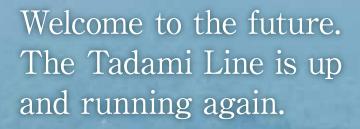


Tadami Line Usage Promotion Council, Fukushima Prefecture



The Tadami Line is 135 km long, and connects Aizu-Wakamatsu Station in Fukushima Prefecture with Koide Station in Niigata Prefecture.

The line suffered extensive damages from torrential rain in Niigata and Fukushima in 2011, resulting in a closure from Aizu-Kawaguchi Station to Tadami Station. However, strong local enthusiasm to restore the Tadami Line had led to it being fully operational as of October 1, 2022.

This moment has been eagerly anticipated by everyone involved with the line. Station to station. Person to person. Heart to heart. The restoration of the Tadami Line has connected so many things back together again.

The moment has finally arrived. The Tadami Line welcomes you to the future.

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The Road to Resumption of Full Operation of the Tadami Line

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The torrential rain in Niigata and Fukushima in July 2011 resulted in bridges getting destroyed, collapses from mudslides, and other catastrophic damage to the Tadami Line. There were momentary concerns that restoration would be too difficult to accomplish, but local enthusiasm to completely restore the line and the intensive efforts of those involved led to restoration work commencing between Aizu-Kawaguchi and Tadami in June 2018. The line fully reopened on October 1, 2022.

2011	July 27-30	The Tadami Line suffers damage due to torrential rain in Niigata and Fukushima. Bridges #5, 6, and 7 over the Tadami River between Aizu-Kawaguchi and Aizu-Oshio are swept away, as is the road between Aizu-Sakamoto and Aizu-Yanaizu, disconnecting the region from Aizu-Bange to Koide.
2013	November 10	JR Tadami Line Reconstruction Promotion Council established to strengthen cooperation aimed at the restoration and reconstruction of the Tadami Line, investigate usage promotion measures, etc.
2016	December 26	Policies to restore the railway through a two-tiered system adopted by Fukushima Prefecture and local governments along the railway line.
2017	June 19	Fukushima Prefecture and JR East agree to restore the railway between Aizu-Kawaguchi and Tadami through a two-tiered system.
2018	June 15	Restoration work stars, with the aim of completion in 2021.
2020	March 14	KiHa E120 resumes operation between Aizu-Wakamatsu and Aizu-Kawaguchi.
2021	July 10	Ozatoro Observation Train resumes operation between Aizu-Wakamatsu and Aizu-Kawaguchi.
(August 29	Fiftieth anniversary of the completion of the Tadami Line.
2022	October 1	Line fully reopens.



Bridge #5 over the Tadami Rive after suffering damages



Bridge #6 over the Tadami River after suffering damages

Journey around the Revival of Tadami Line

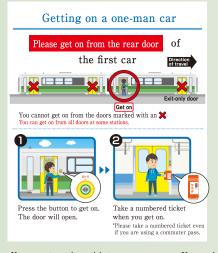


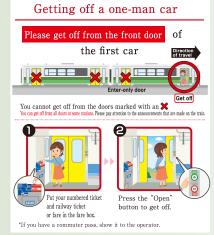
Civil Engineering Heritage certification given to the Tadami Line railway facilities

Fully reconstructed Bridge #7 over the Tadami River

How to Ride the Train

How to get on and off a one-man train





You cannot purchase tickets on one-man cars. You need to either get them in advance, or settle up on the train.

Ticket Vending Machines

Tickets for shorter distances can be purchased from ticket vending machines.

These ticket vending machines provide purchase guides in multiple languages (English, Simplified Chinese, Traditional Chinese, and Korean).

1,000 yen, 2,000 yen, 5,000 yen and 10,000 yen bills can be used.

- 1 Switch screens (English Japanese)
- 2 Coin slot
- **3** Bill slot for 1,000 yen, 2,000 yen, 5,000 yen, and 10,000 yen bills
- 4 Change dispenser





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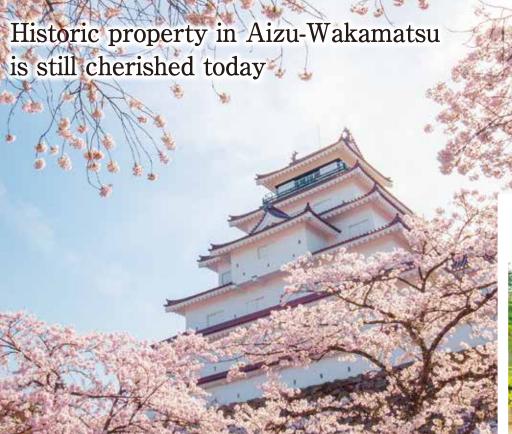
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Aizu-Wakamatsu Station

Nanukamachi Station



Tsurugajo Castle (Aizu-Wakamatsu)

Tsurugajo Castle, the symbol of Aizu-Wakamatsu. The only red-tiled castle keep in Japan is located here, along with a museum inside where you can learn about Aizu's history.



