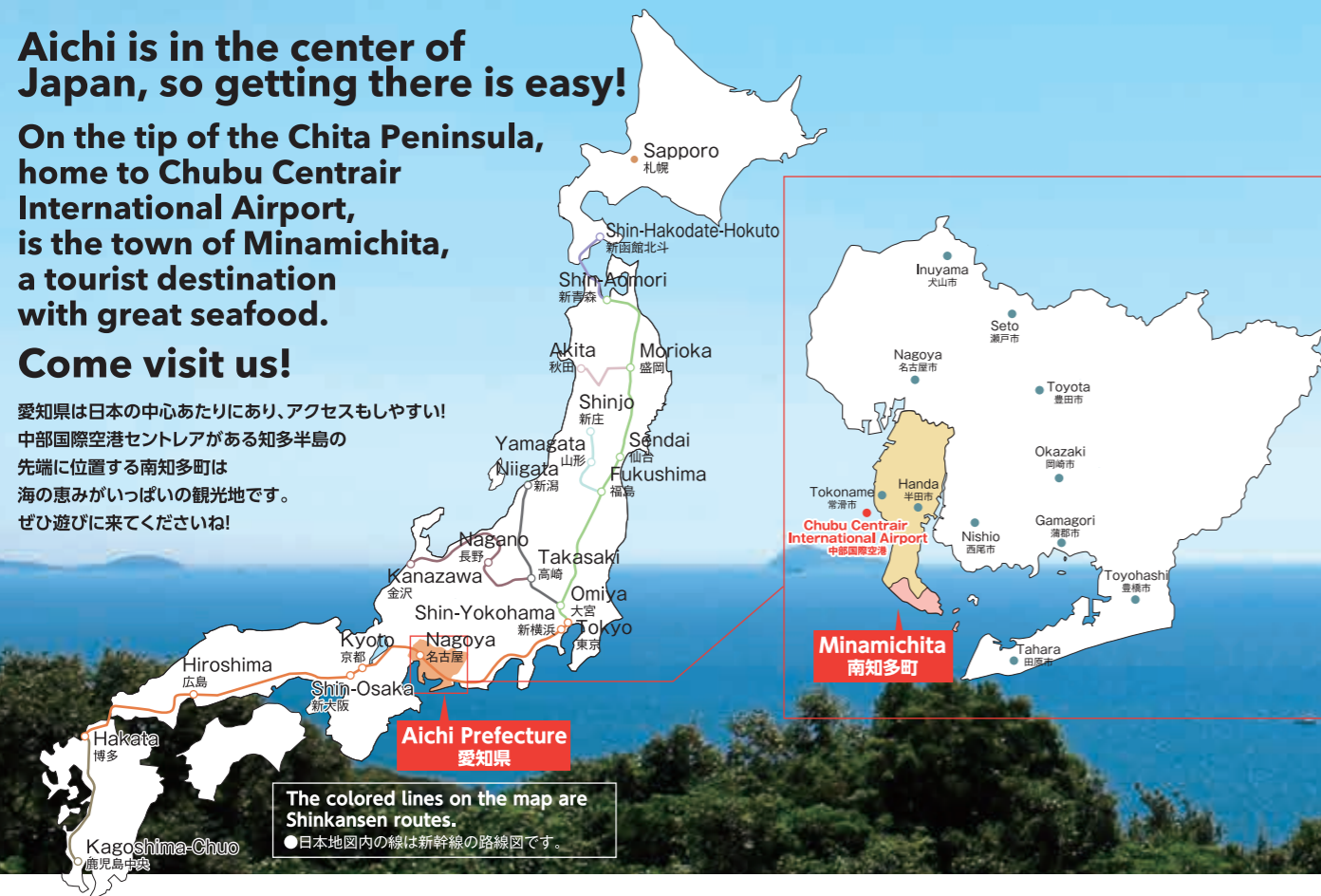


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**On the tip of the Chita Peninsula, home to Chubu Centrair International Airport, is the town of Minamichita, a tourist destination with great seafood.**

**Come visit us!**

愛知県は日本の中心あたりにあり、アクセスもしやすい!  
中部国際空港セントレアがある知多半島の先端に位置する南知多町は海の恵みがたっぷりの観光地です。ぜひ遊びに来てくださいね!



