Nagasaki Holland Village
The Nagasaki Holland Village theme park was a forerunner of Huis Ten Bosch. Opened in 1983 and became a popular spot in Saikai-cho. However, it was closed in 2001. Some restaurants started the business but it was closed only in half a year. Saikai-cho purchased the theme park and opened the facility as “Port Hoorn” in 2016. It was closed in November 2017. And it has been reopened as the original name, “Nagasaki Holland Village.” It’s close from Nagasaki Bio Park. The admission is free. Google map coordinates: 32.994648, 129.758170

No.1 Event this weekend!
Sasebo Tosho High School Brassband Annual Concert
Sunday, 11 February 1400
Monday, 12 February 1400
Admission: Y500 (common ticket for two days)
Arkas Sasebo
Google map coordinates: 33.166053, 129.724326
Sasebo Tosho High School is famous for the superb music performance with motion (marching). I’m just wondering how the students are breathing while playing the instulments in motions. The band master is very unique, too. I believe he is one of the teachers of the school. He looks like a rock star. He made the school band that good. The members in senior class will be graduating from school in March. This is a graduate concert for them. Go and see their concert, and you know what I mean. Please call Tosho high school in Japanese at 0956-38-2196 for more information.

Sunday, 11 February
Senior class brass band concert
Tosho Dream Wind Orchestra (volunteer musicians from elementary school studnets to adults) concert

Monday, 12 February (Japanese holiday)
Part 1: Tosho High School Brass Band Concert
Part 2: Marching

No.2 Event this weekend!
99 Islands Pearl Sea Center “Oyster Festival”
99 Islands Pearl Sea Center
Google map coordinates: 33.160578, 129.678089
Saturday, 10 to Monday, 12 February (Holiday) 1000-1600
Saturday, 17 and Sunday, 18 February 1000-1600
Saturday, 24 and Sunday, 25 February 1000-1600
Fee: Y800 (About 1 kg (2 pounds) oysters), Y200 (chacoals), Y250 (oyster opener knife and a work glove)
Enjoy the sea food BBQ! Oysters are Oishii (delicious)!

No.3 Event this weekend!
Huis Ten Bosch Tulip Festival
Saturday, 10 February to Sunday, 15 April
Huis Ten Bosch
Google map coordinates: 33.086509, 129.787180
Admission: Y6,900 (adult, one day passport)
1,000,000 tulips in 700 different kinds are in bloom in Huis Ten Bosch. They will be lit up beautifully with lights at night. Tulip is a national flower in Holland. The tulip festival is a must go event at Huis Ten Bosch. If you don’t take any rides at the park, you can purchase the simple admission ticket with Y4,400. FYI

**Arkas Movie Festival**
**Friday, 9 to Sunday, 11 February**
Arkas Sasebo Event Hall
Google map coordinates: 33.166053, 129.724326
Fee: Y1,000 (one movie), Y2,000 (3 movies)
Some movies are shown in English: “La La Land,” “Ma Rosa,” “On the Milky Road,” “Waste Land,” and “Toni Erdmann.” They are subtitled so that Japanese people understand the movies. The schedule is as follows:

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Please call Arkas Sasebo in Japanese at 0956-42-1111 for more information.

**Spring Plants Sale**
**Friday, 9 to Sunday, 18 February**
Matsuura Park in Sun Plaza
Google map coordinates: 33.174578, 129.717816
There will be over 50,000 plants in 300 different kinds including Bonsai trees. This is a good opportunity to see them. Of course you can purchase some for your yard. But I have to tell you that growing a bonsai isn’t an easy task. I would rather have a fake (plastic-made) Bonsai. I don’t have to water it nor trim it all the time. A pot of flower is distributed to 100 first visitors for free on Friday, 9 February at 1030. Call Kuratomi-san in Japanese at 080-5274-1636 for more information.

