



Fees for nature strolls and mountainside trekking

3 hour course: 2000 yen per person (in groups of 2 people or more

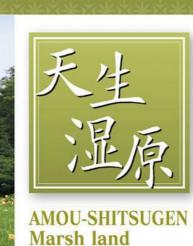
Half day: 2,500 yen per person (in groups of 2 people or more)

Whole day: 3,000 yen per person (in groups of 2 people or more

Hida City - Shirakawa-go Nature Guide Association tel.0577-65-2211

It represent peaceful living

nestled in this village.



"Amo Prefectural Nature Park" treats visitors to a trip through the heart of mother nature's glory with elements like the primeval forest and highland marsh area that extend centering around Amou-toge Pass on the border between Shirakawa-go and Hida City. This park spends half of the year buried under snow and has a very late spring. Asian skunk cabbage clusters start in

June, leading to the blooming of many different kinds of marshland vegetation. Visitors can see the giant trees and the three Amo waterfalls. The autumn leaves from early October

are beautiful, and nature walks are fun

lakusan Shirakawa-go White Road

A 33.3 kilometer road connecting Gifu and Ishikawa

refectures.It is a forest road that spans out above

ne clouds and cuts through Hakusan National Park.

Gifu Management Office tel.05769-6-1664

Open Early June to early November

Super June - August: 7:00-18:00 / September - November

:8:00-17:00 \$\times \text{Toll rood}



**Sights** 

the old Toyama Family

Designated as an Important National Cultura

Asset in 1971, the house was built ca. 1827

by a carpenter from Noto. Representative

of the Gassho Style, the 14m tall, four-stor

house has a ground floor and three upper

floors wish in the roof. The 1st floor was

used as living space and 2nd through the

Toyama House Folk Museum tel.05769-5-2062

Adults: 300 yen / Elementary and junior high children: 150 yen Closed: Wednesdays (or the

day before the holiday when Wednesday falls or

**Kanda House** 

4th tloors were used for sericulture.

Old Toyama Folk House Museum

T he "Kogai Festival" is a silkworm raising festival Twelve to thirteen young villager dress up as the seven gods of goo

spring from house to house. The houses they visit greet them wit

Light up

he Rice Planting Festival is an event held in late May of every year that recreates the old style scene of women planting rice in a traditional style of dress called "saotome sugata" that is no longer seen in modern times. In this village, people gathered to help each other in a commun

work system called "結 Yui". And, in old age, rice planting was

done by villagers gathered by Yui

system. There is a song for rice

Kogai Festival

T he heavy snow fall will covered the village and

The Rice Planting Festival

people around the world

Built in the mid to late Edo Period, this well-preserved house is the largest remaining

Documents and licenses still in the possession

of the family show that the house was home

to an official who dealt in raw silk and niter.

8 9:00-17:00 Adults: 300 yen / Elementary and

junior high children: 150 yen(In groups of 25 people or more, Adults: 250 yen) 3 No scheduled closed days

**Nagase House** 

The Family whose pedigree continued for

250 years, and because the family practiced

medicine from the first to third generation,

There are many medical instruments remaining

from the Edo Period. A pillar that 11meter

long (rafter) supports the huge sloping roof from the ground to the top, shaping big roof. The Nagase House tel.05769-6-1047

Adults: 300 yen / Elementary School children: 150 yen (In groups of 15 people or more, Adults: 250 yen / Elementary

School children: 120 yen) IN No scheduled closed days

Myozenji Temple

Myozen-ji is known for its thatched root gate "Shoro-mon". According to historic records, construction of the temple starts in 1806 and work continued for approximately 20 years. A total of 9191 people assisted

master carpenter Uske Mizuma from Takayama

in the construction work. impressive transom

carvings are located inside the building.

Myozenji museum

8:30-17:00 (From December to March, 9:00-16:00)

2 Adults: 300 yen / Elementary and junior high

children: 100 yen (In groups of 25 people or more, Adults: 240 yen / Elementary and junior high children: 80 yen) 🖸 No scheduled closed days

\*Area code 05769

The Wada House tel.05769-6-1058

Gassho style hose in Shirakawa-go.

