







KYOTO, JAPAN







Kyoto became the capital of Japan in the 8th century. It flourished as the center for Japanese politics, economy and culture for some 1,100 years, until the capital functions were transferred to Tokyo in the mid-19th century. There remain many temples and shrines in Kyoto that were built during this long period. Seventeen historic sites including, Kiyomizu-dera Temple and Nijo Castle, are inscribed as World Cultural Heritage Sites.

However, visitors may be surprised by how much work they will have to do to see Kyoto's beautiful side. Most first impressions of the city will be of the urban sprawl of central Kyoto, around the ultra-modern glass-and-steel train station, which is itself an example of a city steeped in tradition colliding with the modern world. Nonetheless, the persistent visitor will soon discover Kyoto's hidden beauty in the temples and parks which ring the city center, and find that the city has much more to offer than immediately meets the eye.

Climate: Japan has four distinct seasons and Kyoto is one of a few places that have clearer differences than other places of the archipelago. Kyoto has a humid subtropical climate (Köppen Cfa), featuring a marked seasonal variation in temperature and precipitation. Summers are hot and humid, but winters are relatively cold with occasional snowfall. Kyoto's rain season begins around the middle of June and lasts until the end of July, yielding to a hot and sunny latter half of the summer.

Weather: October has some of the best weather of the year: sunny and warm days are the rule, with cool evenings. It's a very comfortable time to travel. At the very end of the month, the leaves start to change color. Average high & low temperatures in October are 22°C & 13°C respectively.

Clothing: Bring a long-sleeve shirt and a coat or sweater. When rain looks likely, you'll need rain gear and waterproof shoes or sandals.



Currency: Japanese Yen (JPY)



Electricity: 100 volts, 60 HZ



GMT: +9 Hours



Official Languages: Japanese



Country Code: +81





FLIGHT PATHS TO/FROM KIX

Cities	Airlines (Direct Flight)	Journey Duration	
Singapore	Jetstar Singapore Airlines All Nippon Airways	6-8 hr	
Kuala Lumpur	AirAsia Malaysia Airlines Japan Airlines	6 hr 25 min	
Bangkok	AirAsia Thai Airways Japan Airlines All Nippon Airways	5 hr 10 min	
Jakarta	Garuda Indonesia All Nippon Airways	6 hr 35 min	
Manila	Jetstar Philippine Airlines All Nippon Airways	3 hr 40 min	



OVERVIEW PROGRAMME

	Day 1 Thursday	Day 2 Friday	Day 3 Saturday	Day 4 Sunday
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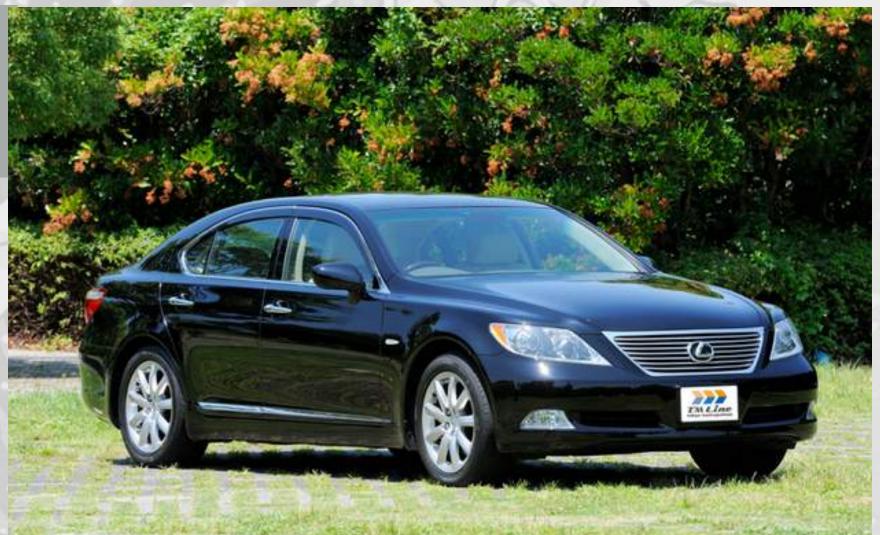


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1-2 passengers with luggage





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3-4 passengers with luggage





ACCOMMODATION



KYOTO OKURA HOTEL

537-4 Ichinofunairicho, Nakagyo Ward, Kyoto, Kyoto Prefecture 604-0924, Japan



- 1 hour 40 mins from Kansai
 Airport
- 10 mins drive from bars, restaurant
- 1 hour 40mins from Golf

OPTION 1

RECOMMENDED



DETAILS

Hotel Okura's elegant rooms boast spectacular views of Kyoto against the backdrop of the Higashiyama Mountains. Many of Kyoto's renowned places of interest are to be found within a short distance of the hotel, making it an excellent base for sightseeing excursions.

The Okura Hotel brand is one of the oldest and best in Japan, with renowned device and attention to detail.







ORRIZONTE RESTAURANT IN HOTEL



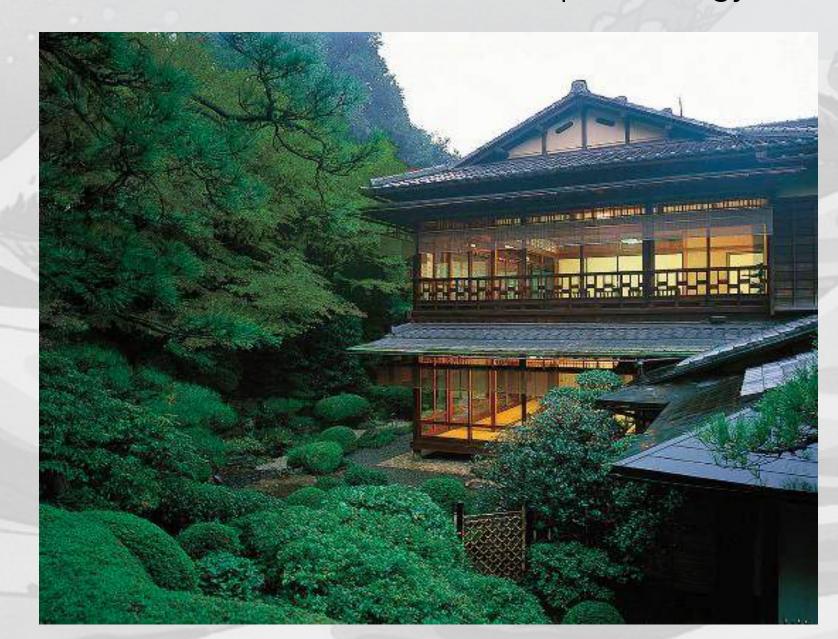




DETAILS

Orrizonte is the all-day dining on the 17th floor with panoramic views of the Higashiyama Mountains. Several other restaurant options are available for your enjoyment, including a Tea House.

