

Ikaho

Tourist Map



Enjoy Shibukawa Ikaho!! Located at the navel of Japan, Shibukawa in Gunma Prefecture is known for Ikaho Onsen, one of the best hot springs in the country. Walk or ride around town to learn its rich history, watch nature unravel its Shibukawa Ikaho Tourist Map seasonal beauty, explore interesting sites, and enjoy events and shopping. End your day with a hearty meal and a relaxing bath in one of the hot springs. There is so much to discover at Shibukawa Ikaho. to Minakami **Takayama** Onogami Area Akagi Campsite Komochi Area Onogami Onsen Akagi Area Michi-no-Eki ikaho Onsen Shikishima Rent-a-cycle Shibukawa Stationfront Bicycle Rentals (free) "Aji-Cycle" MAP D-4 to enjoy sightseeing Shibukawa stationfront location. "Aji-Cycle" was developed by the students at Shibukawa Girl's 541-4 Ikaho, Ikaho-machi 1,000 yen/hour; 2,000 yen/3 hours; 3,000 yen/day T High school students and older (ID required) Shibukawa Ekimae Plaza (1832-27 Shibukawa) 9am - 7pm T High school students and older (ID required) Hokkitsu Area Shibukawa Shibukawa Area 5 Gunma Ikaho Area Ħ/ to Nerima to Takasaki to Maebashi

Ikaho Onsen - Refresh -

Japan's famous

Scenic beauty of Ikaho has moved the hearts of many, even from the age of Manyo poems. This Ishidangai (stone steps), enveloped in hot spring steam, still retains the feel of good old days. Take a dip in an onsen, savour delectable flavors of the season, and explore notable spots and remains - Ikaho will surely become an unforgettable place.





Observatory of Hot Spring Source 581 Ikaho, Ikaho-machi

The second source of Kogane-no-yu meaning "golden spring") can be found here.



Kajika Brdg.

586-2 Ikaho, Ikaho-machi

This arched bridge lacquered in vermillion is lit up in colors of the foliage in season.



Kingdom of Hawaii Minister's Townhouse

32 Ikaho Ikaho-machi

Way back when Hawaii used to be a kingdom, it's Minister of Japan, Robert W. Irwin, lived in this townhouse. There are photos from these times in the Guidance Facility.



Tuesdays (or following day if it's a holiday)



Uenoyama Park 587-10 Ikaho, Ikaho-machi

Admire the fabulous view from the "Tokimeki Deck" (observatory). If you are hoping to tie the knot, ring the "Kibou-no-kane" (bell) on the deck together.





Drinking Fountain

586 Ikaho, Ikaho-machi

This is the only facility where you can drink from the hot spring source of Ikaho Onsen



Ikaho Shrine 1 Ikaho, Ikaho-machi

Climb up the flight of stone steps to find the prestigious shrine of this hot spring city.



Remains of Tram

553-7 Ikaho, Ikaho-machi

Slip back in time and imagine yourself riding in this tram that used to connect Shibukawa Sta. and Ikaho.

Toy, Doll & Car Museum

Gunma Maitake Center

kaho Country Club

Glass Art Museum

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Mizusawa Ud

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Bukko-zan



Sekisho

34 Ikaho-kou, Ikaho-machi

A reconstruction of a Sekisho (inspection point) established by the Edo Shogunate in

H 9am - 5pm (Apr - Oct): 9am - 4:30pm (Nov - Mar) C 2nd & 4th Tuesdays



You can enjoy two types of hot springs at Ikaho Onsen. One is known as the "Kogane-no-yu", golden colored for its abundance in iron. The other is known as "Shirogane-no-yu", spring water glistening with transparency.



Spring type: Sulfate spring Good for: Scars, peripheral circulatory failure poor circulation, etc.

Spring type: Acknowledged as an "onsen" as stipulated in the metasilicic acid clause of Article 2 of the Hot Spring Law

Good for: Recovery from illness / fatigue, health improvement

Ishidangai (stone steps)

Near 94-2 Ikaho, Ikaho-machi

"Ishidangai" was developed about 440 years ago based on Japan's first hot spring city plan. Enjoy the tranquil ambience of this city of stone steps.



