Indulge yourself with Japan's treasures

Experience a rewarding and unforgettable adventure with Japan's hidden gems. Immerse yourself in nature, culture, haute cuisine, and Japanese hospitality as you cruise through the best spots we picked just for you to have that extraordinary trip of your lifetime.

Immerse Yourself Now >

Share your precious moments

We would love to hear all the memorable moments of your travel in Japan. On "A Trip to Remember", simply write a short story (of just about 400 characters) of your experience(s) when you had celebrated any kind of occasion in Japan, whether it's a birthday, an anniversary, or even a long-awaited, well-deserved getaway with family and friends. The best story will win a return trip to Japan!

A Trip to Remember >

The Rail Kitchen Chikugo

A diner on rails, The Rail Kitchen Chikugo journeys through Kyushu's Chikugo region and offers local delicacies of the area on board. The dining carriages are all about cozy dining, with locally sourced elements like tablewares, textiles, and furniture. Meals on board use fresh, local ingredients with seasonal specialties translated into amuse-bouche, appetizers, and pizzas, all prepared in the beautiful open kitchen. This weekend ride operates from Nishitetsu Fukuoka (Tenjin) Station for brunch/lunch and Omuta Station for dinner. Relax and feel the warm hospitality and delicious cuisine of the Chikugo region!

The Rail Kitchen Chikugo >

Hokkaido Glamping experience, Hokkaido

Relax and soak in nature's bounty with a glamping in the beautiful region of Hakodate at La Candeola. Limited to just one group per day, the luxurious villa with 2 bedrooms and a glamping tent is located in Yunokawa which is famous for its hot springs. Within the vast garden of the property, you can view cherry blossoms in spring, pick chestnuts in fall – and enjoy BBQs throughout the year. There is also a natural hot spring facility with a jacuzzi, completing the relaxing experience with family and friends.

Ikumo, Ishikawa Prefecture

Looking for an intimate nature escape high up in the mountains? The mountaintop inn Ikumo is situated among the clouds, offering unparalleled views of the surrounding mountains and sunset over the Sea of Japan. Combining rustic elements, modern elegance and an eco-friendly philosophy, the inn is located along a former pilgrimage route to Nanadera Temple, so guests can join a prayer session or enjoy the region's famous autumn foliage. The kaiseki meals are prepared from local produce like organic vegetables and fresh seafood. At night, you can soak in the open-air bath under the stars.

Ikumo, Ishikawa Prefecture >

Kurabito Stay, Nagano Prefecture

If you enjoy sake, why not experience a weekend as a sake brewer in Nagano? The Saku area has 13 historic breweries, and in Kurabito you not only can try your hand at brewing sake, you can also stay overnight in a restored hirashiki, a large chamber where sake brewers used to sleep in olden days. This 2-night experience lets you take part in all aspects of sake making, from the brewing process to the packaging, and of course, the tasting. Explore the region's cuisine and pair it with great sake from the region with your fellow brewers!

Kurabito Stay, Nagano Prefecture >

Hot News

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LUMINE SINGAPORE

In sharing about their work and lives, the craftspeople of Okuyamato often refer fondly to their own experiences living in and with the nature of Okuyamato, and how they are regarded as blessings from the earth. They also express their hopes of imparting their culture and bringing the Okuyamato experience to us through their work.

Visit them at LUMINE SINGAPORE to view and shop their 19 makers' craft and products.

Facebook page >

Japan Airlines in-flight meals are now serving at Japan Rail Café. Only in January 2021!!

Japan Airlines is taking your palate to the skies! Limited JAL Economy Class in-flight meals are now available at JAPAN RAIL CAFE daily, only in the month of January 2021. Choose between Chicken Takiawase Tamago or Salmon Miso Yaki, both of which comes with two appetizers, a dessert, and coffee or tea.

Purchase an in-flight meal to receive a JNTO passport case (while stocks last!) and stand to win JR East tickets in the grand lucky draw where 2 winners will win a JR EAST PASS each. You will also be entitled to attractive airfare discounts of up to 28%, valid for travel until 31 March 2022. If you're visiting JAPAN RAIL CAFE on weekends from 12pm to 6pm, look forward to meet our Singapore-based cabin attendants who will be sharing the art of furoshiki and origami.

JAPAN RAIL CAFE is located at Gucco Tower, 5 Wallich Street, #01-20 Singapore 078883.

Learn more >

Register Now! Experience a one-of-a-kind Virtual Family Trip to Japan! Together, Broaden Your Horizons, Create Your Memories - Online!

Make lasting memories with your family by experiencing them in Japan! JAPAN by Japan brings you on a virtual tour experience on 6th February 2021, along with our special guest – Cheesie - a lifestyle influencer known for her passionate love for Japan. She will share about her current trip in the Tokai area (comprises parts of Chubu and Kansai regions) and tips on how you can bring your family on a fun, rewarding trip. We will bring you on live virtual tour to Mie to explore the lives of Ama-san (female divers who do not use any diving equipment)! Only 30 slots are available so register now!

Broaden Your Horizons, Create Your Memories - Online! >

Important Notification

We would like to inform you that you may check the latest update of COVID-19 situation from the website in below link. Please visit and refer to how COVID-19 may affect your plans to visit Japan.

Coronavirus (COVID-19) Advisory Information >

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