

Groove Nakagawa GUIDE MAP

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Water & Nature

Numerous clear streams and three dams, Sefuri, Gokuyama, and Minamihata, nestle among the majestic mountains. Nakagawa City thrives with abundant sky, water, and nature.

Seasons & Relaxation

Embrace the vibrant peaks, refreshing greens, and the rich red hues of enchanting foliage. Experience the changing seasons, creating a world of colorful and soothing moments throughout spring, summer, autumn, and winter.

Culinary & Blessing

Nourished by the blessings of water and earth, discover the essence of agricultural treasures and savor the unique flavors of Nakagawa's gourmet offerings—a culinary experience like no other.

Art & Sensibility

The evocative landscapes attract numerous artists. Nestled in the embrace of beautiful nature, this place becomes a canvas for mesmerizing art, capturing the hearts of all who explore its creative allure.

History & Tradition

Tales of mythology, vibrant festivals, and timeless traditions. Cherishing the rich heritage and cultural practices, these age-old customs breathe life into daily living, preserving the essence for future generations.

Outdoor Adventures

Dive into the great outdoors with camping, hiking, cycling, and trail running. Unleash your spirit of adventure in the vast wonders of nature.

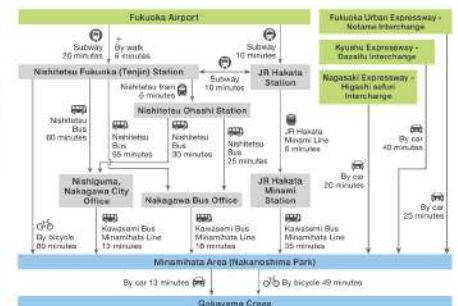
Nakagawa

Minamihata & Gokuyama
Nakagawa Visitor Guide & Map

Embark on a journey to the city which thrives with water and nature.

Nakagawa River's life-nurturing flow and the historic "Sakura no unade," Japan's oldest irrigation channel, weave a rich history. Explore the diverse charm while strolling through the beautiful mountainous and water source areas.

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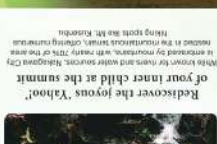


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Introduce the attractive points that will make you want to visit here again and again, such as the beautiful nature, delicious gourmet food, relaxing time and activities.



1 WAVE G Glass Studio
Studio and gallery of stained glass. In the shop space, you can purchase stained glass works such as small containers, wooden-framed window glass, and photo frames. The gallery showcasing around 50 lamps is a must-see display of illuminated art.
Address: 534 Fuyukyo, Nakagawa-shi
Business Hours: 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM
Closed: Sundays and Mondays



2 Daina Shoten
Offering authentic and aromatic animal-based at affordable prices. In addition to the classic plan, our selection includes walrus, caribou, and other varieties that vary daily. Discover a new encounter with delicious food. Check our Instagram for updates and visit us soon!
Address: 302-1 Numeo, Nakagawa-shi
Business Hours: 9:00 AM until sold out
Closed: Irregular



3 Nakagawa Seiryu
Immerse yourself in a premium natural hot spring that wells up from deep beneath the Sakai mountain range, boasting a variety of green tea. Enjoy a variety of bath, including a scenic open-air bath, and a log bath, surrounded by the lush entrance of nature. With dining and resting facilities available, it's a delightful escape into tranquility.
Address: 588 Harumi, Nakagawa-shi
Business Hours: 10:00 AM - 11:00 PM
Last admission at 10:00
Closed: Thursday (Open on national holidays)



4 Glamping Gokan
Stay in a dome-shaped tent for a quiet summer retreat and a city water tower. Enjoy a delightful dining experience with the view of Mt. Sefuri, Mt. Sefuri, and a vast lake with a wide view of the surrounding area. Immerse yourself in the glamping experience with an authentic wood burning stove and a hot spring bath. Share your summer and autumn in a glamping escape.
Address: 102-1 Numeo, Nakagawa-shi
Business Hours: 10:00 AM - 10:00 PM
Last admission at 9:00 PM
Closed: Irregular



5 Narutakegama
Discover the enchanting pottery studio which creates quality in the midst of mountains. The gallery showcases a myriad of charming tableware, vases, and art pieces. Notably, the pink, adorable ceramic cups paired with coffee make for the perfect gift.
Address: 722-4 Narutake, Nakagawa-shi
Business Hours: 10:00 AM to sunset
(Please call for visits)
Closed: Irregular



6 THREE TREES
An indie cafe that offers couples the unique experience of crafting custom wedding rings together in a tranquil mountain setting, creating a lifetime of cherished memories. The cafe operates exclusively on weekends, providing an extra layer of charm to this enchanting spot.
Address: 242 Fuyukyo, Nakagawa-shi
Business Hours: 10:00 AM - 6:00 PM (Call come on Saturdays and Sundays: 12:00 PM - 3:00 PM)
Closed: Irregular