**Eco Life Festival 2018**
**Saturday, 10 February**
Sasebo Eco Plaza in Tono-cho
Google map coordinates: 33.169276, 129.725082
This event is held to promote the sustainable recycling system of life. For example, swap meet and food-loss kitchen. I believe they will introduce recipes how to use left-over food in fridge. I’m not really sure, though. Please visit there and learn what it is. Call the Eco Plaza office in Japanese at 0956-25-0055 for more information.
Umegae Sake Factory Open-Barrel Festival
Saturday, 10 and Sunday, 11 February 1000-1500
Google map coordinates: 33.089919, 129.814652
Unless you can find a handle keeper (designated driver), please enjoy food, events and soft drinks. Free shuttle bus is available between JR Huis Ten Bosch Train Station and Umegae Sake Factory starting at 0920. Pork and vegetable soup is served for free to the first 1,000 visitors. Some music performances are scheduled. Call the sake factory in Japanese at 0956-59-2311 for more information.

I’m going to take a train leaving from JR Sasebo Train station at 0925. It arrives at JR Huis Ten Bosch train station at 0944. I will catch a shuttle bus and arrive at the sake factory around 1000. The fare is Y280 one way. Perfect plan! Last fall I had a sake blast with strangers from Isahaya city and Nagasaki city. Hope I see them there again.

Ureshino Attaka (Warm) Festival
Until Monday, 12 February (Japanese Holiday)
Ureshino Hot Spring in Ureshino-cho
Google map coordinates: Ureshino-cho Gym: 33.099611, 129.984032 (Parking lot)
Geisha dance: 33.096567, 129.985012
Ureshino-cho is famous for green tea and hot springs. The town hosts a winter festival that you can enjoy soaking your hands and feet in natural hot spring to warm up. Plus you have a chance to see real Geisha dance for very reasonable fee (Y1,000 this year for two-hour show). It had been Y500 for an hour show until last year. Please stop by Ureshino-cho gym for themed lantern exhibition. The admission is free. Contact the festival committee office in Japanese at 0954-43-0137 for more information.

Geisha dance show
Ureshino Cafe
Saturday, 10 and Sunday, 11 February 1500-1700

Nagasaki Lantern Festival
Friday, 16 February to Sunday, 4 March
Nagasaki China Town, Haman-machi Arcade and satellite sites
According to the luna calendar, the new year’s day of 2018 starts on Friday, 16 February this year. About 15,000 lanterns and zodiac-themed objects will light up Nagasaki city very brightly. This is the must event to see in Nagasaki prefecture. Please call Nagasaki city hall in Japanese at 095-822-8888 for more information. Please check ITT tours information, too. Let me lead your tour! Yes, I’m one of the tour guides.

Umihiko (Ocean boys) Yamahiko (Mountain boys) Festival
Saturday, 24 and Sunday, 25 February 1000-1600
Shimanose Park in Ginza
Google map coordinates: 33.172434, 129.720690
Mountain products (green tea and vegetables) from Sechibaru-cho and seafood products from Higashihama-cho are for sale. SASHO (Sasebo Shogyo, or Sasebo Business High School) Café opens. The award-winning cookies “Sakutto Shiawase (Crispy Happiness)” will be for sale, too. Please call Sasebo city hall in Japanese at 0956-24-1111 for more information.
**Ainoura Atago Market**
Saturday, 24 to Monday, 26 February 0900-1700
Ainoura shopping street
Google map coordinates:
People say that Atago Market brings spring to Sasebo city. The market has a long history over 430 years. You will find the stalls that sell plants, saplings as well as bamboo crafts on the street. It’s like a block party. Please call Ainoura Chamber of Commerce and Industry office in Japanese at 0956-47-2754 for more information.

**Sasebo Culture Hall the 1st Fureai (Friendship) Festival**
Sunday, 25 February 1000
Admission: Free
Brass bands, choir, folk music, ethnic dances, jazz and pops and more will get together and perform on stage. It’s free of charge. Please stop by and swing with local people! Call the festival office in Japanese at 0956-25-8192 for more information.

