



topic Event

The 45th Gender Equality Festa in LIBRA 2025 -The present and future “I” create-

Let's think about a gender-equal society together!

Eligibility

Anyone (Free of charge)

Date

6/28(Sat.) Exhibition/Sales 10:00AM to 4:00PM
 Stage Performances 10:30AM to 5:20PM
6/29(Sun.) Exhibition/Sales 10:00AM to 4:00PM
 Stage Performances 10:00AM to 5:10PM

Venue

Gender Equality Center Libra (1F&2F of Minato Park Shibaura)

Contents

- Lectures, Seminars, and Workshops (Application required in advance. Please visit the website for more information.)
- Activity report from the organization, exhibition, and sales
- Stage performances (Chorus, dance, tying obi sash show, etc.)
- Café service (Only available until they are gone)

Event

- Let's learn about Gender Equality (Pannel exhibition)
- Please come and join the Libra mini fair
- Let's go around the festa! Libra Stamp Rally.
- (Libra event) Please come to Libra's room!
 -Let's embrace and get to know yourself better -

We will introduce Libra's friend and will be openly seeking for its name.

Other features include an informational poster exhibit as well as the introduction of picture books and children's books.

Opening Ceremony

Date

6/28(Sat.) 10:00AM

Venue

In front of Libra Hall (Minato Park Shibaura 1F)

*Libra will come and join

Pre-event/Main Lecture

Light up every aspect of society with stories about diversity -

Speaker

Ms. Yoshida Erika (Scriptwriter/Novelist)

Date

6/27(Fri.) 7:00PM to 8:30PM

Venue

Libra Hall (Minato Park Shibaura 1F)

Seating Capacity

200 (In order of application)

*Admission on the day of the event is possible if seats are available.
 (Numbered tickets will be distributed from 6:30PM)

*Sign-language interpretation and childcare services are available.
 (Ages from 4 months old until preschool. Please make a request when applying for admission.)

Application

Gender Equality Center

Please apply online, via phone call, or directly at the Gender Equality Center

Inquiries

Gender Equality Center

TEL 03-3456-4149



Come and meet
 Libra's friends



Gender Equality
 Center website

topic Event

The 20th "Fureai Festival, Shiba Area" will be held in June!

This year's event marks the 20th anniversary. There will be a total of five local booths from Tohoku to Kansai, as well as a *jinrikisha* ride experience corner, so please come and visit us. Please visit the Minato City website for more information.

Eligibility

Anyone

Date

6/7(Sat.) 10:00AM to 3:00PM (The event will be held if there is light rain but will be canceled in the case of severe weather.)

Venue

Minato City Shiba Park

Contents

- Community Fureai Market** : In addition to snack stands and specialty product sales, local organizations will provide information on their activities.
- Community Fureai Concert** : Dance and instrumental performances from local groups.

Inquiries

Regarding availability on the day of the event :

Minato Call (Hours 8:00AM to 8:00PM)

TEL 03-5472-3710

Regarding the Fureai Festival : Shiba Regional City Office,
 General Administration Section, Management Subsection
 TEL 03-3578-3191



The 20th
 "Fureai Festival,
 Shiba Area"

topic Event

International Cultural Exhibition "Let's Embark on a Journey Around the World"



The exhibition will feature travel-related photographs selected by the Embassy.

Date

Until 6/11(Wed.) 10:30AM to 7:00PM

Venue

In front of the South entrance gate of JR Takanawa Gateway Station The LINKPILLAR 1 SOUTH B1 (2-21-2 Takanawa)

Inquiries

Community Promotion Section, Global Community Planning Subsection
 TEL 03-3578-2046



topic Information

Installing automatic certificate issuing machines compatible with the My Number Card



Certificate of residence and certificate of Seal Registration can be easily obtained at convenience stores with the My Number Card.

For those who are concerned about convenience store issue service, a multicopy machine for convenience store issue service has been installed at each Regional City Office, and instructions on how to use the machine will be provided. Convenience store issue service is a convenient and economical way to obtain a certificate for ¥10 per certificate, which is normally ¥300~¥450.

Items that can be obtained via the convenience store issue service

- Certificate of residence
- Certificate of Seal Registration
- Family register (Full or partial) certificate of matters (Japanese nationality only)
- Supplementary copy of family register (Full or partial)
- Certificate of Tax, Certificate of Tax Payment

*My Number Card is required

Please use the Support Corner

We assist in filling out application forms, taking ID photos, and registering for use of the health insurance card.

