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### Eternal History told through Iwami's Volcanoes

— Trip of Discovery to the "Jomon Forest" and "Silver Mine" —



Walking to Oda City Japan Heritage Sites

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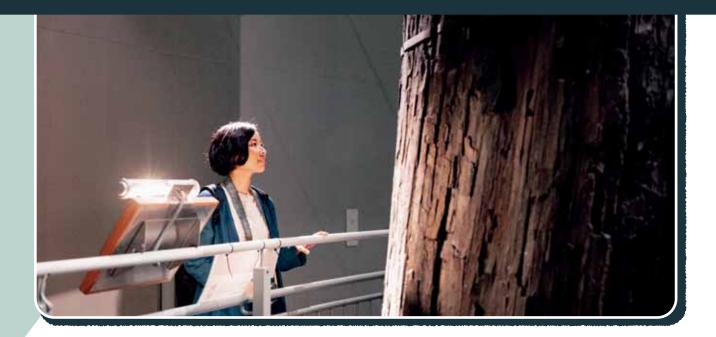






**OETAKAYAMA** 







## **Eternal History Told Through** Iwami's Volcanoes

- Trip of Discovery to the "Jomon Forest" and "Silver Mine" -

As you descend the stairs to an underground room, you encounter several huge trees towering in front of you. These trees from the Jomon period (14,000 to 300 BCE), which were buried deep underground by the eruption of Mt. Sanbe, have been preserved through the ages to appear just as they were so long ago. Japan is a land of volcanoes. Although volcanic eruptions threaten the lives of the people, they have brought various blessings to "Iwami no Kuni Oda" (Oda in the Iwami Province). The ore deposits of the Iwami Ginzan Silver Mine, which once made "Cipangu (Japan)" famous around the world, were also born of the magma from those eruptions. And the bountiful land nurtured by the volcano has enriched the lives of its inhabitants. "Iwami no Kuni Oda" where the history of volcanoes lives on in the roots of daily life. Here, a journey of discovering the bounty of the land of fire awaits you.



#### About Japan Heritage

Certain things that tell the story of Japan's culture and traditions through the historical charm and unique characteristics of a region are recognized by the Agency for Cultural Affairs as "Japan Heritage." The purpose is to help revitalize regional communities through the comprehensive community-led development and utilization of various groups of tangible and intangible cultural properties of great attractiveness that are indispensable for telling such stories, including strategically disseminating information on these cultural properties not only in Japan but also overseas.





## Created a lasting legacy

## Three KAZAN



#### POINT 1 Sanbe Volcano

Mt. Sanbe is a symbol of Oda City and is one of the mythical mountains that appears in the Kunibiki (Land-Pulling) Myth. The peaks created by the volcano became objects of worship, and the volcanic ash that flowed down at the foot of the mountain preserved a forest from the Jomon period. In addition, the graceful scenery of the grassland was created by the activities of the people who made good use of the volcanic ash soil





## POINT 2 Mt. Oetakayama volcano In the 16th century, silver from the Iwami Ginzan

Silver Mine had a great influence not only on Japan, but also on the world during the Age of Discovery. The driving force that allowed this mine to achieve such historical magnificence was the "Fukuishi" (volcanic silver ore) produced by the action of the Mt. Oetakayama volcano. The magnificence of the Iwami Ginzan Silver Mine is also the origin of the history and culture of Oda



#### POINT 3 Volcanoes with green tuff movement

The great crustal movement that split the edge of the Asian continent, expanded the Sea of Japan, and formed the Japanese archipelago, was accompanied by intense volcanic activity. The green tuff that is characteristic of the volcanic ejecta thrown up during that activity is distributed widely in Oda City, giving rise to various mineral and rock resources and a richly varied landscape.





#### **Ota City Japan Heritage Constituent Cultural Property**

/Numbers are in order of MAP\ number registration



musical rice planting



Iwami Ginzan Silver Mine Ruins Sennoyama-no





Shizunoiwaya Cave











Oniiwa Rock of Onimura Arareishi Production area of Matsushiro Mine

























of Mt. Sanbe









Feel the power of

an active volcano and

enjoy getting out in nature









#### Climbing/trekking

There are a variety of ways to walk about the area, including routes that offer an easy challenge for beginners, routes that take you through lush natural forests, and rugged mountain paths that will give you a deep sense of accomplishment. The panoramic view from the summit overlooking the Chugoku Mountains and the Sea of Japan is truly a marvel to behold! It is also becoming an increasingly popular spot for trail running and cross-country enthusiasts.







SANBESAN

Mt. Sanbe was formed by repeated volcanic eruptions occurring from about 100,000 to about 4,000 years ago. It boasts four beautiful peaks, Osanbe, Mesanbe, Kosanbe, and Magosanbe, as well as verdant grasslands spreading out at the foot of the mountain. It is loved by many people because it can be enjoyed in a variety of ways, such as camping, mountain climbing, picnicking, and



\Mt. Sanbe climbing course /



- 1 Himenogaike climbing course (80 to 120 min. to peak) The shortest course from the parking lot of the Shimane Nature Museum of Mt. Sanbe "Sahimel" to the peak of
- 2 Myogo climbing course (90 to 130 min. to peak) A course to the peak of Osanbe through the natural forest of Mt. Sanbe, a nationally designated natural monument
- Nishinohara climbing course (100 to 140 min. to peak)
  A course with a great view which goes from the nohara meadow to the summit of Osanbe peak
- A course which goes from the Higashinohara parking lot along the direction of the sightseeing chairlift towards the summit to Mesanbe peak
- Meotomatsu climbing course (60 to 80 min. to peak)
  A climbing course from Sanbe Onsen to Magosanbe peak
- 6 The traverse course (4 to 6 hrs. for a round trip) A round course for Mt. Osanbe, Mt. Mesanbe, Mt. aiheizan, Mt. Magosanbe and Mt. Kosanbe.







