EXHIBITIONS and MUSEUMS, January 2022

EHIME PREFECTURAL ART MUSEUM Tel: 089-932-0010

9:40-18:00 (admission closes at 17:30)

Closed: Jan. 1, 4, 11, 17, 24, 25, Feb. 8, 14 *Jan. 2, Byodo-in only

SHIN-KAN at HORINOUCHI

Due to the spread of corona virus, exhibition schedule is changeable. Please check before you visit.

Special Exhibition

< -Jan. 9 > Byodo-in Hoo-do ~ Its Beauty and Religion

Byodo-in was built in 1052 in Uji, Kyoto by Fujiwara Yorimichi, one of the sons of Regent Fujiwara Michinaga, a statesman who wielded great influence and power. Plagues, earthquakes, wars and other disasters led people to believe in Buddhist predictions of an impending apocalypse. As a result, aristocracy and monks put their faith in the existence of a "Buddhist Pure Land". Yorimichi had the temple built with many halls and representations of the Buddha to represent this land of the afterworld. The show introduces the temple's history, Japanese culture peculiar to the Heian period and explores people's beliefs in Pure Land Buddhism.

Admission Ticket	Adults	High School & Collage students	Junior High & Elementary School Students
Day Ticket(Advance Ticket)	¥1400 (*¥1200)	¥700 (*¥500)	¥500 (*¥300)

Museum Collection Exhibition

< Jan. 5-Mar. 7 > Byobu Travelling

Admission	Adults	College & High School Students
Group Ticket(*Group)	¥330 (*¥260)	¥220 (*¥170)

*Museum Collection Exhibition: Seniors (65 and over) are free.

Junior high & elementary school students and under are free.

*Disabled persons and their attendants are admitted free.

*With a purchase of the special Exhibition ticket, admission to the Museum Collection Exhibition is free.

*Groups (20 and more) can get advance tickets anytime.

MINAMI-KAN

9:40-18:00 (admission closes at 17:30) *Ask for the details <u>https://www.chime-art.jp/</u>

BANSUISO Tel: 089-921-3711

Bansui-So is a French Neo-Renaissance building built in 1922 as the villa of the Duke Hisamatsu Sadakoto, a descendant of the feudal lord of Matsuyama. It was designated as national important cultural property in 2011. Various events take place on the 1st floor. The luxurious interior decor of the 2nd floor can be viewed for ¥300 (adult). Bansui-So is behind the Courthouse, a 5-minute walk from the Okaido tram station.

9.00-18.00

Closed: Jan. 17, 24, Feb. 7, 14

< - > "Sorokin no mita sakura"

Location photos from this film based on the love between a Russian POW and a Japanese nurse.

Adults ¥300. High, Junior-high and elementary school students ¥100. Disabled persons and their attendants ¥100

< Jan. 8-16, 9:00-17:30 > Felt Art Exhibition "Animal Story"

*Opening day starts at 11:00. Closing day ends at 16:00

http://www.bansuisou.org/

DOGO GIYAMAN GLASS MUSEUM Tel:089-933-3637

Once glassware was called "Giyaman" in Japan from the Portuguese word diamante (diamond) which was used to cut glass. This museum focuses on antique glassware made by Japanese craftsmen. It is located in the Yamanote Garden Place, a 7-minute walk from Dogo Onsen tram station.

9:00-22:00 (admission closes at 21:30)

Closed: Every Wednesday Admission: Adults ¥650 (¥550*) *Group discount (15 and over)

Seniors (65 and over with ID) ¥550 Junior High School Students ¥450 Museum Shop and Café Annex. http://www.dogo-yamanote.com/gardenplace/

MIURART VILLAGE Tel: 089-978-6838

This museum holds various kinds of art exhibits. The permanent collection includes a number of Miurart pieces (porcelain panel painting) as well as contemporary sculptures in the garden gallery. About a 15-minute walk from Uchimiya lyotetsu bus stop or a 20-minute walk from JR Horie station. 9:30-17:00 Closed: Mondays and Tuesdays and Dec. 27-Jan. 4 < -Jan. 30 > Paintings by Komoda Mitsuko and Morisuke

"100th Anniversary Exhibition Komoda Mitsuko "Morisuke and Nostalgia". Komoda Mitsuko (1921-2007) was born in Tokyo. She studied painting from an early age, and when she was 22, she was selected to participate in the 13th Independent Art Exhibition. However, she married Komoda Morisuke, a painter from Ehime prefecture endorsed by Inokuma Genichiro. Mitsuko gave up painting at the insistence of husband Morisuke. Mitsuko deferred to her husband's career for about 16 years, but began painting again after her husband died. Her early works were reminiscent of Morisuke's painting. Afterwards, Mitsuko turned her attention to the subjects of daily life and family, the casual scenery of every day, festivals and circuses, but with a unique perspective. Her nostalgic art

captures half-remembered emotions such as loneliness and a vague unease, that leads viewers into her own mysterious world.