Shirakawa-go as introduced "Rediscovery of Japanese Beauty" by Bruno Taut Bruno Taut visited Shirakawa-go in May 1935. In his book, he spoke of a natural environment similar to Switzerland and praised the area as being "architecturally ational and logical." This incredible

buried for whole winter When the silent night began

gifts of money and rice wine.

seen, and a truly advanced room layout. The Kanda House tel.05769-6-1072 junior high children: 150 yen(In groups of 15 peopl or more, Adults: 250 yen / Elementary and junio high children: 100 yen) (20 No scheduled closed days during March to November, closed Wednesday during December to February

Gassho-zukuri Minkaen



In 1968 the residents of the Kazura Distric decided to move out of the Village and tried to sell their Gassho style houses Concerned that the houses would be relocated else where of destroyed resulting in a loss of their important culturl value, Shirakawa could be collectively relocated and opened

Village provided a sote where the houses Gassho-zukuri Minkaen tel.05769-6-1231 March - November 8:40-17:00 December February: 9:00-16:00 Open every day during 
April - November, closed on Thursdays during December - March March Adults: 500 yen / Elementar

junior high, and high school children: 300 ye

(In groups of 25 people or more, Adults: 450

yen / Elementary, junior high, and high school children: 250 yen)

Inns & hotels

Inn name Miboro Ryokan 御母衣旅館

of this building that was constructed ca. 1817. Myozenji museum tel.05769-6-1009

World Heritage Site Styling Sightseeing point Experience

Season

illagers. Every year, the dates and venue

on 16-17 October. Iijima Hachimar

Shrine is on 18-19 October.

Shirakawa-go



down from the olden days at Gassho Style

House Colony Minka-en. One of the popular

activties is dyeing cloths with dyes made

from plants growing in and around the

Gassho-zukuri Minkaen tel.05769-6-1231

Natural dyeing: 800 yen / Straw crafts: 700 yen / Cypress slice crafts: 500 yen [3 April - end of October

**Experience Soba Making** 

Soba making can be enjoyed at the Gassho

style House Colony Minka-en. Make soba

noodies from buckwheat flour and taste

Reservations are requird one week in advance

Gassho-zukuri Minkaen tel.05769-6-1231

© 2 times per day (about 2 hrs.) 10:00-13:30

1,800 yen for 1 person at 1 soba noodle making

workspace / 2,800 yen for 2 people at 1 workspace
April - end of October

Ji·Ba Craft Work Shop

and sold here by the seniors of Shirakawa-go

Ji·Ba Craft Work Shop tel.05769-6-1330

(includes material and instruction fees

what you have made.

Minka-en. Reservaition required.

Communal roof thatching work using

"結 Yui" is a cooperation system seen in roof thatching work in which

plays a big role across the entire spectrum of everyday living and productio It is a strong old village custom that values a feeling of connection between people. Today, this "結 Yui" tradition is being broadcast to the world as an essential principle for protecting a world heritage

the cooperative "結 Yui" system

Inside a "gassho" rafter roof house that was moved here from Kazura, Shirakawa Village, which is called "a settlement of magic," see a display assortment of gassho house paintings by house owner and local artist Mineji Itadani sculptures, and wonderful samples of fine Shirakawa-go wood. Artwork featuring bold compositions and detailed craftsr blends together with the architectural beauty of the gasho house to produce a unique atmosphere. Binen-yumeromu museum tel.05769-6-1166 10:00-16:00 Adults: 300 yen Closed: No

Doburoku Festival museum



the Shirakawa Hachiman Shirine. Visitors can leam about the Doburoku Festival and can get a free taste of "doburoku" sake. Doburoku Festival museum tel.05769-6-1655 89:00-17:00 Adults: 300 yen / Children: 100 yen (In groups of 25 people or more, Adults: 240 yen / Elementary and junior high children: 80 yen)

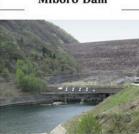
Closed October 13 - 16 and December - March

Shiroyama Tenshukaku Tenbodai (Observatory)





Parking & entrance is free



The 131maters high and 405meters wide

tel.05769-5-2311

Toyota Shirakawa-Go Eco-Institute

organaization Shirakawa-go Nature Coexistence Forum, It offers nature expreience programs and also hot spring and French cuisine as an Eco-resort



and Lake Hakusui in this location.

