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# The 22<sup>nd</sup> Konan Lounge Festival was Held

The Konan Lounge Festival was held on Feb. 12<sup>th</sup> at Himawari no Sato. Foreigners living in Yokohama spoke in Japanese in the morning part. Ms. Wang talked about the influence of Japanese animation to the Chinese young people. Mr. Merrit from America talked about the Japanese generals in the Warring Period. Ms. Yang and Ms. Feng from China gave a picture-story show which made by themselves. Ms. Mei from Mongolia talked about the K-POP idols and her high school life in Japan. The last is a Japanese play. The members from the Japanese language class of Konan Lounge played it. The story of Princess Kaguya was arranged in a modern way, and it was a nice and fun play.

Two young girls became cats and had an adventure on the Cat's Island





The old man found Princess Kaguya in the bamboo grove.





## **BOGO Cafe Christmas Party Report**

On Dec. 18<sup>th</sup>, 17 people (young parents, little children and etc.) came to BOGO Cafe. Children started to dance and clap hands when music started. They cheered excitedly when they played the game which they could get presents. Accompanied by ukulele and guitar, people listened and sang Christmas songs. I think here it is a good chance to absorb the different culture while having a good time.



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Yokohama Konan international Lounge, entrusted by Konan Ward Office, operating under "NPO Corporation Yokohama Konan International Exchange Association."

# Certified Care Worker Exam Preparation Class For Foreigners

This is a class for foreigners who challenge to take the certified care worker exam.

It'll start each month from July. Each course has 5 lessons.

There'll be 6 courses altogether. You may take the courses as any times as you like.

#### [July course]

■Date: Jul. 6<sup>th</sup>、13<sup>th</sup>、20<sup>th</sup>、27<sup>th</sup> Aug. 3<sup>rd</sup> (Thursday)  $13:15 \sim 14:30$ 

- Fee:  $\frac{1}{3},000$  (A total of 5 lessons.) Another  $\neq 2,000$  for textbooks.
- Limited to: First 7 applicants.
- ■Application: Jun. 11<sup>th</sup> (Thu)~ Come to the Lounge. <sub>Teacher</sub>: Ms. Hayashi

#### Hospitality with Easy Table Tea Ceremony

- Date: Jul.  $21^{st}$  (Fri)  $10:00 \sim 11:30$
- Fee: \$800 Once paid, no refund.

Share the spirit of hospitality in Matcha (Japanese green tea).

■ Limited to: First 20 applicants. ■ Target: Junior & senior high school students, adults. No interpreter.

■ Application: Jun. 26<sup>th</sup> (Mon)  $\sim$  Jul. 14<sup>th</sup> (Fri) Come to the lounge front desk.



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## Introduction of Australian life and culture



Lecturer: Peter

■Date: Jul. 17<sup>th</sup> (Mon. holiday)  $12:30 \sim 13:30$ 

■Fee: ¥1,500

■ Limited to: First 10 applicants.

Application: Jun. 19<sup>th</sup> (Mon)  $\sim$  Come to the Lounge front desk. You may talk with Peter in Australia. An interpreter is available.

## Japanese Conversation Club

Date: May 16<sup>th</sup> Jun. 6<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup> Jul. 4<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>

(Tuesday)  $10:00 \sim 11:30$ 

Fee: Once  $\neq 100$ .

■Limited to: First 8 applicants.

■Application: Currently accepting. By call, E-mail or come to the lounge.

Each time talk on a decided topic. For people who want to use the Japanese they've studied, and people who want to talk much more in Japanese.



Welcome to Konan Lounge to apply for the lectures and events. More information of the events on Konan Lounge homepage. Facebook is updating too. Click the like button, please. Yokohama-Shi Konan-Ku Kamiooka-Nishi 1-6-1 Yumeooka Office Tower 13F Tel: 045-848-0990 Fax: 045-848-3669











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The 36<sup>th</sup> exam: The written test

will be held in Jan, and the

practical test in Mar, 2024.

**Application:** From early August

to early September.