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Gotemba Newsletter

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(May 12th photography at
Niihashi Sengen Shrine)

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<https://www.gia-gotemba.com>

★Copies of this Newsletter are available at the City Hall, the City Branch Offices, Library, Health Care Center and GIA.

1. Let's go to the Library! / Inquiries: Library (82)0391

- You can rent school assigned books

Term: A week rental available until Aug. 31st (Sat.)

The number of books you can rent: Only one book per person.

*excepting assigned books such as books for drawing, these can be rented for 2 weeks as usual.

- Handmade Picture Book Class: Making your original picture book

Date & time: ①July 27th (Sat.) ②August 3rd (Sat.) from 9:30am to 11:30am

Subject: 1st to 6th grade elementary students can participate on both dates.

(Student under 3rd grade need guardian's in attendance)

Limited participants: 20 people

Things to bring: Ruler longer than 20 cm and pencils & color pencils to draw pictures

Application acceptance starts from July 5th (Fri.) at 9:00 am. Please submit your application directly at the library or call.

- Your Favorite Stuff Animal Stay Over

Let's enjoy listening books with your favorite stuffed animal? After listening to books, your stuffed animal can stay over at library.

Date & time: August 18th (Sun.) from 2:30 pm

Subject: Child from 3 years-old to 2nd grade elementary student

Limited participants: 10 people

Application acceptance starts from August 1st (Sun.). Please submit your application directly at library or call.

- Other Events

Let's challenge Quiz!

Term: From July 17th (Wed.) to August 31st (Sat.)

Subject: Above 1st grade elementary students

How to apply: Please apply at Library directly

Special Display: Summer Vacation Homework Corner

Library reading rally

During summer vacation people tend to forget to return their books' by the due date.

Please make sure to check the date carefully before you go on family vacation and return or re-rent it if you need. If you aren't sure when your book is supposed to be returned please call the library.



2. Road Safety Awareness for Summer Starts in Shizuoka!

Road Safety Awareness for summer is starting from Thursday, July 11th to Saturday, July 20th for 10 days, with the slogan of "Use one of the golden rules 'give and take' to avoid causing accidents."

Many organizations, such as each ward, traffic safety guidance groups, the traffic safety association, and the police, are united to work on various activities in order to reduce disastrous traffic accidents.

The campaign will focus on the following four issues:

- 1) Prevention of traffic accidents involving children and the elderly
- 2) Promotion of safe bicycle riding and motorcycle driving
- 3) Eradication of drinking and driving
- 4) Ensure seatbelts and child seats including rear seats are properly used by all (City's focus points.)

Around this season many people tend to go on vacation or go back to their hometowns. Please make a plan ahead so you have plenty time to drive safely and enjoy your vacation.

For more information please contact Kurashi no Anzen-ka at (82)4123.

3. Summer Event information at Fuji-san Juku-no Mori.

- **Exhibition for Beetles/ Stag beetles**

Popular giant stag beetles, big body beetles called Hercules and all 50 kinds of Japanese/ international insects will be exhibited.

Date & time: From July 20th (Sat.) to August 25th (Sun.), starting from 9:00am to 4:30pm.

*On August 25th (Sun.) the event will be closed at 2:30 pm. Beetles present raffle will start from 3:00pm.

Place: Planning exhibition room

Subject: Exhibition, sales for insects and breeding material, limited term raffle for stag beetles etc.

Participation fee:

700 yen for adult, 500 yen for 4 years-old to Jr. high student, no charge for children under 3 years-old.

Gotemba citizen discount: 100 yen (Need to show your ID to prove city residence)

Teaching session for how to breed Giant stag beetles

Scheduled date: ①July 20th (Sat.) ②August 11th (Sun.)

Subject: ①Let's try to index of larvae ②How to pass the winter

Fee: There is a fee *Need to reserve in advance

- **Fuji-san Juku-no Mori Original solution of a riddle**

We are introducing a new advanced riddle which was really big hit during Golden week. Let's try to solve the riddle and pass all the courses.

Date & time: From July 20th (Sat.) to September 1st (Sun.), starting from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

Fee: 500 yen for Beginner/ Intermediate, 600 yen for advance course

- **Workshop in the wood**

This workshop uses additional limited items for summer

Date & time: From July 20th (Sat.) to September 1st (Sun.), starting from 9:00 am to 4:00 pm

Fee: From 200 yen to 1,000 yen

Inquiries: Fuji-san Juku-no Mori at (80)3776 or Kanko Koryu-ka at (82)4622

4. Nursing-care Insurance Program will be Changed

Starting from this year some people's insurance fee will be changed. You will be sent the notification in the middle of July if you qualify so please be aware.

- 1st stage
Subject: Person who is ① a public welfare recipient or all households are city prefectural tax exemption ② total income and total of taxable pension income is less than 800,000 yen
Insurance fee: 23,800 yen (-4,800 yen)
- 2nd stage
Subject: ① Total income and total of taxable pension income is more than 800,000 yen and under 1,200,000 yen
Insurance fee: 33,300 yen (-8,000 yen)
- 3rd stage
Subject: ① Total income and total of taxable pension income. Person who doesn't meet any conditions with above.
Insurance fee: 46,100 yen (-1,600 yen)

Inquiries: Longevity welfare division (Choju Fukushi-ka) at (82)4134

5. Car Restriction for Driving to Mt. Fuji

We will restrict personal cars from driving to Mt. Fuji during select times.

During this period your car can't drive on the Mt. Fuji trail. Please park your car at a paid parking space (1,000yen per car) and change a shuttle bus/ taxi.

Fujinomiya side: (Fuji-san Skyline)

Restricted period & time: From 7/10th (Wed.) at 9:00a.m. to 9/10th (Tue.) by 6:00p.m.

Subashiri side: (Fuji-azami line)

Restricted period & time: From 7/10th (Wed.) at noon to 9/10th (Tue.) by noon.

Inquiries: Shizuoka road planning division (Ken-doro Kikaku-ka) at 054 (221)3359.

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