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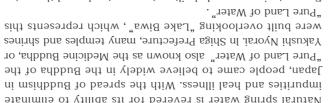
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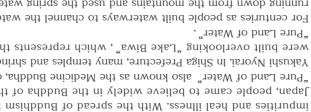
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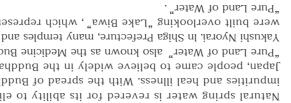
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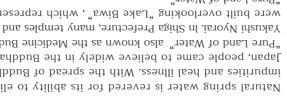
## works of art and gardens. home to many wild creatures have been represented in many sushi. The wetlands and waterside environment that provide a were developed, such as funa-zushi, a fermented form of and on the island in the lake, unique forms of culinary culture handed down to the present day. In the lakeside communities they have observed a rule to not dirty the water, a rule running down from the mountains and used the spring water, For centuries as people built waterways to channel the water

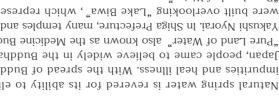
Natural spring water is revered for its ability to eliminate













## in Living and Prayer A Heritage of Water



City







































## ancient capital. There are 8 newly renovated traditional-style houses. Relax in the whole ənind2 sinij-əşihsnid2 🚺

## Obama Tourism Bureau **1** 0770-56-3366 Sanchomachi Sanoya 13 Obama-katori, Obama, Fukui



# Stay as a local, Japanese-style

## **B** Kumagawa Historic Post Town Kanbei

Enjoy amazing regional dishes prepared by the locals in the former residence of Kanbei, a designated Japan Heritage Cultural Property

Kumagawa Historic Post Town **Omotenashi Association** 30-3-1 Kumagawa, Wakasa Town, Mikata Kaminaka, Fukui **1** 080-6359-0808





Makino Highland Onsen Sarasa (hot spring and restaurant) 931-3 Makino, Makino-cho,Takashima 面 0740-27-8126 Open: 10 a.m. to 9 p.m (Last admission: 8:30 p.m.) Closed: 2nd & 4th Wed., (Closed every Wed. in winter season)

Water Road

mizo Castle Ruins ike Pond

2 Waterfront scenery at Omize

u-no-sato Adoga

1162-1 Aoyagi, Adogawa-cho, Takashima

aterfront Scenery at Harie)

372 Harie, Shin-Asahi-cho, Takashima

0740-25-6566(Tour reservations)

aterfront scenery at Kaiz

ishihama, and Chinai

71-4-1 Kumagawa, Wakasa

T 0770-62-2081(Dam office)

122-31-1 Torihama, Wakasa

68-20 Umiyama, Wakasa

75-2-6 Hiruga, Mihama

1-3-2 Kawasaki, Obama

0770-47-1170

30-4 Jinguji, Obama

11 Jinguji Temple

9 Mikatagoko (Five Lakes of Mikata) & Rainbow Line

T 0770-56-1911 Closed mid-Feb.to Mar.5

0770-62-0186(Meisui-no-Sato Office)

12 Omizu-okuri Festival (Unose Riverside)

8-1-1, Shimonegori, Obama

13 Uriwari-no-Taki (Uriwari Falls)

37-1-3 Tentokuji, Wakasa

0770-45-0113

8 Wakasa Lakecruise

padside Station Mikatagok

Kaizu, Nishihama, Chinai,

Makino-cho, Takashima

6 Kouchigawa Dam

Katsuno, Takashima

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**Roadside Station** 

**1** 0740-32-8460

Harie Shozu-no-sato



Mikata "Kirara" Hot Spring (hot spring and restaurant) 1-6-1 Chuo, Wakasa 0770-45-1126 Open: 10 a.m. to 8 p.m (Last admission: 7:30 p.m.) Closed: 1st Wed.

Location List

Sabakaido Road



\Lambda Obama Machiya Stay

ouse like a local

Green Park Omoidenomori

(Kutsuki Onsen Tenku)

You can enjoy ground golf and tennis, and after

springs. There are also lodges and bungalows for ccommodation, as well as dining facilities.

working up a sweat, you can relax in the hot

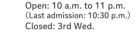
Green Park Omoidenomori

341-3 Kase, Kutsuki, Takashima, Shiga

0740-38-2770

Stay in the town that brought food to the

Hama-no-Yu Bath House (public spa and restaurant) 3-4 Kawasaki, Obama **1** 0770-53-4126 Open: 10 a.m. to 11 p.m. (Last admission: 10:30 p.m.)



