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Chigasaki City

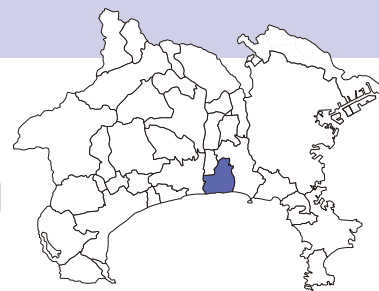
Tourist Attraction No.

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You can find this garden in a residential area of Chigasaki.

Himuro Camellia Garden



Explanation of
Tourist Attraction

Located in a quiet residential area of Chigasaki, this Himuro garden, originally owned by a married couple, was gifted to the city in 1991. Its 2,800 square meters (30,140 square feet) of space are home to 1,300 garden trees and shrubs, including camellias, pines, and roses. There are 200 varieties of camellias, among them the camellia Japonica himuro-setsugekka. The camellias range in color from white to pastel pink, and there are even some with stripe of red. The best time to see the camellias is between the end of February and the end of March. Admission is free (fees apply for use of the Japanese style rooms).

Address	3-2-41 Higashikaiganminami, Chigasaki, Kanagawa
Opening Hours	9:00 am to 5:00 pm
Availability of Parking	Disabled parking available (2 spots). To use the parking spots, please contact the staff in advance. Please note that parking is for disabled people only. Your understanding is appreciated.
URL	http://www.city.chigasaki.kanagawa.jp/kouen/1006491/tsubaki/1006509.html

Recommended Season

All year

Group/Individual Mark

Group Individual

Target Regions

Europe, North America



Access

20 minute walk from Chigasaki Station (JR Tokaido Line / Sagami Line). Take the Kanagawa Chuo Kotsu Bus, getting off at Higashikaiganminami 3-chome. From here, it's 5 minute walk. Community Buses (Eboshi-go): 7 minute walk from Keisen Yochien-mae.

Model Route No. **10** Specific Model Route Details

Individual

JR Tokaido Line Chigasaki Station --- (30 min) --- Tsurumine Hachimangu --- (Sando Pine Tree Path / 20 min walk) --- View of Mt. Fuji --- (50 min) --- Southern Beach Chigasaki C Monument --- (25 min) --- Headland Boardwalk --- (15 min) --- Himuro Camellia Garden --- (20min) --- JR Tokaido Line Chigasaki Station

Start Tokyo Station, Shinjuku Station, Shinagawa Station, Shibuya Station, Yokohama Station, Haneda Airport, Narita Airport

Goal Chigasaki Station (JR Tokaido Line)

Time Required 3 hours, 30 minutes

Nearby Sightseeing Spot

Southern Beach Chigasaki C Monument



A monument of the first letter of "Chigasaki", "C". When you stand in the opening, the "C" becomes a circle, a symbol of matrimony. The monument is therefore also known as the "Marriage Ring".

Hamaori Festival



Revered as a shrine that has enshrined several gods in Chigasaki in Sagami Province since ancient times, it was the first clan shrine that Genji built. It is called the main shrine with respect to Kamakura Tsuruoka Shrine which is called the original shrine and is an ancient shrine used to pray for the retreat of the Mongolians. The lively Hamaori Festival or Akatsuki no Saiten consists of "misogi" in which many portable shrines are taken into the sea in the early morning of Marine Day in July each year.

(Shrines arrived from 4:00 - 7:00, festival opening ceremony from 7:00 - 8:00, festival ends at 9:00 / venue: Chigasaki Nishihama Beach / temporary toll shuttle bus from Chigasaki Station) Enquiries about the Hamaori Festival: Chigasaki Hamaori Sea Festival Preservation Society (in Chigasaki Chamber of Commerce and Industry): 0467-58-1111