Inquiries

Regarding the multicopy machine : Shiba Regional City Office, Residents Support Section, Counter Digital Transformation Subsection
TEL 03-3578-3152

Regarding the My Number Card :
Shiba Regional City Office, Residents Support Section, My Number Card Issuance Promotion Subsection
TEL 03-3578-3139



Convenience store issue service



How to apply for the My Number Card



Support Corner for New Applications for the My Number Card

topic Information

Please use the Minato City Barrier-Free Map



This is an online map that compiles information on barrier-free public facilities, transportation facilities, parks, and public restrooms within the city so that elderly people, disabled persons, and parents with small children can comfortably travel throughout the city.

Inquiries

Health and Welfare Section,
Community Welfare Support Subsection
TEL 03-3578-2378



Minato City Barrier-Free Map website

topic Information

Do you know about the National Pension Insurance premium exemption system?



For those who have difficulty paying National Pension Insurance premiums due to low income or other economic reasons, there is an exemption system for premiums.

Type of Exemption

- Full exemption
- Three-fourths exemption (one-fourth payment)
- One-half exemption (one-half payment)
- One-fourth exemption (three-fourths payment)

*In addition to these exemptions, there is also a system for students and those under 50 years of age in which the payment of premiums is postponed if the previous year's income of the applicant or spouse (or the applicant in the case of students) is below a certain amount. The period of deferral is not reflected in the amount of the annuity.

*You can apply retroactively up to two years and one month prior to the last date.

Income Criteria

If the income of the applicant, spouse, and head of household for the previous year is below a certain amount from the year of application, the application will be approved.

Period for which the exemption is approved

Included in the eligibility period for the basic pension for old age, disability, and survivors.

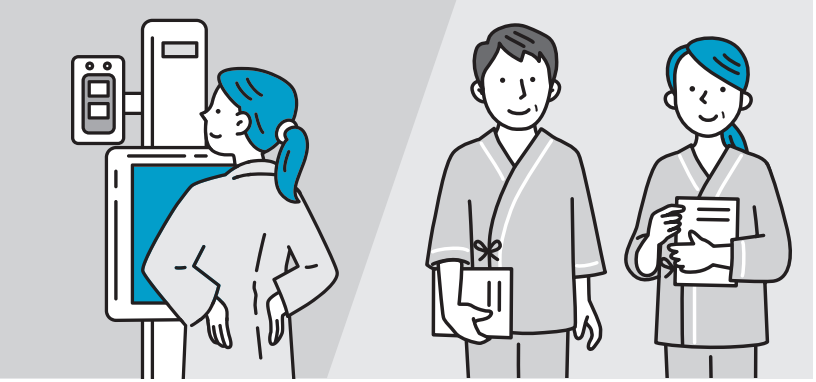
For the period during which premiums were exempted, premiums can be paid within 10 years of the exemption period.

Inquiries

- National Health Insurance and Pension Section, National Pension Subsection
TEL 03-3578-2662 to 2666
- Japan Pension Service, Minato Pension office
TEL 03-5401-3211(Main)

topic Information

Medical checkups and examinations will begin in July.



We will send you a ticket and information about health checkups, cancer screening, and other examinations in late June.

Period

- 1.Health checks
7/1(Tue.) to 11/30(Sun.) Excluding a few checks
- 2.Cancer, osteoporosis, audiometry, and hepatitis virus screenings
7/1(Tue.) to 1/31/2026(Sat.)

*Breast cancer screenings are available until 2/28/2026 (Sat.).
Some of hepatitis virus screenings are available all year around.

Available Medical Facilities

Designated medical facilities in the city

Cost

Free

Please visit the Minato City website for more information

Inquiries

Health Promotion Section, Health Service Subsection
TEL 03-6400-0083



Health checkups and cancer screenings

topic Information

We support families with babies! Family Attendant Service (Monthly Baby Support Service)



A support service provider will visit your home and attend to your worries and address your concerns about childcare. Childcare items worth ¥3,000 will be provided at the time of the visit.

Eligibility

Families with children aged 0–11 months (as of 7/1/2025) who reside in the city and wish to receive services.

*For children born between April and June 2025, the period of eligibility for the program differs depending on the month of birth. Please see the information mailed to you for more details.