English Version

南知多町  
観光ガイド&マップ



# Minamichita Chita

Minamichita Sightseeing Guide & Map

**AICHI-JAPAN**

The colored lines on the map are Shinkansen routes.  
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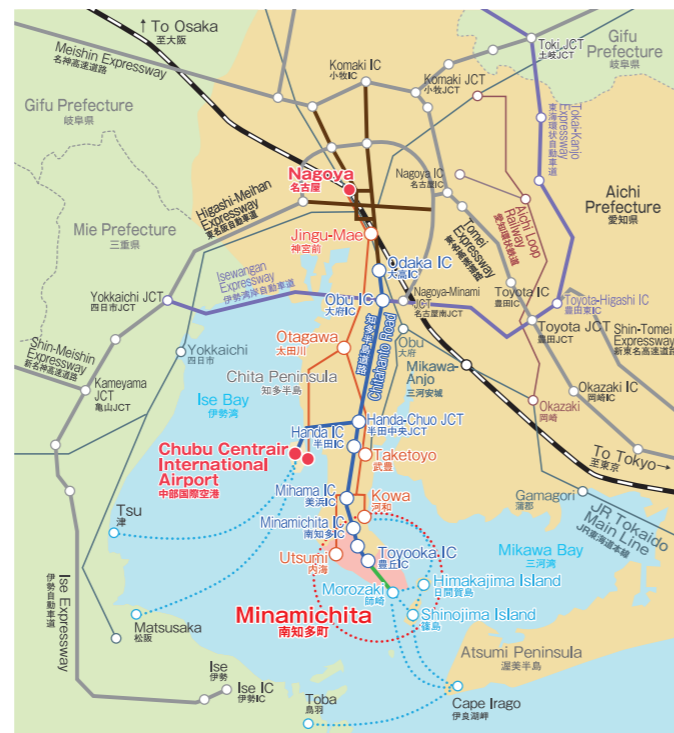
## Hotels and Ryokan

ホテル・旅館



There are over 140 places to stay in the town of Minamichita. Dine on seafood with a view of the horizon that stretches out as far as the eye can see, or relax in an open-air bath in a natural hot spring. Whether you choose a hotel or a ryokan—a traditional Japanese-style inn—each lodging offers a way to enjoy the local seafood and scenery of Minamichita.

南知多町には140を超える宿泊施設があります。目の前に見渡す限り広がる水平線を眺めながら、海鮮料理を味わえる宿や天然温泉の露天風呂がある宿など、南知多の景色と海の幸をご堪能ください。



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# Traditional Culture

伝統文化



A journey to tap into Japanese traditions and art. Experience the Wagokoro Japanese lifestyle by being treated with the Omotenashi culture of hospitality and other noble customs.

日本の伝統と美意識に触れる旅をしてみませんか。おもてなしなど「和のこころ」を感じられることでしょう。



Get in touch with Japanese culture



## Bishu Kaisen Utsumibune Funanushi Uchida-ke Residence

尾州廻船内海船船主 内田家

The Uchida Family, former residents of this house, ran a shipping business during the Edo Period, and this abode is virtually unchanged since when they dwelt there. Guided tours are available on Sundays. 建物の主である内田家は江戸時代の頃船で物資の輸送を取り仕切っていました。その船主の家が当時とほとんど変わらない状態で残っています。日曜日にはガイドが案内してくれます。

📍 Minamigawa 39, Utsumi, Minamichita-cho 🕒 9:00 to 16:00 (Last admission 15:30) 📅 Mon.-Fri. (opens on holidays) ☎ 0569-62-3100 (Minamichita Tourism Volunteer Guide Office) 0569-65-2880 (Minamichita Town Community Education Division) 🎫 300 yen (Free for Junior High School students and younger) 🚌 Uchida Sashichi-Ke-mae Bus Stop



## Iwayaji Temple

岩屋寺

This temple has a history going back 1,300 years, and draws worshipers from all over Japan. The temple also offers a number of activities and workshops, like one where participants can make nenju prayer bracelets.

千三百年の歴史を持つ寺。日本全国から多くの参拝客が訪れます。うでわ念珠作りなどの体験も行われています。

📍 Maso 109, Yamami, Minamichita-cho 🕒 9:00 to 16:30 ☎ 0569-62-0387



## Jorikutaishi-zo Statue of the Landing Kukai

上陸大師像

Standing on the sea is a statue of a monk. It is said that this is the spot where Kobo Daishi came to shore, and so his statue was erected here. There is an observation deck on a hill with a spectacular view of the ocean.

