

# HAMURA NEWS

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## The 9<sup>th</sup> *HAMURA FURUSATO MATSURI*

### Splendid Music & Dance Festival

Don't miss this two-day festival event. Come and enjoy being among the vital spark of *Hamura!*

Date&Time: September 26<sup>th</sup> (Sat) 1:00PM ~ 7:30PM, 27<sup>th</sup> (Sun) 1:00PM ~ 6:00PM

Place: *Ozaku* Rail Station East Rotary

\*Notice of Traffic Restriction: around *Ozaku* Rail Station East Rotary, both event days, 11AM~8PM.

Inquiries: Event Host - *Ozaku Keyaki Kyoudou Kumiai* (*Ozaku Keyaki* Cooperatives) ☎555-6575

Supported by: *Hamura City, Hamurashi Shoukou Kai* (*Hamura* Chamber of Commerce and Industry), *Hamurashi Kankou Kyoukai* (*Hamura* Tourism Association)

### September 26<sup>th</sup> (Sat) Event Program

Performances by children of all local elementary schools, nursery schools and kindergartens.

1:00PM~ Traditional festival band-music, *Yosakoi-Soran* Dance, Hula Dance, Japanese Drums, Fife&Drums, etc.

2:30PM~ Opening Ceremony

2:45PM~ "Let's Dance *Soran* Together" - performance by students from all elementary schools in *Hamura*

3:00PM~ *Yosakoi-Soran* Dance, Brass Bands, Hula Dance, Hip Hop Dance, Japanese Drums

### September 27<sup>th</sup> (Sun) Event Program

Performances by local elementary school children and *Soran* Dancers from in and out of *Hamura* City.

1:00PM~ *Yosakoi-Soran* Dance, Japanese Drums, Folk Dance, Cheerleading

5:45PM~ Finale - *Yosakoi-Soran* Dance performed by all participating groups

6:00PM~ Closing Ceremony

## AUTUMN HARVESTING RIGHTS FOR SALE

### *SATSUMAIMO* (SWEET POTATO) FARM

You can purchase Sweet Potato harvesting rights and harvest for yourself, your family and friends!

Harvest Time: Mid October~Early November Fee: ¥1,700 per lot (about 10 plants)

Farm Location: ①2-10 *Sakae-cho* (located by *Shiyakusho* Road), ☎554-0593 (speak to *Ozaku*)

②5-16 *Ozakudai* (located by *Shin-Okutama Kaido*), ☎554-6943 (speak to *Miyamoto*)

Number of lots: ①100 ②80 (first-come, first-served basis)

Application & Inquiries: October 2<sup>nd</sup> (Fri) 9AM~Noon. Visit *Sangyo Kasseika Suishin-shitu*

*Nougyou Kankou Shinkou Kakari* (Industrial Development Promotion Division, Agriculture Tourism Promotion Office) \*Fee payment required with application (Please bring exact change.)

\*After October 2<sup>nd</sup> (Fri), please contact each Farm Owner. \*Non-*Hamura* residents are also welcome.

**HELLO FROM HAMURA ZOO! ~ Squirrel Monkey Magic! ~ (☎579-4041)**

Our Squirrel Monkeys had babies on July 15<sup>th</sup> (Wed) and 26<sup>th</sup> (Sun)! They now look very cute as they stare at the target of curiosity with their big round eyes. Don't miss seeing these beautiful babies!

**The 62<sup>nd</sup> HAMURA CITIZEN'S ATHLETIC FESTIVAL**

Date&Time: October 11<sup>th</sup> (Sun) (if rain, on 12<sup>th</sup> (Mon)), Opening Ceremony 8:45AM~, Games 9:30AM~

Place: *Fujimi* Park, \*Event Program will be distributed as newspaper inserts in early October.

Hosted by: The 62<sup>nd</sup> *Hamura* Citizen's Athletic Festival Event Committee

Inquiries: Sports Center ☎555-0033

**The 18<sup>th</sup> HAMURA HEALTH FAIR**

This annual health event will take place at the same time & park as *Hamura* Citizen's Athletic Festival.

Date&Time: October 11<sup>th</sup> (Sun) (if rain, on 12<sup>th</sup> (Mon)), 10AM~2PM

\*registration for the Total Health Checkup will close at 1PM.

