



That's a big elephant!

The Kadomono-kuni Festival 2013 held during Golden week was favored by good weather! The zoo battled with many people as children and their families came to enjoy the festival's various activities and entertainment. The elephant feeding was especially popular! (Okinawa Zoo & Museum, Kadomono-Kuni)

Okinawa City Population Statistics

TOTAL: 138,452 (+90)
Male: 67,020 (+49)
Female: 71,432 (+41)
Households: 55,945 (+170)

Foreign Residents:
Total: 1,208 (+13)
 (From a total of 49 countries)
Male: 695 (+10)
Female: 513 (+3)

Dear Reader,
 I'd like to introduce our new international relations coordinator, Yuta Miyagi! He's a freshman member of the Okinawa City Hall and just started in April. Yuta has experience studying linguistics in the U.S.A. and is fluent in English and speaks some Spanish as well. He has a fear of the cooing sounds pigeons make, but other than that will tackle any challenge! Yuta is a big, strong, friendly, 26 year old, and his ambitious and proactive personality is quickly turning him into a valuable asset of our team! Please come by to say hello to Yuta. :)
 -Naomi

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**31st Peaceful Love Rock Festival
 JULY 13 & 14 [Open] 13:00 [Start] 13:30**

The Peaceful Love Rock Festival initially started in 1983 as a reunion concert for Murasaki, a popular Okinawan rock band from the '60s. This has become one of the most prominent music events on island, featuring rock bands that include both amateur and professional groups.

This year marks the 31st year of the festival and will present groups from Korea and Taiwan, and many other bands representing Okinawa. For more information regarding the festival, please visit:

www.peaceful-love-rock.com

[Tickets] Advance: ¥3,500
(2-Day Ticket: ¥6,000. Additional ¥500 for at-door tickets.)

Okinawa City Field Stage
2-1-1 Moromizato, Okinawa City

第31回ピースフルラブ・ロックフェスティバル

2013・7/13(土)・14(日) 開場 13:00 / 開演 13:30
沖縄市野外ステージ



Koza Music Town Otoichiba (098)932-1949

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