



## January

Date	Name of the Event	Place & Time	Admission	Contact
9 Mon. (National Holiday)	Getting in Touch with the Sea Project  ~Cleanup around Nakahara coast area~	<u>Meeting place</u> Tobata Ward, Nakahara Coast (in front of the stone monument) <u>Cleanup area</u> Tobata Ward, Nakahara Coast Municipal roads, Nakahara Route 1	Admission: Free  For insurance reasons, please submit your name, age, address, contact details until January 7th.	Club World Peace Japan Fukuoka Branch (In charge: Ikemoto) TEL : 093-873-3071 FAX : 093-873-3072 <a href="mailto:shinichi0830@mopera.net">shinichi0830@mopera.net</a> <u>Support</u> Japan Coast Guard Association Umimori Executive Office
15 Sun.	Free consultation concerning immigration procedures	International Village Center 2F Meeting Room 13:00 ~ 16:00	Admission: Free No reservation required *Please contact us in advance if you require an interpreter.	Fukuoka Gyoseishoshi Lawyers Assoc. Contact: Kitakyushu International Association Tel: 093-662-0055 <a href="mailto:kia@kitag-koryu.jp">kia@kitag-koryu.jp</a>
17 Tue.	Japanese Language Class Volunteers Skill-up Course  [First Meeting] Kitakyushu	International Village Center 2F Conference room 10:30 ~ 16:30	Free *Lunch price not included Capacity: 30 (first come first served) *Application required	Fukuoka International Exchange Foundation TEL : 092-725-9200 FAX : 092-725-9206 <a href="mailto:watanabe@kokusaihiroba.or.jp">watanabe@kokusaihiroba.or.jp</a> <u>Co-host</u> Kitakyushu International Association
21 Sat.	Crossroad Communication	JICA Kyushu (Yahatahigashi, Hirano 2-2-1)  <u>Part I</u> 17:30~18:30  <u>Part II</u> 18:30 ~ 20:00	<u>Part I</u> Cross-cultural understanding seminar FREE  <u>Part II</u> International Exchange Party Adults: ¥2,000 J.H. School Student: ¥1,000 Elementary School Student: ¥500  Capacity: 80 *Reservation required	JICA Desk Kitakyushu  In charge: Hashiguchi TEL: 093-662-0055 (Inside the Kitakyushu International Association) <u>Host</u> Fukuoka Prefecture, Overseas Co-operative Association, Kitakyushu Branch
28 Sat.	Free psychological counseling for foreign residents	International Village Center 2F Meeting Room 9:30 ~ 12:30	Admission: Free (First 3 will be accepted) *Reservation required by 3 days in advance	Kitakyushu International Association Tel: 093-662-0055 <a href="mailto:kia@kitag-koryu.jp">kia@kitag-koryu.jp</a>
28 Sat.	Free legal counseling service for foreign residents by the Kitakyushu Branch of the Fukuoka Bar Association	International Village Center 2F Meeting Room 13:30 ~ 16:30	Admission: Free (First 3 will be accepted) *Reservation required by 3 days in advance	Fukuoka Bar Association Kitakyushu Contact: KIA Tel: 093-662-0055 <a href="mailto:kia@kitag-koryu.jp">kia@kitag-koryu.jp</a>
28 Sat.	World Report About East Asian young people these days Focused on Japanese Manga culture  <u>At present, Japanese manga culture is very popular in foreign countries. Through speeches and performances from Korea, Taiwan, Singapore we want to think about differences in lifestyle, portraying men and women in the manga culture around us and on a global stage.</u>	MOVE 5F Main Seminar Room  13:30 ~ 15:40	Admission: Free Capacity: First 100 (Everyone is welcome) Application method: ①Name(s) ②Phone number  If you want to use the day-care service, please apply till January 18th. (From 6 month ~ preschool age 300 JPY per kid)	Kitakyushu Forum on Asian Women (KFAW) (In charge: Onishi, Nakamura) TEL : 093-583-3434 FAX : 093-583-5195 <a href="mailto:info@kfaw.or.jp">info@kfaw.or.jp</a> <a href="http://www.kfaw.or.jp">http://www.kfaw.or.jp</a>



