

# Guide of "Gujō Hachiman" and " Ryūkyō no Sato "



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# ◆ Introduction of "Gujō Hachiman"



- It is located in the center of Gifu prefecture and it takes about 70 minutes by bus from Nagoya.
- It is a castle town that retains old townscapes with concept "water and dance town".
- Three tourism resources representing Gujō Hachiman.
  - ①Gujō dance    ②Waterside sights    ③"Gujō Hachiman" castle
- There are substantial seasonal highlights such as "Sakura in spring", "Dance in summer", "Autumn leaves in fall".
- It is a small town with a population of 15,000 people, but 1.2 million tourists visit.





# ◆ "Gujō dance" is the longest Bon dancing in Japan.

- "Gujō dance" is held over 31 nights from early July to early September.
  - \* During the Bon Festival (8/13 ~ 16), it is held until 5:00 in the morning.
- It is also chosen as "Japan's Three Big Bon Dance", about 300,000 people visit during the period.
- Not only watching but anyone can join.
- Even the beginner can easily dance and have an exciting time.



## ◆ Many sightseeing spots on the theme of "water"

- "Sōgi water" accredited as the first in "Japan's name water 100 selection"
- "Yoshida River" is a place for children to swim and adults for enjoy fishing.
- A big carp swims in "Igawa Komichi" and is used as a valuable water for living today.
- The "Yanaka Komichi" which covered 80 thousand pieces of cobblestone is condensed in the atmosphere of Gujō Hachiman.
- Gujō Hachiman is a city where "water" and "living" merge well.

■ Sōgi water



■ Yoshida River



■ Yanaka Komichi





# ◆ Japan's oldest wooden reconstruction building castle "Gujō Hachiman castle"

- Ryōtarō Shiba, one of Japan's most famous authors, introduces himself as "the most beautiful mountain castle in Japan" in his book.
  - The appearance of the summit dyed red at the time of autumn leaves is introduced to the media as "Burning castle".
  - It ranked 13th in "Japanese castle ranking" and it's higher than Nagoya castle.
- (Search Trip Advisor)
- The mountain path has been maintained and it is a perfect walking course about 30 minutes from the entrance to the top.



# ◆Guide of “Ryūkyō no Sato”

- “Ryūkyō no Sato ” is the largest tourist facility in Gujo Hachiman.
- And because it is in the center of Gujo Hachiman, it is convenient to go to any sightseeing spot.
- You can have meals (maximum 200 people), souvenir purchase, food replica making experience.
- There is a cafe corner on the first floor and it can be used as a resting place in the middle of a walk.

home page ➡ <http://www.ryukyonosato.jp>





## ◆ Convenient location to go to each attraction of Gujō Hachiman

" Ryūkyō no Sato " is located at the center of major tourist attractions, so it is very convenient to go to any sights.

**Climb to the castle 4min**



**Igawa no Komichi 3min**



Shinbashi 1min



**Hakurankan 4min**



## Sōgisui 2min



## Yanaka no Komichi 4min



# ◆ Restaurant introduction

- We prepare a variety of menu incorporating local food for travelers.  
(a refill of rice for free)
- "Pottery grill menu" is rich in order to enjoy the freshly made meal.
- There are 200 seats, the largest in the town, so it is acceptable for large groups. (Up to 270 guests can be accepted by using the first floor seat)





## ◆ Offering regional cuisine

A menu using Okumino's regional cuisine "Kei-chan" and brand beef cattle "Hida beef" representing Gifu prefecture is popular for overseas travelers.

In cold weather, hot pots using healthy soymilk are also popular.

■ Kei-cyan



"Kei-chan" is a regional dish representing Gujo Hachiman. It is a dish which baked poultry meat mixed with three types of miso with a ceramic plate.

■ Hida beef



"Hida beef" is a Japanese Wagyu brand representative of Gifu Prefecture. Among them, it is a dish which eats while grilling the highest grade "A5" ranked beef on a pottery plate.

■ hot pots using healthy soymilk



It is a pot of pork and shrimp with soy milk of local famous tofu shop. It is a dish that can enjoy a healthy and creamy flavor.

All Menu ⇒ <http://www.ryukyonosato.jp/menu/category/international/>

## ◆ The experience of making a replica of food is booming

- Experience content that can be enjoyed from children to adults
- Because the craftsmen will tell you kindly, you can experience replica making even if you do not understand Japanese
- It's about 5 to 10 minutes per person. 20 ~ 30 people can experience simultaneously

\* A course: three tempura, one lettuce 1200 yen

B course: 1 tempura, 1 lettuce 800 yen    Reservation required    tel:0575-65-2832 (Iwasaki Mokei)





# ◆ Souvenir

- The sales floor area is the largest in town, and about 1000 kinds of souvenirs in Gifu prefecture can be purchased.
- Food replica experience section is on the first floor.  
(Reservation required tel:0575-65-2832 「Iwasaki Mokei」 )
- By watching the inside decorations, you can enjoy turning of the seasons and seasonal events in Japan.



## ◆Cafe corner

- There are about 70 seats in the cafe corner, which can be used for breaks after meals and walks.
- Especially "Hida beef croquette" using Hida beef is a popular item.
- You can see the creatures of the waterside of Gujō Hachiman with the diorama in the shop.





• Because there is no parking lot in our shop, please use “Jyoukamachi

Plaza" parking lot nearest (1 min walk) TEL: 0575-67-2411

# ◆ Walking plan example

