

New Destinations for Future Sakura Seasons!

Cherry blossom viewing season may have passed for another year, and Gunma Prefecture saw a wide range of beautiful spots to enjoy the flowers. In this edition of the newsletter, we want to introduce two of the lesser-known spots for cherry blossoms — both of which are rich in their own unique charms.



Shibukawa Sogo Park

The spacious Shibukawa Sogo Park is located 600 meters above sea level, so visitors can enjoy a cool breeze even in warm spring weather. The park's thousands of cherry blossom trees come in a variety of breeds so that visitors can come and enjoy over the entire bloom season. The nearby Ikaho Onsen can provide accommodation at a range of resorts for groups of any size.

https://www.visit-gunma.jp/en/spots/shibukawasogo-park-cherry-blossom-illumination/

Access

Address:

4230 Shibukawa, Shibukawa

Recommended Access:

About 20 minutes from Shibukawa-Ikaho IC of the Kan-Etsu Expressway

Flowering Season:
Beginning of April to mid-April

Google Maps:

https://goo.gl/maps/NVaDugVcTTFpXVxHA



Iwai Shinsui Park

Iwai Shinsui Park is one of Gunma's hidden treasures. Situated in picture-perfect Higashiagatsuma, it is best-known for its fields of resplendent daffodils lined with delicate cherry blossom trees. The location alongside Agatsuma River contributes to the secluded, tranquil atmosphere, and the village of Nakanojo is just a stone's throw across the river, making Iwai Shinsui Park a must-see stop for small group tours to Shima Onsen.

<u>https://www.visit-gunma.jp/en/spots/daffodil-festival-at-iwai-shinsui-park/</u>

Access

Address:

Iwai, Higashiagatsuma, Agatsuma District

Recommended Access:

About 35 minutes from Shibukawa-Ikaho IC of the Kan-Etsu Expressway

Flowering Season: Beginning of April to mid-April

Google Map:

https://goo.gl/maps/9EHmh7vAk5sYNXqn7

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