

FIA Pocket

English

FIA Activity Report

This report is an overview of the FIA's activities from July to September.

Global Cafe at FIKA



Global Cafes are hosted at Café Fika on the first floor of the Fukui International Exchange Plaza, international exchange events for Fukui residents. Here, we'll share highlights from the Let's Talk Cafe and English Cafe events held on July 26.



▲Carina, Coordinator of International Relations for Fukui Prefecture

Let's Talk Cafe

Twelve students, ranging from first-year middle schoolers to second-year high schoolers, participated in this event. They spoke in English about various topics, such as their favorite colors. They also enjoyed playing Pictionary, a game where they drew summer break-themed pictures on a whiteboard and had their classmates guess what they were. Finally, they sampled s'mores, a classic American summer snack.



▲Catherine, Multiculturalism Promoter

English Cafe

A total of 31 people (including 6 foreigners) participated in this event. This was a Exchange Language session centered on the theme "Things I Want to Do This Summer," with the first half conducted in English and the second half in Japanese. Participants split into five tables and enjoyed casual conversations with one another. Catherine also went around to each table to liven up the conversations.

Scan here for more information
about events and the Cafe!



Limited-time snack:
Chocolate cake 🍰



This was a day where many were able to enjoy
international exchange right here in Fukui.

We hold Let's Talk Cafe once each in the first and second halves of the year,
and English Cafe about once a month.

Please feel free to join us while enjoying a drink at Cafe FIKA!

One of our favorites

If you make a library card,
you can borrow books from the FIA!

An Illustrated Compendium of Untranslatable Words from Around the World

Ella Frances Sanders, translated from the original English by Mayumi Maeda

This book is a collection of interesting phrases from around the world that can't be translated in a single word.

By learning the meanings behind these phrases, you can learn more about the culture and way of thinking of the people in those countries. Why not see if you can find a phrase from your favorite foreign country?



A Message from the FIA



Fukui International Festival Month

October is Fukui International Festival Month!

This month, many international events will be held throughout Fukui Prefecture.

Our theme for this year is bringing the world and Fukui closer together.

Take advantage of all the opportunities to learn about other cultures from across the globe!

Reihoku Fukui International Festival

Date: Sunday, October 25th, 10:00 am~4:00 pm

Place: Fukui International Activities Plaza

| Event Information |

- Global Yataimura (food stall village)
- Stage Performance
- Japanese cultural experiences (kimono-wearing, pottery)
- Global Cafe@FIKA



For more details



Reinan REINAN International festival

Date: Sunday, October 18th, 10:00 am~3:00 pm

Place: Wakasa Town Parea Wakasa

| Event Information |

- Multicultural exchange event
- Traditional Korean games, washi paper making
- Wood-carving workshop, ceramic painting



For more details



Ochatto Salon Korea

Listen to an introduction to Korean culture by Mr. Kim, who is visiting Japan as part of a training program with Tsuruga City's sister-city relationship with Donghae City in Korea.

Date: Sunday, October 4th, 14:00 pm~15:30 pm

Place: Reinan Center

Participation fee: 100yen



For more details



FIA Japanese Classes (Second Term – October to February)

Applications open September 4 (Fri) at the Fukui International

Activities Plaza 1st Floor Consultation Corner. Classes cost a

total of 4,000 yen (participants beginning after the eighth class pay 2,000 yen total). Come enjoy studying with us!

For more details



FIA-sponsored Free Consultation for Foreign Residents (Reservation Required)

You can receive consultation on a wide variety of issues including residence status, family immigration, naturalization, legal issues, labor issues, marriage, accidents, debt, and DV.

Our Comprehensive Support Coordinators for Foreign Residents can help you!

Fukui Consultation Center for Foreign Residents

Fukui International Activities Plaza TEL 0776-88-0062

■Immigration and Residency Consultation

10/3 (Sat), 11/7 (Sat), 12/5 (Sat)

■Legal Consultation

10/10 (Sat), 11/21 (Sat), 12/19 (Sat)

■Remote Legal Consultation

10/31 (Sat), 11/28 (Sat), 12/26 (Sat)

All consultations are held between 1 p.m. and 4 p.m. on the days listed. **Reservations are required.**



For more details

Fukui Reinan Consultation Center for Foreign Residents

Fukui International Association Reinan Center TEL 0770-21-3455

Please inquire at this center if you live in the Reinan area.

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