

West of
the Prefecture
Odawara City
Tourist Attraction No.
1478

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A tranquil downtown rest house to come and relax and unwind

Odawara-shuku Nariwai Koryukan Tourist Rest House

(experience making an Odawara chochin paper lantern * Reservations required)



Explanation of
Tourist Attraction

Odawara Shuku Nariwai Koryukan Tourist Rest House is a former a fishing net wholesale shop built in 1932 that was redeveloped as a "rest house" and venue for community activities open to anyone. In addition, the 2nd floor events space is currently being used as a place of interaction between local residents and tourists, providing information on local industries and serving as a venue for a range of events, including lifelong learning and cultural activities. Odawara chochin are distinctive accordion-shaped paper lanterns that are foldable, and are mentioned in the children's song, "Osaru No Kagoya" (Monkey Rickshaw). These lanterns are made by painting a picture or calligraphy on traditional Japanese paper and then pasting it on a frame made from thin strips of bamboo. You can take part in a workshop to make your very own original lantern, the perfect souvenir from your visit to Odawara.

selling point

Provision of information on local industries and use as a venue for a range of events, including lifelong learning and cultural activities (reservations required)

Address	Odawara-shuku Nariwai Koryukan Tourist Rest House, 3-6-23 Honcho, Odawara-shi, Kanagawa
Opening Hours	10:00 am to 4:00 pm (entry until 3:30 pm) * 2nd and 4th Sundays of the month only
Availability of Parking	No Parking (please use a nearby parking lot)
URL	http://www.odawara-kankou.com/taiken/chochin.html

Recommended Season

All year

Group/Individual Mark

Group Individual

Target Regions

Europe, North America, Oceania, Asia

Access

- Approx. 14-minutes' walk from the East Exit of Odawara Station
- From Odawara Station, take a Hakone Tozan Bus (bound for Hakone), get off at Saiwai-cho Bus Stop and walk for 1 minute

Specific Model Route Details

Individual

Various Tokyo areas === Yugawara Mirakuan === Try on Japanese armor (Odawara Castle Park) ... Hotoku Ninomiya Shrine === Nariwai Koryukan Tourist Rest House (experience making an Odawara chochin paper lantern) ... Odawara Kamaboko Street === various Tokyo areas

Start Tokyo (various area)

Goal Tokyo (various area)

Time Required 5 hours



Nearby Sightseeing Spot

Odawara Kamaboko Street



The center for food in Odawara, this street is lined with stores selling kamaboko, a type of fish cake, as well as other stores selling dried seafood products and bonito flakes utilizing the region's rich coastal fishing grounds and clean water.

Try on Japanese armor (Odawara Castle Park)



Come along and try on Japanese armor or a kimono, and dress up as a samurai, ninja or princess. Have fun trying on period costumes (fee applies). Costumes are available for both adults and children, men and women.