Number of uses : Once a month

Service fee : Free

Application

Information will be mailed from June 10 (Tue.) onward. After registering (please see the guide to register), you can submit an application and make a reservation.

Inquiries

Health Promotion Section, Public Healthcare Subsection
TEL 03-6400-0084

topic Notice

Please submit the Child Allowance Present State Report.



Some recipients of the child allowance are required to submit a notification of current status. For those who need to submit the present state report, Children and Youth Support Section will mail the documents in late May. Those who have received the documents must submit them by 6/30. (The documents must arrive by 6/30.)

Inquiries

- Children and Youth Support Section, Child Benefits Subsection
TEL 03-3578-2431
- Residents Support Section, Health and Welfare Subsection of each Regional City Office
TEL See the number in the margin

topic Information

Minato International Information Board and Minato Information Board

These are the social media accounts of the Global Community Planning Subsection. They are aimed at the foreign residents of Minato City and the Japanese people who live with them and share the information necessary for everyday life and about events in multiple languages.

●X “Minato International Information Board”

This account is aimed at the foreign residents of Minato City and Japan, and the Japanese people who live with them. It shares event information needed for everyday life, generally in easy-to-understand Japanese and English.



●Facebook “Minato Information Board”

This account provides information about the government, local events, and more approximately once a week in easy-to-understand Japanese, English, Chinese, and Korean.



topic Information

Let’s use the International Communication Space!



The city provides meeting rooms that can be used for group activities related to international exchange and for community interaction. If you would like to use the rooms, please visit the Minato City website for more information and registration!

Eligibility

Groups of five or more members, with more than half of the members living, working, or studying in the city.

Availability

Weekdays 9:00AM to noon, 1:00PM to 5:00PM, 5:00PM to 8:00PM

Saturdays 9:00AM to noon, 1:00PM to 5:00PM

*Closed on Sundays, National Holidays, and year-end to New Year holidays (12/29 to 1/3)

Address

B1F Kita-aoyama 1 chome Apartment No.3, 1-6-3 Kita-aoyama

Fee : Free

Inquiries

- For group registration
Community Promotion Section, Global Community Planning Subsection
TEL 03-3578-2565
- For availability of the rooms
International Communication Space
TEL 03-3796-3309



International Communication Space

topic Information

Shibahama Elementary School indoor swimming pool will be open for the public from 6/10 (Tue.) to 10/3 (Fri.)



Eligibility

Those who live, work, or study in the city

Opening Hours

Monthly calendars are posted on the Minato City website.

Address

Shibahama Elementary School (Take the elevator from Minato Park Shibaura to the fifth floor.)

Application

- 1.Students enrolled in high school and older : Register at the reception desk with a document that shows the school address and the student’s name.
- 2.Students enrolled in junior high school or younger : Individual registration is not required. Show documents, such as a student card with the school address and the student’s name and certificate of student status, at the reception desk

*The registration process for residents and workers is the same as for students. Please visit the Minato City website for more information.

Cost

- Residents, workers, and students of the City 18 years and older : ¥500
- Elementary, junior high, and high school students : ¥100
- Preschool children, senior citizens (65 and older), and disabled persons who are residents of the City : Free

Inquiries

Lifelong Learning Sports Promotion Section, Sports Promotion Subsection
TEL 03-3578-2750・1



Opening School Facilities to the Public

topic Information

20% Savings! Sales for The Minato City Premium Common Merchandise Voucher “Mina Toku PAY”

As of July, the Minato City Smile merchandise voucher will be renewed to to the Mina Toku PAY, the Premium Common Merchandise Voucher. Please use the electronic voucher for greater savings !

*Prior application is required for purchase.

Sales Unit

¥ 12,000 amount for ¥ 10,000 per set of purchased (Selling only by a set of ¥ 5,000 for the common voucher and ¥ 7,000 for the limited voucher) Maximum purchase limited to three sets.

Application Requirements

Electronic voucher : Minato City residents, workers

Paper voucher : Minato City residents

Available Stores

Common voucher : All stores, medical institutions, and taxis registered to use the Minato City common merchandise voucher

Limited voucher : All stores registered to use the Minato City common merchandise voucher expect for large-scale retail stores, medical institutions, and taxis.

Application

Electronic voucher : from App

Paper voucher : Mina Toku PAY website or post card (postcard attached on the flyer or postal card)

Application Period

6/2(Mon.) to 6/13(Fri.)

