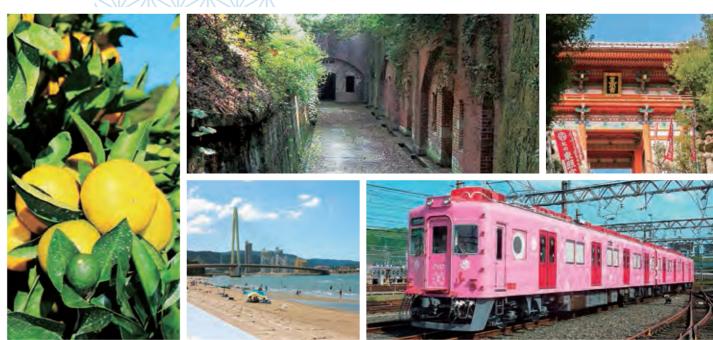








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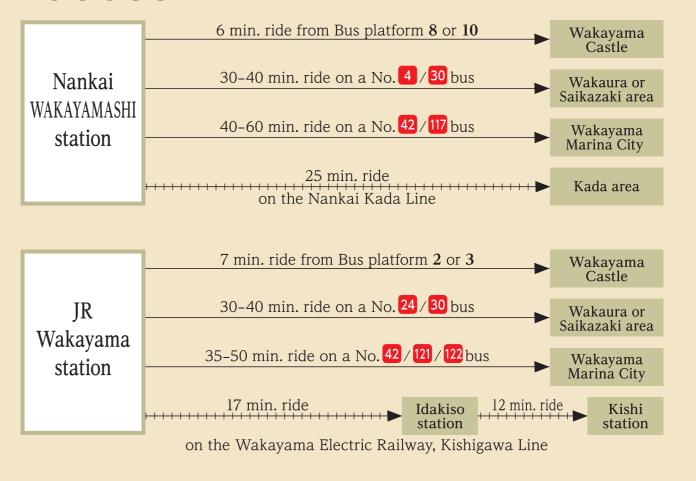
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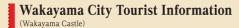


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Access





Wakayama Bus

OP 9:00-17:45 CL Dec.29-31 A short walk from the SHIYAKUSHOM. 15-minute walk from the Nankai WAKAYAMASHI stat

3 Ichibancho, Wakayama City

Tourist Exchange Center

Sunday and Natural holidays 8:30-17: Cl Dec.29-Jan.3 Go out of the central exit of JR Wakayama station, and go down the stairs.

5-13-2 Misonocho, Wakayama Cit

(in Wakachika Hiroba)

Wakayama City Tourist Information (Nankai WAKAYAMASHI station

OP 8:30-17:00 CL Dec.29-Jan.3 Around the bus term 23 Higashikuramaecho,





available at approx, 30 facilities along the bus routes. (Provided upon purchase)







+81-73-435-1185

Wakayama Electric Railway Kishigawa Line

One day ticket

One day pass



Wakayama Free Pass 1 day Adult 1,600yen, Child 800yen

Includes coupons for special benefits, available at approx 50 facilities along the





Rental Fee

Adult 1,000yen

Adult 780yen

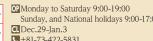
Child 390yen

500yen

Child

Regular-type bicycle 500yen/day Sports-type bicycle 700yen/day Electric bicycle 1,000yen/day

You can make a reservation



(Wakachika Hiroba in front of IR Wakayama station)





The KOENMAR E bus stop 7 minutes by bus from the JR W 15-minute walk from the Nankai W 15-minute

the KOENMAE bus stop 7 minutes by bus from the JR Wakayama station

Wakayama Castle was built in 1585 by the order of Hideyoshi Toyotomi. After the downfall of Toyotomi Family, Yorinobu, the 10th son of Ieyasu Tokugawa, became the lord of the castle. It is one of the most highly rated castles in Japan. There are 600 cherry blossom trees inside the castle, and it is now famous for its cherry blossom. The cherry blossom festival is from late March to early April.

Castle Tower

The original castle tower was a wooden building built over 400 years ago, but it was rebuilt in 1958 with concrete

The purpose of the castle tower was not living, but for the storage of weapons and armors.

Nowadays, the castle tower is used as the exhibit for weapons and armors from the Edo period and items related to the Tokugawa Family. *Edo Period 1603-1867

© 9:00–17:30 (Last entry 17:00) CLDec.29–31

¥Adult 410yen, Child 200yen

Ninomaru 二の丸

The lord of the castle was living in Honmaru until early Edo period, but due to the inconvenient location of Honmaru, he moved to Ninomaru. Ninomaru was also the administrative building for officials to carry out governmental duties.