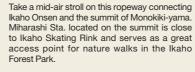


Gunma Prefectural Sports Park

587-1 Ikaho, Ikaho-machi

This is an ice skating facility with a 400m international standard outside rink and 2 indoor rinks. Good for beginners as well as competing athletes







Kogane-no-yu Kan

Ikaho Kirie Art museum

Tenbo

Hibikino























to Nakanojo



Ikaho Terminal

Haruna tours Gunma Bus (to Lake

Haruna) Ikaho Bus Stop







It is said that Ikaho's local specialty "Mizusawa Udon" first started as offerings made to worshippers paying homage at the Mizusawa Kannon Temple. Come and try some of these chewy and glossy noodles.

Mizusawa Udon Mizusawa

Yamamoto-ya @



Enjoy the panoramic view while savoring your udon at this shop right by Mizusawa Kannon Temple.

181 Mizusawa, Ikaho-machi C Wednesdays

Matsushima-ya 66



Choose from a variety of dipping

- 195-2 Mizusawa, Ikaho-machi H 9am - 4:30pm

C Thursdays

Suiko-en (3)



Enjoy our udon, kneaded to perfection, with pear sauce and sizzling hot

116-1 Mizusawa, Ikaho-machi 11am - 4:30pm

Tamaru-ya (S) (B)



Our noodles and soup have been

- 🗓 206-1 Mizusawa, Ikaho-machi 9am - 3:30pm
- C Open all year round

Mimasu-ya 😙



Enjoy delicious side dishes in a cozy atmosphere.

221 Mizusawa, Ikaho-machi 111am - 3pm

C Wednesdays

L 192 Mizusawa, Ikaho-machi H 8:30am - 5pm C Tuesdays

Try some of our maitake tempuras

L 204 Mizusawa, Ikaho-mach

11am - 3pm

C Thursdays

Tanji-tei 😉

with our udon.

Shimizu-ya (3)

Mizusawa

soup.

10am - 4pm

19:30am - 5pm

Thursdays (irregular) 2nd: We have udon, maitake tempura,

and other seasonal dishes

C Wednesdays (irregular)

198 Mizusawa, Ikaho-mach

We offer udon as well as seasonal Osawa-ya G@



Can't miss our red curtains. Free Wi-Fi and cashless payment available. We offer a wide variety of Mizusawa 112-5 Mizusawa, Ikaho-machi

233-8 Mizusawa, Ikaho-machi

Iwato-ya S@



1st: Our chewy, mouth-watering noodles go well with our homemade

125-1 Mizusawa, Ikaho-machi

Explore the exquisite flavors of udon and tempura.

112-7 Mizusawa, Ikaho-machi

Sesame sauce

Manyo-tei (9)

G Soy sauce-based sauce

We have consecutively won the Monde Selection gold prize.

48-4 Mizusawa, Ikaho-machi © Open all year round

Wanger (Hot Spring Buns)

Come and try some of these thin-skinned onsen manjyu, steamy buns in delicate brown which resembles the Refer to Ikaho Onsen Map color of Ikaho's hot spring.

Seihou-tei Shogetsu-do



554-38 lkaho, lkaho-machi H 7am - 6pm C Open all year round

591-7 Ikaho, Ikaho-mach H 9am - 6pm C Irregular

Hana-ichimonme



557-7 Ikaho, Ikaho-machi 174-4 lkaho, lkaho-machi H 8am - 6pm C Irregular

Tanaka-ya



18-5 lkaho, lkaho-machi H 9am - 6pm C Irregular

Anko-do

Kodakara-ya



□ 591-2 Ikaho, Ikaho-machi H 8am - 6pm C Irregular

Daikoku-ya



59 Ikaho, Ikaho-mach H 7am - 1:30pm C Irregular

3362-4 Kaminoda, Yoshioka-machi H 9am - 3pm C Year-end holidays

Maria Ayu, Soba, Local Cuisine, Local Sake

Savour the flavors of all seasons with ayu (sweetfish) in the summer and soba (buckwheat noodles) in the fall, along with delectable local cuisines and sake.