## **Spiritual Road**

31 Imazu, Imazu-cho, Takashima

128 Kaizu, Makino-cho, Takashima

897-27 Kaizu, Makino-cho, Takashima

3 Osakiji Temple

**Roadside Station** 

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**1** 0770-62-0502

**1** 0770-62-1038

Myotsuji Temple

0770-57-1355

5-21 Monzen, Obama

74-23 Kanava, Obama

& Wakasa-Hime Jinia Shrines

65-41 Onyu, 28-7 Ryuzen, Obama

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38-3 Tentokuji, Wakasa

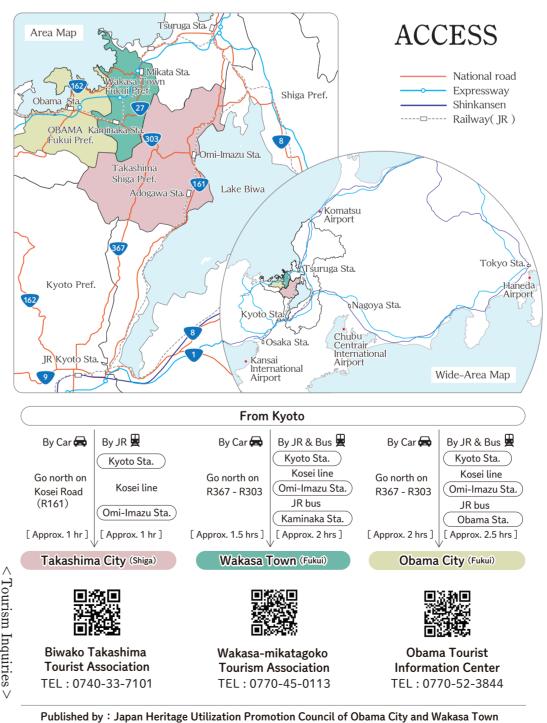
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- 1 Koshoji Temple 1 Shirahige Jinja Shrine 374 Iwase, Kutsuki, Takashima 215 Ukawa, Takashima Imazu Port (Chikubu Island Cruise) 2
- Roadside Station Kutsuki-shin-honjin 777 Ichiba, Kutsuki, Takashima **1** 0740-38-2398
- 3 Kutsuki Ichiba Street Ichiba, Kutsuki, Takashima **Roadside Station** Wakasa Kumagawajuku 11-1-1 Kumagawa, Wakasa
- 🛅 0770-62-9111 Kumagawa, Wakasa
- Şabakaido Road 6 (Harihata Route)
- 9-20 Kaminegori, Obama bama-hiromine. Obama
- Obama

- 5 Ebisu Jinja Shrine 6 Tentokuji Temple
- 10 Sotomo Scenic Coastline Cruise 0770-52-3111 Closed December to February, Tue
- Sabakaido Road Museum 8 Former Furukawaya Villa and Garden (GOSHOEN) 17-4-1 Kitashioya, Obama Food Culture Museum 0770-47-1127 Closed mid-Dec.to Feb 3-4 Kawasaki, Obama 0770-53-1000 10 Sancho-machi Street Obama-katori, Obama-asuka,
  - 8 Mantokuji Temple Miketsukuni Wakasa Obama
    - 9 Wakasa-Hiko
    - 0770-56-1116 10 Roadside Station Wakasa Obama
      - 24-45-2 Wakuri, Obama 0770-56-3000 Hagaji Temple 83-5 Haga, Obama 0770-52-4502









streets that convey the beauty of the past.

Wakasa Province

tood, and ancient festivals continue to be celebrated along the

special culture. This heritage of bountiful nature, abundant

exchanged widely around the region, creating a distinctly

Traditions, performing arts, and Buddhism have been

are ports, castle towns, and post towns that remain even today.

capital, collectively called "Sabakaido (Mackerel Road)," there

ancient times. Along these historic paths between the sea and

such as salt and seafood to the former capital of Kyoto since

Wakasa is known as "Miketsukuni," a region that brought food

to the Ancient Capital Cultural Meritage Linking the Sea

https://on-the-trip.net/areas/53?locale=en

Access the travel audio guide here.

