

GOSHIKINUMA NATURE TRAIL & TSURUGA CASTLE

(2517196A)



TOUR DATE: Saturday, July 15

TOUR COST: \$81 Adult \$56 Junior (6 ~ 14) \$39 Child
\$41.00 for Bluejacket E1-E4 Eligible Only (No Mileage Point)

MILEAGE: 800 km

DESCRIPTION:

Ura-Bandai, is in Fukushima Prefecture, designated as National Park which surrounded by beautiful mountains, Mt. Bandai, Mt. Adatara and Mt. Agatsuma offered natural scenic beauty. Escape the hustle and bustle of everyday life and having blissful moment by this tour! On the Goshikinuma (means five color's ponds) Nature Trail, you can be enchanted by the ponds that have different shades of mysterious color. Those unusual sceneries were created by several time of eruption of Mt. Bandai in 1888, so it is exactly natural gift! (<https://guides-japan.com/spots/detail/2015/Goshiki-numa>) After lunch, we will take you to Tsuruga castle. Originally built in 1384, the city flourished as a center of warrior culture. The castle was destroyed soon after the collapse of the Tokugawa shogunate. The existing main donjon, a reconstruction undertaken in 1965, houses a Folklore Museum with nationally designated Important Cultural Properties and other historical materials on display (<http://www.tsurugajo.com/language/eng/index.html>). Last stop will be Suehiro SAKE Brewing Factory, the brewery guide will instruct us the method of Japanese wine (SAKE) with its tasting called KIKIZAKE (<http://www.tif.ne.jp/lang/en/foods/topic.html?id=17&category=5>).

CANCELLATION POLICY:

Cancellations can be made by phone or walk-in during ITT Office hours of operation.

If guest cancellation is made by July 12 -	100% Refund
If guest cancellation is made on July 13 -	20% deductible is assessed
If guest cancellation is made on July 14 -	30% deductible is assessed
All other cancellations or failure to show for tour	No Refund

MEALS:

It is recommended that you bring enough yen to cover the cost of meals and snacks.

SPECIAL NOTES:

Please notify ITT staff of any special needs you may have that may impact the tour; e.g. wheelchair accessibility, physical or health disabilities, etc.

Please wear hiking shoes and bring another layer for maximum comfort or rain gear in case of rain.

Tour is not recommended for children below 4 years due to the long drive.

PICK-UP TIME:

Ikego departure time - 0330 (by request only)

TOUR SCHEDULE:

0415	Depart from behind MWR Building (behind STARBUCKS)
1000	Arrive Goshikinuma/enjoy Nature Trail
1215	Depart Goshikinuma
1315	Arrive Arrive Tsuruga Castle/Lunch
1545	Depart Tsuruga Castle
1600	Arrive Suehiro SAKE Factory
1700	Depart Suehiro SAKE Factory
	Drop-off at Ikego
2300	Arrive behind MWR Building

FOR DETAILS, CONTACT ITT AT 241-5056.