Ayu



Ayado Yana

MAP A-5 492 Tanashita, Akagi-machi

A hideaway yana-ba (fishing spot) at the Tone River. Revel in ayu dishes while overlooking the serene Tone River.

- S Late June to late September
- 11am 7pm
- Open during business seasor

Ochiai Yana

MAP D-5 272-2 Hassaki, Hokkitsu-machi

Enjoy a blissful meal with the tranquil sound of the Tone River and fresh ayu

S Late June to late September

Takeuchi Seika MAP D-2 372-10 Ikaho, Ikaho-machi

Thursdays

- 11am 8pm
- C Open during business season



Miyukida Soba Shop (next to JA Kitagun-Shibukawa Farmer's Store)



We offer "Toyo-aki Soba." Experience soba making (reservation needed).

MAP E-4 51-1 Miyukida

11:30am - 3pm

Local Cuisines

Ikaho Jidaiya MAP C-3 2293-1 Ubashima



Restaurant from the Edo period. Try one of the Japanese

- 11am 6pm (Weekdays; Sept May); 11am - 8pm (Weekends, holidays, New Year's, GW and Obon period)

Jizake (local sake)

Hijiri Syuzo MAP E-5 380 Shimo-hakoda, Hokkitsu-machi



Sake brewery since 1842. "Kanto-no-hana", a local sake made from underground water of Mt. Akagi, is highly valued.

H 10am - 4pm Year-end/beginning; Obon (Aug)

Shibasaki Syuzo MAP F-4 649-1 Shimonoda, Yoshioka-machi

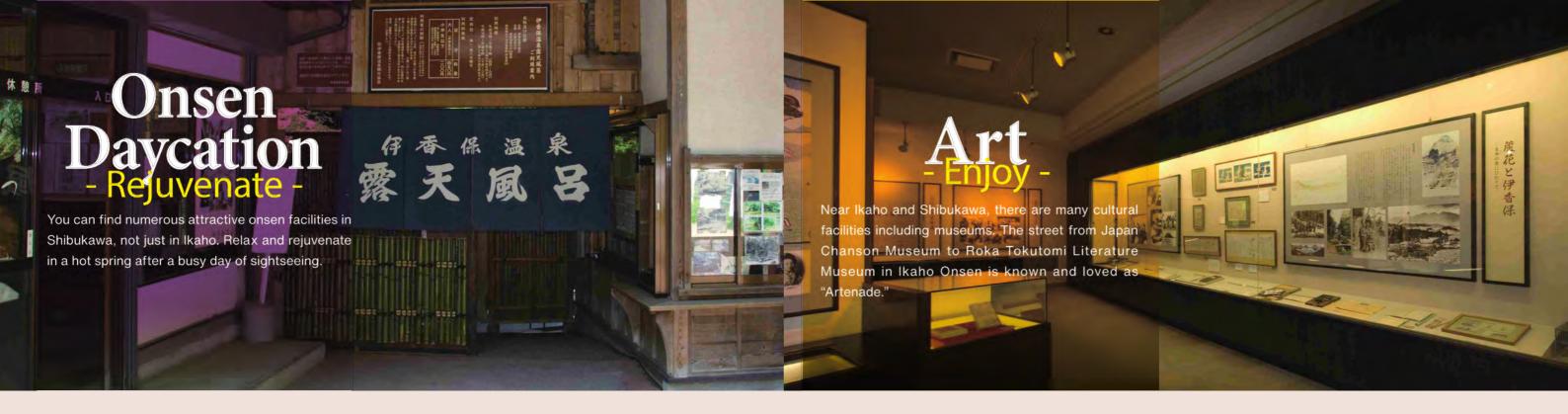


Sake brewery in Yoshioka, famous for its "Funaodaki". This sake is made from underground water of Mt. Haruna and highly valued.