The ladies-in-waiting lived in the building lined in Ninomaru. Now, Ninomaru is a space for the general public to



Pay attention to the stone walls!

The construction method of the stone walls differ by the time period. Look for











Momijidani Teien Garden

A rare garden where part of the moat of the castle became a pond and the luxurious blue stones from Wakayama were used to build the garden. Now it is famous for its red autumn leaves and the best season to see it from late November to early December.

OP 9:00-17:00 CL Dec.29-31



oshoan Tea House

A tea house in Momijidani Tejen Garden, built in 1974 by the founder of Panasonic Corporation, Konosuke Matsushita, who was born in Wakayama.

with a sweet (460yen)

OP 9:00-16:30 CL Dec.29-Jan.3 L+81-73-431-8648



Ohashi-roka **Bridge**

御橋廊下

A wooden bridge with walls and roofs built for the lord to go between Ninomaru and Nishinomaru without being seen. It was only used by the lord and his close attendants.

OP 9:00-17:00



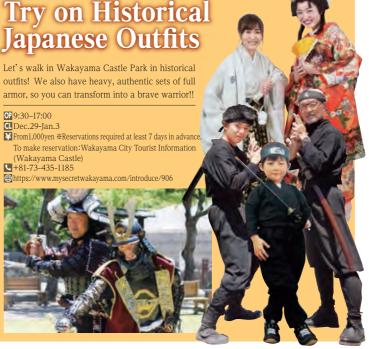
Okaguchi-mon Gate

The original front gate when the castle was built Turret was built on top of the gate where the soldiers



Try on Historical

To make reservation: Wakayama City Tourist Information



Oimawashi-mon Gate

追廻門

The Oimawashi-mon Gate is at the southwest direction looking from the lord's room (Ninomaru). This means bad luck in the Yin-yang philosophy. Therefore the gate was painted vermilion to prevent bad



Wakayama Park Zoo 和歌山公園動物園

A zoo in the castle which is rare nationwide.

There are approximately 30 species of animals such as black bear, ponies, penguins, and aquatic birds.

OP 9:00-17:00 **CL** Tuesday (or the following day when Tuesday is a national holida



Wakayama Historical Center

わかやま歴史館

Introduces the history and culture of Wakayama Castle, as well as great and notable persons from Wakayama using video and other media.

0 9:00-17:30 (Last entry 17:00) Cl Dec.29-31 ¥Adult 100ven

Child (15 years old and under) fre *Combo Ticket for this center and Wakayama Castle Tower also

available. +81-73-435-1044



Get Wakayama City Souvenirs from here! Wakayama City Souvenir Shop

(the 1st floor of Wakayama Histori





Makaura, Kimiidera, Saikazaki

和歌浦、紀三井寺、雑賀崎

The Holy-Land-of-Waka "Wakanoura"

1300 years ago, when the emperor visited Wakayama, he was touched by the lively tidal flats of Wakanoura. The court poet accompanied the emperor wrote poem based on this scenery. The poem was so magnificent that it became the model of waka (traditional Japanese poetry).

Tamatsushima-jinja Shrine





A shrine located at the bottom of the rock mountains of Tamatsushima facing the tidal flats. Since the goddess of Waka, Sotoorihime, is enshrined here, the emperors and poets came here to pray and dedicated their waka to this shrine.

- A short walk from the TAMATSUSHIMA-IINJAMAE bus stop

Kimii-dera Temple 紀三井寺

Kimiidera Temple has a rich history of being the second pilgrimage site of Saigoku Kannon Pilgrimage. The name of the temple Kimii-dera (紀三井寺) means the temple (tera/dera, 寺) in Kishu Wakayama (Ki, 紀) which has three (mi, \equiv) natural fountains (i, #). The three fountains are Shojosui, which purifies the impurities; Yoryusui, which cures illnesses; Kissyosui, which brings luck. You can enjoy the view of Wakaura from the temple.

¥Adult 200yen Child 100yen

10-minute walk from the KIMIIDERA bus stop 10-minute walk from the IR Kimiidera station

21201 Kimiidera, Wakayama City







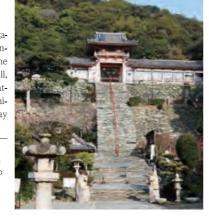
Wakaura Tenman-gu **Shrine**

和歌浦天満宮

warano Michizane, is enshrined here. This shrine is built on the stone wall, and the inside is decorated with sculptures of animals and flowers to pray for world peace.

