

INZAI



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This newsletter is published for residents who are not familiar with Japanese language to introduce events designed for residents of Inzai City. Although most programs are basically conducted in Japanese, you are always welcome. Please join our events and enjoy your life in Inzai!

Monthly Distribution to All Households Starts



"Kōhō Inzai" – Bringing the city closer to you

We want to deliver the latest city news, events, disaster prevention, childcare, health, and other helpful information for daily life to every household in the city.

From this month, "Kōhō Inzai" has revised its distribution method and will now be delivered to every household's mailbox in the city.

"Kōhō Inzai" will continue to serve as a bridge between the city and its residents, aiming to provide information that is closer to you and easier to understand it.

Inquiries: Public Relations and Public Relations Section, *Hisho-Koho-ka*, *Koho-Kocho-gakari* (TEL 0476-42-5117)

Frequently Asked Questions

Q1. When will it be delivered?

- A. "Kōhō Inzai" is issued on the 1st of each month, but delivery begins approximately 10 days prior. For example, the October issue will be delivered between September 20 and 30. Delivery may also occur on Saturdays, Sundays, and public holidays.

Q2. How will it be delivered?

- A. It will be placed directly into your mailbox (via posting). If you currently receive it through newspaper inserts or separate delivery, no additional procedure is required.

Q3. What if I don't receive it or don't want it delivered?

- A. Please contact the call center below by phone or via the inquiry service (2D code). Even if you've previously asked to stop delivery, the newsletter may still be delivered in some cases.



Dedicated Inquiries Call Center

Toll Free 0120-008-986

Hours: 9:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m. (closed on Sat., Sun. and public holidays)

From 21st to the end of the month, the service will be available every day from 9:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m (closed during the year-end/New Year holiday Dec. 29-Jan. 3)

From the Chiba Electronic Application Service



Inzai Furusato & Industry Festival

Saturday, November 1st

This autumn's annual event, the “Inzai Furusato & Industry Festival,” will be held again this year.

There will be fresh local vegetables and products for sale, food and drink booths, and a variety of stage performances to liven up the festival. We encourage you to visit.

Date & Time: November 1 (Sat.) 9:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. (canceled in case of stormy weather)

Venue: Chuo-kita No.1 Parking Lot (shared parking lot of Aeon Mall Chiba New Town)

Inquiries: “Inzai Furusato & Industry Festival” Executive Committee TEL/FAX: 0476-36-4155 (weekdays 9:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.)

Website of Inzai City Tourism Association <https://inzai-kankou.jp>

The photos shown are from previous Inzai Furusato & Industry Festivals.



Illumination Event

“Illumi-rai★INZAI”

Period: November 29 (Sat.), 2025 – January 25 (Sun.), 2026

Lighting Hours: 5:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m.

This year again, the illumination event “Illumi-rai★INZAI” will be held.

About 400,000 lights will beautifully decorate the streets, creating a magical atmosphere. It's a popular winter highlight for families and visitors alike, so please come and enjoy.

Venue: Around Chiba Newtown Chuo Station

Contents: Experience a magical journey, featuring highlights such as the main tree at the north exit, the illuminated zelkova trees, and the charming Inzai-kun objects.

Inquiries: Promotion Office, Economic Promotion Division, *Keizai-Shinko-ka, Promotion-Suishin-shitsu* (TEL 0476-33-4477)



Recruitment of Participants for the Lighting Ceremony “Switch-on”

- **Date & Time:** November 29 (Sat.) 4:30 p.m. - 5:00 p.m. (canceled in case of stormy weather)
- **Eligibility:** Inzai City residents (minors require guardian consent)
- **Capacity:** 5 groups (up to 4 people per group)
- **Application Period:** October 1(Wed.) - October 17 (Fri.)

Apply online (lottery system) from the Chiba Electronic Application Service via the 2D code.



- **Notification:** Only winners will be contacted by early November.