Thin-skinned buns with sweat beans filling. Everything is handcrafted.

9am - 5pm

- Neekends; Holidays; Year-end/beginning





Ikaho Rotenburo

MAP D-2 581 Ikaho, Ikaho-machi

Next to the gushing source of "Kogane-no-yu." Enjoy the surrounding nature while relaxing in the rotenburo, which means "open-air bath" in Japanese.

- HI 9am 7pm (Apr Sept): 10am - 6pm (Oct - Mar)
- 1st & 3rd Thursdays (plus regular
- maintenance)



Ishidan-no-yu

MAP D-2 36 Ikaho, Ikaho-machi

- H 9am 9pm (Apr Oct);
- C 2nd & 4th Tuesdays (plus regular
- maintenance)



Roka Tokutomi Literature Museum

MAP D-2 614-8 Ikaho, Ikaho-machi

A museum in memory of Roka Tokutomi, a literary master of the Meiji period.

H 8:30am - 5pm (Last entry at 4:30pm) Open all year round (except year-end holidays)



Ikaho Hoshina Museum MAP D-2 211-1 Ikaho, Ikaho-machi

Museum for the works by artists such as Yumeji Takehisa and Kaichi Kobayashi. Observatory rest space and foot bath available.

- Thursdays (except holidays)



Kogane-no-yu Kan

MAP D-2 550 Ikaho, Ikaho-machi

This facility has a large bathhouse and open-air bath. You can also relax in the break room.

10am - 12am (Last reception at 11pm) Open all year round



Onogami Onsen Sachi-no-yu

MAP B-2 305-2 Murakami

Onogami Onsen is known as the "Bath for Beauties." We offer open-air baths with gardens, private rooms with baths, and many more.

- H 9am 9pm
- Every 20th (previous day if it's a weekend or holiday)



Ikaho Kirie Art Museum

MAP D-2 530-108 Ikaho, Ikaho-machi

An art museum for kirie (paper cutouts). You can also make your own kirie for free.

- H 9am 5pm
- Tuesdays (Open in August and if it's a holiday)



Yumeji Memorial Museum

MAP D-2 544-119 Ikaho, Ikaho-machi

A peaceful Yumeji Takehisa-themed park. Feel the atmosphere of the Taisho period.

- H 9am 6pm (Mar Nov):
- 9am 5pm (Dec Feb)
- C Open all year round

Hara Museum ARC

MAP D-3 2855-1 Kanai



Fuki-no-yu

maintenance)

MAP C-4 99-1 Kawashima

A natural-sourced hot spring facility exclusive for day trips. Bask in our tubs made from Japanese cypress or our open-air baths.

10am - 9:30pm (Last reception at 9pm) Every 15th (open on weekends & holidays closed the following day)

Open all year round (except for regular



Hokkitsu Bando-no-yu

MAP E-5 605-5 Shimohakoda, Hokkitsu-machi

Hot spring facility located next to remains of a sengoku period castle. Enjoy the panoramic view of the Kanto Plains.

- 10am 9pm
- 4th Tuesdays (following day if it's a holiday)



Gunma Glass Art Museum MAP D-3 4204 Shibukawa

Showcasing glass art work from the Art Noveau period. Glass coloring class available.

- H 9:30am-4pm(weekdays) 9:30am-4:30pm(weekends Holidays)
- C Wednesdays(may change depending on



Museum designed by Arata Isozaki. Enjoy

- contemporary art.
- H 9:30am 4:30pm (Last entry by 4pm) Thursdays; Exhibition switchover period



Ikaho Green Bokujo

MAP D-3 2844-1 Kanai

We offer horseback riding, archery, and petting zoo.

- H 9am 4pm (may change depending on
- *Last entry: 1 hour prior to closing
- C Weekdays (in Jan-Feb);
- (open on New Year's and holidays)



Shibukawa Skyland Park

MAP D-3 2843-3 Kanai

Spend an exciting day with your children. Breathtaking view from the ferris wheel.