**The 20th Fire Prevention Bazaar**
Sunday, 4 March 1150
Shimanose Park
Google map coordinates: 33.172413, 129.720690
This event is hosted by the local fire department. The attractions are charity bazaar, mochi (rice cake) pounding, fire department band concert, and fire prevention promotional displays. Please call the fire department office in Japanese at 0956-23-5121 for more information.

**Flea Markets**

**Sasebo Morning Market Flea Market**
Google map coordinates: 33.164545, 129.720377
Phone #: 0956-22-9890
Saturdays, 10, 17, 24 February 0300-0900
Morning Market across water from the Navy Lodge
The enroll fee to have a space for your store is ¥500. You don’t have to open your store at 0300. Whenever you’re ready until 0900. You find the market the busiest from 0600 to 0730. Please visit the website: [http://sasebo-asaichi.com/](http://sasebo-asaichi.com/) to learn about it in details. Call in Japanese at 0956-22-9890 for more information.

**Daito Shopping Center Flea Market**
Address: 14-2 Daito-cho, Sasebo-shi, Nagasaki Prefecture 857-1161
Phone #: 0956-27-2222
Wednesday, 14 February 1000-1500
Wednesday, 28 February 1000-1500
AEON Daito Shopping Center Parking Lot (2nd floor of the three-story high parking next to the main building of the store. Please find Mr. Donuts, leave the main building, and you will find it on your left.)
The bi-monthly flea market is held on the 2nd Wednesday and 4th Wednesday every month. You can reserve your stall for several hundred yen. Please contact Mr. Yasunaga in Japanese at 090-4572-1899 for more information. It will be held rain or shine.

**Top-kun Flea Market**
Sasebo Bicycle Race Arena on Route 11, next to the Sasebo Minato Interchange
Google map coordinates: 33.155455,129.730262
Phone #: 0956-31-4797

About 60 stalls welcome the shoppers! Red Hiro shows are held twice at 1200 and 1500. Kid’s games and air toys are available. Sounds exciting!

EM Design organizes this flea market. If you would like to participate in any of these, please contact EM Design in Japanese at 0956-66-8770 for more information. Please visit the website: http://emd.syoutengai.com/

Pearl Sea Center (former Saikai Pearl Sea Center) Information
Google map coordinates: 33.161243, 129.678967
Phone #: 0956-28-4187

Parking Lot Fee:

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Parking fee increases by Y100 for an hour for over 5 hours at any car parking. Bus parking fee increases by Y300 for an hour for over 5 hours. The highest car parking fee is Y600 up to for 12 hours and bus parking fee is Y1,800.

Note: The parking fees remain the same as before the tax increase.

I know this chart may be different from the one you find in the pamphlet you get from the Sasebo city hall. However, this chart is much easier to understand the fee. When I got the chart, I didn’t understand it at first. I called the Sasebo city hall and made sure the fee increase along with the length you park.

You may be wondering which ones are #3 to #5 car parking. Because you don’t have to pay anything until you park your car over 4 hours. If you know the supermarket, “Marina,” you know them. The car parking left to the supermarket is #3, and the one in front of the supermarket is #4. Car parking #5 is on Route 11 next to the 99 Island Hotel. If you are staying there over 5 hours, any car parking fee is the same. The car parking #1 is in front of the aquarium. The car parking #2 is located in the left of #1 close to the beach.

If you park your car for 4 hours or less, park either #3 or #4. If you are planning to stay there longer, any car parking fee is the same. But if you are staying there over 6 hours, spend there all day for Y600 of car parking. You may spend a lot more money for your meals (breakfast, lunch, dinner and snacks), though.

It’s not only bad news from the Pearl Sea Center. The other day, I found they have new equipments at the aquarium called “AQUA SCOPE.” It’s a radio-shaped portable...
mechanical guide that gives you explanation in the aquarium. When you move to the certain spots, it speaks automatically. It’s like a friend who knows about the aquarium very well explains when you visit there with him/her. It’s a very cool device. I believe your kids would love it. The service is available in different languages (Chinese, English, Korean and Japanese). The service is free of charge. Please ask whichever you like to listen.