## Kitanohara Campsite

Kitanohara is a fully developed camping facility with auto sites with full access by car, sites with power outlets, sites with permanent structures, and more. For the general camping area, where tents can be set up freely without divisions, there are also various easy-to-use services available such as hand carts. Both advanced campers and beginner families can enjoy the campsite.







## Sadame Pine Tree

If you follow the road leading to Mt. Sanbe from the west (the Mt. Sanbe Park Line), you will see an old pine tree standing in the grasslands of Nishinohara. It is said to have been planted as a milestone marker during the Iwami land survey conducted by Nagayasu Okubo, the first magistrate of the Iwami Ginzan Silver Mine. Its exposed roots are wrapped around several large rocks, indicating that it was originally planted on top of a mound. P Yes ii Yes

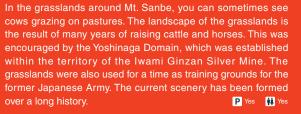








Pastoral Scenery of Mt. Sanbe





All-weather mountain huts with kitchen, bath, etc., where you can spend time in comfort. There is also a large type, ideal for groups, and dog bungalows available next to the dog run!





#### Mt. Sanbe's starry sky

Mt. Sanbe, which stands high above sea level where it is less exposed to city lights, is a perfect spot for stargazing. In a 2012 nationwide continuous observation of starlit skies by the Ministry of the Environment, the mountain was ranked number one in Japan for the darkness of the night sky. Be sure to check out the astronomical observation event at The Shimane Nature Museum of Mt. Sanbe "Sahimel."











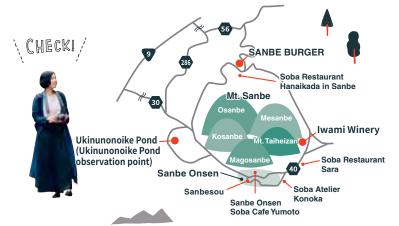
Have a pleasant time enjoying gourmet food that is among the blessings of Mt. Sanbe.



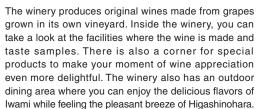


Sanbe Soba emits a mellow aroma as you chew it. The volcanic ash soil and dramatic temperature variation of the climate nurture a rich flavor. This is a local variety handed down from the Edo period that has been protected by the local people, and in 2020 it was registered as a geographical indication (GI)

for the protection of local products. Its reputation is growing around Japan.























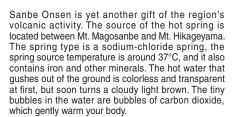
A volcanic hot spring that produces a huge

volume of natural hot spring

water from the mountain.



### Sanbe Onsen





#### Shiki no Yado Sahimeno

Located at an altitude of 600 meters, this facility boasts a magnificent view. Both the indoor baths, with their luxurious abundance of hot water, and the open-air bath, where you can feel the wind and hear the songs of the birds while surrounded by trees, offer you the perfect relaxation experience.





#### Kame no Yu

This is a public bathhouse with a nostalgic atmosphere. The deep-colored, oval-shaped bathtub has a history of over 100 years. The hot mineral spring water of Sanbe Onsen, which pours into the bath generously, continually overflows from the tub.







#### Sanbesou

This facility has 16 types of open-air baths, between the men's and women's areas, which use plenty of water from Sanbe Onsen. There are unheated, free-flowing spring water baths too, so you can also enjoy alternately soaking in the hot water and dipping in the cool water.





#### Shigaku Yakushi Tsuru no Yu

A retro-style public bath in Sanbe Onsen town. The small bathroom has a square tiled bathtub brimming with golden brown hot water, creating the atmosphere of a rustic spa.



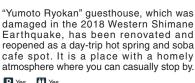


#### Sanbe Onsen **Soba Cafe Yumoto**

"Yumoto Ryokan" guesthouse, which was damaged in the 2018 Western Shimane Earthquake, has been renovated and reopened as a day-trip hot spring and soba cafe spot. It is a place with a homely

















## Sahimeyama Shrine

The old name of Mt. Sanbe, Mt. Sahime, is mentioned in the ancient record of Izumo Fudoki, and is regarded as one of the stakes of the Kunibiki (Land-Pulling) Myth. Sahimeyama Shrine, located in Tane, Sanbe-cho, Oda City, still retains the old name of the mountain to this day. This shrine, said to have been built in the year 891, is regarded as the shrine protecting Mt. Sanbe. The enshrined deities are Onamuchi-no-Mikoto, Sukunahikonano-Mikoto, and Suseribime-no-Mikoto.









#### **Mononobe Shrine**

Umashimaji-no-Mikoto is revered at Mononobe Shrine and it's said to be the founding father of the Mononobe clan, a local ruling family in the Yamato kingdom. It has the largest Kasuga-zukuri style main shrine structure in Japan. Along with its association with the Mononobe clan, Mononobe Shrine also includes within its precinct the Ippeisha Shrine, said to enshrine one of the legendary sacred bottles that gave Mt. Sanbe its name and thus, it is also a place where you can feel the deep faith the people had in











## OGASAWARA-RYU TAUEBAYASHI



#### The Ogasawara-style musical rice planting is a gorgeous performing art in which performers wear colorful costumes and play large drums, smaller hand drums, flutes, etc. It is also an agricultural Shinto ritual to pray for a bountiful harvest. In the Mt. Sanbe region, this tradition has been handed down in the Ikeda and Koyahara districts of Sanbe-cho. At the rice planting festival held at Mononobe Shrine in July, the rice planting musical dedication of Koyahara is performed. In Oda City, the Ogasawara-style musical rice planting performance of Oshiro-cho has been designated as an intangible folk cultural property of the city, and in Minakami-cho,

the Hanataue rice planting festival has been passed down through generations.