- H 9am 5pm (Mar Oct);
- 10am 4pm (Nov Feb)
- C Tuesdays (Nov Feb); Dec 31; Jan 1



Japan Chanson Museum

MAP D-4 1277-1 Shibukawa

Chanson-themed museum. We also offer live chanson jams.

- HI 9:30am 5pm
- Regularly closed on Wednesdays (except holidays)



Common effect found regardless of spring quality

recovery from fatigue, and improvement of health

Alleviation of muscle cramps or chronic pain and stiffness of joints, improvement in decreasing

gastrointestinal functions, alleviation of stress symptoms (such as sleeping disorders and depression),

Yutopia Akagi

MAP C-5 850-3 Miyata, Akagi-machi

Luxuriate in one to the two open-air bath tubsone made from rock, the other made from Japanese cypress. Enjoy the scenic landscape from a spacious bathhouse.

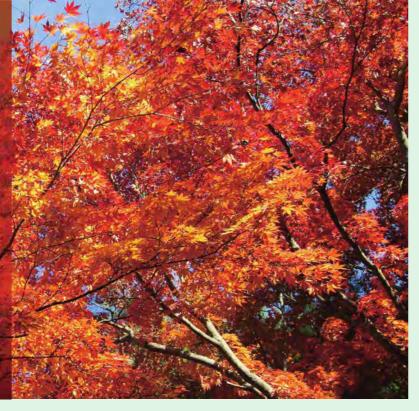
10am - 8pm (Last entry at 7:30pm) Cl Open all year round (except for regular





Nature

Shibukawa is a beautiful city surrounded by majestic mountains of Akagi and Haruna with stream of the Tone River running through the city. Each season is filled with its own magnificence and will soothe the beholder's heart. Come and explore the historic temples, shrines, and cultural heritage sites of Shibukawa.





Akagi Nature Park

MAP C-6 892 Minami-akagi-san, Akagi-machi

Located on the west foothills of Mt. Akagi, this nature park will surely fascinate any visitor on any given day with its diverse nvironment of plants, insects, and birds.

am - 4:30pm (Last entry at 3:30pm) Tuesdays (Apr - Nov; open during May)
Weekdays in Dec - March: Year end/ne



Ikaho Forest Park

MAP E-2 999-9 Ikaho, Ikaho-machi (Ikaho Forest Park Office)

A forest park located approximately 20 min by walk from Ikaho Ropeway Miharashi Sta. With fields of azaleas, grounds to enjoy autumn foliage, and wind holes, this park is perfect for therapeutic nature walks, rdwatching, and hiking.



Onoike Hydrangea Park

MAP D-4 2979 Shibukawa

Every year, from mid-June to mid-July, about 8,000 hydrangeas bloom to create a colorful



Shiroi-juku

MAP D-4 Near 2318-1 Shiroi

Indulge in the rich history of this town with remnants of time when it once flourished as a post-town. Double cherries go into full bloom around mid-April.



Nagamine Park

MAP D-2 991-19 Yunakago, Ikaho-machi

Enjoy the delightful view of Mt. Akagi, Mt. Haruna, and Ikaho. In May, the torch azaleas ao into full bloom.



Miyukida Soba Field MAP E-4 1503 Miyukida

In late September to early October, the blooming buckwheat flowers of the Miyukida Area add a spectacular touch to the panoramic view of Mt. Akagi.



MAP E-3 Kaminoda, Yoshioka-machi

Tanashita Fudo Fall

Near 902-2 Tanashita, Akagi-machi

Vigorous flow of water dropping from a 37m

cliff naturally created by erosion of lava rocks of Mt. Akagi. The cliff creates a cave at the

bottom where you can see the backside of

MAP A-6

the fall

Gushing from a height of about 72m, this majestic fall drops from its spout like a silky white ribbon slipping





Kamimiharada Kabuki Stage MAP D-5

269 Kamimiharada, Akagi-machi

Permanent Kabuki stage built in 1819. You can learn how the stage is operated or watch Kabuki performances.



