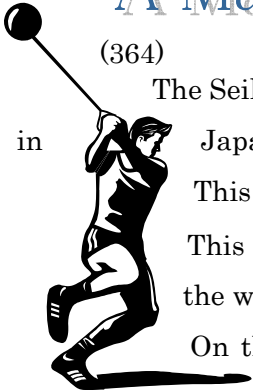


A Major Track and Field in Kawasaki City



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「スーパー陸上競技大会 2008 川崎」について

The Seiko Super Track And Field Meet, called SŪPĀ RIKUJŌ KYŌGI TAIKAI 2008 KAWASAKI in Japanese, will be held in Todoroki Athletics Stadium on Tuesday the 23rd of September. This happens to be a national holiday: “*Shūbun no hi*” (秋分の日), Autumn Equinox Day. This meet will feature members of Japan’s Olympic team as well as top athletes from around the world.

On the men’s side there will be the 100-meter dash, 200-meter dash, hammer throw, and others for a total of eight events; the women will compete in the 100-meter dash, 400-meter dash, long jump and others for a total of five events. Some of the world’s best athletes will be battling it out right here in our own Todoroki Athletics Stadium.

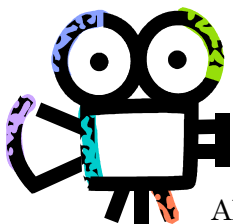
Tickets are available at any “Play Guide”.

Medalists and finalists from the Beijing Olympics, including sprinter Suetsugu Shingo and hammer thrower Murofushi Koji, will clash with fellow titans once more, reviving the excitement and passion of the Olympic games.

For more information please call the Board of Education, Sports Division, or KYŌIKU I-IN KAI SUPŌTSU KA (教育委員会スポーツ課), at 0 4 4 – 2 0 0 – 3 3 2 2.



International Film Festival in Shin-Yurigaoka



(365) KAWASAKI しんゆり映画祭」について

The Kawasaki Shinyuri Film Festival 2008, called KAWASAKI SHINYURI EIGA SAI in Japanese, runs from Sunday October 12th to Monday November 3rd.

The main venues will be the Warner Mycal Cinemas Shinyurigaoka and the Kawasaki ART Center, both located in the Shinyurigaoka area of Asao Ward. The films of Shindo Kaneto, including GOGO NO YUIGON-JŌ (午後の遺言状 : A Last Note), are being featured this year. But quite a variety of other films are being screened, including KAZOKU NO HIKETSU (かぞくのひけつ : Family Secrets), Charlie and the Chocolate Factory, Fido (which is called ZOMBINO over here), and KUROI TSUCHI NO SHŌJO (黒い土の少女 : With a Girl Of Black Soil). On top of the films themselves there will be talks by the directors. Some of the films will have alternate-language soundtrack headsets available, or else will have subtitles.

For complete movie listings please see the homepage of the KAWASAKI SHINYURI EIGA SAI.

Other questions can be directed to the Kawasaki Shinyuri Film Festival Office, called the KAWASAKI SHINYURI EIGA SAI JIMUKYOKU (KAWASAKI しんゆり映画祭事務局) in Japanese; the number is 0 4 4 – 9 5 3 – 7 6 5 2.

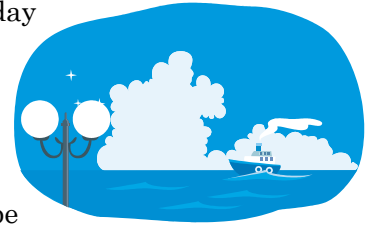
This is the season to enjoy some moving cinematic works in Shinyuri – Town of the Arts.

The Kawasaki Harbor Festival

(366) 「川崎みなと祭り」について

The Kawasaki Harbor Festival will take place on Saturday the 11th and Sunday the 12th of October, at Kawasaki Marien and Higashi Ōgijima Higashi Park in Higashi Ōgijima, Kawasaki Ward.

There will be YOSAKOI mass dancing, character shows, and other things to watch. A lot of vendor stalls will be set up and a great many visitors will be milling around among them. And on Sunday the 12th, KEIHIN ROCK, a massive music event, will be held in the recently-opened Higashi Park.



During the Festival admission to the observation deck at the top of Kawasaki Marien, 51 meters up, will be free. From there you'll have a panoramic view of the entire harbor area.

Going on at the same time, right next door to Marien at the Japan Meat Trading Center (the NIHON SHOKUNIKU RYŪTSŪ SENTĀ、日本食肉流通センター), will be the Livestock Industry Food Fair (ちくさんフードフェア). You'll be able to get a good deal there on delicious beef, pork, chicken et cetera. There will also be an outdoor barbeque and other things going on.

Both the Harbor Festival and the Food Fair will run from 10am to 4pm.

To get to Kawasaki Marien, go to the East exit of JR Kawasaki Station and take the HIGASHI ŌGIJIMA JUNKAN (東扇島循環) bus. About thirty minutes later get out at the stop called KAWASAKI MARIEN (川崎マリエン).

For more information about the Kawasaki Harbor Festival you can call the Kawasaki Port Promotion Association, called the KAWASAKI KŌWAN SHINKŌ KAI (川崎港湾振興会) in Japanese, at 0 4 4 - 2 8 7 - 6 0 0 9. For questions about the Livestock Industry Food Fair please call the Kawasaki City Economic and Labor Affairs Bureau, Commerce and Tourism Division, the KEIZAI RŌDŌ KYOKU SHŌGYŌ KANKŌ KA (経済労働局商業観光課). Their phone number is 0 4 4 - 2 0 0 - 2 3 2 8.

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