Sabakaido Community Development Counsil (Takashima City, Wakasa Town, Obama City)

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## Local Goods

at Roadside Stations

## Savory Mackerel

Osumitsu Vinegar Drinks

Delicious with fruit juice,

containing anti-aging and

beautifying properties. 🕕 Wakasa Obama, etc.

and Preserved Foods

Famous Local Fermented

BENICHU

Plum wines in sugarless

and sugared varieties,

Mikatagoko, etc.

There are many flavors to suit any taste.

both high in healthy polyphenols

5 breweries produce unique sake in Takashima City.

Takashima Marugoto Department Store, etc.

Mackerel Sushi

Savory mackerel made with local rice.

you are sure to find a favorite! 2 Kutsuki-shin-honjin

4 Wakasa Kumagawajuku

🕕 Wakasa Obama, etc.

Because every maker has a different taste.

Heshiko (Preserved Mackerel) A local Wakasa area specialty with a rich, salty taste. Give it a try! 2 Kutsuki-shin-honjin 4 Wakasa Kumagawajuk 7 Mikatagoko 🔟 Wakasa Obama, etc





Heshiko Bagna Cauda Made with preserved mackerel instead of anchovies for a unique flavor that goes great on vegetables or bread. 🔟 Wakasa Obama



Small and juicy, 80% of Fukui Plums Fukui Plums Small and Juley, 80% of Fukui Fill are made here in Wakasa Town. Honey Black Plum Fermented and aged for three months,

it combines strong sourness with honey sweetness and leaves a hint of plum in the aftertaste. 7 Mikatagoko, etc.





Tenzaru

Gaze over Lake Biwa from an outdoor terrace while eating soba noodles, made fresh everyday. 4 Makino Ossaka-toge

## Roadside Station List

- 4 Makino Ossaka-toge 897-27 Kaizu, Makino-cho, Takashima 0740-28-8081 Open: 9 a.m. to 6 p.m Closed: Tue., New Year holiday (Open during peak season.)
- 10 Wakasa Oham 24-45-2 Wakuri, Obama 0770-56-3000 Open: 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. Closed: New Year holidays
- **3** Toju-no-sato Adogawa 1162-1 Aoyagi, Adogawa-cho, Takashima **1** 0740-32-8460 Open: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Closed: 2nd Wed., New Year's Day
- 7 Mikatagoko 122-31-1 Torihama, Wakasa 0770-45-0113 Open: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Closed: 1st Tue., New Year holidays, No holidays in July & Aug.
- 2 Kutsuki-shin-honjin 777 Ichiba, Kutsuki, Takashima 0740-38-2398 Open: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. Closed: Tue., New Year holiday

4 Wakasa Kumagawajuku 11-1-1 Kumagawa, Wakasa 0770-62-9111 Open: Mar. to Nov: 9 a.m. to p.m. Dec. to Feb.: 9:30 a.m. to 5:30 p.m Closed: 2nd Thu. in Mar, Jun., Sep. Dec., New Year holidays

Durable woven cloth products. Omi Hand Fans Takashima City is proud to produce more than 90% of fan frames in Japan.

3 Toju-no-sato Adogawa Takashima Marugoto Department Store

All photos are for illustrative purposes only

8 Wakasa Kobo Studio (Food Culture Museum) 3-4 Kawasaki, Obama 0770-53-1034 Open: 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. (Dec. to Feb.: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m.) Closed: Wed., New Year holidays

 $\wedge$  Experiences

Salt Custard Pudding

historically sent to the capital.

A plain option is also available.

Traditions

Takashima Canvas

2 Kutsuki-shin-honjin

Takashima Marugoto

Department Store

Chopsticks-making Experience

chopsticks with inlaid, colorful seashells.

