

Survival Japanese Language and Japanese food cooking Class

Oct. 20 and 27; Nov. 10 and 17

Dec. 1 (cooking class)

Saturdays, from 10 am - 12 noon

Fee for cooking class: 500 yen

All classes held at the Misawa International Center!

Free childcare available

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International Friendship Group

The 1st Wednesday of the Month: 10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.

Every Wednesday, thereafter: 7 pm start time

***with a potluck party to be held on November 7, Wednesday.

For more information please contact the Misawa International Association.

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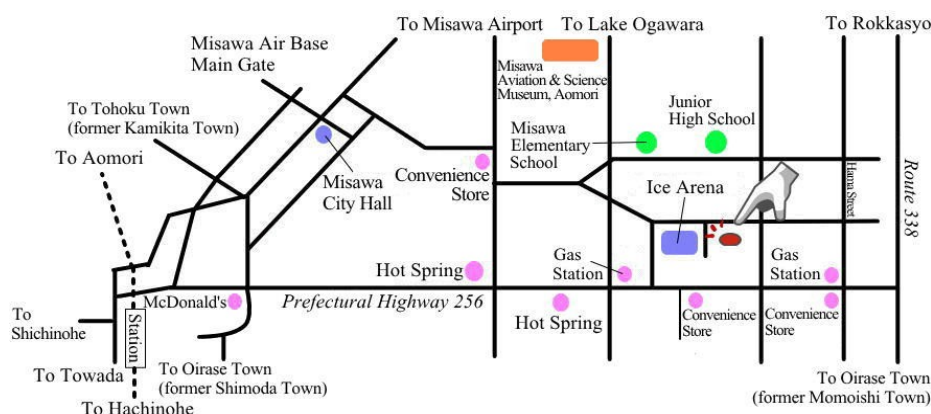
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Misawa City News

October, 2012



秋と言えば

Autumn is the time when the temperatures start to cool and the leaves change color. The harvest is ready and plentiful and the apples are ready to be picked in Aomori! Autumn is also the time to good indoor activities such as enjoying the arts and good book.

What's your favorite way to spend autumn? Here are some great suggestions for what to do around Misawa. Hurry, and enjoy before winter comes!

Misawa Cultural Festival 2012

All events at the Misawa Civic Center

Admission: Free

Art Exhibits: Nov 2, Friday - Nov 6, Sunday 10 a.m. - 5 p.m.

Various performance: Oct 27, Sat - Nov 24, Sat

Event and times listed below.

Date	Event	Time
10/27, Sat	Misawa City Chorus Concert	14:00
10/27, Sat	Social Dance Performance	18:00
10/28, Sun	Dance Exhibition	12:00
11/4, Sun	Aomori Western Dance Performance	13:00
11/10, Sat	Classical Music Concert	18:00
11/11, Sun	Ensemble Performance	12:00
11/17, Sat	Wind Band Concerto	14:30
11/18, Sun	Dance Exhibition	11:00
11/18, Sun	Japanese Music Concert	12:00
11/23, Fri	Traditional Japanese Dance Show	11:00
11/23, Fri	Jazz & J-Pop Music Concert	18:30
11/24, Sat	"Do Re Mi" Ensemble	13:30

Family Kite Painting & Flying

Oct 13, Saturday 10 a.m.-12 noon.

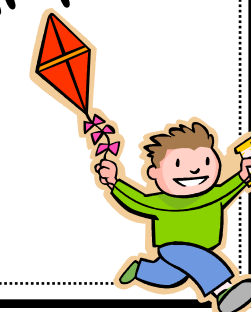
At the Misawa Cemetery Garden (near the Misawa Aviation & Science Museum).

Fee: ¥500 per person

To enter: Please sign up with the Misawa International Association by Oct 12, Friday (this group is located in the Misawa International Center). However, this contest is limited to the first 10 American families and the first 10 Japanese families to sign up.

For more information: please call 51-1255

Sign up today!



MISAWA HALLOWEEN FESTIVAL 2012

This year's Halloween Festival will be held on Oct 20, Saturday, downtown, along Main Street, American Park, and American Village. Come along with your family friends to this unique Japanese Halloween event!!!
Don't forget to dress up!

Halloween Scavenger Hunt: 11:00 a.m. - 12:30 p.m.

Starting place : American Park End Goal : Orange Hiroba

Pick up a scorecard and find the stamps of various Halloween Characters, along Main Street.

Once you collect them all, you will receive a prize!!!

US-Japan Costume Parade & Contest

12 noon - 12:50pm : Sign up at Orange Hiroba

13:00 - 13:30 Costume Parade

13:30 - 14:30 Contest/Judging

14:40 Awards Ceremony

Trick-or-Treating on Main Street: 3 pm start

Come and trick-or-treat on Main Street! Stop at the shops decorated with pumpkins, to collect your Halloween treats!

There will also be other fun events and sale booths around American Village.
Come and ENJOY a ghoulish day out!

¥20,000 top prize
to Best Costume

Authentic Chinese luncheon!!

October 28, Sunday

12noon - 14:00

at the Misawa International Center

Fee	Adult	MIA ¥800	Non-MIA ¥1000
	Child, 4-12yrs	MIA ¥500	Non-MIA ¥700
	Child, 0-3yrs	Free	

Want to try something new?

Come and join us for some authentic Chinese cuisine!

However, this event is limited to the first 40 people to sign up.

Please sign up and pay (in advance) by October 26, Friday.

For more information, please contact the Misawa International Association,
located in the Misawa International Center
at (0176)-51-1349 or email at info-mia@misawasi.com

Annual Thanksgiving Gala

November 25, Sunday
at the Misawa International Center

Let's enjoy Thanks giving with Japanese friends. More detail in next the Misawa City News!

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The 5th manpuku Matsuri

International Specialty Foods Festival!

Oct 20, 2012, Saturday 10:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.
at American Park of the Sky Plaza Misawa



Manpuku means "a full stomach" and Matsuri means "festival" in Japanese. The theme of this Manpuku Matsuri is "the best international dishes of the world!" Come and try such tasty foods as **Spicy Canton-style noodles, Indian Green Curry, Cheese Klucha, Special Mabo tofu, Bulgogi, Dak galbi, Fiery Hot chicken, Big Meatball Stew and Mexican Pizza Cheese Quesadilla!**

The first 500 people, who finish 3 dishes and collect 3 stamps, (on a flyer), will be entered into a lottery for a Misawa Sky Plaza ¥1,000 gift certificate!!

All dishes are ¥400 each!

Misawa City Indoor Heated Pool

Hours: 10:00 a.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Closed Monday

(When a national holiday falls on Monday, the following day becomes a close.)

Admission: ¥500 for 16 years and older. ¥300 for under 15years old and older 12years old. ¥100 for 11years old and under.

Swimming cap is required to wear. Children under 3rd grader must be supervise by an adult at all times.

Closures

From Oct 15, Monday
Through Oct 19, Friday
For facility maintenance

Aomori Prefectural Cultural Festival

From September 1, Saturday, to November 11, Sunday

See below for times. All events are held at the Misawa Civic Center.

Performance	Date & Time	Admission
Brass Band Concert	Oct 7, Sun, 12:00 - 17:00	¥800
Chorus Festival	Oct 21, Sun, 13:00 - 16:00	Free
Ginkenshibudou Festival (Japanese Culture)	Oct 21, Sun, 10:30- 15:30	Free
Yōbu Festival (Western Dance Show)	Nov 4, Sun 13:00 - 16:00	Free