7 Hoki
A charming cafe where you can immerse yourself in a tranquil ambience, adorned with dried flowers and delicate floral accents, offering a harmonious space for you to savor the untroubled flow of time.
Address: 698-2 Umegawa, Nakagawa-shi
Business Hours: 12:00 PM - 5:00 PM
Closed: Irregular



8 MADOKA
The European-style facade and oven, seemingly plucked from a storybook, are the handmade creations of the owner. Indulge in the distinctive, naturally leavened bread, baked with the real heat (the "stone oven") of the stone oven. For lunch, the "Stone Oven Pizza" is a highly recommended delight, available exclusively for reservation.
Address: 408-1 Umegawa, Nakagawa-shi
Business Hours: 11:00 AM until sold out
Closed: Mondays to Thursdays



9 napan
Lack, savor, and smile. Its breads are uniquely adorned with adorable expressions, making the selection process a delightful experience. It offers a diverse range of soft-textured breads that are easy to enjoy for everyone from kids to seniors.
Address: 205-6 Umegawa, Nakagawa-shi
Business Hours: 8:00 AM - 3:00 PM
Closed: Mondays to Saturdays



11 Mandaragama
A pottery studio and gallery which showcases vibrant and diverse pieces from unique plates to artistic vases, creating an artistic experience. Explore and savor the joy of discovering your perfect piece among the many colorful creations.
Address: 1101-102 Nakagawa, Nakagawa-shi
Business Hours: 9:30 AM - 2:00 PM (Please call before visiting)
Closed: Irregular



12 Waranokura Joan
The menu features uncompromising commitment to "natural flavor" with pesticide-free ingredients and natural seasonings. This hidden gem of an eatery allows you to fully savor the producer's passion and the essence of the ingredients. Due to limited availability, advance reservations by phone are essential.
Address: 419-2 Ichinose, Nakagawa-shi
Business Hours: 11:30 AM - 5:30 PM (Last order)
Closed: Mondays to Wednesdays



13 Nakanoshima Park / SUMITSUKE
(Nakanoshima Park)
Within the park, discover perfect spots for water play for families with children, along with a farmer's market offering local gourmet and fresh vegetables. In the autumn, the vibrant foliage attracts many visitors, creating a bustling and picturesque atmosphere.
Address: 424-1 Ichinose, Nakagawa-shi
Business Hours: 9:30 AM - 5:00 PM (until 6:00 PM from April to September)
Closed: Wednesdays (None from April to October)
(SUMITSUKE)
As a hub connecting prospective residents with the local community, this place handles a wide range of activities from sharing information to consultation services. If you listen to the advice here, there's no doubt you'll fall even more in love with Minamihata. Now, let's open the door to a new life.
Address: 425-1 Ichinose, Nakagawa-shi
Business Hours: 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM
Closed: Wednesdays, 2nd and 4th Saturdays, 1st, 3rd, and 5th Sundays, December 20th to January 4th



16 Lunch&Café Sora
Nestled on the elevated plateau, this cafe boasts the owner's dedication to exceeding seasonal, locally sourced ingredients into a lunch menu that not only delights the palate but also promotes health. After mid, savor sweets and coffee while enjoying the ever-changing scenery through the seasons. Take your time and unwind in this tranquil setting.
Address: 544-3 Ichinose, Nakagawa-shi
Business Hours: 11:00 AM - 5:00 PM (Lunch 12:00 PM L.O. Cuts 4:30 PM L.O.)
Closed: Tuesdays, 3rd Monday



17 River Park
A park where you can enjoy river activities directly below the Gokayama Dam. The riverbank is perfect for family outings and leisure.
Address: 1291-1 Gokayama, Nakagawa-shi
Closed: None



14 Nekoya Café
Indulge in meticulously roasted coffee at this cafe, offering around 10 varieties of beans. With the option for sidewalk and terrace seating, feel free to drop by during your drive or cycling adventure.
Address: 408-1 Higashimae, Ichinose, Nakagawa-shi
Business Hours: 11:00 AM - 6:00 PM
Closed: Mondays and Tuesdays (Open on national holidays)



15 pasticceria CINO / Yoshikoshi
(pasticceria CINO)
Bringing Italian traditions to your daily life. This authentic cafe prioritizes the flavors of Fukuoka and Kyushu's ingredients. Experience the essence of authentic Italian cuisine with our regional offerings, including traditional and other Italian regional sweets, as well as pasta and pizza, available exclusively for visit.
Address: 615 Ichinose, Nakagawa-shi
Business Hours: 9:00 AM - 4:30 PM (Check Instagram for updates)
Closed: Wednesdays, National holidays
(Yoshikoshi)
Savor a unique dining experience at this restaurant, where the chef, drawing on Italian culinary skills, offers innovative cross-generational dishes. Explore a menu showcasing diverse local ingredients, delivering flavors exclusive to this establishment.
Address: 616 Ichinose, Nakagawa-shi
Business Hours: Lunch 11:30 AM - 1:00 PM, Dinner 5:00 PM - 7:30 PM (L.O.)
Closed: Sundays, 1st and 3rd Monday