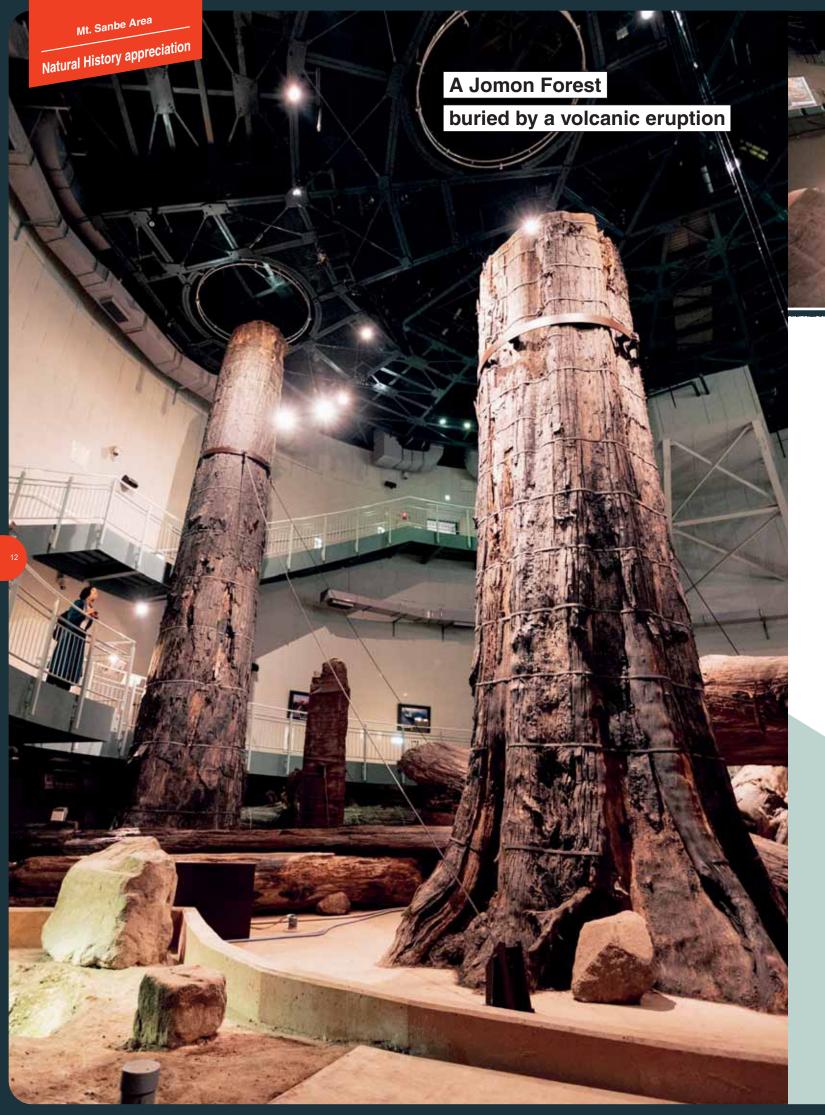


Kagura is also performed at the annual festival of Sahimeyama Shrine and has also gained popularity through performances at events such as the Kagura Festival. It is an elegant Kagura dance of the traditional Rokuchoshi (six-chord) style that has been designated as an intangible folk cultural property of Oda City. The performances include Shiokiyome, Sakakimai, Chibayamai, Gozamai, Shihohei, Tagusamai, Shihoken, Shibasa, Kumimuke-no-mai, Kirime, and eight others.















## Japan Heritage Constituent Cultural Properties Sanbe Azukihara Buried Forest

In the Sanbe area, you can encounter not only lush green forests, but also the "Jomon Forest" from about 4000 years ago. The Sanbe Jomon no Mori Museum displays giant trees that had remained buried deep underground for millennia, still standing, having withstood the mudslide and pyroclastic flows of an erupting volcano. The height of the remaining portions of the trunks alone exceeds 10 meters, and it is estimated that the trees would have been at least 50 meters high when they were alive. Take a moment to ponder the scenery that the people of the Jomon period would have seen.



"Sahimel"







#### The Shimane Nature Museum of Mt. Sanbe "Sahimel"

This is a natural history museum that introduces visitors to the history and nature of Mt. Sanbe. It includes an exhibition room where visitors can learn while playing, a visual dome that displays dynamic images, the huge remains of a buried forest from the Jomon period, fossils of large extinct mammals, and other exhibits that stimulate intellectual curiosity in adults and children alike. The museum also hosts events such as nature observation gatherings.





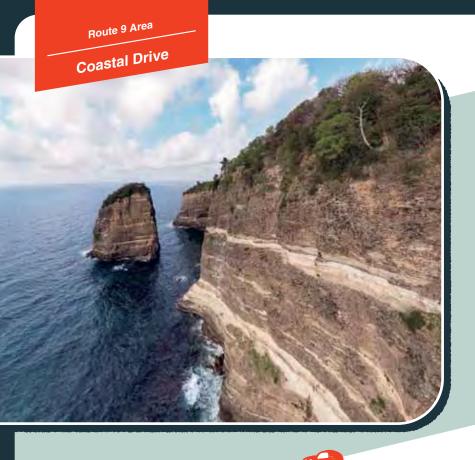








You can also enjoy a barbecue using charcoal made in







## Tategamiiwa Rock

An eye-catching rock formation with sharp stripes of strata running along it. This coastal cliff reaches a height of 80 meters. The strata were formed about 15 million years ago. The light-colored layers are tuff, made up of volcanic ash and pumice, and the darker layers are composed of conglomerate. This indicates that there were repeated volcanic eruptions nearby. It can be seen clearly from the train windows on the San-in Main Line, and is a prominent landmark of the eastern part of Oda City.









Tategamiiwa Rock

Shizunoiwaya Cave

A story created by

carved strata











This cave is said to be the location of the legendary Shizunoiwaya monument, which was written of by Oishi-no-Suguri-no-Mahito in the ancient Manyoshu anthology. The cave has two mouths and is 45 meters deep and 13 meters high. The bedrock was formed by the deposition of volcanic ejecta about 15 million years ago, and the faults and dikes are intricately intermeshed, revealing the intensity of the crustal movements that formed the Japanese archipelago.