JUNKUDO BOOKSTORE Tel: 089-915-0075

10:00-20:00 Open: Everyday except Jan. 1 *Jan. 2, 3 (10:00-19:00) * Free Junkudo guides introducing Junkudo's fairs and recommended books are available every beginning of the month on the first floor.

* Looking for books, refer to the following site,

https://honto.jp/store/detail_1570054_14HB320.html

SAKA-NO-UE-NO KUMO MUSEUM Tel: 089-915-2600

This museum was built to commemorate the novel Saka no ue no kumo (The Clouds on the Hill), written by Shiba Ryotaro. The story takes place during the Meiji era (1868-1912), focusing on three ambitious natives of Matsuyama, brothers Saneyuki and Yoshifuru Akiyama and their frienMasaoka Shiki. A special exhibition explores the Meiji era, transition of Japan to a modern state, focusing on Akiyama Saneyuki. The museum's triangular architecture was designed by Ando Tadao, one of Japan's most famous architects. A 3- minute walk from Okaido tram station.

9:00 -18:30 (admission until 18:00)

Closed: Mondays

Open: Everyday Dec. 20-Jan. 17

Admission: Adults ¥ 400 (¥320*) *Group discount for more than 20 people Jr. High Sch. Students & Seniors (over 65) ¥ 200 (¥160*)

* Rental fee for an audio guide is ¥100. (English, Chinese, Korean, Japanese) <u>http://www.sakanouenokumomuseum.jp/</u>

THE SHIKI MUSEUM Tel: 089-931-5566

Masaoka Shiki (1867-1902) is the father of modern haiku. Here, his lifework and the development of modern Japanese literature are examined. Displays also trace the history of Ehime and Matsuyama from ancient times to the 19th century. On the 3rd floor, there is a replica of "Gudabutsuan", the house where Shiki and his friend Natsume Soseki, a famous novelist, lived for a time. Located in the northern part of Dogo Park, a 5-minute walk from Dogo Onsen Station or Dogo Koen tram station.

9:00-17:00 (admission until 16:30)

Closed: Tuesdays

- Admission: Adult ¥400 Student (up to high school) Free
 - *Volunteer English Guides available on request. Call the museum at least 2 days in advance.
 - *Rental fee for English, Korean or Chinese audio guide is ¥100. http://www.sikihaku.lesp.co.jp/information/english/

NHK ART GALLERY Tel: 089-909-8565

9:30-17:00 (-16:00 on the last day of exhibition) Closed: Mondays Events might be canceled or postponed to prevent the spread of novel Coronavirus infection.

Please check latest information.

MITSUKOSHI Tel: 089-934-8123

Open: Everyday

4th Floor ART GALLERY (-16:00 on the last day of exhibition)

Admission: Free

10:00-19:00

< Jan. 2-10 > Paintings by Artists Influenced by Western Academic Painting

but with a Spirit Unique to Japan. \sim Japanese Modern Art \sim

< Jan. 11-17 > Japanese Paintings by Yokoyama Yoshimi

- < Jan. 18-24 > Paintings by Revolutionary Artists
- < Jan. 25-31> Japanese Paintings by Tohkawa Shinichi

IYOTETSU TAKASHIMAYA Tel: 089-9 48-2111

10:00-19:00Open: EverydayRestaurants (11:00-21:00, 10:00-22:00) Please check latest information.Ferris Wheel (10:00-21:00)6th Floor ART GALLERYAdmission: Free (-16:00 on the last day of exhibition)< Jan. 1- > Exhibition Schedule TBA. Please check latest information.8th Floor SKY DOMEPlease check latest information.https://www.iyotetsu-takashimaya.co.jp/

SEKI ART GALLERY Tel: 089-946-5678

This gallery focuses on Japanese masters of the 20th century including works of the "Nihonga" painters Yokoyama Taikan, Maeda Seison and Kayama Matazo. Also on display are oil paintings by Koiso Ryohei, Léonard Foujita and others. The Rodin Room features sculptures and copperplate prints by François-Auguste-René Rodin. As you enter the museum, a member of staff will play an antique disk music box. A 5-minute walk from Dogo Onsen tram station. 10: 00-17: 00 Closed: Mondays and Tuesdays and Jan. 1-4

Closed: Mondays and Tuesdays and Jan. 1-4 Open: Jan. 10

Admission: Adult ¥700, Sr. High, Jr. High & Primary Sch. Students ¥500 <u>https://www.seki.co.jp/mus/</u>