A large and gracious lobby welcomes guests on arrival, and other amenities like a pool and gym.



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644-2 Sanjusangendomawari, Higashiyama Ward, Kyoto, Kyoto Prefecture 605-0941, Japan

HYATT REGENCY KYOTO



- 1 hour 40 mins from Kansai
 Airport
- 10 mins drive from bars, restaurant
- 1 hour 40mins from Golf

OPTION 2



DETAILS

Hyatt Regency Kyoto is a stylish design hotel located in the traditional and historic area of Higashiyama Shichijo, in the heart of Kyoto, Japan. Located just a few minutes away from JR Kyoto Train Station, our Kyoto hotel features spacious rooms & luxury suites suitable for business and leisure travellers alike.

Our hotel in Kyoto is close to the main city landmarks including the Kyoto National Museum, Chishakuin, Sanjusangendo and Yogenin Temples. Gion district, a traditional neighbourhood famous for Geisha has numerous shopping and entertainment options, with Shijo Street and Nishiki Market within short distance.

LUNCH DAY 1



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TOUZAN RESTAURANT IN HOTEL







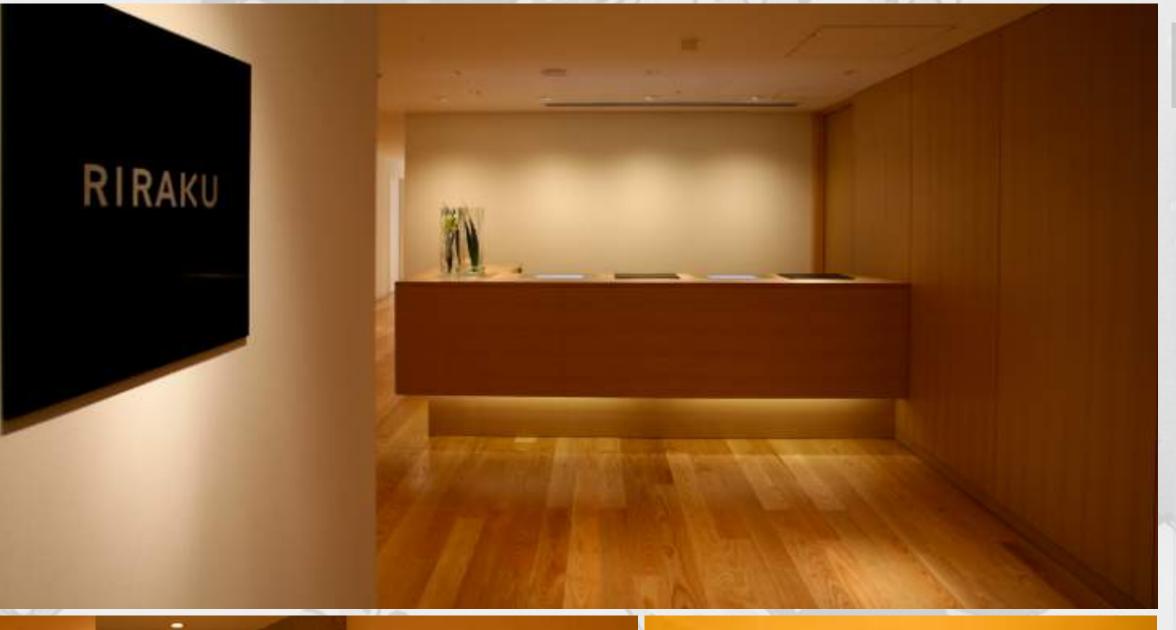
DETAILS

Touzan Japanese Restaurant's exciting new a la carte menu offers a range of light healthy dishes such as sushi, sashimi, charcoal-grilled vegetables, noodles and more, to be enjoyed by all and of course the menus are seasonal and use local products.

Particular about flavorful and authentic charcoal-grilled dishes, we proudly offer a chef's menu featuring ingredients selected carefully from Kyoto and all over Japan. At the Sushi Counter, diners enjoy the Edomae Sushi Course composed of delicately chosen prime seafood and premium ingredients, along with Touzan restaurant's specialties.

RIRAKU SPA









DETAILS

RIRAKU Spa provides true wellness and relaxation in the heart of Kyoto. Spa treatments, based on both Eastern and Western traditions, are results-oriented and sensually pampering, incorporating Shiatsu, acupuncture, moxibustion and aromatherapy.

Enjoy total relaxation in body and mind at Hyatt Regency Kyoto hotel. Highly trained therapists and qualified practitioners provide consultations and treatments tailored to each guests' needs.

WELCOME DINNER DAY 1



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OPTION 1: SODOH RESTAURANT





DETAILS

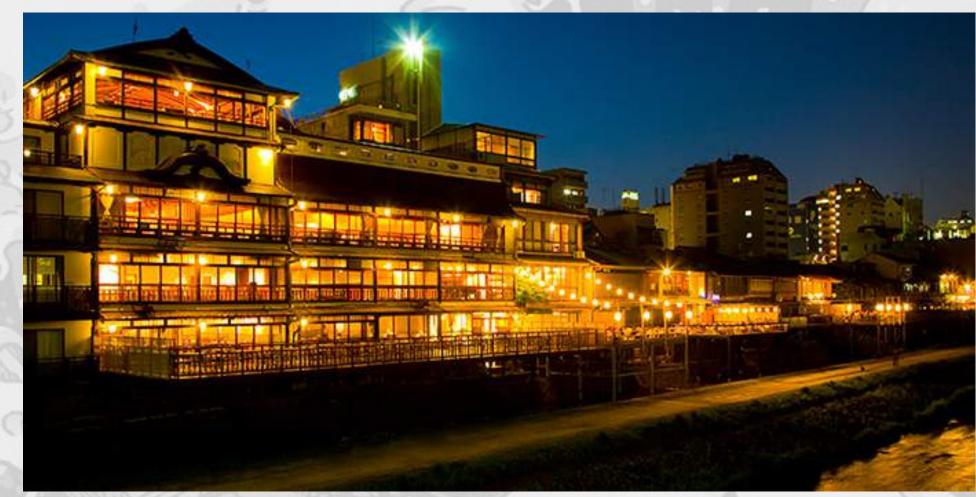
This beautiful restaurant is set in a classic garden, in the heritage area of Higashiyama, next to the Yasaka Pagoda. A Kaiseki meal with seasonal specialities would be served, to welcome us to Kyoto and it's rich history.