#### **Shizuma Shrine**

This shrine was revered inside Shizunoiwaya Cave until the Edo period and was dedicated to the deities Onamuchi-no-Mikoto and Sukunahikona-no-Mikoto. A torii gate still stands at one mouth of Shizunoiwaya Cave.









#### Japan Heritage Constituent Cultural Properties

# The Silicified Wood of Hanenishi



This is a large fossil tree protruding from the sea cliff, with one end continuing to the bedrock on the seabed. It is designated as a national natural monument. It is known that there is a large amount of silicified wood on the seabed around this spot, and when the nearby Kute fishing port was built in the early Showa era, many silicified trees were pulled up from the seabed.



#### See fossils of giant trees and feel their history

At a glance, silicified wood is difficult to distinguish from ordinary stone. It is believed to have been buried in the volcanic activity that formed the Japanese archipelago millions of years ago. The trees on display at the Sanbe Azukihara



**Fossil** exploration





This fossil tree is believed to have been buried by a volcanic eruption that occurred just a little less than about 15 million years ago. It is a site where you can imagine how the mudslide would have overturned









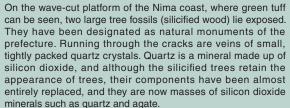












of Nima









# "Road Ginzan"

Road Ginzan

The restaurant offers several of Oda's delicacies, including boxed sushi, Sanbe Soba, conger eel dishes, and more. There is also a souvenir corner with a wide range of local specialty products.











## Japan Heritage Constituent Cultural Properties Kotogahama Beach



This beautiful white sand beach in the Maji district of Nima-cho is known for its "singing sand," which makes a squeaking sound when you walk on it. If you scoop up a handful of sand and look at it closely, you may find pretty little micro shells the size of millet grains. The beach has been selected as one of Japan's Top 100 Soundscapes and one of Japan's Top 100 Beaches.





#### Narisuna (singing sand)

The squeaking sound is caused by round grains of quartz in the sand rubbing against each other. For a beach to have singing sand, various conditions are required, such as that the sand grains must be nearly uniform in size, that the beach must contain a high amount of quartz sand, and that the beach must not be polluted.





Newly opened in January 2022, this is "the front line base for proclaiming the appeal of Oda City." It is positioned at the gateway to Iwami Ginzan Silver Mine near the Nima Iwami Ginzan Interchange on the San-in Expressway. It is a new tourist attraction of Oda City with a wealth of local specialties and a booth that provides tourist information. There is also an event stage where Kagura and other performances are scheduled. It's the perfect place to look for souvenirs or use as a rest point during your trip!



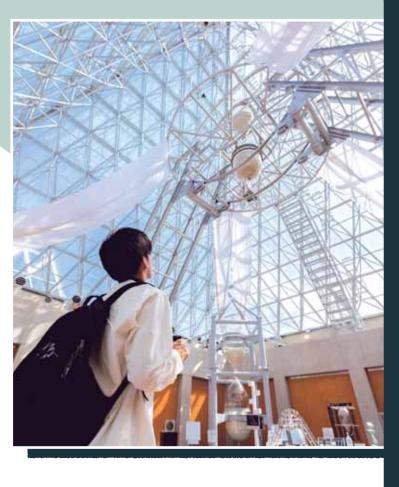








A rarity even in Japan, this sand museum is based on the themes of sand, time and environment. This facility, adorned with six large and small glass-covered pyramids, was designed by Shin Takamatsu, a world-famous architect with ties to Oda City. Objects and sand from around the world are displayed in the museum, and there is also an area where you can experience sand painting, sand art, and other activities. The main attraction is the enormous one-year hourglass "Sunagoyomi" that measures 5.2 meters high and 1 meter across. It contains 1 ton of sand that slowly marks the time as it trickles through the hourglass. At the Fureai Koryukan annex, you can enjoy four types of glass craft workshops (fees apply).



#### Experience MENU①

#### **Experience sand at Nima Sand Museum**

#### Singing sand experience

When you press the stick against the sand, it makes a squeaking sound





Sand painting experience

Visitors receive a free present of a sand painting card, whose illustration varies depending on the day. You can create your own original card by adding various colored sands.

#### **Experience MENU**2

#### Glass craft workshops at the Fureai Koryukan annex



#### **Fusing**

Fuse pieces of glass together to create original accessories and stirrers.



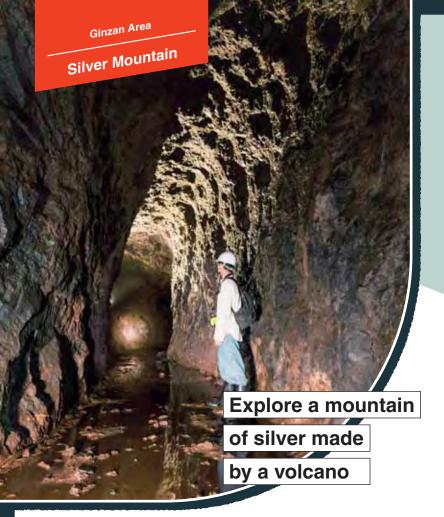
#### Clear candles

You can make a clear candle encasing colorful sand and glass accessories in a glass container. This is the most popular item on the menu.



#### Sand blasting

In this workshop, you can turn a cutout image into a frosted glass pattern. There are also many easy-to-use stamp patterns to choose from.