Place: *Fujimi* Park - C ground & Club House

Services/Information Booths: total health checkup (please also prepare for the dental checkup), Tuberculosis Screening, Health Building Promotion, Health Promoter's Booth, Cancer Prevention Information, Influenza Prevention Information, Anti-rug Abuse Promotion, Blood Donation Promotion.

Inquiries: *Hoken* Center ☎555-1111

**Want to be a Part of a Group Concerned about *Hamura's* Future?**

**SEEKING MEMBERS for HAMURA CITY KONDAN-KAI IIN (COUNCIL BOARD MEMBERS)**

The 4<sup>th</sup> *Hamura* City Long-term Comprehensive Plan will end in fiscal year 2011, and we will start drawing up the new Long-term Comprehensive Plan that comes into effect in fiscal year 2012.

In order to create the plan, we need to select members for the *Hamura* Citizen's Council Board (*Kondan-kai Iin*) and gather comments from a variety of fields.

Eligibility: *Hamura* residents, workers, or students who can attend all the meetings and are over 18 years old. \*except those who are currently participating in any other council or commission.

Capacity: Approximately 10 (If there are more applicants, the members will be selected by drawing)

Session Period: October 2009~March 2010 (About once a month, total of 6 meetings)

Dates: Weekday nights 7PM ~9PM \*There will be no compensation.

How to apply: By 5PM October 1<sup>st</sup> (Thu), Fill in your name, mailing address, age, and phone number, then mail/Fax/e-mail, or visit directly to: *Seisaku Tantou*(Scheme Administrator) in city hall.

〒205-8601(fill in this post code only), Fax: 554-2921, E-mail: s101200@city.hamura.tokyo.jp

**乳(Baby&Infant) & 子(Child in Compulsory Education) MEDICAL CERTIFICATE RENEWAL**

Child Medical Certificate will be renewed on October 1<sup>st</sup> 2009. The new certificates will be mailed to applicable households in the late September. The expired certificates must be returned to *Kosodate Shienka Shienkakari* in city hall. Also, please immediately report to the office about the loss/change of your qualification status in this program. Inquiries: *Kosodate Shienka Shienkakari*

\* 乳・子 Child Medical Certificate is issued upon application. Please contact for the details.

## RECRUITING TEMPORARY WORKERS for CITY NURSERAY SCHOOLS

**Nurse Wanted** Qualification Requirement: Nurse License,

Work Place: *Sakura* Nursery School, Salary (hourly rate): ¥1,450 for weekdays, ¥1,740 for Saturdays

**Nursery Teacher Wanted** Qualification Requirement: Nursery Teacher License,

Work Place: *Shiraume* Nursery School, Salary (hourly rate): ¥950 for weekdays, ¥1,140 for Saturdays

Recruiting Number: 1 person in each position

Employment Period: October 1<sup>st</sup> 2009 ~ March 31<sup>st</sup> 2010 (term extension possible)

Days/Hours: Monday~Friday, some Saturdays/Sundays (except National Holidays), 8:30AM~5:00PM.

\*Work schedule may change. \*Depending on the work schedule, Social Insurance will be available.

How to apply & Inquiries: Visit *Hoiku-ka* or *Shokuin-ka* in city hall and fill in your information on the Temporary Staff Registry (attach your ID photo and a copy of relevant license).

## GRANT for ECOLOGICAL DOMESTIC APPLIANCES

The third application term will start on October 1<sup>st</sup> (Thu) for the grant to support installation of the following ecological domestic appliances. (specified boiler types and supported amount)

CO<sup>2</sup>Refrigerant Heat-Pump Boiler System 'Eco Cute' ¥40,000 / Gas-Engine Boiler System 'Eco Will' ¥40,000 / Latent-Heat Recycling Boiler System 'Eco Jouzu' ¥20,000

\*one grant chance per household. \*Limited number of applications accepted (first-come, first-served basis)

Application: must be submitted within 60days from the installation of the appliance or the purchase of a house with the appliance installed. The form is available at *Kankyō Hozenka* and *Hamura Website*.

Inquiries: *Kankyō Hozenka Kankyō Hozenkakari* Please contact for farther details.

