

# Joe's NEWS

Selected information from the city magazine "ONOJO"

June 1st, 2021 issue (No.1)

## Individual Health Check-up at Medical Institutions and Colon Cancer Screening

### <Specific Health Checkup>

Specific Health Check-up focusing on metabolic syndromes will be held.



#### ●Subject Person

Aged 40-74 who is a member of National Health Insurance

\*The medical check-up coupon was sent to an eligible person in the middle of May.

●Period Tue, June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021 – Mon, Feb. 28<sup>th</sup>, 2022 \*During clinic hours

●Fee Noted in the coupon

●Necessary Items ◆ Specific Health Check-up Coupon ◆ Health Check-up Fee ◆ Health Insurance Card

\*This health check-up is also available at General Medical Check-up (mass-examination). For further information, please contact us.

### <Colon Cancer Screening>

●Subject Person Aged 40 and above, born before April 1<sup>st</sup>, 1982

●Period Tue, June 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021 – Mon, Feb. 28<sup>th</sup>, 2022 \*During clinic hours

●Check Method Fecal Occult Blood Test Two days

●Fee ◆ Aged 69 and Under: 700yen ◆ Aged 70 and above: Free

\*The fee will be free if a person aged 69 and under has one of the followings.

◆ Older Senior Citizens' Medical Insurance card ◆ Public Assistance Recipient Certificate ◆ Co-Payment Exemption Notice for Colon Cancer Screening

\*As for the medical institutions where these check-up and screening are available, please refer to the June 1<sup>st</sup> issue of city magazine "Onojo".

### ■How to Apply for Co-Payment Exemption Notice for Colon Cancer Screening at Medical Institutions (Advanced Application)

●Subject Person Aged 69 and under who is a member of municipal and prefectural tax-exempt household

●How to Apply By sending post card with 「大腸がん検診用自己負担金免除通知書」(Co-Payment Exemption Notice for Colon Cancer Screening) in the title and with your name, address, birthday, telephone number in the text written.

●Application Deadline 2 weeks prior to the screening date

\*There is no refund after you take the screening at your own expense.

For further information, please refer to the HP of Onojo City or contact us.

## Have you submitted the Current State Notification for Child Allowance?

Those who have received Child Allowance and have not submitted yet the current state notification for Child Allowance are required to make sure to submit it. Without this notification, you will not be entitled to receive the allowance of June and later months. The notification will be sent to a subject person in early June. Please fill in the notification and send it in the enclosed envelope (you need to put a stamp) by post.

\*Submission to Childrearing Support Section by visiting is available as well.

\*Please note that you need to submit the current state notification for Child Allowance every June. \*In the case of losing this form, please contact us.

●Necessary Items ◇Current State Notification

◇Copy of Health Insurance Card

●Submission Deadline by Wed, June 30<sup>th</sup>

## Notice of National Health Insurance Tax Payment

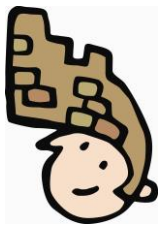
Notice of National Health Insurance Tax Payment for 2021 (April 2021 - March 2022) will be sent in the middle of June. To the person who made a payment by deduction from your pension in 2020, it will be sent in the middle of July. Even if the householder is not a member of National Health Insurance, this notice will be sent to the householder when the household has at least one family member who is a member of this insurance. In that case, the tax of the householder is not included. \*The person aged 75 and above who is a member of Older Senior Citizens' Medical System is required to pay the premium of the system. The payment notice of the premium will be sent in the middle of July.

For further details, please check the city magazine "Onojo" or call us.



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## Free Coupons for Screenings of Uterine Cervix Cancer and Breast Cancer

Please take the screenings of Uterine Cervix Cancer and Breast Cancer for your health! Free coupons for each cancer screening, a Cancer Screening Pocketbook about each cancer and a large guidance leaflet for undertaking the screening will be sent to subject citizens in the middle of June. With the coupons, you can take the screenings for free at a general medical check-up and designated medical institutions.

● **Valid Period** Mon, June 14<sup>th</sup>, 2021 – Mon, Feb.28<sup>th</sup>, 2022

\*In case of moving into Onojo City after April 20<sup>th</sup> in 2021, please contact us.

### ● Subject Person

Screening by Section	Age	Birth Date
Uterine Cervix Cancer	20	April 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 2000 - April 1 <sup>st</sup> , 2001
Breast Cancer	40	April 2 <sup>nd</sup> , 1980 - April 1 <sup>st</sup> , 1981

\*Age: As of April 1<sup>st</sup>, 2021



### ■ Assistance for self-pay amount

In case of having undertaken the screenings at your own expense from April 1<sup>st</sup> till the receipt of the free coupons, the fee will be assisted except for a medical treatment under health insurance and the screening at a comprehensive medical examination.