WELCOME DINNER DAY 1



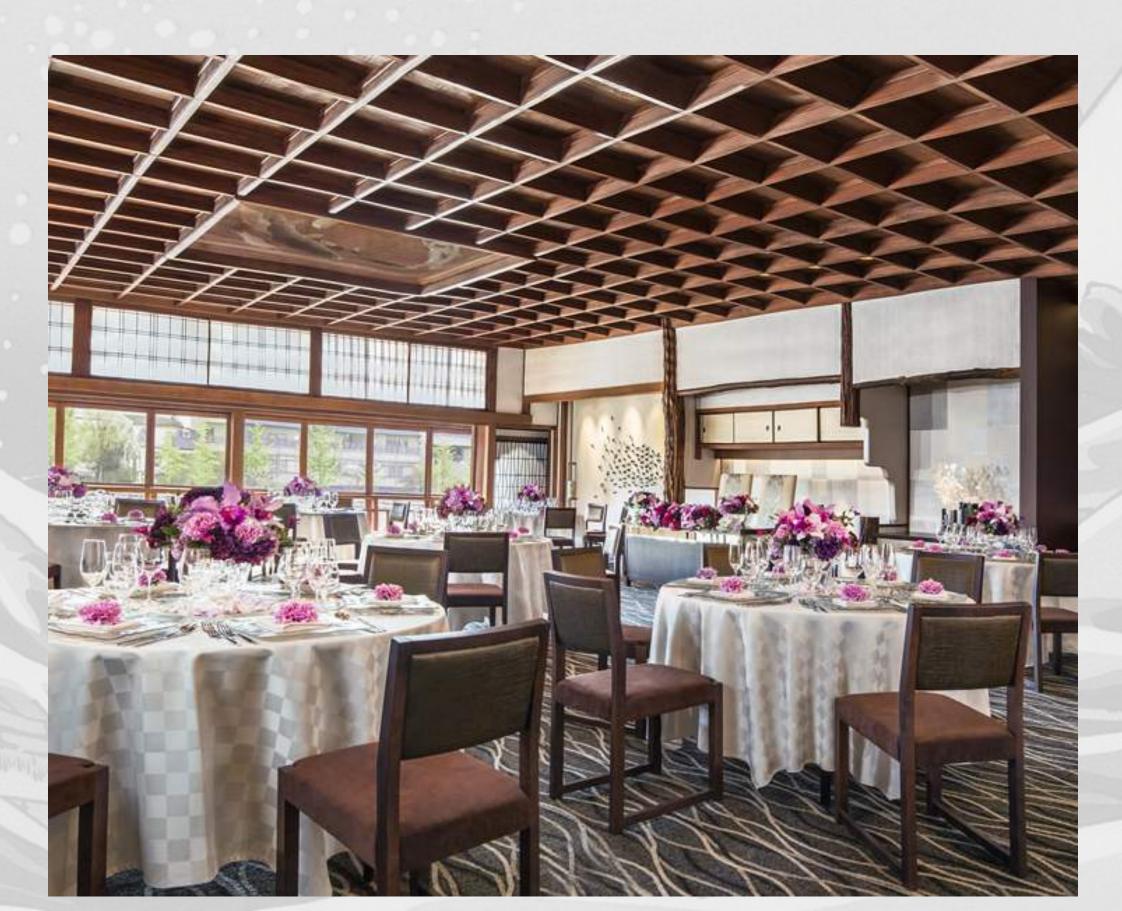
OPTION 2: FUNATSURU RESTAURANT





DETAILS

The Funatsuru Restaurant is located on the Kamogawa river in Central Kyoto. It is a popular destination for Weddings and formal functions. The ceiling boats painted Carps for good luck.



WELCOME DINNER DAY 1



FLOATING WORLD OF GEISHAS EXPERIENCE

DETAILS







A Maiko and a Geiko will entertain with 2 dance performances, as well as interact with the guests. This includes playing a variety of traditional drinking games and posing for photos.