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3 Fri.	Chinese New Year Exchange Event ~Making Suigozo - Food Culture Exchange~	International Village Center B1F Cookroom 10:00 ~ 13:00	Capacity: 16 (by draw) Admission: 500 JPY To bring: apron, writing materials	Kitakyushu International Association In charge: Kinoshita; Nagata TEL: 093-662-0055
To apply please submit your ①Post code ②Address ③Name (in Furigana) ④Age ⑤Phone number ⑥Title: "Chinese New Year Exchange" on a reply paid postcard until January 19 <sup>th</sup> .				805-0062 Yahatahigashi Ward, Hirano 1-1-1 Kitakyushu International Association
4 Sat.	KIINET Homepage☆ Orientation Meeting	International Village Center 2F Conference Room 13:00 ~ 16:00	For: KIINET members Capacity: 35 (Apply until January 28 <sup>th</sup> )	Kitakyushu International Information Network [KIINET] In charge: Yasuno TEL : 093-662-0055 <a href="mailto:kiinet-info@kitaq-koryu.jp">kiinet-info@kitaq-koryu.jp</a>
4 Sat.	Get through even if you can't speak a foreign language Basic Japanese Course	International Village Center 2F Assembly Room 13:00 ~ 16:00	Capacity: First 35 Application: From January 4 <sup>th</sup> (Wed) For: Volunteers for teaching Japanese language; Everyone interested in teaching as a volunteer	Kitakyushu International Association In charge: Saito; Yano TEL: 093-662-0055 FAX: 093-662-6622 <a href="mailto:m.saito@kitaq-koryu.jp">m.saito@kitaq-koryu.jp</a>
9 Thu.	KIINET officers' meeting (Nr. 7)	International Village Center 2F Conference Room 18:00 ~ 20:00	For: KIINET members  <i>*You are interested in KIINET's activities but not a member? You want to think with us about KIINET's role? In that case, please contact the KIINET office.</i>	Kitakyushu International Information Network [KIINET] In charge: Yasuno TEL : 093-662-0055 <a href="mailto:kiinet-info@kitaq-koryu.jp">kiinet-info@kitaq-koryu.jp</a>
11 Sat.	Crossroad Communication	JICA Kyushu (Yahatahigashi, Hirano 2-2-1)  Part I 17:30~18:30  Part II 18:30 ~ 20:00	Part I Cross-cultural understanding seminar FREE  Part II International Exchange Party Adults: ¥2,000 J.H. School Student: ¥1,000 Elementary School Student: ¥500  Capacity: 80 <b>*Reservation required</b>	JICA Desk Kitakyushu  In charge: Hashiguchi TEL: 093-662-0055 (Inside the Kitakyushu International Association)  Host Fukuoka Prefecture, Overseas Co-operative Association, Kitakyushu Branch

**Cross Road Communication (JICA Kyushu)**

On every 2nd Saturday each month!!

A seminar held by Japanese people who have lived abroad, and a buffet party with foreign trainees from JICA.

■Date: February 11th (Sat.) 17:30 ~ 20:00 ■Place: JICA Kyushu (2-2-1 Hirano Yahata Higashi-ku) ■Fee: Adults: ¥2,000, J.H. School Student: ¥1,000, Elementary School Student: ¥500 ■Capacity: 80 ■Please apply with a reply-paid postcard for the address below by January 31<sup>th</sup> (sent date), Write your ①name ②age ③the postcode&address ④phone number ⑤your name&address in the reply space ■Contact: JICA Desk Kitakyushu, Eriko Hashiguchi Address: Kitakyushu International Village Center 3F, 1-1-1 Hirano, Yahatahigashi, Kitakyushu-City 805-0062 TEL: 093-662-0055

**"Chinese Returnees - Conversation Partner Course" - Looking for Participants now! (Kitakyushu International Association)**

This course is about `listening` and conversational know-how. Everyone is welcome to join us.

■Date: February 24th (Fri), March 3rd (Fri), March 9th (Fri) (3 times) ■Time: 10:00 ~ 12:00 ■Capacity: 20  
 ■Place: Kitakyushu International Village Center 2F Conference Room ■Admission: Free ■For: Everyone who is free on Friday mornings after the course has finished ■Additional info: After becoming a volunteer at the Kitakyushu International Association it is planned that you will interact with returnees in Japanese and get a conversation partner.  
 ■Application: Send the application form by Fax or E-mail until February 7<sup>th</sup> (Tue) ■Inquiries/Application: Kitakyushu International Association (In charge: Kinoshita, Nagata)  
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