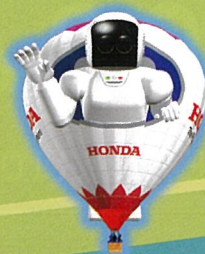
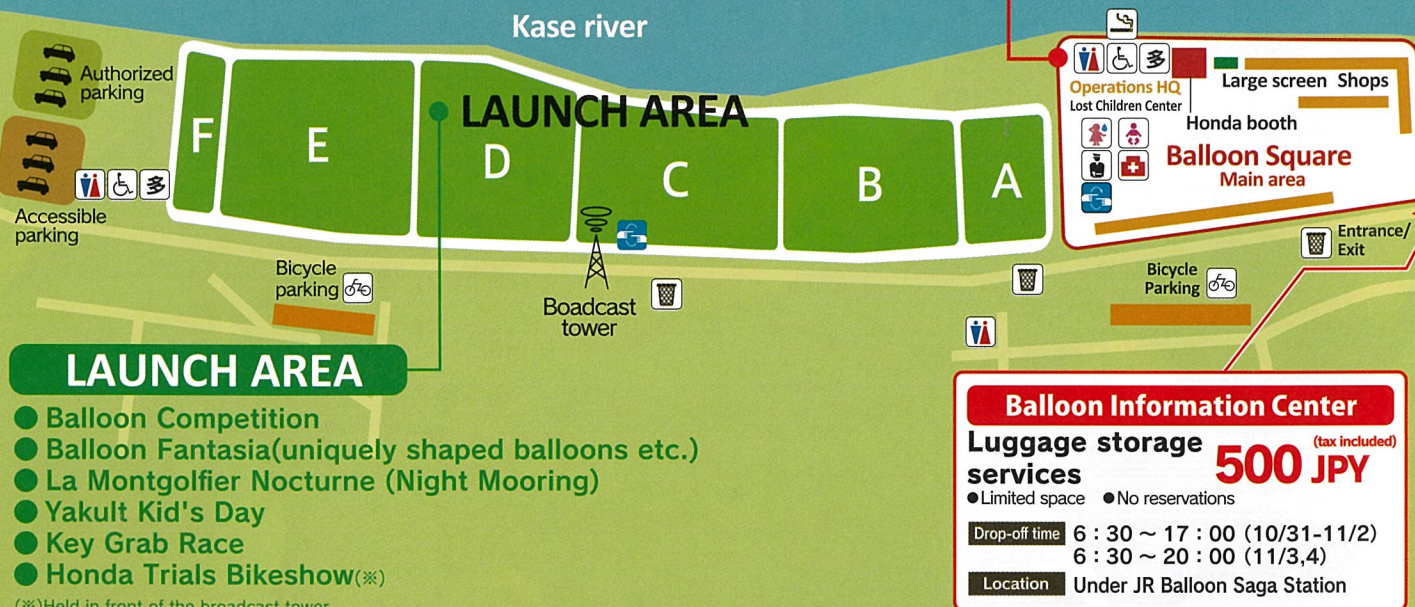


- Restrooms Police station Taxi Smoking area
 - Universal restroom Trash station Sign language corner
 - Accessible restroom Lost Children Center First aid station
 - Balloon Information Center Baby room Bicycle parking
- Please note that the venue is very crowded. Parents and guardians are encouraged to place wristbands on their children, which are available at various locations throughout the venue.



BALLOON PLAZA

See what Honda has on display! Honda Booth
A wide range of Honda products, including cars, motorcycles, and power equipment, will be on display. There will also be plenty of events, like a photo spot where you can take a commemorative photo in a balloon basket. Come and have fun at the Honda booth.



LAUNCH AREA

- Balloon Competition
- Balloon Fantasia(uniquely shaped balloons etc.)
- La Montgolfier Nocturne (Night Mooring)
- Yakult Kid's Day
- Key Grab Race
- Honda Trials Bikeshow(※)

(※)Held in front of the broadcast tower

Balloon Information Center
Luggage storage services **500 JPY** (tax included)
● Limited space ● No reservations
Drop-off time 6:30 ~ 17:00 (10/31-11/2)
6:30 ~ 20:00 (11/3,4)
Location Under JR Balloon Saga Station

About the Competition

The competition is a team event with the pilots and their ground crews work together.
Those who can read the wind and make quick decisions will prevail!
The pilot who drops their marker closest to the target will earn the highest score!



Parking area shuttlebus
10/31-11/2 5:45-18:00
11/3,11/4 5:45-21:00
Bus stop : north of Recreation Square,P5,P6,P7,P9

Kase River

Route of the parking area shuttlebus



Shuttlebus stop
[Bound for temporary parkings, Downtown, Shichimensou Festival Ground
Note: This is not a parking area shuttlebus.]