99 Island Pearl Sea Resort Aquarium
Y1,440 (high school student or older), Y720 (4 years old to middle school student)

Special Discount for Sasebonians (Sasebo habitants): Y1,020 (high school student and older), Y520 (4 years old to middle school student). Please show your Military ID card.
Please call the office at 0956-28-4187 for more information.

Class
Amamoba (Shallow water) Playroom in Umikirarra (Shining Ocean) Aquarium
If not mentioned, the tuition is free. The admission to the aquarium is still required, though.
Saturdays, 10, 17, 24 February 1130-1200, 1430-1500
Google map coordinates: 33.161243, 129.678967
Phone #: 0956-28-4187
Admission: Y620 (adult, Sasebo citizen), Y150 (child, Sasebo citizen)
Please show your ID card at the ticket office.
Some fish have skills to catch bugs by shooting water to them or hiding secretly between pebbles. They are like Ninjas. Check them out at the aquarium! Call the Pearl Sea Center office in Japanese at 0956-28-4187 for more information. Please remember the following campaign.

Sightseeing Boats
Pearl Queen Cruise
Everyday 1000, 1100, 1300, 1400, 1500
Duration of the tour: 50 minutes
Fare: Y1,400 (middle school student or older), Y700 (4 years old to middle school student, 9th grade), Free for children 3 years old or under
Note: children ages under 3 years old are free of charge. Please ask the staff about the admission fee.

Pearl Queen Sunset Cruise
Saturdays, Sundays, and Japanese holidays until Sunday, 29 October
Duration of the trip: about 60 minutes
Fee: Y1,400 (adult), Y700 (4 years old to middle school student)
The departure time depends on the sunset time of the day. Please check it by calling the office in Japanese at 0956-28-1999.

Sea Kayak Experience
Every Sunday and Japanese holidays till October 1100-1530
99 Island Marina
Note: It’s not a tour but an experience. The kayaks never go out from the bay.
Fee: Y520 (single), Y1,030 (tandem, two passengers)
After 10 minutes lecture, you will paddle around the kayak in the marina. The class starts every 30 minutes and the duration of the class is 45 minutes. You don’t have to sign up ahead of time.

**Sailboat Experience**
Everyday 1110, 1210, 1310, 1410, 1510, 1610
Duration of the experience: about 60 minutes
Fee: Y2,050 (adult), Y1,30 (4 years old to middle school student)
The max number of passengers is 10
The participants take a sailboat and cruise in the 99 Islands. You have a chance to navigate the boat.

**99 Island Relax Cruise**
Everyday 1120, 1220, 1320, 1420, 1520, 1620
Duration of the cruise: about 50 minutes
The max number of passengers is 12
The river boat takes you to where big boats can’t go. The boat cruises very smoothly and you are so close to the water. You feel like you are flying over the water.

**99 Island Visitor Center Programs**
Programs held at the 99 Island Visitor Center require small amount of fee. Contact the center at 0956-28-7919 or visit website:  [http://www.kujukushima-visitorcenter.jp/](http://www.kujukushima-visitorcenter.jp/)

**Saikai National Park Kujukushima Zoological and Botanical Garden Events**
The phone number there is 0956-28-0011. Tuition for the following classes is free unless it is specifically noted. You only pay the zoo admission fee.
**The whole zoo becomes non-smoking area. Please be careful.**
Address: 2171 Funakoshi-cho, Sasebo-shi, Nagasaki Prefecture 857-1231
Google map coordinates: 33.151185, 129.689476
Phone #: 0956-28-0011

**The Penguin Aquarium**
The new penguin aquarium has been finished at the 99 Island Zoological and Botanical garden lately. 22 penguins entertain the visitors. The admission fees to the 99 Island Zoological and Botanical Garden have been changed. Please see the chart below. Please show your ID card with your driver’s license at the entrance, which proves you live in Sasebo city. You can get the Sasebo citizen discount. The car park at the zoo remains free.