海の上に僧の像があります。弘法大師が、この地の上陸したという言い伝えにちなんで建てられました。丘の上には展望台があり、海を一望できます。

📍 Hijirisaki, Oi, Minamichita-cho ☎ 0569-62-3100 (Minamichita Town Tourist Information Center) 🚌 Morozaki Chugakko-mae Bus Stop



## Hazu Jinja Shrine 羽豆神社

This shrine stands atop a small mountain on the tip of the Chita Peninsula. この神社は知多半島の先端部の突き出た小山の上にあります。

📍 Myojin-Yama, Morozaki, Minamichita-cho ☎ 0569-62-3100 (Minamichita Town Tourist Information Center) 🚌 Morozaki-Ko Bus Stop



## Anrakuji Temple

安楽寺

The "Octopus Amida" is worshiped at this temple. There is a legend of giant octopus that protected a statue of a deity until the statue was hauled up by a fisherman long ago.

「タコ阿弥陀如来」が祀られているお寺です。昔々、漁師の網にかかって引き上げられた神様の像を大タコがしっかり守っていたという伝説があります。

📍 Satonaka 48, Himakajima, Minamichita-cho ☎ 0569-68-2172

Check the octopus art!

## Shinmei Jinja Shrine 神明神社

Standing at the center of Shinojima Island, Shinmei Jinja Shrine has a history going back 1,200 years, and a deep bond with Ise Jingu Shrine. It is rebuilt every 20 years, from timber that has been used at the grand shrine in Ise.

篠島の中心地にある神明神社は、1200年の歴史のある伊勢神宮と深い縁があります。伊勢神宮の木材を使って20年ごとに新しく作り替えられます。

📍 Godo 101, Shinojima, Minamichita-cho ☎ 0569-67-3700 (Shinojima Tourist Information Center)



## Activity

### C-6 Wear a Kimono

Experience wearing the iconic kimono and "kitsu", the art of properly wearing it.

着物着付け [わか松知多] 日本文化を代表する着物の着付け体験ができます。



### C-6 Matcha Green Tea

Sip on matcha accompanied by gorgeously crafted seasonal wagashi sweets, and soak in the Japanese aesthetic.

抹茶 [わか松知多] 四季折々の美しい和菓子とともに抹茶をいただき、日本の美を感じましょう。



### D-6 Make a nenju bracelet

(First Sunday of the month) [Iwayaji Temple]

うでわ念珠作り講座 (毎月第1日曜) [岩屋寺]



### D-6 Glassmaking workshop

[Glass Valley] ガラス工房体験 [ガラス工房グラスパレー]

### D-6 Make a goshuincho stamp collection book

(19th and 26th of every month) [Iwayaji Temple]

御朱印帳つくり講座 (毎月19・26日) [岩屋寺]

### D-6 Ajikan (meditation) experience

(20th of every month) [Iwayaji Temple]

阿字観 (座禅) 体験 (毎月20日) [岩屋寺]

### D-6 Sutra transcription experience

(20th of every month) [Iwayaji Temple]

写経体験 (毎月20日) [岩屋寺]

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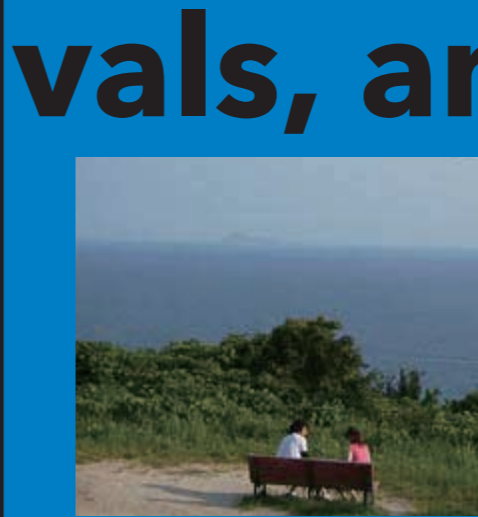
# Seasonal Events, Festivals, and Scenery