The view of the Hakusan mountain range

reflected in the emerald green water is

beautiful. This is an ideal location to see

various wild plants from primeval grooves

of large beech trees to small alpine

plants. There is also a 72 meter high

waterfall named Shiramizu Waterfall

nearby, making this area perfect for a

Rest at the lakeside lodge and enjoy an

open air bath with great panorama of

Prefectural Route Hakusan Koen Line

Vehicle regulations: vehicles must be 1.8m

or less in width, no large scale vehicles

Rainfall regulations: Closed for continuous

Rood construction are carried out frequently

Winter closing: November to end of May

Trees alight with autumn colors

rainfall of 80mm or 30mm in an hour.

Check before using.

Oshirakawa Open Air Bath

nature park stroll.

Lake Hakusui.

# Near the gassho

inns. The nostalgic atmosphere of a oldfashioned inn still remains.

spring piped right from the source. the curative hot spring.





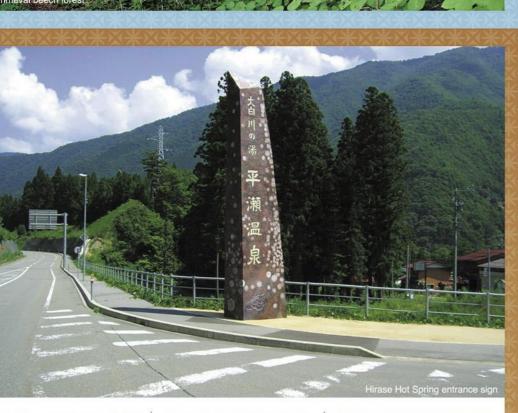












Lake Hakusui Lakeside Lodge

Open from early June to late October

Open air bath: 8:00-17:00 (18:00 in summer)

In early autumn the Japanese poplar lets

akusui Lakeside Lodge / Oshirakawa Open Air Bath

Bathing fee (cleaning support fee)--- Adults:500 yen / Children:200 yen

Lodge reservations and inquiries:
 Before June: Forest Promotional Foundation tel.052-683-9248

From June onward: (Satellite mobile phone)tel.090-2770-2893

**SANPOU-IWADAKE** 

The cliff walls that run up to the sheer

summit of Mt. Sanpoiwa (1,736 meters

above sea level) are called Hida-iwa,

Kaga-iwa, and Etchu-iwa, and it is this

three sided rock structure that gives the

mountain its name (which literally means

Walk about thirty minutes one way

towards the summit on a trekking course

from the Mt. Sanpoiwa parking lot on

the Hakusan Shirakawa-go White Road.

There, broadleaf trees like beech trees

and conifer trees like Siberian dwarf

pine grow indigenously in spite of the

wind and snow. The three hundred sixty

degree view is spectacular.

"three direction rocks").

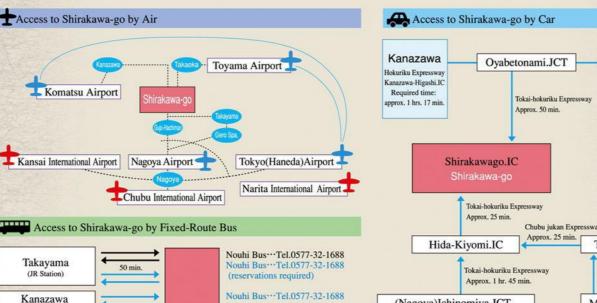


Shirayumi Ski Resort A family oriented ski area looking on the Hakusan mountain range. Located district. It has a gathering area and a about 1,000 meters above sea level, it sports area. Automobile camping allowed. has a gentle slope and an advanced course Open: April 1 - late November with a max 38 degree tilt. Snowboarding also welcome.



