



November 2014

Sun. Mon. Tues. Wed. Thur. Fri. Sat.

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2 closed	3 closed	4 ☺ Craft work Club 10:30~12:00 ☺ 3 year check-up 12:45-13:30	5 ☺ Gardening Club 10:00-12:00 ♥ Breast-feeding counseling	6 ☺☺ Sewing Club 10:00-12:00 ☺ 1.5 year check-up 12:45-13:30	7 ☺	8 ☺☺
9 closed	10 closed	11 ☺☺ Library corner 10:00~11:30	12 ☺	13 ☺☺	14 ☺☺☺	15 ☺☺☺
16 closed	17 closed	18 ☺☺☺	19 ☺	20 ☺☺	21 ☺☺☺ Sewing Club 10:00-12:00	22 ☺☺☺
23 closed 30	24 closed	25 ☺☺☺	26 ☺☺☺ Music Time 13:30-15:00	27 ☺☺☺	28 ☺☺☺	29 ☺☺☺

Gardening club, sewing club, Craft work club, Music time, Library corner are voluntary activities by DROP users. Anyone is welcome to join!

Play park

@ "Futoo Koen" Park 11/1 (Sat) 10:30-15:00 11/14 (Fri) 10:30-16:30
 @ "Futoo-cho Dai-Ni Koen" Park* 11/18 (Tue) 10:30-11:30 *Change-shitai will be held, see the other side for info.

Program Information



at DROP

- **Nonno and Nonna @ Kohoku 2014** *Price: 500 yen **11/5 (Wed) 13:00-15:00**
 "Nonno and Nonna" means grandpa and grandma in Italian. This is the last class of a seminar to make an original "pocketbook" on tablet-type device or smartphone for grand-parents in Kohoku area. Make reservation either by phone, e-mail, fax or Drop front desk.
- **Mama Café 'Oka-cha-n'** **11/14 (Fri) 14:00-**
 Tea time for mums (presented by our volunteer staff).
- **Bosai Club** **11/15 (Sat) 10:30-12:00**
 Lets think about the prevention and protection from the natural disaster.
- **International Mum's Lunch Meeting** **11/18 (Tue) 12:00-14:00**
 Next meeting is in November. Let's have cross-cultural lunch time! Bring your lunches.
- **Let's make foreign language version of Drop calendar** **11/22 (Sat) 10:00-12:00**
 Let's create the English and Chinese version of Drop calendar.
- **Twins and Triplets' Meeting** **11/25 (Tue) 10:00-13:00**
- **"Drop ORITAI"** **11/25 (Tue) 14:30 -**
 Join our newsletter folding activity "Drop ORITAI"!
- **"Warabeuta" & Picture Book (reservation necessary)** **11/28 (Fri) 10:30-11:30**
 Librarian will introduce Japanese traditional nursery songs & how to choose picture books for your baby. Reservation starts from 11/15 (Sat) 10:00, via phone call or visit Drop front desk

DROP Counseling

Discussing with a professional individually
 *Reservation necessary.

- 11/6 (Thu) 10:00-12:00
- 11/11 (Tue) 13:00-15:00
- 11/13 (Thu) 10:00-12:00
- 11/15 (Sat) 10:00-12:00
- 11/20 (Thu) 9:30-12:30
- 11/21 (Fri) 10:00-12:00

Kurumi Salon

Let's talk about raising kids with the midwife and other mums.
 *Reservation necessary.

11/27 (Thu) 10:30-12:00

'Iroenpitsu' Bread Sale

11/12, 26 (Wed) 12:00-12:30

Don't miss it!

DROPPA

11/1 (Sat) 10:30-12:00
 We will join Okurayama Play Park. Ask for details.

Gathering for Dads. Come and join us!

Lactation Counseling at Health Support at Kohoku Ward Office

- ☺ 4 month old health checkup (8:45-9:45)
- ★ 1.5 year old health checkup (12:45-13:30)
- ☺ 3 year old health checkup (12:45-13:30)
- ♥ Breast-feeding Counseling (Contact : 045-540-2340)
 *Reservation necessary
 *Japanese only

If you have any inquiry or need language support, please contact us at...

【TEL】 045-540-7420 【URL】 <http://www.kohoku-drop.com>
 【email】 admin@kohoku-drop.com



Welcome to DROP!



DROP (Kohoku-ku Child Care Support Center) is a gathering place for children and family. We can provide you information about raising children in Yokohama, and other services concerning child care. Let's share the joyful moments of raising children together at DROP!
*Drop is part of Non Profit Organization Bino-Bino activities, supported by Yokohama City.



Access from Okurayama Station (Tokyu-Toyoko Line. Please note that only local trains stops at Okurayama Station)

Approx. 10 minutes walk from the station. After going out the ticket gate, turn right and keep walking straight along Elm Street. You will see our facility on the left side of the road. Please note that we have no parking spaces.

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■Opening days/hours:
Tuesday thru Saturday
9:30-16:00
■Closed days:
Sundays, Mondays, holidays,
year-end/New Years and
special closing days
■Usage fee: FREE

Events in Your Community

1day Bunkasai (Cultural Festival)

Cooking class, Japanese Flower Art class, Music, Dance sessions and tasty Japanese food!

- Dates and Time
11/9 (Sat) 10:00 – 14:00
- Venue
Parking Space of
Okurayama Asoka Kindergarten

“Change Shitai” (Let’s Exchange & Reuse!)

Exchange kids’ clothes, shoes, maternity items. Free entrance

NOT exchangeable: toys, clothes for adult

- Dates and Time
11/18 (Tue) 10:30 – 11:30
- Venue
“Futoo cho dai-ni koen” Park
- Inq: 045-540-7420 (drop)

Potty Training Seminar

Public nursery staff will give us a lecture about potty training. If you are wondering how other parents handle it, when to start, and just don't know what to do..., come and share the thoughts! *Reservation is necessary.

- Dates and Time
11/19 (Wed) 10:30 – 12:00
- Eligible person
Drop users and kids, 2 years and over.
- Venue
Drop
- Reservation starts 11/5(Wed) 10:00, call 045-540-7420

International Mum's Lunch Meeting

Next Lunch Meeting will be...

November 18th Tuesday 12:00-14:00
Bring your lunches!

We will be talking about...

■Let's continue and finish up making an Easy-Japanese pamphlet about Drop!

Come and join us!