OPTION: CEREMONIAL SAKE BARREL OPENING



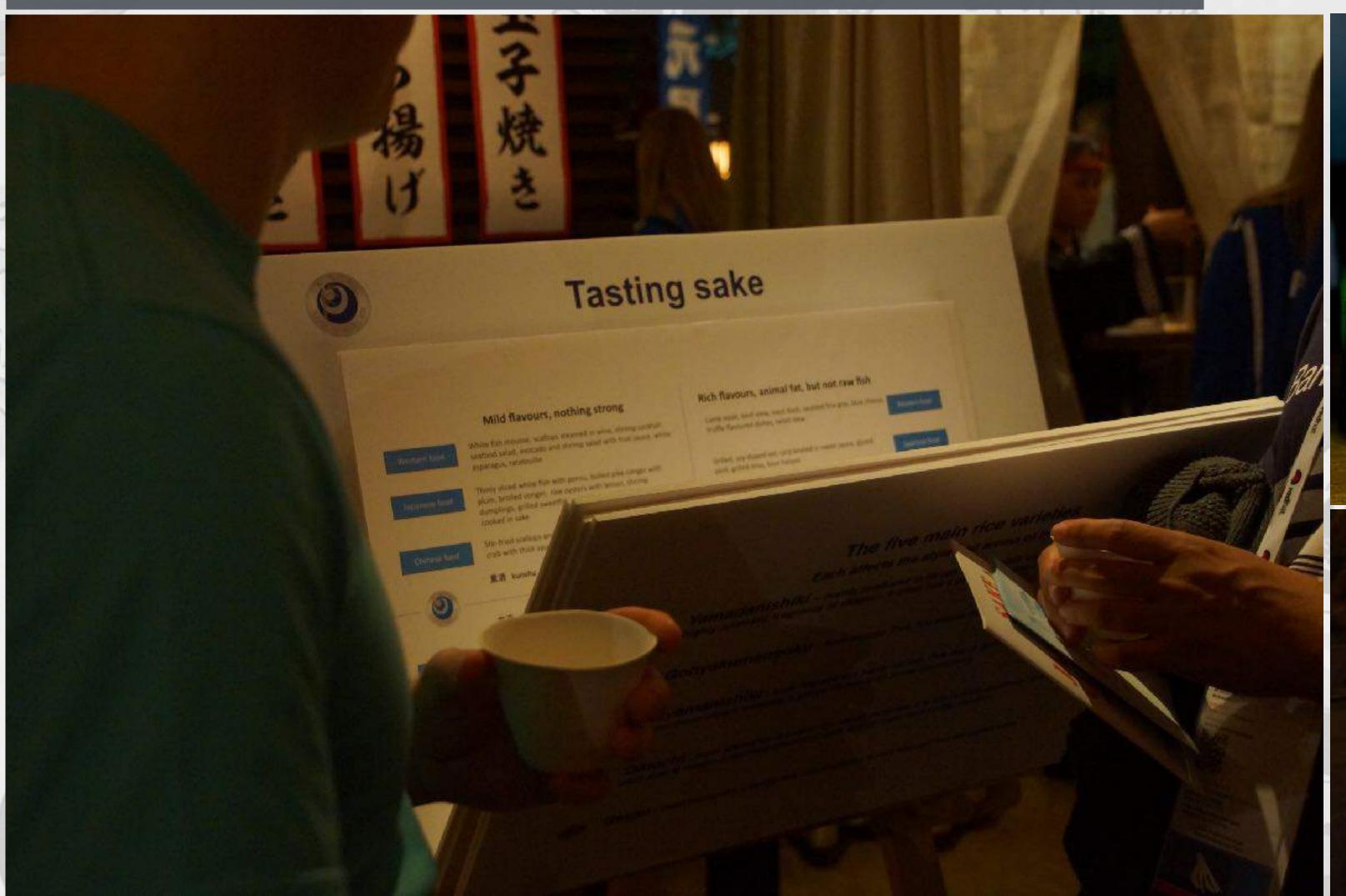






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OPTION: SAKE TASTING WITH SOMMELIER









OVERVIEW PROGRAMME

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Afternoon - Optional Lunch - "Golden Riches" Tour - Lunch - Free & Easy Optional	
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GOLF



HIRONO GOLF COURSE

7 Chome-3 Shijimicho Hirono, Miki, Hyogo Prefecture 673-0541, Japan



DETAILS

Japan's premier golf club, famously private and exclusive, Hirono was founded in 1932 by a group of golfers who acquired an estate from an ex-feudal warlord near the seaport city of Kobe. They contacted British designer Charles Alison, who was then working on other courses in Japan, to design the club. Attracted by the many lakes, ponds, dams, natural ravines and woodland, Alison accepted the job, predicting it would be the best course in Japan.

Hirono received the first place award out of 2,400 courses in the ranking of Japan's golf courses by Japan Golf Classic Magazine, and U.S. Golf Magazine rated it the 35th best course in the world, supporting Alison's statement in which he said, "I can name no superior among British inland courses".

 1 hour 40 mins from Okura Hotel
 & Hyatt Regency

Course Status:

Hole: 18, Par: 72 Length: 6,925 yards

LUNCH FOR GOLFERS



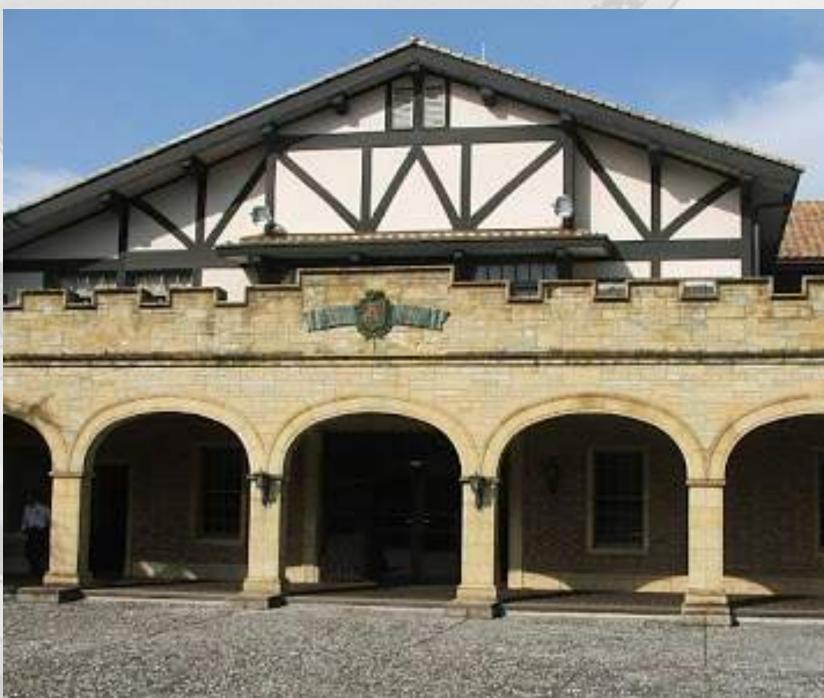
CLUB 8 RESTAURANT @ FUCHUN GOLF RESORT

Hangfu Yanjian Road, Fuchun Shanju



DETAILS

Business set lunch at Hirono Golf Clubhouse. Fusion of both Japanese and Western delicacies to be chosen.