## WASTE DISPOSAL INFORMATION

### Proper Disposal of BLADES

Please make sure to separate a blade from other waste when you dispose them.

If a blade is made of metal alone, such as double edged blade, it goes into Metal Disposal, and if a blade is fixed with other material such as plastic, it goes into Incombustible Disposal.

When blades are disposed, they must be carefully wrapped and be indicated as blade content.

Your garbage bags are hand-processed first at the recycle plant. Please be considerate for the workers so they are not at a risk of injury during the collection and the separation processes.

### Container/Wrapper Plastics

It must be cleaned before disposed. If there is even one unclean piece in a garbage bag, it might soil other contents, and ruin them from being recycled. Cleaning them will also reduce unpleasant order.

### Plastic Spoons

Detergent majoring cups and plastic spoons given at food stores must be disposed as Hard Plastics.

### Paper Container Collection Box

A recently added location is *Ozakudai Nishi Kaikan*(*Ozakudai* West Community Hall), *Ozakudai* 5-6-4.

### Designated Waste Bag & Waste Handling Fee Dealers

New dealers are added. The list of dealers and list of Paper Container Collection Boxes is available at *Hamura City Website*. <http://www.city.hamura.tokyo.jp/seikatsu/kyoten.html> (in Japanese only)

Inquiries: *Seikatsu Kankyouka Seikatsu Kankyoukakari*

## **YUTOROGI (☎570-0707)**

### **< Movie Event "Bloom ~ Umaretanowa Watashi~" >**

A documentary movie on new mothers. After the show there will be a discussion about parental care.

Date&Time: November 10<sup>th</sup> (Tue) 10AM~Noon, Place: *Kouza-shitsu* 1 (Lecture Room 1)

Eligibility: Parenting or Expecting mothers, Admission: Free, Child Care Service Fee: ¥500 per child

Capacity: first 45 applicants, Application: September 16<sup>th</sup>(Wed) starting 9AM, call or visit *Yutorogi*

### **< Puppet Theater "Chibikko Kamu no Bouken (Adventure of Kamu the Little Kid)" >**

Come and enjoy a great Puppet Play for Christmas time! Performance by Theatre Group PUK.

Date&Time: December 23<sup>rd</sup> (Wed), 2:30PM~ (Doors open at 2:00PM). Place: Main Hall

Admission: 3 years old ~ High School Student: ¥1,500, Adult: ¥2,500 (reserved seating only)

\*Buy more than 10 tickets and get ¥500 discount on each ticket!

\*Admission is free for infants younger than 3 years old (if sharing a seat with a parent)

Child Care Service Fee: ¥700 per child (Includes snack fee) \*Make reservation by Dec. 15<sup>th</sup> (Tue) 5PM.

Ticket: sold at *Yutorogi*, starting on September 27<sup>th</sup> (Sun) 9AM, at *Marufuji* supermarket stores

(*Hamura, Ōme, Fussa*) and at *Nishitama Shinbun* Ticket Service starting on September 28<sup>th</sup> (Mon),

(☎0120-61-3737), at Sports Center starting on September 29<sup>th</sup> (Tue).

## **LIBRARY (☎554-2280)**

### **< Story-Telling Event >** by the Voice Volunteer Group, "*Kuwa no Mi*".

Date&Time: October 3<sup>rd</sup> (Sat), 2PM~3PM Place: Volunteer Room Admission: Free

Program: "*Henrou Yado*", "*Seihin Tan*" Reservation: not required

## **KYODO HAKUBUTSU KAN (FOLK MUSEUM) (☎558-2561)**

### **<Project Exhibition "Little Handwork – Miniature Sewing Samples">**

Miniature Sewing Samples are made to quickly teach how to sew different types of clothing. The event will exhibit miniature Kimonos, Dresses, and domestic utensils that were made about 100 years ago.

Date&Time: September 27<sup>th</sup> (Sun)~December 20<sup>th</sup> (Sun), 9AM~5PM (~6PM before Sep. 30<sup>th</sup> (Wed))

\* We are open on National Holidays October 12<sup>th</sup> (Mon) and November 23<sup>rd</sup> (Mon).

