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Stone steps with blooming sunflowers Festival 2017

Supporting Kashimamiko Shrine in Ishinomaki-shi for rebuilding the main shrine Event

On March 11 2017. 6 years have passed since the Great East Japan Earthquake. Many people have come to the gate of Kashimamiko Shrine, in Hiyori mountain in Ishinomaki, and prayed for the deceased. Stone steps which connected this gate with Ishinomaki saved many lives when the great East Japan Earthquake happened.



Because of the earthquake, Kashimamiko Shrine's main shrine and office were damaged greatly and worshipers were made to live far away from the shrine. The shrine has been placed in difficult situation. Especially, main shrine, which was built 350 years ago, was broken down 4 years ago because of the danger of collapse. This event is held for thankfulness and to support the shrine, which helps us get rid of our fear or anxiety.

We are very grateful to Etsuko Shihomi, a flower activist, Mansaku Nomura, a kyogen performer of Mansaku-no-kai and CHUMS, a special support seller for supporting our event.

Stone steps with blooming sunflowers Festival 2017 Exective committee producer Makiko Aizawa (from Hiyorigaoka Ishinomaki-shi)

Offering flowers to the shrine [Himawari Project 2017] by Etsuko Shihomi Backer: Chiba JA Chosei



From 1pm to 5pm, 11 June 2017 Let's sow sunflower seeds with Etsuko Shihomi ! First 100 arrivals are only accepted. Please look at the back of this leaflet and check the application method.

From 1pm to 5pm, 11 August 2017 Let's dedicate sunflowers with Etsuko Shihomi

flower activist

[Etsuko Shihomi Profile]

She succeeded as the first Japanese action actress, but retired after she married. In 2011, she published first photo books of flower art as a support program for the Great East Japan Earthquake and donated proceeds to area affected by the disaster. After this program, she held workshop and [The exhibition of dedicating flowers to Buddhist saint] at Yakushiji Temple in Nara. In addition, she joined Japan Grand Prix International Orchid Festival and held special exhibition. She has played an active role as a flower activist. Her real name is Etsuko Nagabuchi. Her husband is Tsuyoshi Nagabuchi, a singer.



CHUMS special support selling (part of the proceeds will be donated to the shrine.)

From 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. June 11 2017

CHUMS collaborates with traditional culture of northeast, and sells special collaboration products, such as hand towels or scrub brushes.

Dedicating Kyogen to the shrine (Need an invitation)

July 11 2017

Lecture of Kyogen by Mansaku Nomura, performance of Kyogen, Kyogen workshop

Backer: YAMAGEN

[Mansaku-no-kai profile]

A Kyogen performance group centering on Mansaku Nomura, a living national treasure. Mansaku Nomura, Mansai Nomura, Yukio Ishida and many other Kyogen performers are belonging to this group. They perform Kyogen and Noh all around the world. In addition, they make great efforts to promote Kyogen, and lecture in workshop, culture school and vocational school. On the other hand, they attempt to perform Kyogen in new style, and their performance is praised greatly.



Facebook: https://www.facebook.com/himawari.ishidan2017

Sponsorship: Executive committee of [Stone steps with blooming sunflowers Festival]

Support: Office Ren Inc. Mansaku-no-kai, Landwell, Inc. (CHUMS)

Backer: Chiba JA Chosei (Himawari Project 2017)

Backer: YAMAGEN(Kyogen)

Production: Hananomiyako Ishinomaki Project; *producer: Makiko Aizawa

*project support : Yukako Aizawa *assistant : Risako Yamanaka

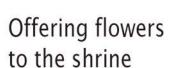
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Place: Kashimamiko Shrine

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2-1-10 Hiyorigaoka, Ishinomaki-shi, Miyagi 25 minutes on foot, 8 minutes by taxi, from Sengoku line,Ishinomaki line Ishinomaki station

We have limited car parking space in the shrine, so please use public tranceportation or ride the same car with your acquaintance.





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flower activist

[Himawari Project 2017] by Etsuko Shihomi



Etsuko Shihomi, flower activist, started [Sunflower 10,000 project] in 2016 and delivered sunflowers grown by participants to Shichigahama in Miyagi, town hall of Namie city in Fukushima and Kumamoto. In this year, we will sow sunflower's seeds near the stone steps in Kashimamiko Shrine with our guests in June 11 2017 and dedicate these flowers in August 11 2017.

Himawari Project 2017] a video of reference 2016 For the disaster-striken area! Sunflowers 10,000 project] https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=FW5gbLYpXd4

Let's sow sunflower seeds with Etsuko Shihomi



From 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. June 11 2017 Entry fee: 1000 yen Please pay on the spot (part of the fee will be donated to the shrine)

[application method]

1 address 2 name 3 age 4 your thought for participation in 100 letters Please write 1 to 4 and send to

himawari201711@gmail.com

Let's sow sunflower seeds with Etsuko Shihomi

Deadline: May 31 2017

*We will inform all the participants of the day's content directly.

Let's dedicate harvested sunflowers with Etsuko Shihomi It will be on if it rains

From 1 p.m. to 5 p.m. August 11 2017 Entry fee: 3000 yen Please pay on the spot (part of the fee will be donated to the shrine)

[application method]

1 address 2 name 3 age 4 your thought for participation in 100 letters Please write 1 to 4 and send to

himawari2017112@gmail.com

Let's dedicate sunflowers with Etsuko Shihomi

Deadline: July 21 2017

*We will inform all the participants of the day's content directly.











picture of offering flowers in [The exibition of dedicating flowers to Buddhist saint] at Yakushiji Temple, Nara in 2014

Please bring gloves, hat, something to drink, towel and so on. You will work outside, so please bring anything you need by yourself. First 100 arrivals are only accepted.

We contact all the applicants in any case, so please set up to let [himawari201711@gmail.com] [himawari2017112@gmail.com]

We never use your information except for the application.

Contact: Hananomiyako Ishinomaki Project

Email: hananomiyakoishinomaki@gmail.com

Attention: Part of the donation will be contributed to the shrine for rebuilding the main shrine.