OPTION 1: SUSHI MASTER CLASS & LUNCH



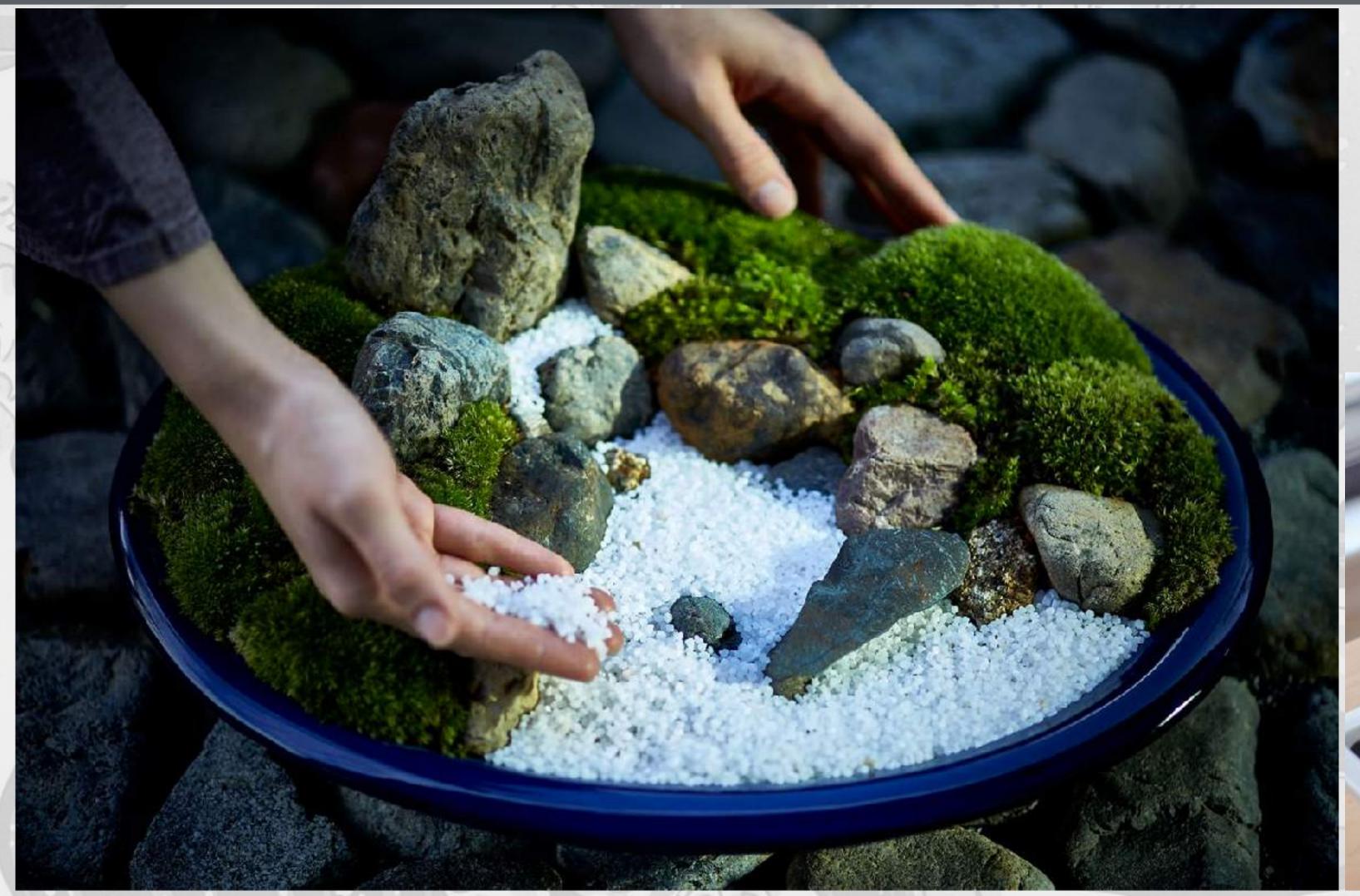
DETAILS

Don a chef's apron and learn how to make perfect maki sushi rolls under the expert guidance of Mizuki's sushi chef. Your class ends with a tasting session, giving you the chance to sample your creations.

Duration: 2.5 hrs



OPTION 2: MINI JAPANESE GARDEN MAKING & SUSHI LUNCH



DETAILS

Japanese Zen gardens combine the basic elements of moss, rocks and white stones to create a tranquil retreat for the mind, and represent the pure beauty of Japan's natural world. Discover the art of miniature Zen gardenmaking with our master gardener and let your creativity draw the lines of your own personal landscape.



AFTERNOON PROGRAM



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GOLDEN RICHES OF KYOTO TOUR

Yasaka Area









DETAILS

An afternoon with expert Historian Guides, to explore the highlights of UNESCO Heritage sites in Kyoto, with rickshaw rides and gentle strolls to visit Temples, shrines and quaint streets, bathed in the glorious autumn foliage.



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GOLDEN RICHES OF KYOTO TOUR

Yasaka Area











GUIDED WALK TO RESTAURANT IN GION'S GEISHA QUARTER

Gion Corner







DINNER DAY 2



HIRO YAKINIKU RESTAURANT

16 Benzaitencho, Higashiyama Ward, Kyoto, Kyoto Prefecture 605-0086, Japan



DETAILS

Hiro is a Yakiniku (Barbequed Meat) Restaurant in a refurbished historic Kyoto mansion, located in the historic Gion Quarter.

The restaurant serves fine carefully selected Japanese Beef (WAGYU), featuring a variety of different cuts including the famous **Kobe-Beef**, served with organic vegetables mainly from Kyoto.



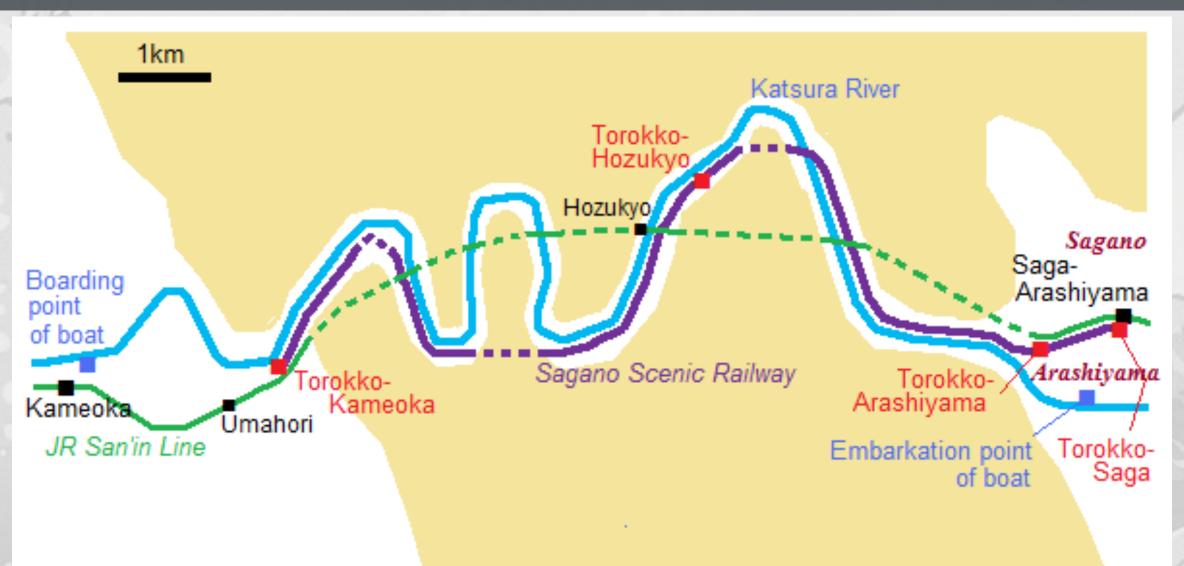


OVERVIEW PROGRAMME

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SCENIC TRAIN RIDE (Saga-Arashiyama to Torokko-Kameoka)