季節のイベント、祭り、風景



**E-7** **Kawazu-Zakura** ▲  
**Cherry Blossoms in Hijirisaki-koen Park**  
 (Late February–Early March)  
 聖崎公園河津桜 (2月下旬～3月上旬)  
 Some 50 cherry trees are planted in this park. Their pink flowers are in full bloom from the end of February to early March. 公園には桜の木が50数本植えられています。この花は2月下旬から3月上旬にかけて見頃を迎えます。  
 Morozaki Chugakko-mae Bus Stop

**C-6** **Utsumi Spring Festival** ▶  
 (The 1st Sunday of April)  
 内海春祭り (4月第1日曜日)  
 Visit this unique festival to see gorgeously decorated festival floats and performances of a traditional dance that is derived from Japanese martial arts. 日本武術の形を踊りにした伝統芸能(棒の手)や豪華な装飾が施されている車(山車)など個性豊かな祭りを見ることができます。  
 Utsumi-Eki Bus Stop



**D-7** **Mt. Fujigamine** 富士ヶ峰  
 Located at the tip of the Chita Peninsula, this small mountain has a shrine on its summit, and a nearby park commands a breathtaking view of islands dotting the ocean. In the winter, you may even be able to see as far as Mt. Fuji. 知多半島の最南端にあり、山頂には神社が祀られ、すぐ近くの公園からは海に浮かぶ島々が一望できます。冬場には富士山が見えることもある。  
 Sakura Koen Guchi Bus Stop

**E-7** **Morozaki Sagicho Festival** ▶  
 (The 4th Sunday of January) 師崎左義長まつり (1月第4日曜日)  
 In this thrilling festival to pray for good health and bountiful catches, a group of young men clad only in loincloths wave a 10-meter flag up and down in a fire until it burns to ashes, while the crowd cheers and celebrates. 禪姿の若衆が10mののぼりを火の中に倒したり起こしたりして焼き尽くし、無病息災や大漁の祈りを込めて盛大に祝う祭り。熱気に包まれた祭りは迫力満点。  
 Morozaki-Ko Bus Stop

**F-8** **Shinojima Daimyo Gyoretsu Procession** (January 3rd and 4th) 篠島大名行列 (1月3日・4日) ▶  
 This festival makes New Year's day on Shinojima Island even more festive. The god residing in Hachioji-sha Shrine goes to pay a visit to his counterpart at Shinmei Jinja Shrine, and the men of the island form a procession to guard the god on his journey. 篠島の正月を飾る祭礼です。八王子社の神様が近くの神明神社の神様のところへ渡る神事。島の男たちが行列で送り迎えをします。

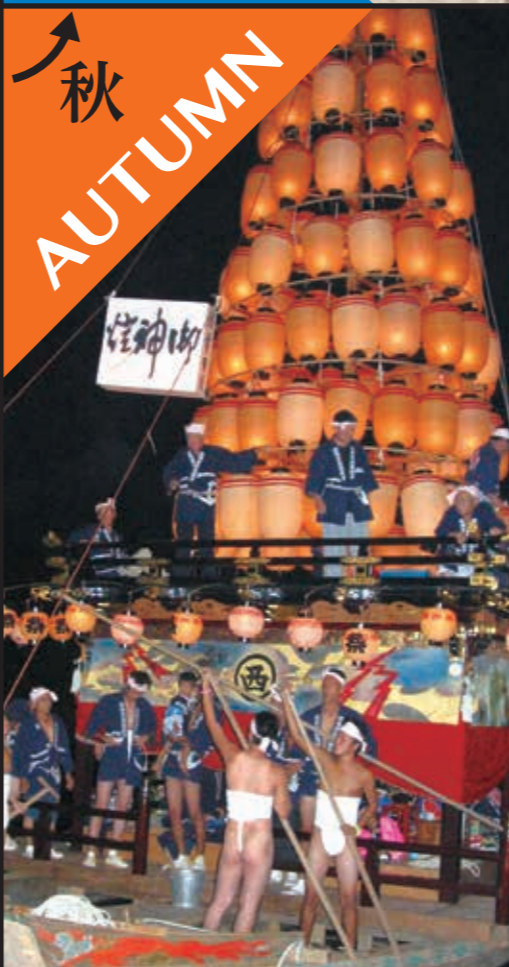


**D-6** **Kanko Noen Hana Hiroba** ▲  
**観光農園 花ひろば**  
 In this "pick-your-own" farm, you can enjoy seasonal flowers such as rapeseed blossoms, poppies, and sunflowers. The colorful, scenic view will melt away the stress of daily life. 菜の花、ポピー、ひまわりなど季節の花々を皆様楽しんでいただける観光農園です。色鮮やかな景観が日頃の疲れを癒します。  
 Takamidai 48, Toyooka, Minamichita-cho  
 8:00 to 17:00 300-650 yen 0569-65-2432  
 Taimatsuri Hiroba / Hana Hiroba-mae Bus Stop

