

# TOTTORI CITY DIGEST

## JANUARY 2026

### Events

#### Saji Astropark

**Address:** 1071-1 Takayama, Saji-cho  
**TEL:** 0858-89-1011  
**Admission:** Adults 300 yen,  
free for junior high school students and younger

**Opening Hours:**  
Wednesday to Friday and Sunday 10:00 AM to 5:15 PM  
Saturday 10:00 AM to 9:00 PM  
Wednesday to Friday and Sunday available from 7:00 PM to 9:00 PM with advance reservation

**Closed:** January 1 to 3 (New Year holidays), January 5 and 6 (Mon and Tue), January 13 and 14 (Tue and Wed), January 19 and 20 (Mon and Tue), January 26 and 27 (Mon and Tue)

**Mobile Astronomy Observation Event: Let's See Jupiter**  
**Date and Time:** Friday, January 30, 6:00 PM to 7:00 PM  
**Place:** Tottori City Hall Main Building, 7th Floor  
**Capacity:** 35 people, reservation required  
**Participation Fee:** Free

#### Kawahara Castle Observation Deck

**Address:** 1011 Taniichiki, Kawahara-cho  
**TEL:** 0858-85-0046  
**Admission:** Adults 300 yen,  
free for those under 18 and those aged 65 and older

**Opening Hours:** 9:30 AM to 5:00 PM  
Last entry is 30 minutes before closing

**Closed:** January 2 and 3 (New Year holidays), January 5 (Mon), January 13 (Tue), January 19 and 26 (Mon)

**Setsubun Bean-Throwing Event**  
A traditional bean-throwing ceremony by Toshitoko and Fukumusume from Kawahara Daiichi Elementary School, along with a Kirin Lion Dance, to pray for good health throughout the year.

**Date and Time:** Sunday, February 1, 11:00 AM to 12:30 PM

#### Tottori City History Museum Yamabikokan

**Address:** 88 Kamimachi, Tottori City  
**TEL:** 0857-23-2140  
**Permanent Exhibition Admission:** Adults 300 yen,  
Free for high school students and younger, and for those aged 65 and older  
**Opening Hours:** 9:00 AM to 5:00 PM

Last entry is 30 minutes before closing

**Closed:** January 1 to 3 (New Year holidays), January 5 (Mon), January 13 (Tue), January 19 and 26 (Mon)

#### Let's go to Yamabikokan! Welcome to the World of Railways

**Date:** Saturday, January 10 to Sunday, January 18  
**Viewing Fee:** Free

#### Railway Model Diorama and Mini Train Event

**Date:** Monday, January 12 (National Holiday), Saturday and Sunday, January 17 and 18  
**Reception Time:**  
10:00 AM to 11:30 AM and 1:00 PM to 3:00 PM each day  
**Participation Fee:** Free

#### Free Consultation for Foreign Residents

**Date and Time:** Wednesday, January 14, 10:00 AM to 12:00 PM  
\*Reservation required

**Place:** Tottori Prefectural Library, 2nd Floor  
**Content:** Residence status, employment, international marriage, and other issues  
\*Japanese citizens are also welcome  
\*Support available in English and Chinese

**Inquiries:**  
Tottori Administrative Scriveners Association Office  
**TEL:** 0857-24-2744



\* For more information on the Internet, please visit our Website:

The Official Tottori City Website: <http://www.city.tottori.lg.jp>

For mobile users: <http://www.city.tottori.lg.jp/mobile/>

Month and Day	Burnable Garbage	Waste Paper	Plastic Waste	PET Bottles	Recyclable, Small crushed Waste	Hazardous Waste, Dry Batteries, etc.
January 1 <sup>st</sup> (Thu)	Will not be collected	Rescheduled to Thursday, the 8 <sup>th</sup>		Will not be collected		Rescheduled to Wednesday, the 7 <sup>th</sup>
January 2 <sup>nd</sup> (Fri)	Same as above	Rescheduled to Friday, the 9 <sup>th</sup>		Same as above		Same as above
January 12 <sup>th</sup> (Mon)	Normal collection	Normal collection	Normal collection	Same as above		Rescheduled to Wednesday, the 14 <sup>th</sup>

■January 5<sup>th</sup> (Mon) from 8:30 AM Direct Drop-off of Burnable Garbage at Rinpia Inaba

Direct Drop-off of Non-Burnable Garbage

at the Eastern Environmental Clean Center

Oversized Garbage Collection Center TEL:0857-22-0353

◆Emergency Clinic at night or during holidays◆

►Hours: Night time (Everyday) 7:00 PM - 10:00 PM  
Sundays and Holidays 9:00 AM - noon, 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM  
►Location: Emergency Clinic (1-58-1, Tomiyasu, in front of Tobu Medical Association)  
►Contact: Emergency Clinic of Tobu Medical Association (Tobu Ishikai)  
►TEL: 0857 - 22 - 2782 (During opening hours only)  
\*Also open during the day from January 1<sup>st</sup> (Wed) to 4<sup>th</sup> (Sat)

◆Emergency Dental Clinic at holidays◆

►Hours: Sundays and Holidays 10:00 AM - 4:00 PM  
►Location: Tobu Dental Association (2-84, Tomiyasu, Tottori Dental Technician's School)  
►Contact: Tobu Dental Association  
►TEL: 0857 - 23 - 3197  
\*Open from January 1<sup>st</sup> (Wed) to 4<sup>th</sup> (Sat)  
\*Limited Opening hours on January 1<sup>st</sup> (Wed), from 1:00 PM to 4:00 PM



Tottori City International Exchange Plaza



►Promoting international understanding: International cooking classes, international exchange courses.  
►Supporting foreign residents: Introducing Japanese volunteers, providing recycled household items, and offering support. (English and Chinese staff are present at the office.)  
►International exchange events: Tottori Multicultural Festival, "Japanese Café" etc.  
►Collecting and providing information: Providing information concerning city events as well as safety information.

Tottori City International Exchange Plaza (Koyama-cho Nishi 1-cho-me 512)

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