#### Ryugenji Mabu Mine Shaft

This is the only mine tunnel of the Iwami Ginzan Silver Mine Ruins that is regularly open to the public. It was developed in the middle of the Edo period. Along this 600-meter-long tunnel, you can still see the traces of the chisels that the miners used to chip away at the rock, as well as a 100-meter-deep pit dug for drainage, giving you a vivid image of what it was like in the days when silver

Iwami Ginzan Sightseeing One **Coin Guided Tour** (Ryugenji Mabu Mine Shaft Course)

- ●Fee: 500 yen per person (free for junior high school students and younger)
- ●Times: (1) 10:30 am, (2) 1:00 pm \*From December to February: (1) only
- Time required: 120 min. (incl. 90 min. for guided tour)

Iwami Ginzan Guide Society TEL:0854-89-0120



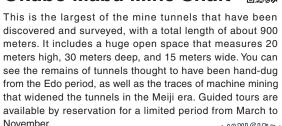
Arareishi

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#### Okubo Mabu Mine Shaft





## **Iwami Ginzan** Silver Mine Ruins

(Sennovama-no Fukuishi deposit)

In the area extending from near the summit of Mt. Sennoyama to the eastern side of the mountain lies the Fukuishi Ore Deposit, which contains silver ore. The ore is not particularly hard, so it could be excavated quite efficiently. Moreover, it was a combination of minerals that allowed the silver to be easily extracted using a smelting technique called cupellation. Thus, it led to the mass production of silver. P Yes ii Yes







**AREA** 

Mt. Ryugan of Onimura (Tatsuiwa Rock) Iwami Ginzan Silver **Mine Ruins** (Sennoyama-no Fukuishi deposit) Ryugenji Mabu Mine Shaft

Okubo Mabu Mine Shaft

**Onliwa Rock** 

Mt. Oetakayama volcano





#### **Oniiwa Rock** of Onimura

This huge rock has a top portion that spreads out like an umbrella and a row of five holes on its side. The holes are said to be the marks of an ogre's fingers; hence the name "Oniiwa" (Ogre Rock). As the rock is composed of tuff formed by submarine volcanic eruptions, the action of the salts contained in it has accelerated the weathering, forming its peculiar shape and the holes in its side.

P Yes 🗱 Yes







#### Mt. Ryugan (Tatsuiwa Rock)



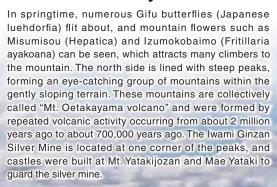
This mountain has huge, rocky peaks that reach up to the sky and overlap like waves. This rock is the part of a volcanic conduit where magma rose up when the volcano erupted about 15 million years ago. The largest rock wall is covered with trumpet vine, which is one of the city's natural monuments, and you can enjoy the sight of vermilion flowers in the summer and vivid red leaves in late autumn.





**OETAKAYAMA** 

## Mt. Oetakayama volcano





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 Arareishi Production area of Matsushiro Mine



"Arareishi" (aragonite) is a mineral composed of calcium carbonate, and its composition is the same as limestone (calcite), which is the primary raw material of cement. It occurs near gypsum deposits and is prized as an ornamental object due to its unique shape. The Matsushiro Mine produced gypsum from the Meiji era to the 1960s, and the aragonite that was extracted here is unique in its shape and size, the likes of which cannot be found anywhere else in the world. The site is now designated as a national natural monument under the Mine" (currently closed and inaccessible).









There are cafes, general stores, bakeries, etc. operating in old buildings. We recommend that you enjoy shopping and lunch while exploring history

#### **Imo Daikan** Museum



The museum has been remodeled and now features a main exhibition of Ido Heizaemon, a famous governor who saved his people from the Great Kyoho Famine by providing them with sweet potatoes. The giant illustration that depicts the 500-year history of the Iwami Ginzan Silver Mine in a bird's-eye view of the townscape is also a highlight.

### **Iwami Ginzan** World Heritage Center



Here, you can get a feel for the history of Iwami Ginzan Silver Mine through materials such as dioramas and videos. It is also the departure and arrival station of the route bus heading to the historical townscape of Omori, so it is the perfect spot to start your trip!





#### **Omori Silver Mine Area** (Townscape of Omori)

Omori-cho was a prosperous mining town of the Iwami Ginzan Silver Mine. The scene of rows of houses with red roof tiles continues along the valley where the Ginzan River flows. This town has still the layout of the Edo period and retains the atmosphere of the past, even as the people conduct their modern lifestyles. Throughout the townscape, the green tuff created by volcanoes during the formation of the Japanese archipelago has been widely used as a building material, and the stone walls and other stone structures create an orderly scene. The remains of stone quarries that can still be found in various places around town create a unique atmosphere.

## OMORI AREA



#### Rakan-ji Temple Gohyaku-Rakan



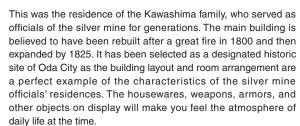
A total of 500 Rakan statues are enshrined in the left and right caves. These statues were made over a period of 25 years in the middle of the 18th century to hold memorial services for the spirits of ancestors and those who died in the silver mine. It is said that if you come here, you can meet your deceased family members, and many people still visit the site to this







#### **Former Kawashima** Residence





## **Kigami Shrine**

This shrine is a place of worship of Omononushi-no-Kami (Okuninushi-no-Mikoto). It is characterized by its hall of worship that features two roofs. A richly colored dragon has been drawn on the ceiling of the hall by Kajitani Enrinsai Moriyasu, a painter from the area of Mt. Sanbe. If you clap your hands under the dragon, the sound will echo in a strange manner as if the dragon was howling. Each coffer of the coffered ceiling shows an emblem of officials from Ginzan and Omori who were involved in the construction.



## House of the Kumagai Family

The Kumagai family was the most powerful family of merchants based in Iwami Ginzan Silver Mine. It was involved in the management of the Omori Silver Mine, financial activities, sake brewing, as well as management of magistrate finances and lodging, in addition to being a purveyor. The residence, built in 1801, is open to the public and contains exhibits of household articles that change with each season to introduce visitors to the trading activities and daily life at the time.