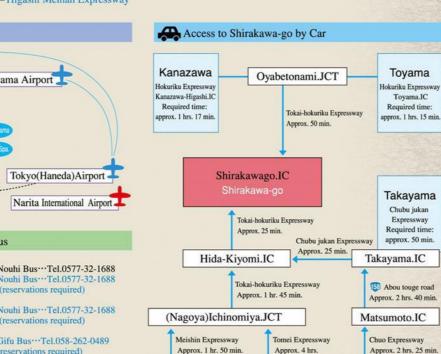
process of trial and error. that brings out the wonderful flavor of soy beans. And, vegetables and locally are added for texture of soup. astlytopped with a layer of grilled hida beef Try this " Hida Beef Suttate Nabe " t Hircuse Hot Spring.





Kaetsunou Bus···Tel.0766-21-0950 Fixed route busses --- Check timetable for departure/arrival times. → Reservations required --- Advance reservations are required. Make reservations by telephone or through

(JR Station)



Tokyo

Meishin Expressway Suita.IC Tomei Expressway Tokyo.IC Chuo Expressway Chofu.IC

Required time: approx. 3 hrs. 50 min. Required time: approx. 6 hrs. 10 min. Required time: approx. 5 hrs. 40 min.

Tokyo

Osaka

5-2222 5-2200 5-2016 Hirase 3 Cafe Ohmatsu 喫茶 大松 Yunosato 湯の里 Kuroyuriso 旅館 くろゆり荘 5-2051 Aoiro Cafe アオイロ・カフェ Hirase Uomine 魚峰旅館 5-2064 Warabi わらび 5-2068 Morizen 盛善 Tousukenoyu Fujiya 羅助の湯 ふじや旅館 5-2611 Restaurant Chubee 忠兵衛 / 6-1435 Asahiya 朝日や Kita no svo 基太の庄 Restaurant Konjyaku 今昔 🔷 6-1569 O Shirakawa-go Onsen 白川郷の湯 Yamakoshi 蕎麦庄 やまこし Shiraogi しらおぎ 2 Sumireso すみれ荘 **6**-1200 Ogimachi 12 Sato Folkcraft Shop 佐藤民芸品店 6-1164 Hakusuien 白水園 0763-67-3663 3 limikan 飯美館 Masuen Bunsuke ます國文助 / 6-1268 13 Kobikiya こびきや Magari 14 トヨタ白川郷自然學校 Shiroyama Tensyukaku 城山天守屋 **6-1728** Irori เงอย / 6-1737 Arai Shokudo あらい食堂 Bed & Breakfasts \*Area code 05769 6-1621 Hidaji 飛驒路 Tanakaya たなか屋 6-1410 Ippukuchina いっぷくちな 6-1521 Hakusanso 白山荘 Hirase 6-1419 Sansui шж 5-2033 Kodaijin 古太神 Shirayumisou 自弓莊 5-2420 Kidani 6-0026 Yoze 与ぜ Katsura かつら 5-2218 Yoze in Shirakawa-go Onsen 自用の連合 与世 6-0026 Jyuemon 十右工門 6-1053 Nomura 手打ちそば処 乃むら 6-1508 6-1011 6-1108 Kidoya きどや Chitose 52# 6-1033 Furusato ふるさと 6-1255 Yukinko 味処 ゆきんこ Shimizu まみづ 6-1457 Cafe Sato 喫茶 さとう 6-1432 Kanjiya かんじゃ Cafe Restaurant Chiharu 千畴 6-1065 6-1446 Koemon 幸工門 6-1165 6-1175 Yamakoshi 蕎麦庄 やまこし Yoshiro 与四郎 Cafe Hina コーヒー 鄙 (ひな) 6-1150 Iccha -茶 6-1422 6-1526 Hisamatsu 久松 6-1551 Isamami (Dango) いさなみ (団子) 6-1552 Ochudo 落人 6-1603