### ● Necessary Items

- ◆ copy of receipt of the screening (the original) ◆ Free Coupons
- ◆ Information of your bank account ◆ Your Seal
- ◆ Result of the screening

Please make a reservation at a designated medical institution.

\*A list of medical institution where you can take the screenings is sent with the free coupons.

## Free Consultation for Foreign Nationals and Associated Companies

Onojo City with the cooperation of the Fukuoka International Exchange Center will hold free consultation with experts. Individual consultations can be made with specialists such as administrative scriveners and social insurance labor consultants. You can consult about living, jobs, status of residence, etc. If you would like to speak in any language other than Japanese, you can consult in the 18 languages written below. For further information, please contact us.

● **Subject Person** ◇ Foreign nationals living in Onojo area

◇ Companies associated to foreign nationals

● **Date and Time** Tue, June 29<sup>th</sup> 1:00pm - 4:00pm

● **Venue:** Onojo City Hall, New Building 4F, 426 Meeting Room  
(2-2-1 Akebono-machi, Onojo City)

● **Limit:** 3 - 5 people (first come first served basis)

\*Time per person: Up to 1 hour (including interpretation time)

● **Languages:** English, Chinese, Korean, Vietnamese, Nepali, Indonesian, Tagalog, Thai, Portuguese, Spanish, French, German, Italian, Russian, Malay, Myanmar, Khmer, Mongolian

### ● How to Apply

A reservation is needed for the consultation. Please call or E-mail us, Local Culture and Industry Promotion Section, beforehand for a reservation by the reservation deadline, Tue, June 22<sup>nd</sup>.

◇ Phone: 092-580-1876

◇ E-mail: [sangyo@city.onojo.fukuoka.jp](mailto:sangyo@city.onojo.fukuoka.jp)

\*Please write "Application for Free Consultation in Multiple Languages" in subject line when you apply for via e-mail.

\*If the applications exceed the limit, you might not have a consultation this time.

● **Application Deadline** Tue, June 22<sup>nd</sup>



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## Issuance of Certificate of Municipal and Prefectural Tax for 2021

The certificate of Municipal and Prefectural Tax for 2021 calculated based on the income and the deduction in 2020 will be issued from Thu, June 10<sup>th</sup>.

### ●Necessary Items

- ◆Document with your photo to identify yourself such as My Number Card (Individual Number Card), a valid passport, a valid driver's license card. In case of not having above items, more than one item below is necessary. Health insurance card, Pension booklet, Student ID card, Company staff ID card, Cash card with your name

\*Applicants are required to present the above ID documents at Municipal Taxation Section.

\*If any person other than you apply, letter of attorney (委任状) is necessary.

## Earthquake Early Warning for Drilling

Earthquake Early Warning for Drilling announced by The Fire and Disaster Management Agency and The Japan Meteorological Agency will be broadcast in Japanese.

### ●Date

Thu, June 17<sup>th</sup> Around 10:00am

\*Will be cancelled depending on the weather conditions and seismic activity.

### <English Translation>

[(Sound of Alert) "This is Disaster Prevention Onojo City Office. We are going to broadcast Earthquake Early Warning for a drill"] ⇒ [(Sound of Alert) "Earthquake Early Warning.", "This is a huge earthquake", "This is a huge earthquake", "This is a broadcast just for a drill."] ⇒ (Repeated three times) ⇒ ["This is Disaster Prevention Onojo City Office. This is the end of the broadcast for the drill." (Sound of Alert)]

### What is "Earthquake Early Warning (Kinkyu Jishin Sokuho)"?

Onojo City uses the system of "J-Alert (Emergency Information Alert)" to inform Earthquake Early warning (EEW). When occurrence of an earthquake with a seismic intensity of 4 and upper is forecast in Fukuoka Area, EEW which is transmitted from the government will be broadcasted by the disaster information communication system which is installed in 60 places inside Onojo City.

## Let's find various creatures in the forest!

Why don't you join this observation event and enjoy finding various creatures at the beginning of summer?

●**Subject Person** elementary school students and their guardians

●**Date and Time** Sat, June 26<sup>th</sup> 10:00am-12:00pm

\*The event will be held little rain.

●**Venue** Ushikubi Kyosei-no-mori Forest

●**Limit** 20 people (First- come first-served basis)

●**Fee** free

### ●Details

◇Let's find and observe insects such as dragonflies, butterflies, grasshoppers and aquatic insects!

◇Let's make sketches of dragonflies, butterflies, grasshoppers, etc!

- Necessary Items** ◆Cap ◆Drinks ◆Towel ◆Cotton gloves ◆Rain gear (in case of rain) ◆Extra clothes and shoes



\*Please join wearing casual clothes with long sleeves and longs, and shoes.