**D-7** **Toyohama Tai Festival** ▲  
 (Late July) 豊浜鯛まつり (7月下旬)  
 Gigantic sea breams made of bamboo and cloth—each weighing roughly one metric ton—are paraded through the neighborhood toward the beach by groups of young men, tails and fins waving, cheered on by crowds of spectators. It is a majestic scene to behold. 竹で作った重さ約1トンの巨大な鯛を若い男たちが海へと担ぎ、観衆の声援を受けながら、尾をふり、ひれをピンと張りながら練り歩きます。とても勇壮な光景です。  
 Toyohama Bus Stop

**F-8** **Shinojima and Nojima Festival** ▲  
**Boat Parade and Gion Festival**  
 (The 2nd Saturday and Sunday of July)  
 篠島野島祭り 船団パレード・ぎおん祭り (7月第2土・日曜日)  
 This festival wishes for bountiful catches and safety at sea. The highlight of the festival is the parade of fishing boats, which make a loop around a small uninhabited island and come back to port. この祭りは豊漁と漁の安全を願う祭りです。漁船団が無人大島をぐるりと一周して戻ってくる華やかな船団パレードが最大の見所です。

**C-6** **Fireworks Shows**  
 (July–August) 花火大会 (7～8月)  
 Utsumi Fireworks Show (mid-August), Toyohama Fireworks Show (mid- to late July), Shinojima Gion Festival Fireworks Show (mid-July), Himakajima Gion Festival Fireworks Show (mid-July)  
 内海花火大会 (8月中旬)、豊浜花火大会 (7月下旬)、篠島ぎおん祭り花火大会 (7月中旬)、日間賀島ぎおん祭り花火大会 (7月中旬)  
 In the town of Minamichita, a number of fireworks shows are held in July and August, and burst after burst of fireworks color the night sky over the ocean. 南知多町では7月～8月にかけて花火大会が開催され、海の上にとくさくの花火が打ち上げられます。

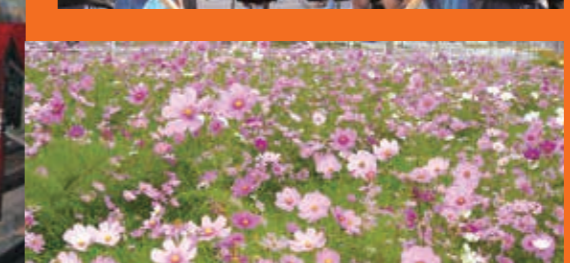


**C-6** **Shingaku-Bune Festival**  
 (Around the 17th day of the eighth month of the lunar calendar)  
 神楽船まつり (旧暦8月17日頃)  
 This festival was started by wealthy merchants whose businesses thrived thanks to maritime transport, as a way to wish for safety at sea. The reflections of lanterns glowing on the surface of the river are a mesmerizing sight. 海運業で栄華を極めた豪商たちが、海の安全を願ってはじめての祭りです。川面に揺れる提灯の火が幻想的です。  
 Utsumi-Eki Bus Stop

**F-8** **Onbedai Hono Festival**  
 (October 12th)  
 おんべ鯛奉納まつり (10月12日)  
 In this festival, the local people offer salted sea bream to Ise Jingu Shrine—a ritual which has been performed for over a thousand years. 塩漬にした鯛を決まった数だけ伊勢神宮に奉納する祭礼です。この儀式は、1000年以上続いています。



**E-7** **Morozaki Daimyo Gyoretsu Procession**  
 (The 2nd Saturday and Sunday of October)  
 師崎大名行列 (10月第2土・日曜日)  
 This festival is held in early October every year. Five decorated festival floats and a procession holding long Japanese swords parade through the town. 毎年10月上旬に行なわれる祭りです。長い刀を持った行列や、華やかに飾った車5台が練り歩きます。  
 Morozaki-Ko Bus Stop



