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Minna no "Wa!" Festa 2022 Report



On Nov.20th (Sun), workshops by Machi no Sensei, groups registered under Minami Lounge and Multicultural Volunteers were held. Many people came and enjoyed the event.



Workshops



You can see Minna no "Wa!" Festa video streaming from the following URL.

<https://tabunka.minamilounge.com/about/festa2022>



→Please scan!



Japanese Speeches



"Japanese Speeches" can be seen on Minami Lounge Website! Please check the website.



Information of Year End/New Year Holiday

Facilities, hospitals and ward offices will close due to the Japanese holiday season.



- Minami Lounge will be Closed from Dec.29 (Thurs) to Jan.3rd (Tue).
- Yokohama City Office & Minami Ward Office will be closed from Dec.29 (Thurs) to Jan.3rd (Tue)
- Minami ward garbage collection will not be done between Dec.31st (Sat) to Jan.3rd (Tue). Do not throw your garbage at the collection site on that period.
 Burnable garbage collected on Mon & Fri→ Last collection of 2022 will be Dec.30th (Fri). The first garbage collection will be Jan.6th (Fri), 2023.
 Burnable garbage collected on Tue & Sat→Last collection of 2022 will be Dec.29th (Thurs). The first garbage collection will be Jan.5th (Thurs). (Special garbage collection date!)
- If you are sick or injured during the holiday season, please call(visit) Minami Ward Holiday Emergency Clinic (045-341-0251 Japanese)
 Open: Sun, Holiday and thru Dec 30th (Fri) to Jan 3rd (Tue) 10:00~16:00 (Reception: 9:00~15:30)
 Department: Internal medicine and Pediatrics
- ※Minami Ward Holiday Emergency Clinic has moved from June 2022 temporarily due to the reconstruction of the building. The reconstruction would take place until summer of 2023.
 Temporary Address: Kenko Main Building 2nd floor, 2-22 Eiraku-cho, Minami-ku Yokohama city.
 (For more information, please see the website of Minami Ward Office or Yokohama Doctor's Association.)

Multicultural Volunteer ②



Ms. Nakazaki Sunny
 From: Surabaya/Indonesia
 Famous Indonesian Product:
 Krupok (Prawn Crackers)



Ms. Sunny is fond of cooking and also a great cook. Her first volunteering experience with Minami Lounge was our event “Minna no “Wa!” Festa”. She introduced Indonesian dishes at the event. She recently taught Indonesian food cooking at Minami Center. She enjoys introducing Indonesian food and taste to everyone.

Minami Lounge Multicultural Volunteer Activity Report!



Do you know Minami Lounge’s “Multicultural Volunteer” registering system? We have around 250 members who are registered as a “Multicultural Volunteer”. People with various backgrounds and various countries are registered, At this moment our volunteers are from about 30 different countries including Japan. They use their mother tongue or language which they are fluent in to support people who just came to Japan. They also introduce cooking, dancing, instruments, history and cultures of their country at school and various facilities.

Recently Minami Center had called Minami Lounge to find volunteers who can introduce cooking of their country. We asked 6 volunteers who is interested in teaching cooking and they accepted the volunteer activity.

The first cooking class was held on Oct.18th (Tue). This cooking class was held by Ms. Sunny Nakazaki who is introduced on the left side as a “Multicultural Volunteer ②”. She taught Indonesian food. She taught nasi goreng (Indonesian fried rice), soto ayam (Indonesian chicken soup) and pisang goreng (Banana sweet) in 3 hours.

Everyone was interested with Indonesian cooking and spices. Participants went back home with the recipe, pictures of the ingredients and of course the Indonesian food they made.



There are many volunteers who cannot speak Japanese. Volunteering can be done in your spare time. If you want to support your neighborhood while studying or even while you are child rearing, please call Minami Lounge!



Notice From Minami Lounge

- My Number Points (Points worth Max.20,000yen) can be received if you apply for “my number card” until end of Dec.2022. For more details, please see the My Number Card Information (<https://www.kojinbango-card.go.jp/en/>)
- Omicron-targeting vaccine booster shots have started. If you have completed your primary two doses of the COVID-19 vaccine, and had their last dose at least three months ago, you can take the shot. Please see “City of Yokohama” website (<https://www.city.yokohama.lg.jp/lang/covid-19-en/>) for more details.
- Do you know NHK World Japan? You can get useful information and news by TV, radio or by WEB in multilanguage. There is also Japanese study site. Please check the website. → <https://www3.nhk.or.jp/nhkworld/ja/>
- Minami Lounge toilet had been renewed last winter. The seat is heated and warm. It is popular among users. We would like everyone to use the restroom nicely. Please cooperate and help us keep the toilet clean.

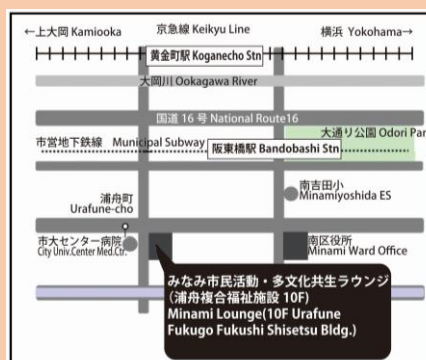
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 (Closed on : Every 3rd Mondays· Dec.29 to Jan.3)
 Tel. : (Japanese) 045-232-9544
 (Foreign Language) 045-242-0888
- ② Free of charge consultation ;
 Law (2nd Thurs), Visa (3rd Thurs) and Education (4th Thurs)
 ※ 13:30~, 14:30~ (Appointment needed. Tel.045-242-0888)

【Available languages and days】

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
Chinese	Chinese	Chinese English	Chinese Thai	Chinese Tagalog	Chinese	Chinese



Minami Lounge URL
<https://tabunka.minamilounge.com/>

← Direction Map