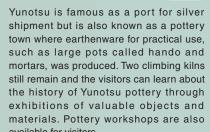


# YUNOTSU

AREA



# Yakimono no Sato





#### Yunotsu Onsen town

This hot spring town prospered as a port for the shipment of Iwami Ginzan Silver Mine products. The town features buildings from the Edo period (1603-1868) and the Meiji (1968-1912), Taisho (1912-1926), and Showa (1926-1989) eras and has been designated Important Preservation District for Groups of

Traditional Buildings. If you walk through this charming townscape colored by the mountains and the sea to visit the hot springs, you will have the feeling of being healed and that your body and mind have







# FUKUMITSUISHI ISHIKIRIBA









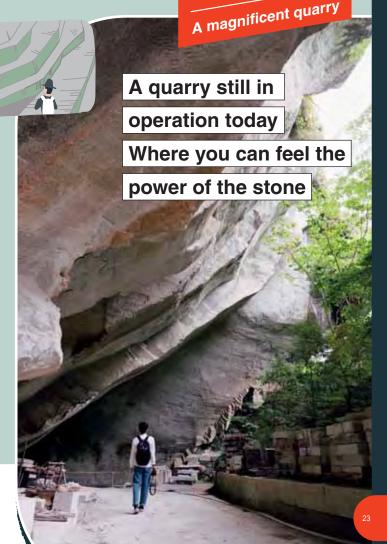
## Japan Heritage Constituent Cultural Properties Fukumitsuishi Stone quarry

Stepping into the mysterious and cavernous space of this subterranean quarry feels like wandering into a world from a Sci-Fi movie. Fukumitsuishi stone is quarried here. This is green tuff that has a warm touch and a pale green tint. It was formed from the volcanic ash and pumice that were deposited on the seabed about 15 million years ago from the intense volcanic activity caused by the crustal movements that formed the Japanese archipelago. Being easy to process, it was used for many purposes and was distributed mainly in the Iwami region. It was also used for the 500 Rakan statues at Iwami Ginzan Silver Mine.











Quarrying here has continued for more than 400 years, and the traces from the days of manual digging can still be clearly seen. You may also see bats flying about. You can take a guided tour of the quarry (reservation







# ODA TRIP Model Course

Here, we present model courses divided into 8 themes for you to enjoy your journey in Oda. Discover the various worlds offered by Oda.



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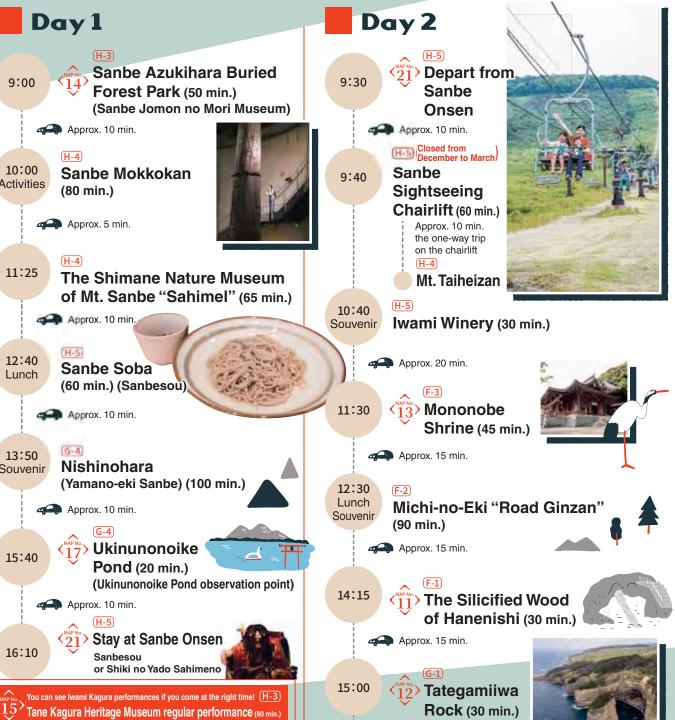
Enjoy the Japan Heritage sites in Oda City Experience the large scale of nature





Night performance: 8:00 pm to 9:00 pm 2nd Saturday only

Day performance: 2:00 pm to 3:00 pm 4th Sunday only



Day trip or stay at Hane 6-1

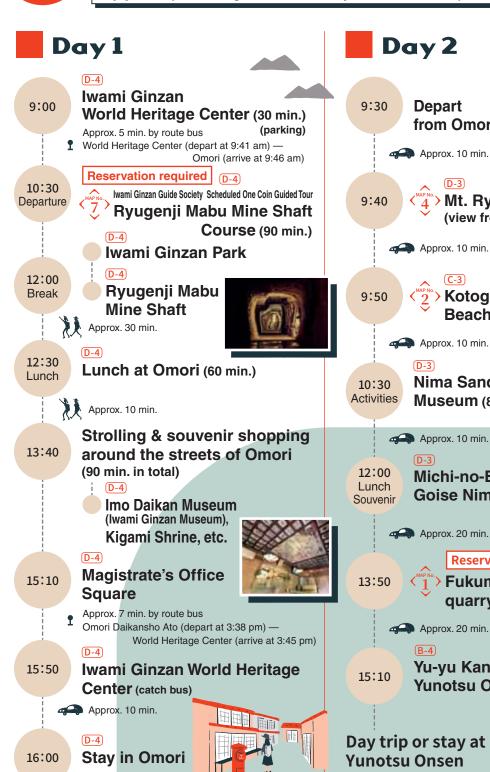
These model courses will let you discover all the Japan Heritage sites in Oda City. Two courses are introduced here: the Around Sanbe Area course, which let you expe the large scale of nature and constituent heritage sites around Sanbe area built by the activity of the Earth, and the Around Ginzan Area course, which follows the cultural path made by volcanoes around Omori Ginzan. If you go around on the two courses, you can cover almost all of the Japan Heritage constituent cultural properties and each area of Oda



# KAZAN

Enjoy the Japan Heritage sites in Oda City Discover the deep history and the breadth of culture

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you come at the right time

Kagura regular night

performance (60 min.)