Place: Exhibition Corner Admission: Free \*reservation NOT required

## **KYUDO(JAPANESE ARCHERY) CENTER (☎555-9255)**

### **<Kyudo Class for Beginners>**

Date&Time: Wednesdays & Saturdays of October 7<sup>th</sup> ~ 28<sup>th</sup>, 7PM~9PM (Total of 7 classes)

Eligibility: High School Students or older (Junior High school students will be admitted with a parent)

Capacity: first 15 applicants, Fee: ¥3,000 (For all 7 classes)

Proper Attire: Exercise Clothes (Long-sleeve shirt with no buttons, Socks or *Tabi* socks)

How to Apply & Inquiries: By September 30<sup>th</sup>(Wed), Fill in your name, address, age, and phone number then mail/Fax to: *Kyudo* Center, 4-2-8 *Ozakudai, Hamura-shi* 205-0001, Fax: 555-9255.

## HAMURA SPORTS CLUB MEMBERS WANTED

Accepting member applications for the year 2009. No residential restriction. Everyone is welcome!!

Please contact the club office for member ship details.

Inquiries: *Hamu-Spo* Office (Tue. 1PM~3PM, Thu.&Sat. 10AM~Noon) ☎519-5712/info@hamu-spo.org

**Hamu-Spo Classes** please contact for the class date, time, location and fee.

- Aqua-exercise & Swimming                      · Night Swimming                      · Badminton                      · Holiday Wreath Making
- Sports & Work-Studies                      · Boxercise                      · Hata Yoga                      · Flower Arrangement
- Preparation for *Ōme* Marathon                      · Stretch Exercise                      · Calligraphy                      · Pork Soup & Smoked Chicken Cooking
- Baby Massage & Mama Aerobics                      \*fee is required for each class.

### CLASS INFORMATION from SWIMMING CENTER ☎579-3210

We have various programs and classes. After attending classes you can use our training room for free!

Things to bring: Indoor Shoes (for Training Room use only)

How to apply & Inquiries: Visit the Sauna reception counter.

	AM	PM	Night Time
Tuesday	---	---	<b>Easy Aerobics</b> Time: 7:00PM~7:45PM Place: Training Room Fee: ¥500
Wednesday	<b>Easy-Healthy Yoga</b> Time: 11AM~Noon Place: Conference Room 2 <sup>nd</sup> fl. Fee: ¥800	<b>Easy Boxercising</b> Time: 2:00PM~2:45PM Place: Training Room Fee: ¥500	<b>Shape-up Boxing</b> Time: 7:00PM~7:45PM Place: Training Room Fee: ¥500
Thursday	<b>Core Body Care</b> Time: 11AM~ Noon Place: Conference Room 2 <sup>nd</sup> fl. Fee: ¥800	<b>CareNeedsPreventionClass</b> Time: 1:30PM~2:30PM Place: Conference Room 2 <sup>nd</sup> fl. Fee: ¥300	<b>Basic Yoga</b> Time: 7PM~8PM Place: Conference Room 2 <sup>nd</sup> fl. Fee: ¥800
Friday	<b>Basic Yoga</b> Time: 11AM~ Noon Place: Conference Room 2 <sup>nd</sup> fl. Fee: ¥800	<b>Easy Core Exercise</b> Time: 2:00PM~2:45PM Place: Training Room Fee: ¥500	---
Saturday	<b>Easy Exercise for Everybody</b> Time: 11AM~ Noon Place: Training Room Fee: Gym Ticket required	*No Class on Japanese National Holidays. *Limited capacity for each class (first-come, first-served basis).	

### FUJIMI PARK TENNIS COURT RENOVATION

*Fujimi* Park Tennis Court will reborn as an Artificial-Lawn Court! We appreciate your understanding on the temporary closure. Game appointments for the new court will start on February 2<sup>nd</sup> (Tue) 9AM~.

Renovation Work Period: November 2<sup>nd</sup> (Mon) 2009 ~ February 28<sup>th</sup> (Sun) 2010.

Inquiries: Sports Center ☎555-0033

## MEDICAL CHECKUP for NEXT FIRST-GRADERS

The households with child(ren) entering an elementary school in April 2010 will receive a notification of Child Medical Check-up in the mid-October. If you do not receive the notification or prefer the other dates than that specified to your child, please contact *Kyouiku Soumuka Gakumukakari* ☎555-1111.