○P 9:00-17:00 5-minute walk from the GONGENMAE bus stop 2-1-24 Wakaura-nishi.

Wakayama City L+81-73-444-4769



The Holy-Land of Tokugawa Family "Wakanoura"

Wakanoura was the holy land of Tokugawa Family 400 years ago when Ieyasu Tokugawa's 10th son, Yorinobu, became the lord of the castle

Yorinobu built Tosho-gu Shrine on the mountain over at the Northwest side of Wakanoura to worship his father, and Tahoto (a two-story pagoda) on Mt. Imose in memory of his mother, Yojuin

Also, he built Sandan-kyo Bridge that brought the public to Kankaikaku (the ocean-view palace) on Mt. Imose.









Kishu Tosho-gu Shrine

The shrine was built to pray for the prosperity of the Tokugawa Family and is luxuriously decorated under Yorinobu's order with sculptures that reminds him of the early days when he went on practice falconry with his father, Ieyasu, and the story of "Toryumon" which a carp went up stream against a waterfall and finally became a dragon. The path way to the shrine is lined with 80 stone lanterns dedicated by the retainers of Tokugawa Family. The 108 stone stairs named Samuraizaka which was also piled up by the retainers represents the number

○P 9:00-17:00 **¥** Free

*To enter the main building of the shrine: Adult 500yen, Child 250yen

of earthly desires of human beings.

A short walk from the GONGENMAE bus stop 2-1-20 Wakaura-nishi, Wakayama City



Wakamatsuri

The grand rite and festival started in 1622 at Kishu Tosho-gu Shrine has continued for almost 400 years. The highlight of this festival is "Mikoshioroshi" which about 100 young men carry the Mikoshi (a carriage represents the God) that weighs about one ton to go down the stone stairs.

People dress in colourful costumes to march along with the Mikoshi. There are also other performances along the side for the audiences to enjoy, such as "menkaburi" where people put on interesting masks to surprise





Yosuien Garden

A Japanese Garden which incorporated a part of the scenery of Wakanoura, was built by the 10th lord of the castle, Harutomi Tokugawa. The connecting corridor inside Yosuitei (a building inside Yosuien Garden) is slanted, so in order to adjust to angle of the corridor, the tatami mats and the paper sliding doors are rhombus-shaped.

Sep.-Mar. 9:00-17:00

¥ Adult 600yen, Child 300yen

1 7-minute walk from the YOSUIENMAE bus stop Q1164 Nishihama, Wakayama City

+81-73-444-1430

Bandoko Teien Garden

A gun battery and a guardhouse was installed at the tip of the promontory in 1854 in order to prevent the invasion of enemy warships. Nowadays, it is a lovely garden with pine trees and lawns.

OF Apr.-Aug. 9:00-18:00 Sep.-Mar. 8:00-17:00

¥Adult 600yen, Child 300yen Pay parking available

15-minute walk from the SAIKAZAKI-YUEN

Saikazaki-banshonohana,Wakayama City +81-73-444-6533



Kada, Tomogashima Islands

Jinoshima Island

Tomogashima Islands

A desert island with a mixture of nature and history.

Tomogashima is the general name for the cluster of islands, Okinoshima Island, Jinoshima

Island, Torajima Island, Kamijima Island. There are the remaining of six gun batteries and ammunition dump used during WWII on the islands. Now you can hike and camp on the Okinoshima Is-



Wednesday and Dec.29-Jan.3 *Available on Saturday, Sunday and National holidays during winter season (Dec.1 - Feb.28) ¥Fare/Adult Round 2,000yen Kamijima Child Round 1,000ven Island

 20-minute walk from the Nankai KADA station to Kada port.

About 20 minutes by ferry from Kada port to Nonaura Sanbashi Pier +81-73-459-1333

Okinoshima Island



Recommended hiking route

Nonaura Sanbashi Pier 0.9 20 The Ruins of the 2nd Weapons Battery 0.3 10

the Nankai Kada Line.

The Ruins of the 3rd Weapons Battery 0.9 20 Nonaura Sanbashi Pier

Take the Medetai Train to Kada!