**D-6** **Cosmos Blossoms**  
 (Mid-October–Mid-November)  
 コスモス (10月中旬～11月中旬)  
 There is a spot in Minamichita that is filled with cosmos in the fall, where people flock to take social-media-worthy photos. These cosmos are of a variety called "Sensation," popular for their large, brightly colored flowers. 秋にはコスモスが咲き、撮影スポットになっています。花の種類は「センセーション」といい、鮮やかな大輪を咲かせる人気品種です。  
 Taimatsuri Hiroba / Hana Hiroba-mae Bus Stop

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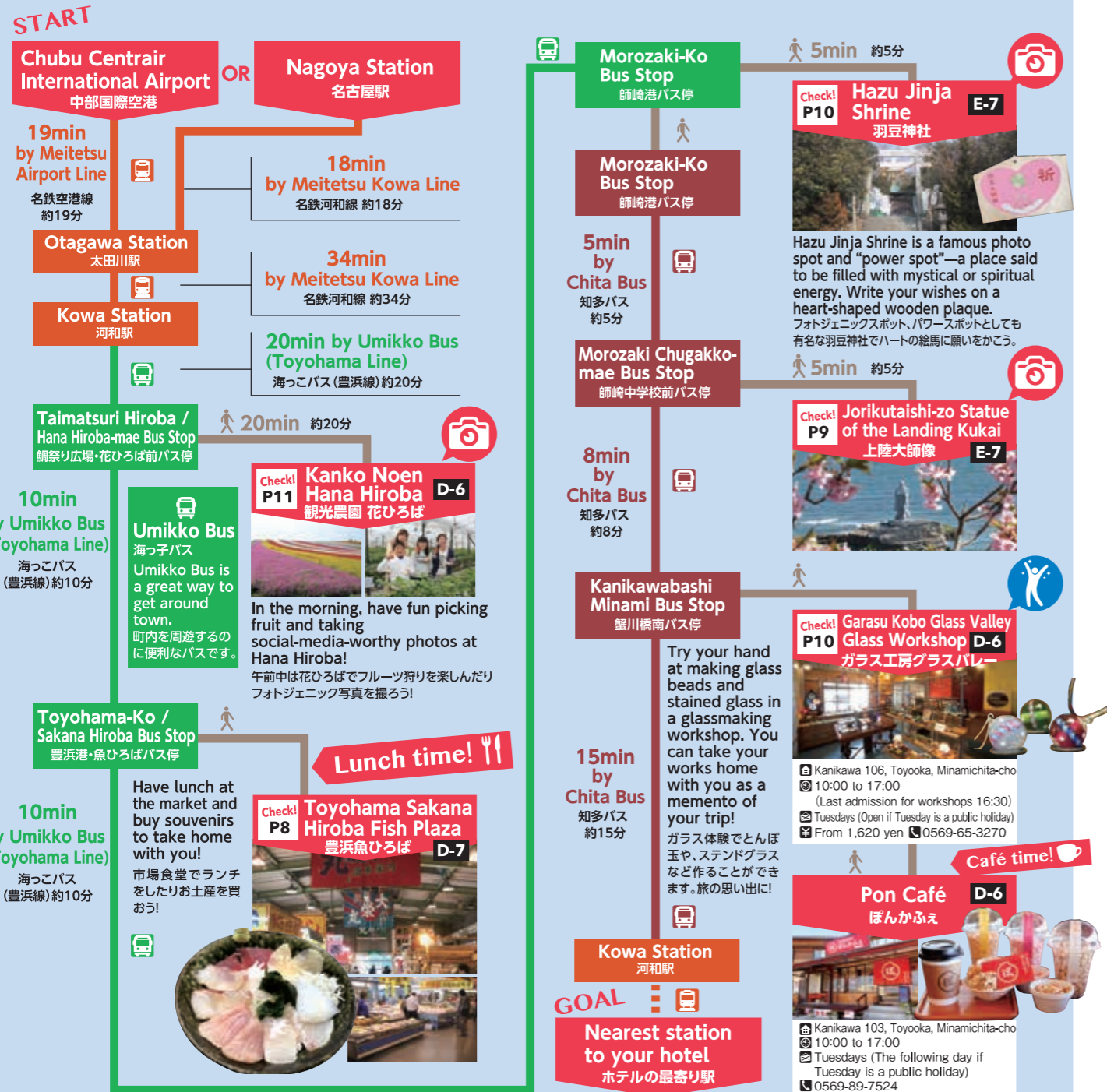
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