session)
- A reservation is required (accepted by phone or at the library counter)
- **2** 03-3752-3341 FAX 03-3752-9749

[Picture-Story Show (for Foreign Nationals)]

Omori-Minami Library will be hosting a picture-story show (kamishibai) for foreign nationals. It will present Japanese folktales and culture through picture stories in an easy-to-understand manner.

The storyteller, "Kamishibai no Ei-chan," has performed in Europe and Asia.

- 2:00 pm to 3:30 pm on Sunday, September 24, 2023
- Multipurpose Room, 2F, Omori-Minami Library
- Free of charge First 20 arrivals
- By telephone or fax, or in person at the library's reception counter
- Omori-Minami Library
- ☎ 03-3744-8411 FAX 03-3744-8421

Special Exhibition Commemorating the 200th Anniversary of Katsu Kaishu's Birth

After the bloodless surrender of Edo in 1868, Katsu Kaishu and his family lived in Shizuoka for about four years before moving to a house in Tokyo's Akasaka-Hikawa district.

The Katsu Kaishu Memorial Museum will present the Katsu family by exhibiting drawings of the house and family portraits that were restored through crowdfunding.

The museum has created a new special video to accompany the exhibits. Be sure to view it when you make your visit.



- Friday, August 11 (national holiday), to Sunday, November 26, 2023
 - Museum hours: 10:00 am to 6:00 pm
 - * Closed Mondays (the following day if Monday is a national holiday)
 - * Visit Ota City's website for the latest information.

- Katsu Kaishu Memorial Museum
- **2** 03-6425-7608 FAX 03-6425-7610



Admittance fee General: 300 yen

Elementary and junior high school students: 100 yen (Various discounts are also available.)

[12th Fureai Matsuri at Haneda, Haginaka]

This local festival is jointly organized by various bodies that include community associations, local companies, and merchants' associations.

It will feature stage events as well as food vendors and unique booths on the festival grounds.

- Sunday, October 15, 2023
- Youth baseball field in Haginaka Park
- Feel free to come and go as you please.
- Haneda Branch Office **☎** 03-3742-1411 FAX 03-3742-1502 E-mail haneda@city.ota.tokyo.jp

(Furuhama Beach Yoga)

Enjoy yoga in the morning sunlight with the ocean before your eyes.

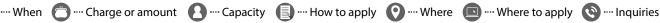
Or take part in a session during a beautiful sunset. Take advantage of these opportunities to refresh your mind and body in the breezy, sunny outdoors!

- Morning yoga: October 14 (Sat), 10:00 am to 11:00 am Sunset yoga: October 1 (Sun), 4:30 pm to 5:30 pm
- Beach area of Omori Furusato-no-Hamabe Park 1-1 Furusatonohamabe-Koen
- Free of charge
- Apply at the beach on the day you wish to practice.

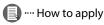
- **Ota Sport Association**

















[Daycare Center Applications (for Use from April 2024) and Consultations with Childcare Service Advisors

(Applications for authorized daycare centers)

- Eligibility Children who are unable to receive childcare at home due to their parent's or guardian's employment (including job hunting), illness, childbirth, nursing care or caregiving duties, school attendance, or similar reason.
- Obtaining the required documents The 2024 "Daycare Center Application Guidebook" and forms necessary for application will be available at the application counters beginning on Monday, September 25. Please read them for information on applying for a daycare center. Confirmation of foreign nationals' status of residence will be required.
- Sunday reception: 9:00 am to 4:00 pm on Sunday, November 5. Applications will be accepted at application counters.
- Monday, October 2, to Thursday, November 30, 2023
- See the list of application counters
- Bring the necessary documents to one of the application counters.
- Nursery Usage Support Section, Nursery Services Division

The Ota City Website and Disaster Prevention Portal Site are Now Viewable in 131 Languages!

Beginning on August 1, the Ota City website and Disaster Prevention Portal Site can be viewed in 131 languages, allowing users to obtain information from Ota City and disaster-related information in virtually any language. Natural disasters associated with typhoons and heavy rainfall are particularly common in autumn. For information on disasters, visit the following sites:

 Ota City website (available in 131 languages) **Ota-ku Disaster Prevention Portal Site** (available in 131 languages)



6 Ota City Hazard Map (English/Chinese version, Simple Japanese version)







(Beginners Japanese Course)

This course is for people who are studying Japanese for the first time. Please visit the GOCA website for more information.





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