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### Animal Photos that Zookeepers Took!

Please visit the facebook page: [https://www.facebook.com/sasebo.morikirara](https://www.facebook.com/sasebo.morikirara)

The photos that only zookeepers could have taken are exhibited on the facebook.

### Note:

The volunteer activity “SAZANBOS” has been in hiatus, meaning they are not doing the volunteer activities now. I checked it on Friday, 24 June 2016. It’ll be announced in monthly Sasebo Newsletter when they restart the activities.

### The Original Post Cards and Magnets are for Sale

Now the amazing photos of zoo animals and plants are printed on magnets and post cards. Original magnets are 14 different pieces (Y394 each), and post cards are 20 different pieces (Y108 each).

Note: The nursing room is available in the zoo. The facility is for parents with babies. The facility has a nursing room to change diapers and feed babies. Please refrain from bringing your pets to the zoo.

### Mt. Eboshi Sports Village Information

Address: 128 Eboshi-cho, Sasebo, Nagasaki 857-0001
Phone #: 0956-24-6669

**“Dog Run” Park has been completed!**

It’ opens now at Mt. Eboshi Sports Village

Wednesdays, Saturdays, Sundays and Japanese Holidays.
Admission: Y300 per dog, Annual membership: Y3,000 per dog

Do you know what we mean when we say “Dog Run”? Now, I know it’s been very difficult for you to find parks to walk or run your pet dogs freely in Sasebo. This facility is only for dogs but they must be pre-registered at the park office. The registration fee is Y500. The owner of dogs should be at least 18 years. Your dog’s shot records and owner’s ID card is required when you register your dog(s). Please call Sasebo City Hall Park Maintenance Office at 0956-24-1111 for more information.

### Youth Science Museum

Address: 12-31 Hotate-cho, Sasebo-shi, Nagasaki Prefecture 857-0031
Phone #: 0956-23-1517
Wednesday to Sunday and Monday 0900-1700
Closed on Tuesday and Japanese holidays. Phone number: 0956-23-1517
Sasebo Planetarium was closed and newly the Youth Science Museum opened in Hotate-cho. Visit there once. It’s a new facility with decent and free parking lot.

**Planetarium**
Max number of attendees is 68. The duration of the show is 45 minutes.
Admission: **Y310 (adult), Y150 (4 years old to middle school student)**
Closed on Tuesdays and Japanese holidays.

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**Sasebo Local Library (Hours have been changed in April 2017)**
Google map coordinates: 33.174613, 129.721180
Phone #: 0956-22-5618

**Sunday** 1000-1800
**Tuesday to Friday, and Saturday** 1000-2000
Closed on **Mondays and Japanese holidays.** Contact the library at 0956-22-5618 for more information.

**The History of Sasebo Data Base Exhibition**
Whenever the library is open 1000-1755
Please come to the local history section on the 2nd floor. You can observe the historical information.

**CD Check Outs**
Commencing February this year, you can borrow 6 CDs instead of 3 CDs.

Have you ever visited the local library? There is a mezzanine where you saw the local authors’ information chronologically in the glass cases. The local library serves the space for everyone to display your art and crafts for free commencing in April this year. Give them a call in Japanese at 0956-22-5618 for more information.

