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Explore Shizuoka – Tea Village Adventure Tour in Shizuoka

Rogaining is an exhilarating outdoor adventure that's growing in popularity across Japan. Perfect for families and explorers, this unique team-based activity allows participants to navigate the stunning 'Satoyama' countryside while racing to visit checkpoints and earn points. From tea villages to hot springs, rogainers uncover hidden gems while taking on a thrilling challenge. It's an unforgettable way for tourists to experience the lesser-known beauty and culture of Japan's landscapes.

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Kochi Prefecture – Yuzu Citrus Season is Almost Here!



Kochi Prefecture is the biggest producer of yuzu in Japan and this citrus is deeply rooted in the daily life of Kochi. In autumn, yuzu villages like Umaji and Kitagawa, are abuzz with activity, as farmers busily bring in the harvest and drive small trucks filled with crates of yuzu to sell.

Multiple days or one day tours are available to follow the story of yuzu village or to learn local food culture by cooking veggie-sushi using this aromatic citrus that has captured the imagination of chefs around the world today!

See tours from [Kochi Amigo](#) and [Kochi Escapes](#)

Kyoto City Tourism – Jidai Matsuri Festival

The Jidai Matsuri Festival, one of Kyoto's biggest events, celebrates the city's rich history. Held every October 22, it features a grand procession organized by Heian Jingu Shrine.

Over 2,000 participants parade in traditional costumes, representing key periods of Japanese history from the Meiji Restoration back to the Heian era.

The festival honors Kyoto's role as the ancient capital, offering visitors a captivating glimpse into Japan's cultural heritage.

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Visit Kinosaki – Kinosaki Marine World Access Pass with Fishing Experience



Extend the fun and magic of your trip to Kinosaki Onsen with a visit to Kinosaki Marine World! Enjoy shows with dolphins, sea lions, and walruses! Prep your own lunch at the aquarium with a fishing session, and enjoy your fresh catch as tempura with some ice cream as dessert.

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