Hand-make distinctive lacquered

🔟 Wakasa Obama

Enjoyed with Obama's traditional salt,

Local Sake

**Discover** Delicious

2 Kutsuki-shin-honjin

Local Specialties



Dishes from Lake Biwa Try certified Japan Heritage Cultural Property fish dishes. 3 Toju-no-sato Adogawa, etc.



# Cleanse your soul Spiritual Road

A museum themed around the striped sediment layers called "nenkou" found at the bottom of the lake. It features displays of the world's longest 70,000 years of nenko, as well as information on the history of humanity and the environment.

Wakasa Mikata Jomon Museum A museum focused on artifacts from Wakasa Town and Jomon culture. The building, shaped like a clay figurine's belly, displays pottery and other items

> Omi-Naka **5** Kumagawa Historic Post Town You can feel the nostalgic past at this market street along the Sabakaido Road.

Omi-Imazu Sta. Takashima City

River

Faith in the Shikobuchi Deities

Guardian deities of raftsmen belong to a faith unique to the Adogawa River basin. Shrines for the gods are at spots along the river

at Omizo(soumon) Restored to its Edo period appearance, it showcases local history and tourism

🚹 Shirahige Jinja Shrine 🗕 Imazu Port (Chikubu Island Cruise) • Osakiji Temple Roadside Station Makino Ossaka-toge

Ebisu Jinja Shrine

Tentokuji Temple

Myotsuji Temple 🗕

Mantokuji Temple •

Shiratani Onsen

Hachiojiso

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Makino Sta.

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Takashima Marugoto

Department Store

& Biwako Takashima

**Tourism Association** 

Adogawa Sta.

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Asahi Sta.

Makino Highland Onsen Sarasa (hot spring and restaurant)

Wakasa Hime Jinja and Hiko Jinja Shrines •

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3 Osakiji Temple

Lake Biwa

Chikubu-shima

Island

Makino Ossaka-toge

**Roadside Station Wakasa Obama** 

Hagaji Temple 🗕

The Wakasa area is widely regarded as the most beautiful Buddhist town facing the Sea of Japan. Buddhism was brought through here from the Asian continent to the ancient capital of Kyoto. You can still discover countless traditional sculptures and priceless treasures in the numerous temples.

🧿 Wakasa Hime Jinja Shrine Founded in 714, the oldest shrine in Wakasa is also regarded as the best.



1 Hagaji Temple The standing statue of the Elevenfaced Kannon Bosatsu (National important cultural properties) is remarkable.



SUP Experience (NORTH STYLE Okubiwako Enjoy Lake Biwa's northern area through SUP while relaxing. (Reservation required) MAKINO SUNNY BEACH O
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Open: Late April to early October



**7** Myotsuji Temple

pagoda are designated

The main hall and three-story

National Treasures which date

🕒 Ebisu Jinja Shrine Ebisu of the Wakasa area is the guardian deity of children and commercial fishing.



8 Mantokuji Temple Azaleas in spring and maples in fall color the temple for every season.



2 Imazu Port (Chikubu Island Cruise) Chikubu island is famous as a sacred, spiritual area. It takes about 30 minutes to and from the island.

30 Imazu, Imazu-cho, Takashima 🛅 0740-22-1747 Open: 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. (5 times daily, seasonal schedule.) For information on temporary schedules, search for 'Biwako Kisen Chikubushima.' Closed: No holidays

Harihata Route

🗕 Takashima Trail

**4** Harie Shozu-no-sato (Waterfront Scenery at Harie) Kabata is a system of water that flows from underground springs and is still used in household kitchen basins.

 $\star$  Tours are available only through reservations.

National road

Prefectural road

🖀 0740-25-6566 Harie Shozu Committ Closed: Mon., holidays Be healed by traditional customs 2km Be cleansed at Naterfront scenery at Omizo Lake Biwa's torii gate! Japan Heritage Omi-Takashima Sta. Omizo Castle Ruins Roadside Station 1 👡 🚯 Water Road & Otomegaike Pond ••• Traffic light **1 --- 1** Spiritual Road Accommodation 1 ----- 10 Sabakaido Road Photograph from facility the observation dec Railway(JR) Expressway

1 Shirahige Jinja Shrine A famous sight in Lake Biwa is the stunning red torii gate of Shirahige Jinja Shrine.

Shirahige Jir