Night performance: 8:00 pm to 9:00 pm

Yunotsu Onsen

on Saturday only

## ODA LIFE

#### People's activities created by the volcanoes

The silver deposit of the Iwami Ginzan Silver Mine was created by volcano activities. This course follows the path of the culture created by the volcanoes around two places that developed there, Omori Town and Mononobe

Iwami Ginzan 9:00 World Heritage Center (30 min.) Approx. 7 min. by route bus World Heritage Center (depart at 9:41 am) — Omori Daikansho Ato (arrive at 9:48 am)

Reservation required D-4 Iwami Ginzan Guide Society
Scheduled one coin guided tour 10:30 Departure Townscape of

> Omori course (90 min.) Magistrate's Office Square

> > **Iwami Ginzan Park**

Approx. 10 min.

12:00

Break

13:10



#### Lunch at Omori (60 min.)

5 Strolling & souvenir shopping around the streets of Omori (70 min. in total)

Rakan-ji Temple Gohvaku-Rakan.Imo Daikan Museum(Iwami Ginzan Museum), etc.

14:20 Magistrate's Office Square

Approx. 7 min. by route bus ↑ Omori Daikansho Ato (depart at 2:28 pm) — World Heritage Center (arrive at 2:35 pm)

Iwami Ginzan World Heritage Center (catch bus)

Approx. 20 min.









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#### **Experience and learn** about Japan Heritage

Learn about Japan Heritage through exhibitions at the World Heritage Center and The Shimane Nature Museum of Mt. Sanbe "Sahimel" and experience its importance by walking in the mine shafts and the buried forests. You will also deepen your knowledge of the World Heritage.

Iwami Ginzan **World Heritage Center** (30 min.)

Reservation required D-4 9:30 On Friday, Saturday, Sunday and public holidays from March 1 to November 30 and during Obon holidays (August 13,

> **Okubo Mabu Mine Shaft** Tour of the sections opened to the public (120 min.)

Iwami Ginzan **World Heritage Center** 

Okubo Mabu Mine Shaft

Iwami Ginzan World Heritage Center



Approx. 20 min.

12:00

Break

Michi-no-Eki "Goise Nima"

Approx. 40 min.

Sanbe Azukihara Buried Forest Park (60 min.) (Sanbe Jomon no Mori Museum)

 $\binom{15}{15}$  Tane Kagura Heritage Museum regular performance

[4th Sunday of the month only]
Day performance: 2:00 pm to 3:00 pm

Approx. 10 min.

The Shimane Nature Museum of



#### Day trip or



# 4 EXPERIENCE 5 ROUTE ODA DRIVE

#### Magnificent views course

A course to enjoy the views of the rich nature of Mt. Sanbe and the drive along the coast of the Sea of Japan. Exit the mountainous area to discover the great view of the Sea of Japan spreading in front of you. Visit Japan Heritage sites while enjoying the rich nature of Oda.

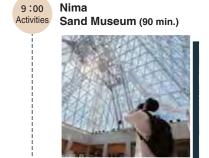


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#### An easy and joyful journey to the Japan Heritage sites

This course allows men and women alike to easily visit and enjoy their trip to Oda. You will discover and learn about Japan Heritage. Kotogahama Beach, the stone quarry, and many other sites are perfect spots to take pictures!



Approx. 10 min.



Approx. 10 min.

Michi-no-Eki "Goise Nima" (90 min.)

Approx. 20 min.





Approx. 20 min.

Yu-yu Kan (parking) Yunotsu Onsen town stroll

Day trip or stay at Yunotsu Onsen B-4



#### A trip to discover various types of peculiar rocks

The course will lead you to the various rock formations in Oda City. Each of these rock formations has its own personality and makes you feel the long history built up by nature. Some of these peculiar rocks are very impressive and must not be missed.



(MAP No. ) The Silicified Wood of Hanenishi (30 min.)



Approx. 10 min.



Approx. 20 min.





14:00 Mt. Ryugan (Tatsuiwa Rock) Approx. 20 min.

Reservation required B-5 **Fukumitsuishi Stone** quarry (60 min.)



Day trip or stay at Yunotsu Onsen B-4



#### An outdoor trip in Mt. Sanbe

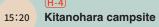
A course to enjoy outdoor activities in the middle of nature, such as climbing Mt. Sanbe and camping. You may go with friends or your family. Mt. Sanbe can be fully enjoyed every

















Kaeshi Soy Sauce



Soba noodles made by hand with 100% buckwheat flour from Sanbe. The Kaeshi Soy Sauce can be mixed with dashi to make the sobatsuyu broth.

H-5 Sanbe Onsen Soba Cafe Yumoto

1730-11 Shigaku, Sanbe-cho, Oda City, Shimane, 694-0222

**2** 0854-83-2215

Soba Manju



Rustic manju composed of dough made with buckwheat flour produced in Sanbe area and filled with homemade red bean paste. This Sanbe specialty is very popular.

H-5 Hidaka Ebisudo

932 Shigaku, Sanbe-cho, Oda City, Shimane, 694-0022

**2** 0854-83-2430

Wasabi Mayonnaise



Mayonnaise with a rich texture that contains wasabi from Sanbe-cho marinated in soy sauce. This will complement many dishes.

H-4 SANBE BURGER

1125-2 Tane, Sanbe-cho, Oda City, Shimane, 694-0003

**2** 0854-86-0200

Let's stay in one of the accommodation, facilities in Oda City

Lots of lovely accommodation facilities where you can stay and relax are available in Oda City. **Accommodations** There, you can recover from the tiredness of your journey

in the middle of a rich natural environment.

Morimoto Ryokan

0855-65-2114

Nakanoya Ryokan

0855-65-2041

HP **f y** 0

1-1 Yunotsu, Yunotsu-cho, Oda City

12-2 Yunotsu, Yunotsu-cho, Oda City

Colors of the areas

where the facilities

are located

Mt. Sanbe Area

Route 9 Area

(Oda, Hane)

\ NOTEL & GUESTHOUSE /

See also on the Web!