Inquiries: Promotion Office, Economic Promotion Division, *Keizai-Shinko-ka, Promotion-Suishin-shitsu* (TEL 0476-33-4477)

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Child Care TIME

Some events/lectures, etc. enjoyable for parents and children will be held by each Nurturing Support Center (*Kosodate-Shien-Center*) / nursery school / Certified Kodomo-en / Children's Center (*Jido-kan*). For more details, refer to the notice (by scanning the 2D code) sent from each facility.



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INZAI INFORMATION

Starting on October 1

Changes to Waste Separation and Disposal Methods

Plastic Products Shift from “Burnable Waste (Blue Bags)” to “Plastic Containers and Packaging (Yellow Bags)”

Under the city's waste disposal rules, plastic containers and packaging were previously placed in designated yellow bags, while plastic products themselves were placed in designated blue bags for burnable waste and taken to the waste collection point.

From October 1, the rules will change: plastic products themselves must also be placed in the designated yellow bags, together with plastic containers and packaging.

Following the enforcement of the Plastic Resource Circulation Promotion Act in April 2022, the city and the Inzai District Environmental Improvement Association are working to recycle resources by having plastic products placed in the designated yellow bags for collection at the collection points.

Inquiries: Promotion Section, Clean Promotion Division, *Clean Suishin-ka, Suishin-gakari* (TEL:0476-33-4504), Inzai Clean Center (TEL: 0476-46-2732)



Lectures and Events

Rediscovering Our Hometown ~Autumn Nature Observation Event~

How do creatures prepare for winter? How do plants and insects get ready to survive the cold season?

Date/Time: November 8 (Sat.) 9:30 a.m.- 12:00 p.m.

Venue: Near Motono Elementary School (Meeting at Motono El. School parking lot)

Content: Guided by “Satoyama no Kai Ecomomo”, explore the satoyama and observe wildlife.

Eligibility: Elementary school students *Children in 3rd grade and below must be accompanied by a guardian.

Capacity: 20 incl. guardians

Application: From October 7 (Tue.) to 21(Tue.) at 5:00 p.m. from 2D code.

Inquiries: Motono Community Center, *Motono Kominkan* (TEL:0476-97-2011)



Sports

Inzai Pickleball Festa 2025

Date/Time: November 1 (Sat.), 9:00 p.m.

Venue: Matsuyamashita Park General Gymnasium

◎Experience Sessions (60 minutes each) 9:30~, 11:00~, 2:00~

◎Tournament: 24 teams by municipality

Eligibility: Open to all for Experience Sessions, Participants must be able to self-judge games for Tournament

Fee: 500 yen for Experience Sessions, 12,000 yen per team for Tournament

Application: From October 1 (Wed.) to 24 (Fri.) *Details on the website below

Inquiries: Chiba Pickleball Association

<https://pickleball-chiba.com/>



Climbing Class

Date/Time: November 8 (Sat.), 15 (Sat.), 22 (Sat.) from 5:30 p.m. to 7:00 p.m.

Venue: Matsuyamashita Park General Gymnasium

Eligibility: 3rd grade and above (Priority for city residents/workers/students) *Elementary/junior high school students must be accompanied by a guardian

Capacity: 20 per each session

Fee: 500 yen per session incl. insurance, etc.

Application: From October 1(Wed.) to 29 (Wed.) via the Chiba Electronic Application Service (lottery system)

* Refer details to the city website.

Inquiries: Promotion Section, Sports Promotion Division, *Sports Shinnko-ka, Sinko-gakari* (TEL: 0476-42-8417)

外国人のための無料相談

Consultation for Foreigners (Free of Charge)	October 15 (Wed.), 9:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Reservation is required in advance by phone. 【Online consultation service also available.】
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Inquiry: Policy Promotion Unit, Planning and Policy Division, *Kikaku-Seisaku-ka, Seisaku-Suishin-gakari*
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