19 Gokayama Cross Base / TRAIL
(Gokayama Cross Base)
This is the base of Gokayama Cross, featuring Montbell Fukuoka Gokayama Store and an expansive observation deck with a panoramic view of the Gokayama Dam. It's a place to enjoy views of the beautiful lakeside and the nature-rich mountains of the Sakai mountain range.
Address: 1291-46 Gokayama, Nakagawa-shi
Montbell Fukuoka Gokayama Store
Business Hours: 10:00 AM - 7:00 PM
Closed: None
(TRAIL)
A cult within Gokayama Cross Base, offers specialty coffee and burgers made with locally baked, house-made bread. Additionally, enjoy their delight of creative drinks. Takeout is available, so be sure to stop by during your visit to Gokayama Cross.
Address: Inside Gokayama Cross Base
Business Hours: 11:00 AM - 2:00 PM (Last Order for Lunch at 1:00 PM)
Closed: Irregular

南畑美術散歩
THE MINAMIHATA ART WALK
Drawn by the rich natural environment, Minamihata has become a hub for artists and crafters in fields such as sculpture, painting, ceramics, furniture making, and fashion design. Leather goods, stained glass, metalwork, and other handmade items are sold here. This regional characteristic, the "Minamihata Art Walk" event, which offers tours of these workshops, is held every autumn.
For event information, artists, and works from here!
@minamihatabyvisuappo



20 Gokayama Tofu
Offering specialty tofu, made with 100% locally sourced soybeans from Saga Prefecture, and pure spring water from the Sefuri mountain range. Indulge in exclusive tofu dishes like Gokayama Tofu, original soft meat and Gokayama Dam Curry, available only here.
Address: 2416-1 Matsuyama, Yoshinogori-shi, Kanagawa-gu, Saga Prefecture
Business Hours: 11:00 AM - 3:00 PM (Last shop open 5:00 AM - 5:30 PM)
Closed: None



21 Sefuri Youth House
Facilities for growth through nature experiences, open to youth, families, and businesses. Dive into diverse programs, spanning outdoor adventures, including mountain adventures.
Address: 1300-1 Sefuri, Sefuri-ku, Fukuoka-shi
Business Hours: 9:00 AM - 5:00 PM
*Reservation required 20 days in advance of use date.
Closed: Mondays from December to March



22 Roadside Yoshinogori
A scenic roadside station located beyond the tunnel from the Fukuoka side. From the terrace, you can enjoy panoramic views of the Saga Plain, and on clear days, catch a glimpse of Mt. Mount Fuji and Mt. Mount Fuji. The product hall offers a variety of locally grown agricultural products from Saga and exclusive regional delights you won't find anywhere else.
Address: 1713-1 Matsuyama, Yoshinogori-shi, Kanagawa-gu, Saga Prefecture
Business Hours: 9:00 AM - 6:00 PM
Closed: 3rd Wednesday (December 21st to January 3rd)



23 OAKHILL VIEW
A cafe with an exclusive ambience and magnificent, nature-filled landscapes. Embracing local production and consumption, it generously incorporates ingredients such as Saga beef and locally grown Western vegetables from nearby farms. Enjoy the open-air terrace for a more expansive experience.
Address: 1808-2 Matsuyama, Yoshinogori-shi, Kanagawa-gu, Saga Prefecture
Business Hours: 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM (Subject to seasonal changes)
Closed: Mondays



18 mont-bell Gokayama Base Camp
A campsite operated by Montbell. Featuring innovative well-lit sites, dog-friendly sites, sites with electrical hookups and a climbing wall towering approximately 5 meters. It's a comprehensive campsite catering to various camping needs with fresh, creative ideas.
Address: 461-1 Gokayama, Nakagawa-shi
Business Hours: 9:00 AM - 7:00 PM
Closed: Tuesdays (open on national holidays), and from July 1st to August 31st



25 Adventure Valley SAGA
Embark on an adventure at Japan's largest natural haven, a captivating outdoor park harmonizing with abundant forests and diverse landscapes. An enchanting playground for both adults and children to savor the wonders of nature.
Address: 2753-275 Matsuyama, Yoshinogori-shi, Kanagawa-gu, Saga Prefecture
Business Hours: 9:00 AM until sunset
Closed: 12:00 PM (Last admission at 9:00 PM)
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26 Yoshinogori Historical Park
Locally famous site. The nationally designated special historic site Yoshinogori ruins, its Japan's largest Yayoi period well-enclosed village ruins. The park offers hands-on experiences like "magatama-making," a play with various attractions, and a barbecue zone, providing a leisurely day of enjoyment.
Address: 1842 Tada, Yoshinogori-shi, Kanagawa-gu, Saga Prefecture
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