Mizusawa Kannon Temple

MAP E-3 214 Mizusawa, Ikaho-machi

Old Tendai sect temple. In the vast precincts, find the main temple, Rokkaku-do, Shaka-do, and its temple gates.



Shinko-ji Temple

MAP D-4 748 Shibukawa

Loved by locals as the "Hydrangea Temple" because of its beautiful hydrangeas.



Shoren-ji Temple

Kiso-sansha Shrine

1 Shimo-hakoda, Hokkitsu-machi

Bukkozan Housui-ji Temple

Buddhist sect Fo Guang Shan.

H 9am - 5pm (Apr - Nov);

MAP E-3 637-43 Ikaho, Ikaho-machi

Japan's head temple of a Taiwanese Rinzai

This shrine is said to have been erected in 1184, worshipping Susanoo-no-mikoto, the deity for fortune of war and extermination of

MAP E-5

MAP D-4 2160 Shibukawa

Find blooming peonies in late April to May.



Iwai-do Kannon Temple

MAP B-2 13 Murakami

Deftly using the rock cave, this temple is mounted on its rock, with a statue of Avalokitesvara resting inside.



Sorin-ji Temple

MAP C-4 2399 Nakagou

A famous temple serving as a Soto school, built by the owner of the Shiroi castle in mid-



Yoshioka Facilities near Shibukawa Shinto

Toy, Doll & Car Museum MAP E-3

2145 Kaminoda, Yoshioka-machi

Boasting an array of traditional Japanese toys and dolls as well as those collected from around the world. Immerse yoursel in nostalgia with the wide collection of classic cars.

H 8:30am - 6pm (Apr 25 - Oct 31; Last entry at 5:15pn

8:30am - 5pm (Nov 1 - Apr 24; Last entry

C Open all year round



3361-5 Kaminoda, Yoshioka-machi

This museum showcases kirie (paper cutouts) in delicate color. You can try making your own kirie.

HI 9am - 4pm (Last entry at 3:30pm) C Open all year round (except year-end



Usaburo Kokeshi MAP F-4

1591 Nagaoka, Shinto-mura

Awe-inspiring collection of more than 1,000 kokeshi dolls. Purchase one or paint your own.





Shinto Earrings Museum MAP F-3

1912 Yamakoda, Shinto-mura

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This museum showcases earrings from the Jomon period unearthed from the Kayano site. Magatama making class is also available.

9am - 5pm (Last entry at 4:30pm) Mondays (following day if it's a holida





Nearby golf courses Ikaho Country Club MAP D-3

Ikaho Kokusai Country Club MAP D-3



Relax at Shibukawa Ikaho



Kindayu



Chigira Jinsentei 0279 (72) 3355



Moriaki 0279 (72) 2601



Stay view Ikaho 0279 (30) 4180





Kanouya 0279 (72) 2662



Yoshidaya 0279 (72) 2378



Oedo Onsen Monogatari 0570 (011) 261



Omori 0279 (72) 2611



Todoroki 0570 (063) 780



Sanyo 0279 (72) 2733



Fukuichi 0279 (72) 3113



Kishigon



Muramatsu(temporary closed) 0279 (72) 3344



Kogure 0279 (72) 2701



Kimura



Ikaho Ginsui 0279 (72) 3711



Kaichoro 0279 (20) 3040



Aoyama(temporary closed) 0279 (72) 3300



0279 (72) 3121



Mimatsukan 0279 (72) 2655



Shinki



Seikanso 0279 (72) 2717





Marumotokan 0279 (72) 2031

Yokotekan



0279 (72) 3322



Tamaki 0279 (72) 2232



Ikaho Syusuien 0279 (72) 3210



Ikaho Grand Hotel 0570 (061) 780



Matsumotoro 0279 (72) 3306



Tokudaya 0279 (72) 3891



Sakurai



Excel Inn Shibukawa 0279 (30) 1515



Honjin





0279 (72) 3308



Eisenkaku 0279 (72) 2710



New Ikaho 0279 (72) 3737



Route Inn Shibukawa



SUN Onogami





Healthy Pal Akagi

0279 (56) 3030

Eat, sleep, and bathe. In Shibukawa, there are many accommodations that welcome your visit- from Ikaho Onsen to

hotels and traditional inns in the Shibukawa Area, Onogami Area, Akagi Area, and Hokkitsu Area.