DETAILS

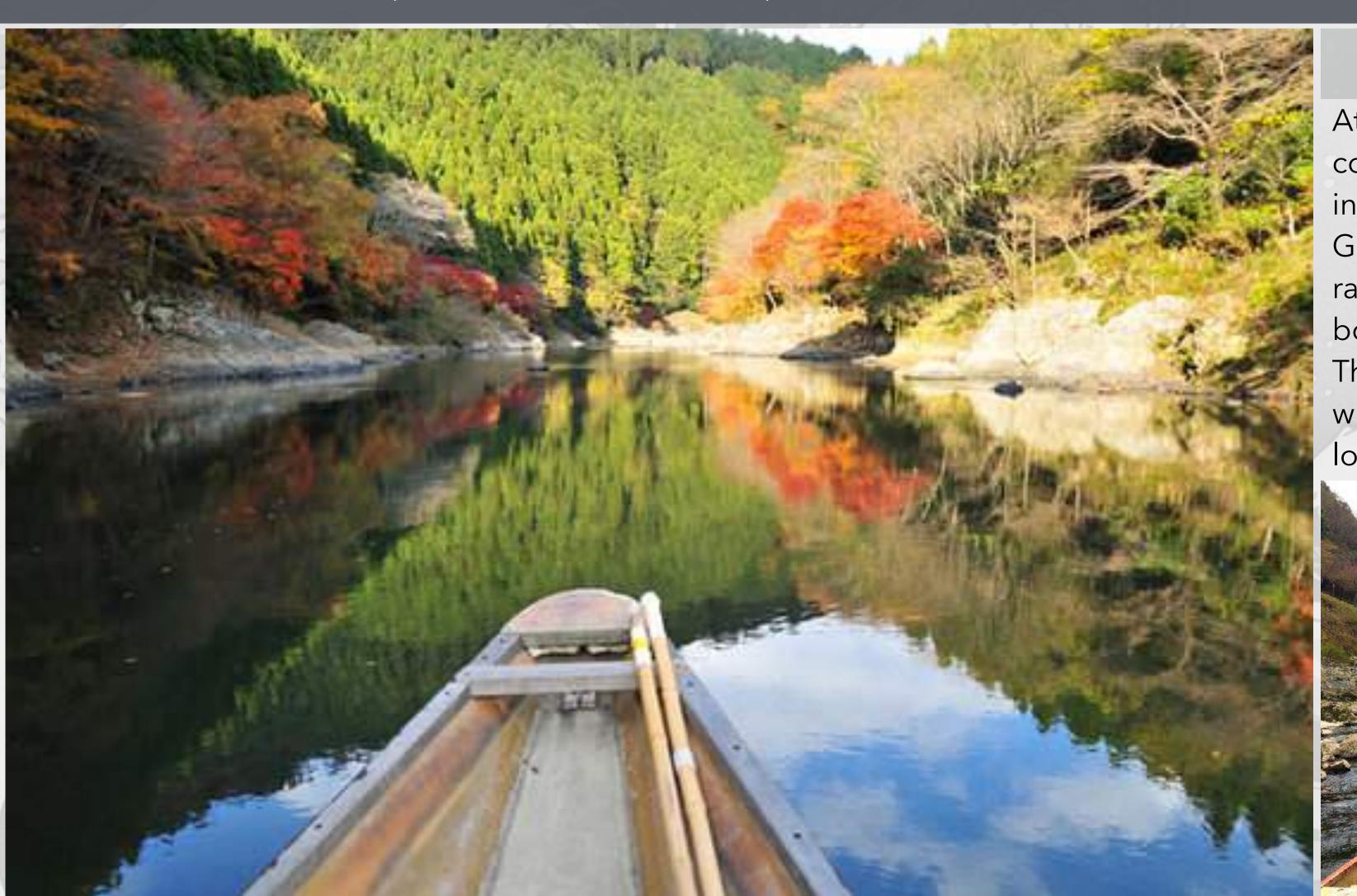
We leave Kyoto early for a 1.5hr coach ride to reach Arashiyama, famous for it's river valleys with autumn foliage, Bamboo forests and Shinto Shrines. We will take a 25 minute ride, on a 19th century narrow gauge railway. On the way, the train runs along the Hozugawa River gorge, offering fantastic views of the forests and mountains.



MORNING PROGRAM DAY 3



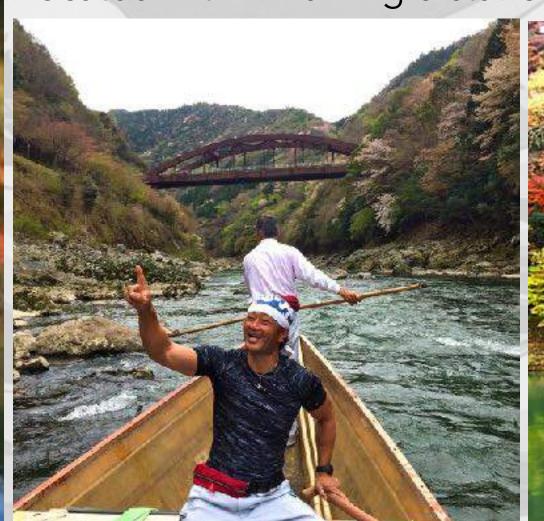
SCENIC BOAT RIDE (HOZUGAWA RIVER)



DETAILS

At the end of the Scenic Train ride, we continue by coach for 10 minutes, to reach the Jetty of the once-in-a-lifetime boat ride through the spectacular River Gorge of Hozugawa. Calm stretches alternate with rapids, for the 1.40hr magnificent ride in private boats.