●**How to apply** Please call us

●**Application Period** Mon, June 14<sup>th</sup> - Fri, June 18<sup>th</sup>  
Reception Time: Weekday, 8:30am - 5:00pm

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## Let's go to "Star-dome-madoka"!

### Seasonal Event

#### Let's find the Lunar X, a letter "X", on the moon's surface!

● **Date and Time** Thu, June 17<sup>th</sup> 8:00pm - 9:50pm

- **Contents** ◇ Observing the moon with a telescope
- ◇ Taking pictures of the moon



#### Let's watch the stars together!

● **Date and Time** Sat, June 26<sup>th</sup> 8:00pm - 9:50pm

- **Contents** ◇ Observing the stars in spring with a telescope

● **Venue** Kita Community Center, "Star-dome-madoka"

● **Fee** Free

\*Junior High School students and younger must be accompanied by guardians.

\*In the case of rain or cloudiness, will be cancelled.

\*No registration in advance necessary.

## June is Environment Month

Onojo City declared "Zero Carbon City Onojo" in February 2021, with the aim to substantially achieve zero CO2 emissions by 2050 to prevent global warming. CO2 (greenhouse effect gas) emitted through human activities is affecting the environment surrounding us.

In this occasion, why don't we deepen our knowledge about environmental problems and reconsider our actions?

### Environmental changes caused by global warming and our actions

- ◇ Biological diversity crisis
- ◇ Extreme weather caused by climate change
- ◇ Marine pollution caused by plastic wastes

### What we can do for these problems

- ◆ Taste foodstuffs from your area and seasonal foods
- ◆ Use Eco-Friendly Products
- ◆ Turn the lights off when you leave your room
- ◆ Prepare emergency food for a disaster
- ◆ Use reusable bags and reusable water bottles etc.

## Akachan (baby) Hiroba

Come join us and have a relaxing time with other mothers!



● **Subject Person** 3 months -12 months old child and mother

\*It is not acceptable to bring siblings.

● **Contents** ◇ Talk by health nurse, nursery teacher, midwife and nutritionist

- ◇ Parent-child play ◇ Reading stories ◇ Parenting consultation

Subject Person	Date and time	Venue
Those who live in South / East Community Area	Mon, June 7 <sup>th</sup> 10:30am-12:00pm	Reiwa Kodomo Joho Center(Reiwa Children Information Center),
Those who live in North Community Area	Mon, June 21 <sup>st</sup> 10:30am-12:00pm	Kosodate-oen (support for child raising) Floor
Those who live in Central Community Area	Mon, June 28 <sup>th</sup> 10:30am-12:00pm	(Sukoyaka Koryu Plaza 3F)

(Reception: from 10:00am - ) \*Please attend in the community area you live.

● **Fee** Free

● **Items to bring** swaddle blanket or bath towel

\*No registration in advance necessary \*Limited Parking

## Child care supporter [ Takenoko Child care salon ]

● **Subject person**

- ◇ Preschoolers and their guardians who have just moved into Onojo city
- ◇ Preschoolers and their guardians, pregnant women who do not belong to any groups of childcare and wish to make friends

● **Date and Time** Wed, June 9<sup>th</sup> 10:00am - 11:30am

● **Venue** Onojo City Sogo Fukushi Center 2F (General Welfare Center), Tamokutekishitsu (Multipurpose Room)

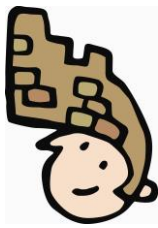
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## Onojo Cocoro-no-furusato-kan City Museum Information - Japanese History Experience held in June -

### Cocoful Workshop

Date	Contents
Sat, June 5 <sup>th</sup> / Sun, June 6 <sup>th</sup> Sat, June 12 <sup>th</sup> / Sun, June 13 <sup>th</sup> Sat, June 19 <sup>th</sup> / Sun, June 20 <sup>th</sup>	Let's Make decoration of Tanabata (Star Festival)!
Sat, June 26 <sup>th</sup> / Sun, June 27 <sup>th</sup>	Let's try "Origami" (paper folding)!

● **Subject person** Whoever wants to join.

\*3rd graders of elementary school and younger must be accompanied by their guardians.

● **Time** 10:00am - 4:00pm (Reception is closed at 3:30pm.)

● **Venue** Kids History Experience Room  
【1<sup>st</sup> Floor, Onojo Cocoro-no-furusato-kan City Museum】

● **Fee** Free \*It will end when materials run out.



### Cocoful Experience Workshop

Let's make an ancient motif magnet such as "Haniwa" (a clay figure)!

● **Subject person** Whoever wants to join.

\*3rd graders of elementary school and younger must be accompanied by one of their guardians.