The original wappa Meshi: Japanese culinary arts & Aizu cuisine

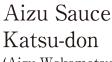
Takino

(Aizu-Wakamatsu)

This Japanese restaurant is located in a jinya(government building) that was used for sankin-kōtai (alternate living for daimyō). Wappa-meshi (dishes served in special round containers), which dates back 500 years, and other Aizu tea ceremony dishes, can be tasted in this restaurant's rich atmosphere.



This Japanese garden, which successive hanshu (leaders) of the Aizu Domain gazed upon, has been designated a place of scenic beauty. It is said that the Aizu lords began building their villas here, where a sacred fountain gushed forth. in the Muromachi period about 600 years ago.



(Aizu-Wakamatsu)

This famous Aizu dish is a pork cutlet that has been soaked in sauce and fried, placed on a bed of shredded cabbage. Each restaurant in the city has its own flavor and style.





Higashiyama Onsen

(Aizu-Wakamatsu)

A part of Ou Sanraku Village, this hot spring village has a roughly 1,300-year history. Take in the natural world each season here: the cherry blossoms during spring, the fresh greenery at the start of summer, the fall leaves, and the bath with a snowy view during winter.

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Classic Town Buses Haikara-san and Akabe

These are tour buses circulates around attractive sightseeing spots including historic sites in Aizu such as Tsurugajo Castle, the symbol of Aizu, Iimori Hill, the site of the Byakkotai's suicide by the sword and Nanokmachi Town, a charming town with an emotional atmosphere, and so on. They are very convenient for strolling around town.



Tsurunoe Shuzo (Aizu-Wakamatsu)

This brewery's sake including "Yuri" with easy-to-drink taste for women which is brewed by female toji (brewmasters), as well as "Aizu Chujo" with a delicious, clean taste made from Fukushima rice and yeast developed in Fukushima Prefecture, has repeatedly won the gold prize at the Japan Sake Awards.

Nagatoya Nanukamachi Store (Aizu-Wakamatsu)

This warehouse-style, modern shop was opened in 2007 by Nagatoya, a well-established chain with a history of 175 years. "Yokan Fantasia," which changes its design every time you cut it, is also a popular product. You can find souvenirs in its bright, calm atmosphere.







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Aizu-Hongō Station

Aizu-Takada Station

An earthenware village where tradition and personality align in the pottery



Isasumi Shrine

(Aizu-Misato)

The chief Shinto shrine of Iwashiro Province, this shrine boasts a 2,000-year history where Aizu's local deity is enshrined. It offers the benefits of good luck, growth in business, bountiful harvests, and protection against evil, and quaint festivals like the Rice-Planting Festival take place here as well.



Isasumi Shrine Garden Ayame Garden (Aizu-Misato)

The foremost iris garden in Tohoku, boasting 100,000 plants across 150 species, the Ayame Festival is held here typically from June 15 to July 5.



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Said to be the oldest kiln-equipped pottery workshop in Tohoku Aizu Hongouyaki(Aizu-Misato)

The feudal lord of Aizu, Masayuki Hoshina, and the potter Genzaemon Mizuno from Seto in Mino Province, discovered the original soil in Hongō Village in 1645, and began making pottery in earnest. This is the origin of the pottery at Aizu Hongouyaki.

Miyagawa Senbonzakura

(Aizu-Misato)

The Yoshino cherry trees in the Miyagawa River area typically bloom all together from mid- to late April. It becomes a veritable arcade of cherry blossoms. The blooms with Mount Bandai forming the backdrop are one of the leading cherry blossom sites of Aizu.