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Getanoha



The sweet taste of brown sugar of this baked confection will put you in a nostalgic mood. It is said to be favored by silver miners in the past.

D-4 Arima Koeido

141 Omori-cho, Oda City, Shimane, 694-0305

**7** 0854-89-0629

Sanbe Gochujang



Sanbe



A series of matured miso seasonings made with local ingredients. They are delicious with rice or bread and can be used to add flavor to dishes.

G-4 Yamano-Eki Sanbe

3294 Ikeda, Sanbe-cho, Oda City, Shimane, 694-0223

**7** 0854-83-2053

Anago Meshi



Juicy fresh conger eel from Oda City prepared with a special sauce.

D-2 Wada Chinmi Co., Ltd.

1550-1 Isotake-cho, Oda City, Shimane, 694-0035

**7** 0854-87-0611



**Tategami Rock Coffee** 



A coffee inspired by the waves of the Sea of Japan. There are two types, Aranami, which has a deep and strong taste, and Sazanami, with a fresher aroma.

G-1 Nilson Cafe

1333-1 Hane-cho, Oda City, Shimane, 699-2211

\*Please contact each maker or shop for sales information

**7** 050-5318-0993

Sachet



Hand-made sachets with the fresh scent of kuromoji flowers and herbs that grow naturally near Iwami Ginzan Silver Mine.

D-4 Kaori Honpo Nakamuraya

Tochihatadani, Ginzan, Omori-cho, Oda City, Shimane, 694-0305

**3** 0854-89-0988

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Yunotsu Beer

Yunotsu Ale



A type of beer made with local tangerines and a variety of ale prepared with local rice. The beer has great popularity as a local product.

B-4 Ogawa Shoten

65 Yunotsu, Yunotsu-cho, Oda City, Shimane, 699-2501

**2** 0855-65-2636

378-14 Oda, Oda-cho, Oda City

Shimane Prefectural Gender

Equality Center Asuterasu

236-4 Oda, Oda-cho, Oda City

**O** 0854-84-5500

**O** 0854-86-7100

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2072-1 Shigaku, Sanbe-cho, Oda City

**3** 0854-83-2011 HP f 0

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Shiki no Yado Sahimeno

2078-2 Shigaku, Sanbe-cho, Oda City

**Q** 0854-83-3001 HP H-5

Koyabara Onsen

1014-1 Koyahara, Sanbe-cho, Oda City **O** 0854-83-2101

Monte Rosa Inn

208-2 Ikeda, Sanbe-cho, Oda City **Q** 0854-83-2892

HP

Mt. Sanbe Kitanohara campsite

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Kaneko Ryokan

Oda City

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Takeda Ryokan Oda City

**Q** 0854-85-8635

Stay & Cafe Wamoto 287-1 Shizuma-cho, Oda City 0854-86-8968

HP f 0

2069-6 Yamanaka,

Yuzako Onsen Ryokan

**Q** 0854-88-4878

Sky Hotel Oda

318 Oda, Oda-cho, Oda City 0854-82-6525

1192 Kawai, Kawai-cho, Oda City

1121-1 Tane Sanbe-cho, Oda Citv **Q** 0854-86-0152

**3** 0854-85-7130

Saikai no Yakusoku Tei

**O**090-6249-6189

853-2 Amagochi, Nima-cho, Oda City **Q** 0854-88-2558

HP f

takuno guesthouse 254 Takuno, Nima-cho, Oda City

HP f 0

Iraka no Gallery Maji

**O**090-7342-4136

Tomo no Kanagura

**Q** 0854-88-3015

Iwami Ginzan Yuzuriha

3-1 Omori-cho, Oda City

0854-89-0430

7, 9-1 Omori-cho, Oda City

1830-6 Maji, Nima-cho, Oda City

714-3 Maji, Nima-cho, Oda City

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Narisuna Guesthouse

272 Maji, Nima-cho, Oda City **Q** 090-6839-8825 HP

F-2 HP

0854-82-1038

Nashi no Kihara 1370-1 Kuri, Kuri-cho, Oda City **Q** 0854-82-6870

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miyama-cho, Oda City

**3** 0854-89-0106 G-2 HP

HP

159-1 Omori-cho, Oda City **Q** 0854-89-0022

Kurasuyado Takyo Abeke

HP **f** Ø Manabi no Yado Muneokake 164 Omori-cho, Oda City

Hiroshimava Rvokan

0855-65-2017

205-10 Yunotsu, Yunotsu-cho, Oda City

202-1 Yunotsu, Yunotsu-cho, Oda City

191 Yunotsu, Yunotsu-cho, Oda City

50-10 Yunotsu, Yunotsu-cho, Oda City

54 Yunotsu, Yunotsu-cho, Oda City

**Q** 0855-65-4894

HP f ¥

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0855-65-2008

0855-65-2008

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Hosen Nagaya

0855-65-2008

Seisenkan

HP Ø

32 Yunotsu, Yunotsu-cho, Oda City 0854-89-9003 (House of the Kumagai Family important cultural property)

0855-65-2515 HP

Nogawaya Ryokan

0855-65-2811

Ryokan Masuya

HP **f** 

30 Yunotsu, Yunotsu-cho, Oda City

Shukubo Shimizudaishi

♦ 408 Kohama, Yunotsu-cho, Oda City **Q** 0855-65-3000

Yururi

HISOM

HP f 0

Tomoru

HP **f y** ⊚

201 Yunotsu, Yunotsu-cho, Oda City

**Q** 090-9349-6558 HP f 0

090-9349-6558 (Nima)

Omori Area

119 Yunotsu, Yunotsu-cho, Oda City Yunotsu Area

**Q** 090-9349-6558

HP f 0 ...Phone number Laundry, Kitchen & **Dormitory WATOWA** 

19 Yunotsu, Yunotsu-cho, Oda City **O**90-9349-6558 HP f 0

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