Fukuzen

0279 (72) 2123

Tsukagoshiya Shichibe

0279 (72) 3311

Kasugaro

0279 (72) 4151



Kounkan



Katsuho



Ichimatsuya



Kikumura



Shiroyama



Hibikino 0279 (72) 7022



Okabe 0279 (72) 3353



Akenoya 0279 (72) 3578



Otani











Michi-no-Eki Komochi MAP D-5 2318-1 Shiroi

Find fresh vegetables and our special konjak. You can eat in at our restaurant.

- 9am 7pm (Apr Nov);
- 9am 6pm (Dec Mar) 3rd Tuesdays: Jan 1: 3rd Wednesday of



JA Kitagun-Shibukawa Farmer's Store

MAP E-4 51-1 Miyukida

Michi-no-Eki Onoko MAP B-3 1980 Onoko

You won't be able to resist apple pies and hand-kneaded soba.

9am - 6pm (Apr - Oct);

Onogami Farmer's Store

MAP B-2 305-2 Murakami

9am - 5pm (Nov - Mar) C 2nd Tuesdays; Dec 31; Jan 1

Farmer's Stores

Looking for Shibukawa's flowers, mushrooms, fruits, or vegetables? Find them here.

- JA Kitagun-Shibukawa Farmer's Store H 9am 5pm C Wednesdays

MAP D-4 Shibukawa Ekimae Plaza 1F, 1832-27 Shibukawa

- Akagi 1st Farmer's Store H 8am 5pm C Open only on weekends and holidays
- Akagi 2nd Farmer's Store H 8am 5pm C Open only on weekends and holidays

Akagi 2nd Farmer's Store

A gift shop located across Shibukawa station. Find local specialties of Shibukawa, Ikaho, and more.

Look around while you wait for the train or bus.

Parking is also available nearby.

Josyu Bussankan

18:30am - 5pm Open all year round

MAP F-4

MAP D-3 3695-2 Shibukawa

sweets, pickles, and folkcraft goods.

1329-435 Kaminoda, Yoshioka-machi

Discover great ways to enjoy maitake

mushrooms. Try it stir-fried with butter,

Gunma Maitake Center

seeped as tea, or in miso soups.

Open all year round

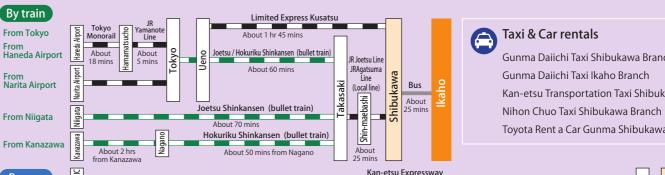
This specialties center has a wide variety of