● **Date** Sat, June 26<sup>th</sup> / Sun, June 27<sup>th</sup> ● **Time** 1:00pm - 3:00pm

● **Venue** Lecture Room  
【M2<sup>nd</sup> floor, Onojo Cocoro-no-furusato-kan City Museum】

● **Limit** 10 people / each day  
\*If applications exceed capacity, a drawing will be held.

● **Fee** 300yen

● **Application Deadline** Thu, June 10<sup>th</sup>

● **How to apply** Send e-mail or fax to us with the name of event "June's Cocoful Experience Workshop", participant's name, age, grade, telephone number, preferred date written.

\*1 application for 1 participant

\*For application or further information, please contact us.



## Onojo Cocoro-no-furusato-kan City Museum

Visitors are able to learn the history of Onojo City easily and widely through exhibitions.

● **Closed** Every Monday

\*If Monday falls on a public holiday, the museum is closed on the following weekday.

● **Hours** 9:00am - 7:00pm

● **Admission** Permanent Exhibition: Free  
\*Special Exhibition: Charged

● **Notes** Please be sure to wear a mask when you visit the museum. As for children under 3 years old and people who may find it difficult to wear a mask, please let a staff member of the museum know.

● **Address** 3-8-3 Akebono-machi, Onojo City

## Do you know Act for Recycling of Specified Kinds of Home Appliances?

The law provides for a collection and recycling system in which home appliance retailers take charge of collecting used home appliances and home appliance manufacturers take charge of recycling collected appliances. Those who use home appliances shall pay for recycling costs.

### <Home appliances regulated>

Air conditioners, Television sets, Refrigerators, Washing machines

● **How to Ask Retailers**

◆ When purchasing a new appliance

⇒ Ask the retailer at which you will purchase a new one

◆ When disposing of an old appliance

⇒ Consult with the shop where you purchased it or the shop near your home

● **Collection Costs** Vary by kind and retailer

● **Recycling Costs** 990yen - (Vary by kind and manufacturer)

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## About Cancellation of Events and Measures against Novel Coronavirus

\*Please practice preventive measures such as wearing a mask, checking your body temperature when you join events.

\*There are events which are cancelled or postponed to prevent novel coronavirus infection. For further information related to novel coronavirus infection, please refer to the HP of Onojo City or contact us.

### ●HP of Onojo City

Foreign Language

<http://www.city.onojo.fukuoka.jp/foreign.html>

About Novel Coronavirus

<http://www.city.onojo.fukuoka.jp/s022/010/20200206093749.html>

Cancellation or Postponement of Events

<http://www.city.onojo.fukuoka.jp/d001/20200221121745.html>

Facility Reopening Information

<http://www.city.onojo.fukuoka.jp/d001/0228.html>

Regarding to Support Measures to Businesses and Other Organizations under the Emergency Measures

<http://www.city.onojo.fukuoka.jp/foreign.html>

## We ask for your cooperation to prevent the spread of novel coronavirus infection

Each of us needs to have a responsibility for our actions and practice preventive measures thoroughly to protect our health and lives.

- ◇Wash and disinfect your hands well and frequently
- ◇Follow "cough etiquette", Wear a mask
- ◇Ventilate spaces regularly
- ◇Keep your distance from others
- ◇Avoid the "Three Cs" (Closed spaces, Crowded places, Close-contact settings)
- ◇Check your body temperature every morning. If you have symptoms like fever, cough, and or cold, please stay at home and take a rest.
- ◇Take preventive measures thoroughly at gatherings
- ◇Refrain from going to places where they lack preventive measures
- ◇Register for the app, COCOA



## Consultation Service for Novel Coronavirus Infection

### ●Consultation for Visiting Medical Institution

'Chikushi Health and Welfare Environment Office (Consultation Call Center)' provides consultation service for novel coronavirus infection. If it is suspected that you might have been infected with the virus, please contact 'Chikushi Health and Welfare Environment Office' immediately before visiting a medical institution.

As to consultation in foreign language, please contact the number below.

**Fukuoka International Medical support Center** TEL:092-286-9595

**Chikushi Health and Welfare Environment Office**

TEL:092-707-0524 \*Weekday only 8:30am - 5:00pm

TEL:092-643-3288 \*Night time, Weekends and National Holidays

### ●Consultation for Other General Things

**Telephone Consultation Service by Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare**

TEL:0120-565653 (Toll-free) \*9:00am - 9:00pm

## Information on Opening Hours

June 2<sup>nd</sup> Madokapia will be CLOSED

June 7<sup>th</sup> Onojo Cocoro-no-furusato-kan City Museum will be CLOSED

June 12<sup>th</sup> Citizen Service Section will be open from 9:30am to 12:30pm

June 14<sup>th</sup> Onojo Cocoro-no-furusato-kan City Museum will be CLOSED

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