●**Electronic voucher** : Until 5:00PM

●**Paper voucher** : Until 5:00PM for website application, must arrive by 6/13 if you apply by postcard

Sales Period

8/1(Fri.) to 8/14(Thu.)

Please visit the Mina Toku PAY website or check the flyer for more information.

Inquiries

Mina Toku PAY Call Center (Reception Hours 9:00AM to 6:00PM)

TEL 0120-19-3710

Section in Charge

Industry Promotion Section, Industry Promotion Subsection



Mina Toku PAY website



App Store



Google Play

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topic Information

Community Café Takanawa

This café is operated mainly by the Takanawa Area CC Club (Challenge Community Club) and the local community. Established for local people to gather and casually interact with each other, the purpose of the café is to revitalize the local community. There are three locations in the Takanawa area (refer to the following chart). Please feel free to join us. There will also be bocchia game day on an irregular basis and smartphone workshops on the fourth Friday of each month.

Eligibility

Anyone

Application

Please come directly to the venue. (Mini lectures at HUG Takanawa may require advance reservations depending on the event.

Name of the Cafe	Date&Time	Venue
Community Café Takanawa	Second and fourth Fridays of the month. The café will be open only on the second Friday of August and December. (The café will not open if it is on a holiday.) 1:30PM to 3:30PM	Takanawa Community Plaza 2F In front of Exhibition
Community Café Takanawa in HUG (Mini lectures)	Third Tuesday of the month. (Except for August) 2:00PM to 3:30PM	Takanawa Residents' Collaboration Space (HUG Takanawa 2F) *The venue is subject to change
Community Café Takanawa in Yukashi-no-Mori	Third Friday of the month. (Except for August) 1:30PM to 3:30PM	Shirokanedai Residents' Collaboration Space (Yukashi-no-Mori 6F)

Inquiries

Takanawa Area CC Club

Representative

Mr. Ohta Noriyoshi

E-mail: noriohta@cscpt.jp

Section in Charge

Takanawa Regional City Office, Collaboration Project Section, Community Policy Subsection



Challenge Community Club

topic Information

Requests for the Chiibus (Minato Community Bus) Use

We would like to ask for your understanding and cooperation in the following matters so that all users, including those with small children and the elderly, can use the Chiibus safely and comfortably.

- All seats on the Chiibus are priority seats. Please give up your seat to the elderly, disabled persons, expectant mothers, and those with a help mark.
- You can get in the bus without folding the stroller by fastening the stroller with the safety fixing belt provided on the bus. Please visit the Minato City website for more information on how to use the safety belt.
- Please refrain from rushing onto the bus, since this may cause unexpected injuries or accidents.
- Delays may occur because of traffic conditions.
- Animals are not allowed on board except for service dogs, hearing dogs, and guide dogs.

*Pets [dogs, cats, etc.] may be brought on as personal baggage if they are placed in a special carrying case. Not applicable if the bus is crowded.

●Please refrain from talking loudly during the ride. Please set your cell phone to silent mode and refrain from talking on the phone.

●Please refrain from bringing in food and beverages with strong odors or without lids. Also, please refrain from eating and drinking in the car.

Inquiries

Fuji Express

TEL 03-3455-2213

Community Transportation Section, Community Transportation Subsection

TEL 03-3578-2279



How to ride



How to ride with a stroller



How to ride with a wheel chair

topic Information

Living Safely and Securely in Minato City

For people living in Minato City and visitors to the area, we created the Minato City Handbook for Everyone's Safety and Peace, which provides useful tips for security and fire prevention measures as well as daily life etiquette.

Distribution

Residents Support Section or Collaboration Project Section of each Regional City Office/ Minato City Disaster Prevention Section (City Office 5F)



Minato City Handbook for Everyone's Safety and Peace



Please register the “Safety and Peace of Mind with Everyone E-mail”

By registering the “Safety and Peace of Mind with Everyone E-mail,” you will receive information on suspicious persons accosting women and children in the area, bank transfer scams, and snatch-and-grab and other crimes. You will also receive useful information on crime prevention, fire prevention, and other safety measures. Newsletters in English, Chinese, and Korean are available as of February 2025. Please visit the Minato City website for information on registration.

Service fee

Free (Telecommunication charges are your reposnsibility.)

Inquiries

Disaster Prevention Section, Living Safety Promotion Subsection

TEL 03-3578-2199



Safety and Peace of Mind with Everyone E-mails