The 13th Kase Scarecrow Festival
A variety of scarecrows are waiting for you
Location: Disaster Prevention Station
Inquiries: 0952-26-5208 (Kase Community Center)

Lunch bus station

Enjoy the hot springs and meals. [Reservations required]

ONCRI lunch bus
0952-51-8111

11/2-11/4
[Leaves at 10:00 Returns at 14:30]
[Fee]
Adults: 4,400JPY
Children: 2,200JPY (ages under 13)



Recreation Square

Saga specialty products available in the Balloon mall



Umakamon Market (Food Court)

From the mountains to the sea, all of Saga's delicacies are gathered here. Products are sold directly by their producers and there's also a restaurant corner to enjoy.

Opens at 7:30 AM

Furusato Bussankan (Local Market Area)

An area which is full of locally produced gifts and souvenirs unique to Saga.

Opens at 7:30 AM

2024 Saga International Balloon Fiesta Schedule

	7:00	8:00	9:00	10:00	11:00	12:00	13:00	14:00	15:00	16:00	17:00	18:00	19:00	20:00
10/31(Thu)	Competition Flight	Balloon Fantasia					Balloon Classroom			Competition Flight				
11/1(Fri)	Competition Flight	Balloon Fantasia					Balloon Classroom			Competition Flight				
11/2(Sat)	Competition Flight	Balloon Fantasia			11:00~		Balloon Classroom	14:00~		Competition Flight				
11/3(Sun)	Competition Flight	Balloon Fantasia			11:00~		Balloon Classroom	14:00~		Competition Flight				
11/4(Mon)	Competition Flight	Balloon Fantasia					Balloon Classroom			Key Grab Race				

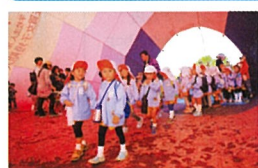
Note: The schedule is subject to change.

Balloon Fantasia



You can see a lot of cute and attractive balloons. Popular character/animal-shaped ones are waiting for you.

Yakult Kid's Day



Laering about balloons for kids. Here' s your chance to step inside a balloon. Emergency response vehicles will also be displayed.

Honda Trials Bike Show



Top riders showcase their bike skills. One after another, the riders will show their techniques while navigating the course obstacles.

La Montgolfier Nocturne (Night Mooring)



As twilight arrives, balloons begin to glow! Accompanied by music, roughly 50 balloons are illuminated by the beautiful light of their burners in a fantastic display.

Will the balloons fly today?

Check here for the latest information of the day on the advisability of the competitions or simultaneous take-off.

CHECK HERE FOR MORE



WEB cast of the competitions/venue

Watch and experience the techniques and tactics of the balloon pilots and their crews in the skies of Saga.

CHECK HERE FOR MORE



The contents of the competition, as well as the start and end times, are subject to change based on wind, rain and other conditions. The morning competition may end before 9:00 AM, and the evening one may end before 5:00 PM.

Recreation Square Event Stage

The event stage opens at 8:00 AM each day.

Feel free to use it as a resting area between events.

Performance times and artists are subject to change due to weather and other factors. We appreciate your understanding.

10/31 Thu

11:00 START
Saga prefecture Police Music Corps Balloon Concert

12:00 START
Kyushu 5-city Tourism Ambassador PR Stage



13:30 START
POP SHOT 2024 Vol.1
[Performer] Mika Hirakawa

11/1 Fri

11:00 START
Chiney Koga Henmen & Magic Show



12:00 START
Balloon Twister Marco Balloon Art Show



13:30 START
POP SHOT 2024 Vol.2
[Performer] BLUE ROSE (Japan University of Economics)

11/2 Sat

9:30 START
presented by Yamashiro Gas Yamashiron Special Show
Jonetsu no Aoi Honoo (Passionate Blue Flame)



10:45 START
Balloons and Music Vol.1
[Performer] KEITAKU · Kazuki Nozoe



13:00 START
NBC RADIO Balloon Stage Part 1 Emotion Supply feat.ZERO SAGA
[Performer] Elki Tokumaru · Satoru Nakagaki · Hitoshi Murayama

11/3 Sun

10:00 START
POP SHOT 2024 Vol.3
[Performer] DANCE ACADEMY KALDIA · Nā Mamo 'O Leihā'aheo



12:00 START
Yoshino Chitose Talk & Live Show
[Performer] Yoshino Chitose



14:00 START
Balloons and Music Vol.2
[Performer] LarmeR · SOTOni · OT-EN-TO · REINCARNATION · Kentaro Maeda · nomadic teller

11/4 Mon

10:00 START
POP SHOT 2024 Vol.4
[Performer] Tamaki Hagiwara · Nagisa Takazono · Miyo Akiyama · Momoha Asumi



12:30 START MUSIC CAMP 2024
[Navigator] Keigo Kihara & Spirits
[Performer] Steve Fox (from. GODIEGO) · Masayuki Tanaka (ex.Crystal King) · Tomoko Kuwae · Yoshiaki Ueda (from. The Wild Ones) · Yoshiyuki Ohsawa · KISS face · Pinky Sky