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Negishi Station

Aizu-Bange Station

Todera Station



The Nakata Kannon (Koan-ji Temple, Aizu-Misato), Tachiki Kannon (Eryu-ji Temple, Aizu-Bange), and Torioi Kannon (Nyoho-ji Temple, Nishi-Aizu) that make up the Korori San Kannon offer long life and peaceful death without suffering if visited. Many people come to fulfill their vows.













Aizu Korori San Kannon Tachiki Kannon(Aizu-Bange)

Four Seasons Confectioner Nagaoka-ya

Standing 8.5 m tall, the head and torso of the thousand-armed Tachiki Kannon, the tallest wooden Bodhisattva in Japan, are formed from a single

Tadami Line Tōdera



Niitsuru Winery

(Aizu-Misato)

A thriving winery that cultivates everything from grapes to fruit has opened in Niitsuru. Enjoy wines from grapes that were cultivated and aged in Niitsuru.







We recommend their most popular product, koishi manju buns, to take home as a souvenir.

(Aizu-Bange)

This shop uses only the highest grade



Hiyashi-ramen (cold ramen) (Aizu-Bange)

This signature dish has been on offer at town eateries since 1952. It is perennially beloved not just during the summer, but all year round,

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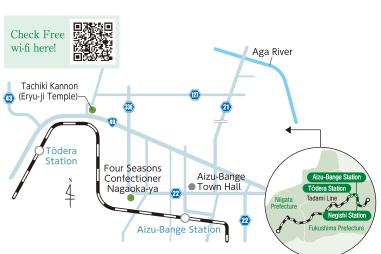
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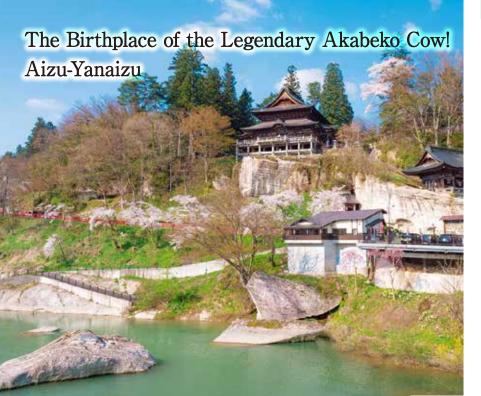






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Aizu-Yanaizu Station





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KIYOSHI SAITO MUSEUM OF ART,YANAIZU



Fukumankokuzo Bosatsu Enzo-ji Temple (Yanaizu)

Opened by Tokuitsu Daishi approximately 1,200 years ago. Counted as one of Japan's three kokuzo bosatsu (Akasagarbha Bodhisattva), the temple's bosatsu has long been worshiped deeply by many people.

The Legend of the Akabeko

"Beko" is Aizu dialect for cow, normally called ushi in Japanese. Legend has it that when the locals were at a complete loss as to how to rebuild the main hall of the Enzo-ji Temple about 400 years ago, a group of red cows suddenly appeared, which gave everyone the encouragement to build an exquisite hall. This legend extols the virtues of patience and persistence, and the akabeko is now a popular symbol to pray to for good fortune.

*there are various theories

A father akabeko, named Fukutaro



Kiyoshi Saito Museum of Art (Yanaizu)

This museum is home to valuable works by the Aizu artist Kiyoshi Saito, who helped popularize the appeal of modern Japanese woodblock prints around the world. Around eighty pieces are on display here, such as his *Winter in Aizu* series, which is considered his life's work.



Paint your own akabeko

(Yanaizu)

Why not paint your own akabeko ("red cow" in the local dialect) folk art to create a one-of-a-kind, original akabeko for yourself?

Awa manju (Yanaizu)

The sweetness of bean jam, the excellent mouthfeel of sticky rice, and poppy texture of foxtail

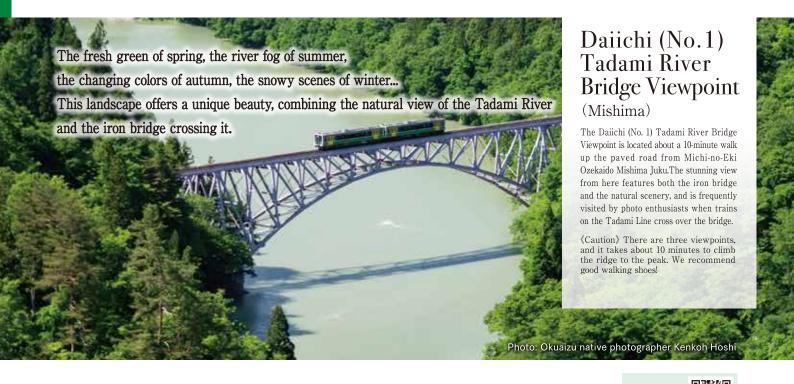
millet come together in this reputed Japanese treat. It's a traditional flavor that has been loved since the Edo period.