Runs between WAKAYAMASHI station and KADA station on

Torajima Island

Awashima-Jinja Shrine 淡嶋神社

Enshrines the God that guards women. Visitors from all over the country come here to pray for the health of women and the safe delivery of babies. This shrine is also famous for its enormous collections of dolls. The grounds of the shrine line with a great number of dolls every year on March 3rd, when the doll floating festival happens.

0 9:00-17:00 About 20-minute walk from the Nankai





A compact resort island with hotel, hot spring, market, and amusement park.

■No scheduled holiday *Depends on facilities

A short walk from the Marina City bus stop 35 minutes by bus from the IR Wakayama station 40 minutes by bus from the Nankai WAKAYAMASHI station

Wakayama Marina City 和歌山マリーナシティ

1527 Kemi, Wakayama City

ttp://www.marinacity.com/eng



forms three times a day.

and can be taken to the BBQ area.

010:00-17:00 *Depends on the season (BBQ area 11:00-17:00) Tuna cutting show: three times a day (Starting at 11:00, 12:30, 15:00)









Porto Europa

ポルトヨーロッパ

An amusement park that resembles the townscape of Europe. There are lots of great photo spots!

+81-570-064-358

Spa Kishu Kuroshio

Hot spring with breathtaking views out to the horizon, perfected with bedrock bath and sauna.

3 minutes on foot from Wakayama Marina City Hotel.

OF 10:00-24:00 (Last entry 23:00) ¥Entrance fee with Towel Rental Adult (over 11 years old) 1,000yen Child (3-11 years old) 600yen





Sushi Making Experience

Let's learn how to make authentic sushi and Japanese culture. You will have a chance to try the sushi you made and receive a certificate!



Fishing Park

You can experience fishing without bringing any fishing gear. Fishing rod rental available. Fish oait available for purchase.

OP Nov.-Mar. 7:00-17:00 Apr.-Oct. 6:00-18:00 ¥ Adult (over 11 years old) 1,000yen



Kinokuni **Fruit Market**

紀ノ国フルーツ村

This market sells fresh fruits and vegetables produced in Wakayama. You can also get fresh juice made with Wakayama mandarin orange. peach, and so on.

0P10:00-17:00 *Depends on the season



Wakayama Marina City Hotel

和歌山マリーナシティホテル

All of the guest rooms have a view of the ocean. You can watch Tuna cutting sho every morning during breakfast.

■A short walk from the WAKAYAMAKAN-MAE bus stop

№ 1517 Kemi, Wakayama City









Beach

Hamanomiya Beach

浜の宮ビーチ

A resort-like beach with sidewalks covered in blue tile and palm trees swinging on the side. Stand Up Paddleboarding avail-

10 minite walk from the HAMANOMIYA

Kemi, Wakayama City +81-73-431-7266





Stand Up Paddleboarding

Stand Up Paddleboarding (SUP) is a water sport which you stand on a board and use a paddle to propel yourself. SUP trains the core of your body! Board rental and beginner lessons available.

Saturday, Sunday and National holidays 10:00-18:00 **CL** Wednesday

¥2 hours Stand Up Paddleboarding lesson

3,800yen (Tax Included) *Starting at 10:00 or 13:00

*Reservation required at least 2 days in advance.
1 10-minute walk from the HAMANOMIYA bus stop

989 Kemi, Wakayama City





Isonoura Beach

磯の浦海水浴場

A surfing spot in Wakayama. The best time for surfing is from May to Octo-

There is a surf shop near the beach that provides board rental. Lessons are available for beginners.

A short walk from the Nankai ISONOURA

♥386-2 Isonoura, Wakayama City +81-73-452-2737



Café Glück

Located right in front of Isonoura beach where you can enjoy the dazzling ocean-view and sunset.

Cl Thursday

Kada Beach

加太海水浴場

on the beach.

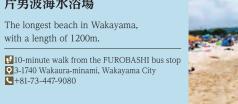
A secret spot well known by the locals. You can enjoy BBQ 15-minute walk from the Nankai KADA station +81-73-459-2457



Kataonami **Beach**

片男波海水浴場

with a length of 1200m.





Fruit Picking

Strawberry Picking

Large and sweet strawberries for picking and all you can eat! The sweetness and aroma of strawberries will spread in your mouth.