The boat ride finishes in the village of Arashiyama, where the Bamboo forest and Tenryuji Temple are located within walking distance.





MORNING PROGRAM DAY 3



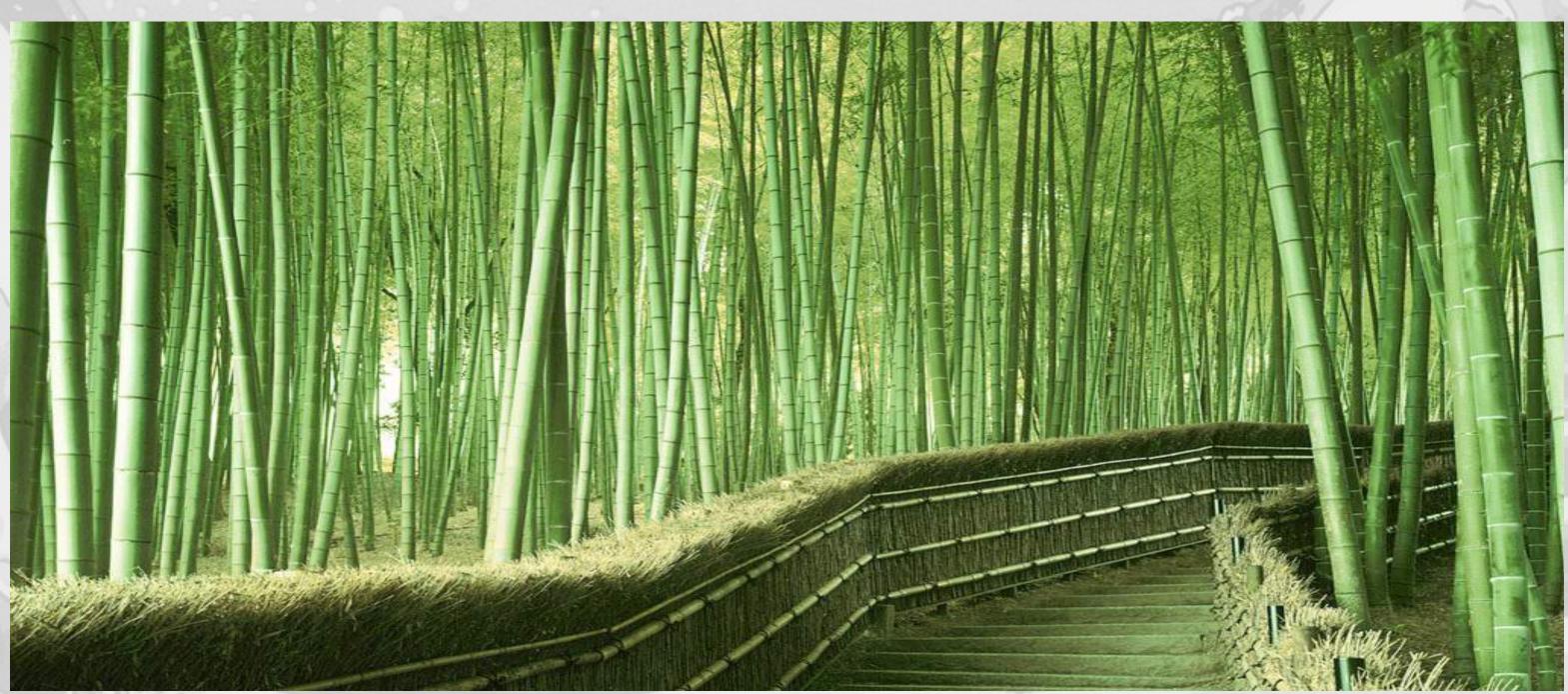
TENRYUJI TEMPLE & BAMBOO FOREST





DETAILS

Established in 1339 and completed in 1345, Tenryuji is a Zen Temple that is designated first among Kyoto's five major temples and became a World Heritage Site in 1994. The garden features a circular promenade around a pond and is designated as a Special Place of Scenic Beauty of Japan. The Temple leads into the world famous Bamboo forest.





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OPTION: FORMAL TEA CEREMONY @ TENRYUJI TEMPLE



DETAILS

The Japanese tea ceremony is called Chanoyu, Sado or simply Ocha in Japanese. It is a choreographic ritual of preparing and serving Japanese green tea, called Matcha, together with traditional Japanese sweets to balance with the bitter taste of the tea.



MORNING PROGRAM DAY 3



MACHA TEA AT OKOCHI SANSO GARDENS



DETAILS

Formerly the estate of the famed film actor Okochi Denjiro (1898-1962), this sublime villa and surrounding gardens are now open to the public. The main house here is one of the finest examples of traditional Japanese residential architecture anywhere and the teahouse is a gem. But it's the gardens here that really boggle the mind. Follow the route, which is clearly indicated with arrows, and you'll see all the important parts, including a viewpoint that offers views across the whole city and a lovely little Shinto shrine.

We will be served Japanese green Matcha tea in the garden, together with traditional Japanese sweets to balance with the bitter taste of the tea.





LUNCH DAY 3



6-3, Sagatoriimotoikkahyocho, Ukyo-ku, Kyoto-shi, Kyoto, 616-8431

YUSAN RESTAURANT BY BAMBOO FOREST





DETAILS

Yusan Restaurant is located close to the Bamboo Forest and brings the mornings activities to a nice close. The menu is Fusion Japanese/French and delightfully displayed.

From here we will take the coach to return to Kyoto for the free& easy afternoon



OPTIONS

CHOICE OF:

COACH & GUIDE FOR SECRET SHOPPING

OR

KIMONO DRESSING (MALE OR FEMALE)



CLOSING DINNER DAY 3



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PRIVATISED ZEN TEMPLE DINNER

Kanga-an Temple



DETAILS

We will have our Closing dinner in the privatised Taizo-in, a small Zen Buddhism temple. With its beautiful gardens and treasures of Japanese art, Taizo-in is the oldest and most famous sub-temples of the Myoshin-ji complex. It was founded in 1404 and the gardens are said to have been designed by the painter Kano Motonobu in the Muromachi period.