**Huis Ten Bosch Events**
I try my best to get correct and current information of the theme park but flyers I get occasionally from Huis Ten Bosch confuse me. I think I’m very patient to get the information of events usually. I called the information center but I’m afraid the staff works there do not answer my questions promptly. I have to say the following
information is the one to my best knowledge. They can be reached at 0570-064-110. However, you can’t dial the number from the base phones. I used my cell phone to call and only the recording guidance in Japanese answered. I had an impression that they don’t want to be reached. It seems you pay how much ever you are told at the gate of Huis Ten Bosch and enjoy whatever available on that day. The following number in Fukuoka is better to get hold of them: 092-411-0800. Or visit their web site: www.huistenbosch.co.jp
Google map coordinates: 33.086328, 129.787208
Address: 1-1 Huis Ten Bosch-cho, Sasebo, Nagasaki Prefecture 859-3292
Phone #: 0570-064-110
Despite their unfriendly attitude, Huis Ten Bosch is well-known all through Japan and pays taxes to Sasebo city. They hire local people, too. Let’s support the theme park.

Below is the admission chart and fee for the New Huis Ten Bosch. You can bring your pet with you. Of course it’s not free. You pay Y500 per pet.

**ADMISSION FEE** Revised February 2018

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Please call the information center at 0570-064-110 using your cell phone. The base phones don’t work to call the number.

**Robot Kingdom Grand Opening!**
Huis Ten Bosch
Do you like Robot Animes such as “Gundom?” Please do not miss this chance. There will be “Gundam Show,” “Battle King Show” and other robot shows. You can enjoy dining at the “Hen-na Restaurant.” A robot chef prepares your dish. I’m going to check the kingdom this weekend.

**White Ferris Wheel!**
Huis Ten Bosch
Ticket to ride: ¥700
New “White Ferris Wheel” is now in service. The tickets are ¥700 for 11-minute ride.
1% of ticket sales go to the charity fund for the Northern Japan Earthquakes and Tsunami Victims. Please see Huis Ten Bosch information section. There are a lot of events scheduled. Call Huis Ten Bosch at 0570-064-110 for more information.

Huis Ten Bosch Wander Vehicle “Duck Tour”
Everyday, 1000, 1100, 1200, 1400, 1500, 1600
Fee: ¥2,500 (adult), ¥1,800 (3 to elementary school student), ¥500 (2 years old and under)
Have you seen the amphibious bus at the Huis Ten Bosch yet? When I saw it, it was crossing the street. Yes, it looks like a boat but yet can drive on the road! The bus drives on the road for 25 minutes and ducks in the water for 20 minutes. You don’t have to sign up, come to the Huis Ten Bosch Entrance 15 minutes prior to the tour that you wish to take. I’m thinking to take my brother and his family to ride on this bus. Please call HTB Tourism Office at 0956-27-0360 for more information.

Adventure Park
A little birdie told me that the Adventure Park is open at the Huis Ten Bosch. The park opened March 3rd. There are two facilities in the park; “Tenku-no-shiro (Castle in the Sky)” and “Shooting Star (Zip-line).”
The 5-story high mega maze, “The Maze” opened at the Adventure Park.

“Shooting Star (Zip-line)” consists of a pulley suspended on a cable mounted on an incline. It is designed to enable a user propelled by holding on or attaching to the freely moving pulley. One at the park goes over the channel and it is 300 meters (1000 feet) long.

“Tenku-no-shiro (Castle in the Sky)” is a big jungle gym that reminds you a boot camp. The highest point of the jungle gym is 9 meters from the ground (30 feet high).
Please call Camp Ten Bosch Administrative Office at 0956-27-0284 for detailed information. If you do not speak Japanese, please ask any Japanese friends to help you. Why don’t you go there with them? That should be fun!

FFSC Classes
English as a Second Language Tuesdays, 13, 20, 27 February 1000-1100
Main Base FFSC Conference Room
Tuition: Free

Hario Village English Café Tuesdays, 13, 20, 27 February 1000-1130
Hario Village Chaplain’s Building Classroom C and D
Tuition: Free

Japanese Phrase Class Tuesdays, 13, 20, 27 February 1130-1230
Main Base FFSC Conference Room
Tuition: Free
No need to sign up. You don’t have to complete the course. Please stop by and learn Japanese phrases.

Hrio Village Japanese Café
Tuesdays, 20, 27 February 1000-1100
Hario Village Chaplain’s Building Classroom E
Tuition: Free