© Early Feb.- mid May 9:00-15:00 (last entry 14:00) ¥ Adult 1,500yen

15-minute walk from the Kishi station on the Wakayama Electric Railway, Kishigawa Line ☑ Kishigawa Strawberry Farm

238 Kodo, Kishigawacho, Kinokawa City 481-736-64-7212



Orange Picking

Hayashi Orange Farm is the only Mikan (Mandarin Orange) orchard in the city without going up the mountains. You can pick and eat Mikan as much as you want.

PEarly Oct.- mid Dec. 10:00-16:00 Adult 1,200 yen (Tax Excluded)

Child (4-12 years old) 600 yen (Tax Excluded) 10-minute walk from the JR Kimiidera station Hayashi Orange Farm

673 Kimiidera, Wakayama City



Garden

Wakayama Castle

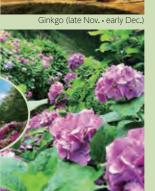
■ A short walk from the SHIYAKUSHOMAE or the KOENMAE bus stop 7 minutes by bus from the JR Wakayama station

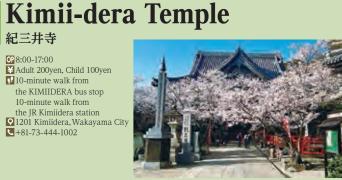
15-minute walk from the Nankai WAKAYAMASHI stati

Yosuien Garden

OP Apr.-Aug. 9:00-18:00 Sep.-Mar. 9:00-17:00 7-minute walk from the YOSUIENMAE bus stop







Shinrin Park

№ 30-minute walk from the HINOGUCH bus stop **○** 600-1 Miyama, Wakayama City

10-minute walk from the KIMIIDERA bus stop

10-minute walk from

+81-73-444-1002

the JR Kimiidera station



Shiki-no-sato Park

四季の郷公園

OP 9:00-17:00 Cl Tuesday, Dec.29 - Jan.3 25-minute walk from Idakiso statio

the Wakayama Electric Railwa Kishigawa Line 85 Myooii, Wakayama City







Wakayama Electric Railway, Kishigawa Line

At Kishi Station, the end of the Wakayama Electric Railway, Kishigawa Line, there is a cute kitty-stationmaster TAMA II (NITAMA). She has assumed the role since original stationmaster TAMA passed away. The station building, with its design inspired by TAMA, houses a cozy café and souvenir shop. In addition, they operate 4 unique trains such as TAMADEN (Tama-themed train), OMODEN (toy-themed train), ICHIGO EC (strawberry-themed train) and UMEBOSHI DENSHA (umeboshi-themed train).





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○P9:15-17:15 **○**3rd Wednesday







"Honorable Eternal Stationmaster". Now Tama welcomes many passengers at Tama Shrine on the platform at Kishi station.



Gourmet

*Please search on "my secret Wakayama" website for more information on gourmet in Wakayama City! thttps://www.mysecretwakayama.com/cat/eat



Ramen

ラーメン

Wakayama Ramen as known as chuka soba has two different flavours. One is the refreshing soy sauce soup base, the other one is the rich pork bone stock soup base. The local style is to have Wakayama Ramen with hayanarezushi (Fermented Mackerel sushi) and boiled



Please search on "my secret Wakayama" website for more details on Wakayama Ramen shops.

ttps://www.mysecretwakayama.com/cat/ramen



that can make you fully enjoy the savory taste of the sea bream caught in Kada) that won the 2017 Wakayama Local

Since Osakaya Hiinanoyu also has hot spring facilities, one day plan includes lunch and hot spring is recommended.





Osakaya Hiinanoyu 大阪屋ひいなの湯

142 Kada, Wakayama City +81-73-459-1151



Katsugyo Ryori **Inasa** 活魚料理 いなさ **OP** 11:00-21:00 **CL** Tuesday

If you want to enjoy red sea bream, you must try Inasa's red sea bream hot pot!

You can enjoy the fresh red sea bream and seafood caught from Kada fishing harbour right in front of this









Yasaiya Sai 野菜家さい

A Spanish bar with vegetable sommelier.

The vegetable bagna càuda parfait is recommended. This restaurant is very popular among females who are highly interested in beauty and health.

OP Lunch: Monday - Friday 11:30-14:00 Dinner:18:00-23:00

15-minute walk from the JR Wakayama station

15 Hatayashiki-sentaibutsucho, Wakayama City

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Café & Dining Bar Riche カフェ&ダイニングパーリシェ

Riche has not only a variety of wine and beer for you to choose, but also Kumano pork.