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Aizu-Miyashita Station

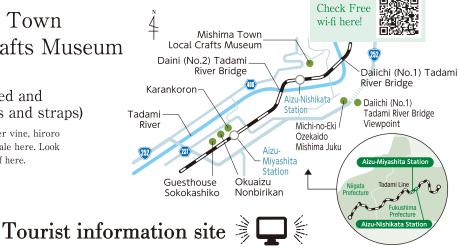




Mishima Town Local Crafts Museum

(Mishima) (Make braided and woven goods and straps)

Okuaizu woven goods made with crimson glory vine, silver vine, hiroro sedge, and other materials are on permanent display and sale here. Look at, buy, and try making woodwork and woven goods yourself here.



Tourism Exchange Center Karankoron

(Mishima)

This tourist information center is a renovated old folk house near Aizu-Miyashita Station. There's also a café here where you can purchase local specialties.



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Guesthouse Sokokashiko (Mishima)

This 80-year-old folk house has been renovated into a guest house. With a focus on history × culture × art, the traditions and culture of Okuaizu are incorporated into both the building and the food the guest house offers.

Okuaizu Nonbirikan (Mishima)

This small inn was renovated with an abundance of paulownia wood from Aizu. The warmth of the wood in the paulownia floors, geta clogs, cypress bath, and elsewhere will heal what ails you. The food offered by the inn, which is full of blessings from the mountains, is also very popular. *Please be sure to call us when making a reservation.





Hayato Onsen Tsuru no Yu

(thermal curative bath and dining) (Mishima)

The riverside outdoor bath is amazing!

This medicinal bath, one of the best in Japan that is said to have opened in the year 1200, has been familiar to many as a thermal curative bath since long ago. The legend of Tsuru no Yu holds that a white crane healed its wounds in the hot spring. There are also lodging and eating facilities here for bathers. (Complimentary transportation from Hayato Station. * Contact us in advance)



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Shin-Mugenkyo Ferry (Kaneyama)

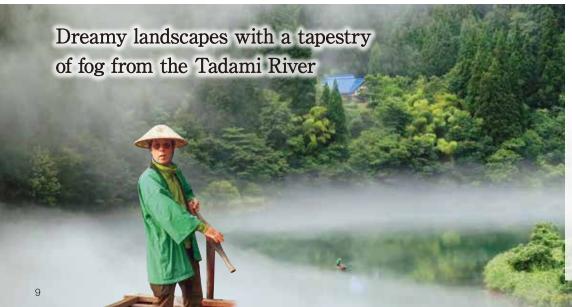


A new route is now available, giving passengers the chance to see the famous Oshi Settlement by boat. The crew also offer descriptions of Japanese boat culture and stories about the Tadami Line for a bit of a different experience.



Ittogashi Village (Kawaberi Building) (Mishima)

This holiday home style rental cottage on a rising overlooking Mugenkyo is a two-minute walk from the Tsuru no Yu hot spring. The seasonal views from the rooms are spectacular, featuring river fog in the summer, snowy scenes in winter, and other delights. Honson Building is also located up the mountain, five minutes by car.

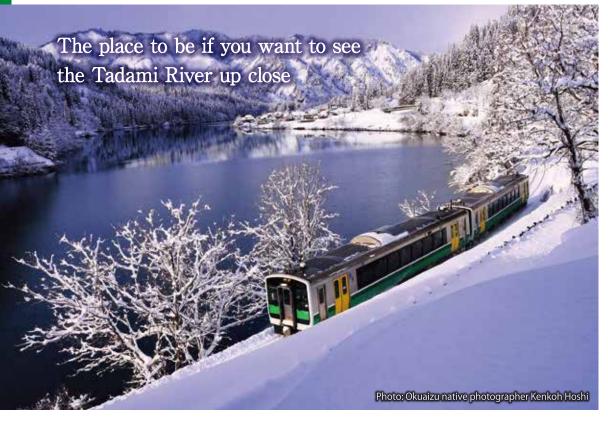


Tadami River Mugenkyo Ferry(Mishima)

The ferry that offers its riders a view of the Japanese landscape across space and time while being enshrouded in dreamy river mist has been restored. The affecting rowed ferry and the view of the four seasons from the Tadami River attract a lot of attention in the media, even today. Be sure to enjoy a rowed ferry ride guided by the boatman and a stroll around the surrounding area (time required: about 1.5 hours).