local gifts of Shibukawa Ikaho such as

Akagi 1st Farmer's Store

MAP C-6 287-3 Kita-ueno, Akagi-machi MAP C-5 40 Shikishima, Akagi-machi

Access to Shibukawa / Ikaho



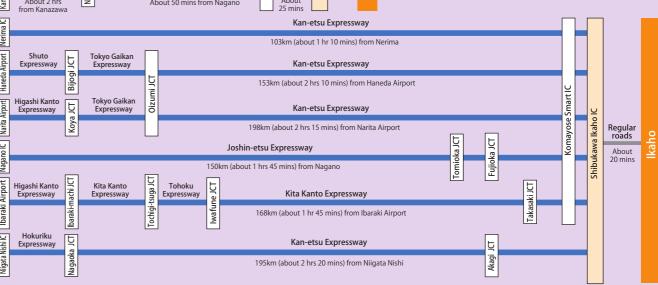
Taxi & Car rentals

Gunma Daiichi Taxi Shibukawa Branch Gunma Daiichi Taxi Ikaho Branch

Kan-etsu Transportation Taxi Shibukawa Branch

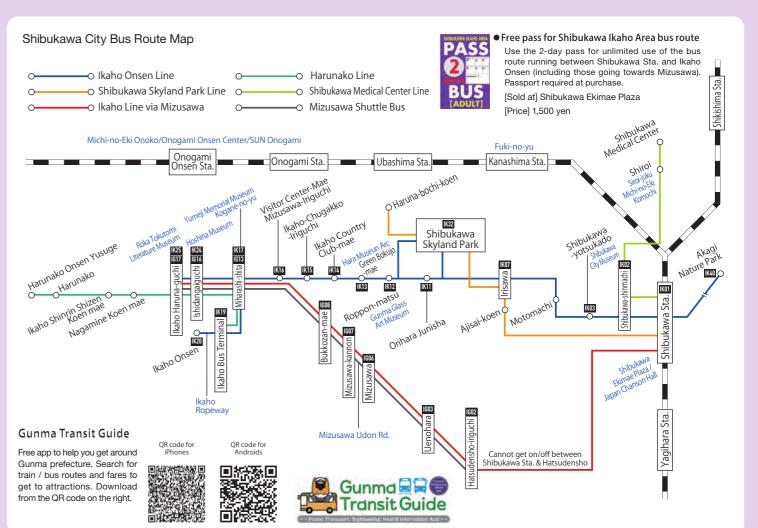
Toyota Rent a Car Gunma Shibukawa Sta.

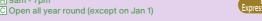
By car





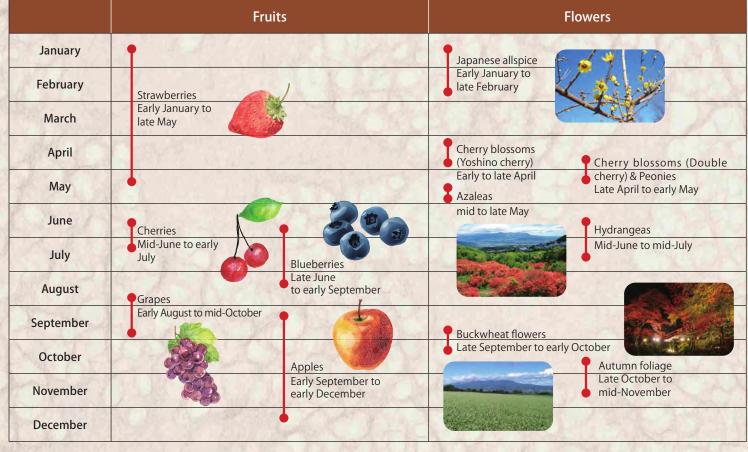
- From Yaesu South Exit of Tokyo Sta. / Shinjuku Bus Terminal (Shinjuku Sta.) to Shibukawa Sta. / Ikaho Onsen About 2 hrs 30 mins (by JR Bus's Yu-meguri Go)
- From Yaesu St. (Tokyo) / West Exit of Kawagoe Sta. to Shibukawa Sta. / Ikaho Onsen About 2 hrs 30 mins (By Kan-etsu Transportation's Ikaho-Shima Onsen Go)
- From Narita Airport to Ikaho Onsen / Housui-ji About 4 hrs 30 mins (By Kan-etsu Transportation's Azalea Go)





Shibukawa / Ikaho • Fruit & Flower Calendar







♦ Tourism Information Site for Shibukawa Ikaho

Shibukawa Ikaho Onsen Tourism Association

Shibukawa City Tourism Division



http://www.city.shibukawa.lg.jp/kankou/

Visit Gunma

Tourist Information Site of Gunma Prefecture