It is also an excellent location to see the Wakayama Castle. The Tourist Information Center Wakayama is next to Riche.

Friday and Saturday 11:00-24:00 A short walk from the KOENMAE bus stop About 10-minute walk from the Nankai

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AGARA

Wakayama Beer Brewery Sandaime 和歌山麦酒醸造所 三代目

You will have a chance to try the local Wakayama beer "AGARA" at this restaurant. They also serve dishes that go well with its craft beer. The brewery attached to the restaurant brews beer twice a week.

A short walk from the KYOBASHI bus stop
15-minute walk from the Nankai WAKAYAMASHI station

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Bagus バグース

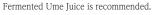
This beach bar opens when summer comes. You can enjoy the sea breeze on the beach while time passes slowly. You can also stay at the ryokan "Kimu-

rava" right by the beach and enjoy Bagus

OP late Apr.- early Oct. 16:00-23:00

Saturday, Sunday and National holidays 12:00-23:30 A short walk from the SHINWAKAURA bus stop

2-2 Shinwakaura, Wakayama City +81-73-444-2559











Mokuren 珈琲もくれん

Coffee shop and café located in an old alley built in 1951. They provide rich flavor coffee made with original coffee beans and carefully brewed with flannel drip. Many local customers come here for the various types of coffee beans and the daily specials. You can also buy the coffee beans from the shop.





Cl Wednesday 3-minute walk from the

SHIMAZAKICHO-GOCHOME bus stop

3-27 Shimazakicho, Wakayama City

*Please search on "my secret Wakayama" website for more information on accommodation in Wakayama City! the https://www.mysecretwakayama.com/cat/stay



National Park Resort Kyukamura Kishu-Kada 休暇村紀州加太

Enjoy the breathtaking sunset of Awaji Island from the guest rooms or the outdoor hot spring. You can relax at the beauty salon after having a feast with plenty of sea bream, wild longtooth grouper, and other seasonal ingredients. This hotel also provides Japanese sweets making classes on Tuesdays and Fridays from 7:30pm (fees will be applied).

10 minutes by taxi

+81-73-459-0321

from the Nankai KADA station

(free shuttle bus available)

483 Miyama, Wakayama City

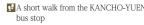






Isaribi-no-Yado Seaside Kancho 漁火の宿シーサイド観潮

A ryokan (Japanese-style inn) inside the fishing village at Wakaura area. The dishes are made with fresh seafood caught at Saikazaki Fishing Harbour right in front of the hotel. If you wake up early in the morning, you might be able to watch the fishing boats leaving the harbour.



Free shuttle bus service available from the IR Wakayama station and the Nankai WAKAYAMASHI station (need reservation)

282 Tano, Wakayama City +81-73-444-0111

ttp://www.rvokan-kancho.com





Wakanoura Onsen Manpa Resort 和歌浦温泉 萬波

Located beside the cliff of Wakaura coast, where you can enjoy the splendid ocean-view

Provides fresh seafood for dinner. This hotel has a restaurant with an open kitchen where you can see how your food is cooked. Accessible bath is also popular.

A short walk from the SHINWAKA-YUEN bus stop Free shuttle bus service available from the IR Wakayama station and the Nankai WAKAYAMASHI station

2-10 Shinwakaura, Wakayama City +81-73-444-1161 ttp://www.rvokan-manpa.com







Osakaya Hiinanoyu 大阪屋ひいなの湯 Developed along with the history of Kada fishing village. The Japanese

style course dinner created by the executive chef is recommended. The skin-beautifying hot spring is

6 minutes by taxi from the Nankai KADA station 18-minute walk from the Nankai KADA station 142 Kada, Wakayama City

+81-73-459-1151 ttp://www.hiina.com (IF







Seaside Hotel **Kadakaigetsu** シーサイドホテル 加太海月

You can expect skin beautifying effects from the skin moisturizing and slimy hot spring.

Enjoy BBQ at Kada Terrace while looking out at Tomogashima Islands. 2 minutes away from Kada Beach by car.

5 minutes by taxi from the Nankai KADA station. 25-minute walk from the Nankai KADA station 1905 Kada, Wakayama City

+81-73-459-0015







Guesthouse Rico ゲストハウスリコ

A share house renovated into a lodging facility. It is one of the popular gathering spots for the backpackers traveling in Wakayama. You can enjoy the café and bar without staving here for the night.

4-minute walk from the MIKIMACHI-SHINTORI bus stop