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Aizu-Kawaguchi Station



Okuaizu View Point Kaneyama Fureai Hiroba

(Kaneyama)

A scenic spot approximately 10 minutes on foot along National Route 252 from Aizu-Kawaguchi Station. The view created by the Tadami Line along the river through the settlements along the water is a truly Japanese sight to behold. The settlements shrouded in river mist after an early morning or evening rain during the summer and the scene of a train passing through the snowy landscape are particularly magical.



Tamanashi Onsen Ebisuya Ryokan

(Kaneyama)

Enjoy the flowing carbonic acid bath that is full of hot water, as well as seasonal fare that showcases the fruits of Okuaizu's mountains and rivers. Relax while savoring seasonal flavors paired with the local Aizu sake recommended by the owner.



Natural carbonic acid onsen Seseragiso(Kaneyama)

A day-trip onsen where you can enjoy two different types of flowing spring water. The carbonic acid onsen, which features bubbles that cling to the skin. has many fans both within and outside the prefecture. There is also a lounge and a restaurant inside.



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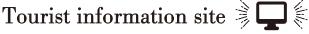
Aizu-Shio





Modokiya (Kaneyama)

This private farm home was renovated by the owner himself after it was moved to Kaneyama. A popular destination for junior high school students from the city, visitors can harvest asparagus, make regional cuisine together, and other such experiences of Okuaizu life.







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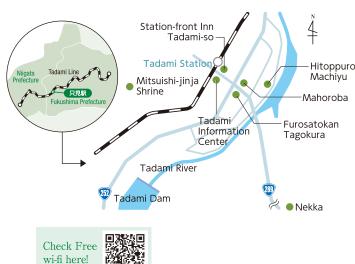






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Tadami Station





Marriage at Mitsuishi-jinja Shrine

(Tadami)

Oddly-shaped boulders are enshrined as gods at this marriage shrine. The three boulders are said to bring benefits, and a happy marriage if a 5-yen coin is offered. You can also see maiden lilies in early summer along the walking trail that takes 40 minutes to complete.



塩沢駅 → 会津蒲生駅

zawa Station

Aizu-Gamou Station

Tadami Town Kawai Tsuginosuke Memorial (Tadami)

This museum introduces visitors to the Nagaoka clan retainer Tsuginosuke Kawai, who lost his life in Shiozawa, Tadami on his way from Nagaoka to Aizu during the Boshin War.





Oshio Natural Sparkling Water Well (Kaneyama)

This well offers natural sparkling water, a rarity in Japan. The light carbonation makes it easy to drink, so this is a popular destination for tourists. Produce stands in the parking lot feature fresh vegetables made by the local grannies, as well as rice and honey.



Mt. Gamo-dake and Gamo Katakuri Park

(Tadami)

Mt. Gamo-dake is called the Matterhorn of Aizu. The climbing trails are intermediate level or higher. You can see the beech forest about 10 minutes up from the entrance to the mountain trails. Katakuri (dogtooth violet) start blooming in late April, a sight that attracts many visitors.



Learn about the history of the Tadami Line!

Furosatokan Tagokura

(Tadami)

Valuable objects from the Tagokura settlement, which sank to the bottom of the lake when the Tagokura Dam was constructed, are on display here. It also functions as the hub for Tadami UNESCO Eco Park activities.

Bicycle rental (E-BIKE)

The latest electric bicycles (Tadami)

The new ISSIMO e-bikes boast unparalleled style and thick tires for a unique ride and speed, the likes of which you won't experience elsewhere. A must for those who want to enjoy Tadami in style! The Mamachari electric pedal assist will ensure you ride in a straight line.





Tadami Beech and River Museum

(Tadami)

This museum features videos, panels, animal taxidermy, insect and plant specimens, folk tools used for living in snow country, and other objects, all related to the rich natural beauty of the Tadami region, the first area in Tohoku registered as a UNESCO Eco Park. Museum tours are free.