Time: Reception 1:15PM~1:45PM, Examination 1:45PM~

Dates: specified by elementary school districts (*Sakae*: Oct. 19<sup>th</sup>(Mon), *Higashi*: Oct. 28<sup>th</sup>(Wed), *Ozakudai*: Oct. 30<sup>th</sup>(Fri), *Fujimi*: Nov. 13<sup>th</sup>(Fri), *Musashino*: Nov. 16<sup>th</sup>(Mon), *Nishi*: Nov. 17<sup>th</sup>(Tue), *Shourin*: Nov. 30<sup>th</sup>(Mon))

### HOKEN (HEALTH) CENTER (☎555-1111)

#### < Polio Vaccine >

Date&Time: October 9<sup>th</sup>(Fri), 21<sup>st</sup>(Wed), 26<sup>th</sup>(Mon), 30<sup>th</sup>(Fri), and November 13<sup>th</sup>(Fri) (Total of 5 times), 1:10PM~2:00PM \*Come on your preferred day. \*Next vaccine time will be sometime after April 2010.

Place: *Hoken* Center Eligibility: 3 months old infants ~ child younger than 7½ years.

\*If your child has not taken BCG vaccine yet, he/she cannot take Polio Vaccine. Please take BCG first.

Those with the following conditions cannot take Polio Vaccine:

①has taken BCG, Measles, Rubella, or MR vaccines within past 27 days ②has taken DPT vaccine within past 6 days ③has recently had any communicable disease ④has symptom of vomiting or diarrhea

#### < Stomach Cancer Screening & Lung Cancer Screening >

Date&Time: October 14<sup>th</sup> (Wed) or October 29<sup>th</sup> (Thu) 7:30AM~, Place: *Hoken* Center, Fee: Free

Eligibility: *Hamura* residents who are over 40 years old, Capacity: first 50 applicants

Methods: Abdominal X-ray (miniature or direct radiography) and Sputum Examination

\*The Sputum Exam will be performed on smokers and those who have blood sputum.

Those with the following conditions cannot take the screening: pregnant or possibly pregnant, currently under medical treatment for stomach or lung disease

How to apply: On September 16<sup>th</sup> (Wed), starting at 8:30AM, call or visit *Hoken* Center.

### ◆ MEDICAL CARE SERVICES on SUNDAYS & HOLIDAYS (The 2nd half of September) ◆

Date	Hospital				Dental Clinic	
	9am~5pm		5pm~10pm		9am~5pm	
20 <sup>th</sup> (Sun)	<i>Takiura Iin</i>	555-2655	<i>Fussashi</i> <i>Hoken Center</i>	552-0099	<i>Okikura Shika</i>	555-4331
21 <sup>st</sup> (Mon) Holiday	<i>Yokota Clinic</i>	554-8580	<i>Mizuho Clinic</i> (in <i>Mizuho Machi</i> )	568-0300	<i>Ozawa</i> Dental Clinic	579-1500
22 <sup>nd</sup> (Tue) Holiday	<i>Sakaechou</i> <i>Shinryoujo</i>	555-8233	<i>Kurihara Iin</i> (in <i>Mizuho Machi</i> )	557-0100	<i>Katou</i> Dental Clinic	554-8887
23 <sup>rd</sup> (Wed) Holiday	<i>Yamakawa Iin</i>	554-3111	<i>Ishihata Shinryoujo</i> (in <i>Mizuho Machi</i> )	557-0072	<i>Kaneko</i> Dental Clinic	554-1503
27 <sup>th</sup> (Sun)	<i>Hamura Sougo</i> <i>Shinryoujo</i>	554-5420	<i>Fussashi</i> <i>Hoken Center</i>	552-0099	<i>Kusaka Shika</i>	555-7793

\*Some clinics may have different reception hours. Please call and check beforehand.

\*Other hours- *Tokyo Iryou Kikan* Information Service "Himawari" ☎03-5272-0303 (24hours)

New Dealer : Naturalist's Farm-direct Store (by *Nishitama* Agricultural Cooperatives), located at *Gonokami 1-1-5*)