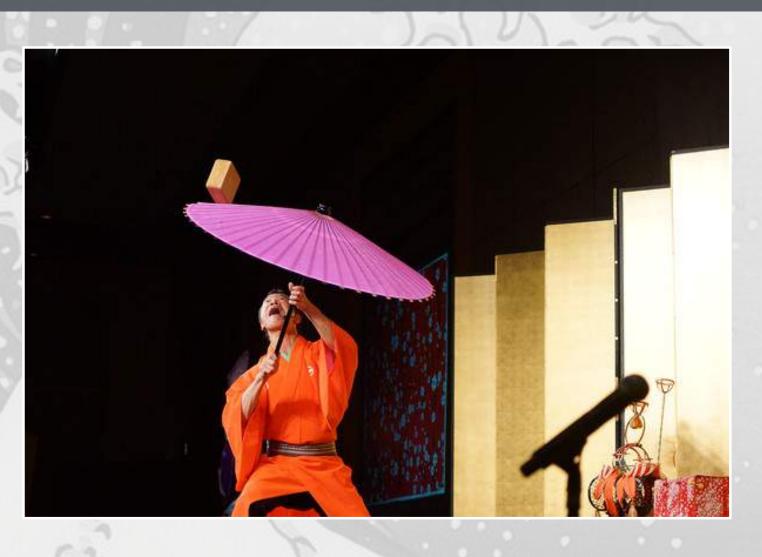




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FUSION BAND, CLASSIC JAPANESE COMIC PERFORMANCE







DETAILS

Be amazed by the Daikagura Street Arts Performer, as he masterfully balances and juggles with traditional articles for comic effect.

Music by a Fusion Jazz Trio, including the Japanese Koto, a Base guitar and piano, for lovely entertainement.



OPTIONS: TAIKO DRUMS, SAMURAI PERFORMANCE, SHAKUHACHI FLUTIST









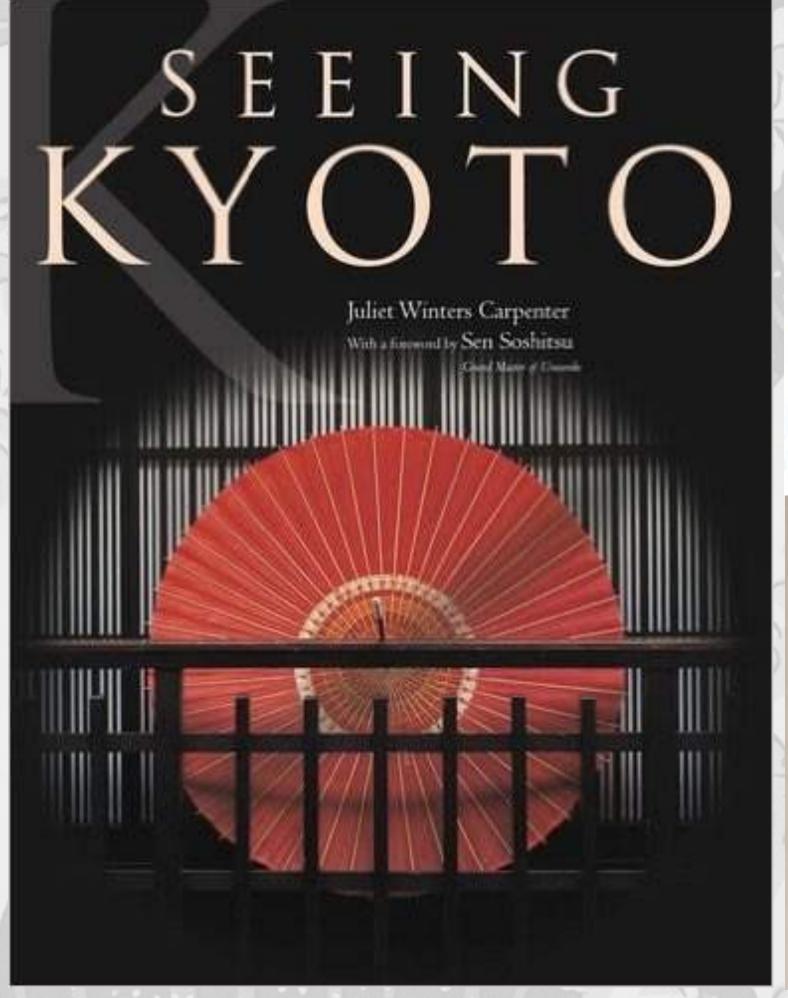
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COFFEE TABLE BOOK OF KYOTO

PLACED IN GUESTS' HOTEL ROOMS UPON ARRIVAL







DETAILS

Seeing Kyoto captures all the elegance and charm of Japan's most beloved city with dozens of stunning images. One can imagine the days when aristocrats and samurai inhabited these neighborhoods. With insightful text, long-time Japan resident juliet Carpenter delves into the cultural history of Kyoto, as well as its treasures-artistic, culinary, and historical. She also introduces the neighboring city of Nara, often referred to as "little Kyoto." Finally, Carpenter tackles the clash of old and new: how Kyotoites, in their inimitable vigor, are turning the traditions of yesterday into the strengths of today.

PILLOW GIFT



JAPANESE FOLDING FAN (KYO-SENSU)

PLACED IN GUESTS' HOTEL ROOMS UPON ARRIVAL







DETAILS

Folding fans were invented in Japan, originally for their nobility to hide their face in the 800s, like a kind of masquerade. They were exported to China and later used by the European Royalty, but their design evolved to western taste with the addition of feathers and other materials. These days folding fans are used to cool down and folded for ease of travel.

These fans are used in traditional Japanese dance (Nihonbyou) which a lucky few may see as part of a geisha's performance, but fortunately in Kyoto daily dance performances can be seen nightly at Gion Corner.

PILLOW GIFT



ENAMELLED PENS WITH JAPANESE MOTIF

PLACED IN GUESTS' HOTEL ROOMS







Ballpoint Pen (Gold and silver lacquered) in wooden box

(Designs will be assorted.)

DETAILS

These Japanese Vintage accessories are a wonderful nostalgic gift. With the resurgence of both traditional and the more modern styled kimono dressing back into the fashion world, this would be a great accessory.

They are etched with the favorite Mt. Fuji , Dragon or wave scenery.





PILLOW GIFT



GIFT SNACKS & BEVERAGE

PLACED IN GUESTS' HOTEL ROOMS



Konpeito Sweets



Mini Sake Barrel, 300ml





Gyokuro Green Tea Candy in Collector's Tin







Mt. Fuji Baumkuchen, chocolate, vanilla and strawberry flavours