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Nekka (Tadami)

This is Japan's smallest distillery, a renovated folk home that was located beside a rice paddy. Try some samples in the tasting room (for a fee), and buy local specialties in the shop. A two-hour viewing course that features tastings (must be reserved) is also available.



Station-front Inn Tadami-so

(Tadami)

This wood-scented inn, formerly a private home, is located outside Tadami Station. Warm up by the fire and enjoy some local cuisine, like *kozuyu* (soup cooked with local vegetables and dried food), *nishin-meshi zushi* (fermented herring and vegetables), and *juwari soba* (soba noodles made only with buckwheat, no wheat flour).







Japanese Restaurant Mahoroba (Tadami)

We recommend this restaurant to those who want to enjoy a relaxed meal of handmade soba made with only soba flour, stewed sauce katsu on rice, and other delicacies. Consider making a reservation beforehand for peak time periods.



Tadami Recreation Center

Hitoppuro Machiyu

(Tadami)

A casual day-trip bathing facility. Two bathing rooms are available: the Shunka no Yu (for men, with a sauna), and the Shuto no Yu (for women, no sauna).

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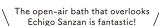
Koide Station





Monozukimura Soba Restaurant Gentan (Uonuma)

Purchase seasonal vegetables, wild vegetables, rice, and wild mountain grass here. The neighboring soba restaurant uses locally-produced buckwheat flour. One of the appeals here is doing your shopping while chatting with the shopkeepers.



of five years, is a designated important national cultural asset. It became a residence for medieval warriors, and now serves as both a folk museum and the Meguro-tei Museum. Another important cultural asset, Former Sato Residence, is also located nearby.



Aoshima Onsen Miharashi no Yu Komami

(Uonuma)

This day-trip onsen is located near Koide Park and Koide Ski Area. Take in the commanding view of Echigo Sanzan from the large communal bath. You can also relax indoors. Events and soba-making experiences are held in the facilities.



Saifuku-ji Temple (Kaisandō)

(Uonuma)

This ancient temple was opened in 1534 at the end of the Muromachi period. The kaisandō (Founder's Hall) is full of carvings, paintings, and plaster works that were handmade by the craftsman Uncho Ishikawa in the twilight years of shogunate rule. Besides at Saifuku-ji Temple, works by Uncho Ishikawa can also be viewed at Eirin-ji Temple. (A guide can also be arranged through the Uonuma City Tourism Association)

%For the latest information, please check the official website of Saifukuji Temple.

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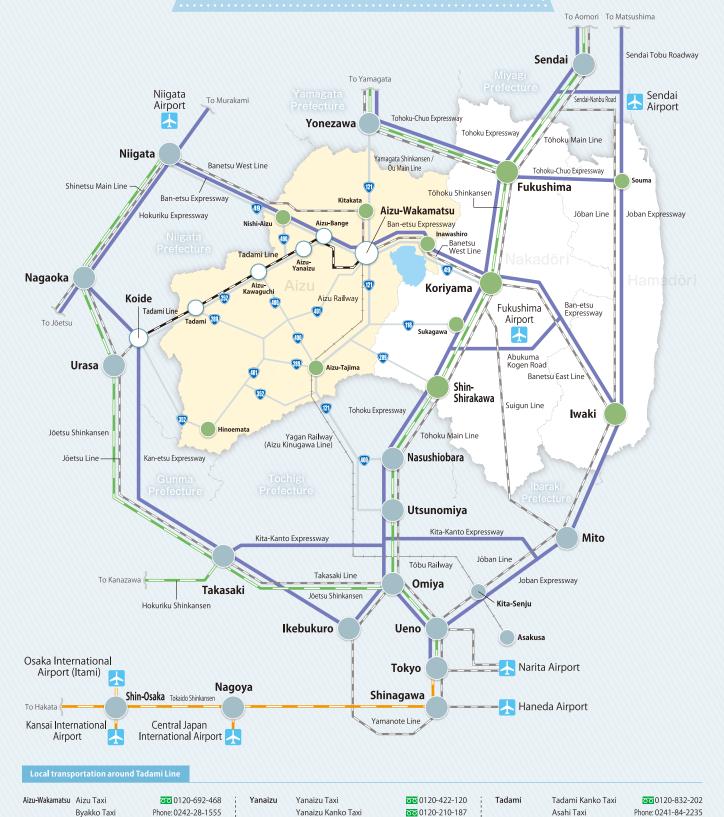


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