Soba Dojyo そば処そば道場 🔷 6-1231 Yamamotoya 山本屋 6-1167 Magoemon 孫右工門 Hiiragi # 090-3303-4505 Yokichi ¿\*5 Keyaki けやき 6-1409 Bunroku 文六 Zen 善 6-1176 Gensaku 源作 Shingedo 心花洞 6-1561 Wadaya わだや Dokkorasyo どっこらしょ Ootaya 大田屋 6-1425 Wakimoto 蕎麦脇本 Isaburo 伊三郎 6-1503 Ramen Zundo らーめんキずんどう Kayabuki かやぶき 6-1054 Tenkara てんから 156 Restaurant Lucky 156レストランラッキー Rental bungalows Area code 05769 Tonkatsu Tomiya 名代とんかつ富美や Cafe de club Totenmaru カフェドクラブ東天丸 Type Pho Cafe Akariya カフェアカリヤ 3名以上 6-1270 Shima 41 Koukouan 好々廉 Grandma Shiawaseya kitibe Lあわせ屋吉兵衛 • Guest House \*Area code 05769 Rennyochaya 蓮如茶屋 080-1957-8683 2 Taroemo 白川椰平瀬温泉 たろえも 090-3382-6925 Hatogaya 44 Ant Hut 3 Shirakawa-go Hostel 白川圏ホステル

090-7746-9876

6-1913 Zensuke ぜん助 23 Fresh Vegetable House 元気な野菜館 6-1377 Hatogaya 24 Hakuundo Confectionery白雲堂製菓 6-1044 Chosuke 白川鄉特產品直売所 長助 6-1236 Michinoeki "Shirakawago" | 6-1310 道の駅「白川郷」 27 Taguchiya Confectionery 田口屋製菓 6-1025 Hokiwaki 28 Miyama TOFU Shop 深山豆富店 5-2381 Hirase 29 Michinoeki "Hida Hakusan" 5-2230 \*Area code 05769 6-1115 Hida Nokyo·A-COOP 飛驒最協・Aコープ 6-1301 6-1212 Ogimachi Daily Yamazaki Shirakawa-mura Shirakawa-go デイリーヤマザキ白川村白川郷店 6-1365 6-1015 6-1734 Takakuwa store 高桑商店 6-1035 6-1500 Shojikiya 正直屋 6-1270 Miyabe Tofu Shop 宮部豆腐店 6-1877 6-1661 Lake Louise Co.,Ltd. (有)レイク・ルイーズ 0584-55-0229 6-1155 Hida Shirakawa-go Hatokobo,Co.,Ltd. 6-1558 Miboro 7 Tooyama store 遠山商店 5-2045 6-1183 Maki 8 Nishida shoko 西田商行

Mot spring Open air bath m Groups ok 💩 Gassho house

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## Let's all pitch in to protect When you visit Shirakawa go When you visit Shirakawa-go,

 Because the settlement interior is a conservation area, some streets and waterways do not have fences. Be aware of your footing while walking. Houses and buildings in the settlement are all

privately owned. Do not enter houses, gardens.

and fields. Do not pick grasses, herbs, or flowers.

world heritages forever please follow these rules.

3 Do not litter. Take garbage back with you.

Return empty containers settlement stores

that you bought in . O"Gassho" rafter roof houses are very susceptible to fire. Please do not walk around with lit cigarettes or throw used cigarette ends on the ground. Please only smoke in designated areas.

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Wahichi 和七

Kodaijin 古太神

Ebisuya 恵びす屋

Gasshoan 合掌庵

Sanrakudo 山楽堂

Yamazato 山里

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Hakuraku 白楽

Oishinbo おいしんほ

Kataribe かたりべ

Memenko めめんこ

7 Gassho 合掌

Yamaai House 山峡の家

Syakunage しゃくなげ

8 Okesa Folkcraft Shop おけさ民芸品店 6-1622

4 Kobikiva Kakinokiten こびきゃ 柿の木店 6-1221

Kikori 木古里

## Designated as a scenic spot by the prefectural government. The milky white color of the falling water has earned this waterfall the name "Shiramizu" (whitewater).

settlement, famous as a "kodakara no yu". The Hirase Hot Spring located close to the Ogimachi World Heritage gassho site where 10 kilometers south on Route 156 It is a small hot spring area made up of 2 "minshuku" bed & breakfasts and 8 "ryokan"

The spring water contains sulfur-sodium and chloride. This plentiful "kakenagashi" (fresh flow without water recycling) hot Enjoy the recommended hospitality of the inn or just drop by to take a healing dip in











Takaoka Gokayama grown kikurage (Jew's Ear Fungus)

