# A Complete Guide to Explore Shiroyama, Kagoshima City.

"Shiroyama", a place where you can enjoy wild nature, culture and history from the foot of the hill to the hotel at the peak.

There is a nature trail which is good for taking a walk or a jog. The foot of the hill is well known as a historical and cultural zone with remnants of the old castle town.

the first national

This shrine is dedicated to the local lord, Shimadzu Nariakira, a leader Saigo Takamori deeply respected.

#### Terukuni Shrine

Terukuni Shrine, especially during the New year's day and Lantern festival is the most popular with worshippers in Kagoshima prefecture and very lively. There is Terukunibunko Museum featuring some history of the Shimadzu family. (Free admission)

19-35 Terukuni-cho, Kagoshima-shi



#### Kagoshima Prefectural Museum

The museum is filled with information of various nature and creatures in Kagoshima. There is a 3D theater. People of all ages can enjoy them-

1-1 Shiroyama-cho, Tel.099-223-6050 Open hours:9:00-17:00 Closed: Mon (the following

## (03) Houzan Hall

Multi-use facility including a hall, and art gallery. There is an annex of Kagoshima Prefectural Museum on the fourth floor, exhibiting dinosaur fossils.

5-3 Yamashita-cho. Tel.099-223-4221

Please find details of events or availability of this facility on the official site









View point

Garden

You can overlook Mt.

Sakurajima and

Kinko Bay from here.

Mt.Sakurajima

changes its appear-

Kagoshima Prefectural Museum

**Guide Station** 

uilding from the early 20th century

Kagoshima Sightseeing

Statue of Saigo

Central Park

Takamori



Entrance(1F)

Shiroyama

Observatory

Shiroyama

Kagoshima Modern Literature Museum

Kagoshima City

Central Commun

Statue of Komatsu Tatewaki

Houzan Hall (13)

Statue of

Photography spot in front of Statue

of Saigo Takamor

Shiroyama Hotel Shuttle

Bus stop of Asahi street ahead

You can find a lot of

useful sightseeing

Kagoshima 🚺

information!

(14) Sightseeing

Kagoshima Marchen

"Fairy Tale Museum'

A parasol or a hat is

Shiroyama tunnel

Bus stop in front

he point at

which the

road forks.

through the

Good for walking and jogging

## Natural walking trail

2 kilometers natural walking trail. 30 minute walk from the foot of the hill to the entrance of the observatory. A perfect place for forest bathing to refresh yourself with beautiful, seasonal nature.

The trail devides in two towards **Tanshoen Garden** and Satsuma Retainers Monument.

oyama 30 m

Reimeikan

Goroumon

One of the biggest

castle gates in Japan

**100** Goroumon

In 1873, the gate was

destroyed by fire. Recon-

struction is going to be com-

pleted in March, 2020 for the

first time in 147 years.

Tsurumaru

Saigo Cave There is no sidewalk. so using Kagoshima City View or Machimeguri bus

is recommended.

But stop in front of

Satsuma Retainers

It's worth visiting tour the renavated Meiji

Site of Saigo Takamori's Death

Tsurumaru

castle

without a castle tower

House- shaped Tsurumaru

castle, without a castle

Site of Shigakko School

Iso beach (Senganen Garden) ahead→

tower was

built around

1601.

Restoration area. A museum standing on site of walls and moat.

#### Reimeikan

**Description of the icons** 

You can enjoy yourself

Café 🚺 Lavatory

even on a rainy day 🎝

Scenic spots for photography

Shiroyama Shuttle Bus stop

Bus stop of Kagoshima City

View and Machimeguri Bus

A museum in humanities, "Reimeikan" with permanent exhibitions of archaeology, history, folklore, art and technical art.

7-2 Shiroyama-cho, Kagoshima-shi Tel.099-222-5100

Open hours:9:30-18:00 (enter before 17:30) Closed:Mon. (the following day if i is a national holiday).25th(open if it falls on weekend and a nationa holiday), 12/31-1/1





#### **Kagoshima City Museum of Art**

This museum has a collection of Western art after age of impressionism, such as Claude Monet's 'Water Lilies' and works of artists who relate to Kagoshima.

1-36 Shiroyama-Cho, Kagoshima-shi Tel.099-224-3400 Open hours:9:30-18:00 (enter before 17:30) Closed:Mon. (the following (except 12/29-1/1)





## Sakurajima Ferry

even if it's raining!

Kagoshima

Kenmin Koryu Center

Bullet holes from the Seinan Civil War

#### return to the hotel You can still enjoy this place Shiroyama Shuttle Bus

## Sightseeing tour bus

→ Shirovama (exit bus stop)

Satsuma Retainers Monument

→ Shiroyama (exit bus stop)

Statue of Saigo Takamori

Machimeguri Bus

Fee-charging

#### Kagoshima City View Statue of Saigo Takamori

**Bus services for easy** 



Many cultural

Mondays. For

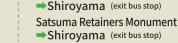
details, please

facilities close on

contact each facility.

# Shirovama Shuttle

# Bus stop (Asahi Street)







Exploring tasteful streets **Kagoshima Cultural Zone** 

Shiroyama Shuttle Bus

us stop on Terukuni-dori Si

(only for passengers alighting)

The area on the foot of Shiroyama hill with various kinds of cultural facilities is called "Kagoshima Cultural Zone". The streets have the atmosphere of the past with stone walls, a moat, gas lanterns and buildings like those of the late

in this area.

Enjoy your break here!

late 19th century 19th century. to the Shimadzu family

registered tangible cultural assets such a hall containing former An old-fashioned building in the

> **Guide Station** With a lot of information for your trip in Kagoshima.

> > Ninomaru Bldg. 1F, 2-30 Shirovama-cho, Kagoshima-shi Open hours: 9:00-17:00 / Open

Kuniko Mukoda fans shouldn't miss this! The museum has the largest collection of related materials.

Magnificent

Stone walls!

Education Center

Meizan Elemen

#### Kagoshima Modern Literature Museum

Kagoshima MLM features modern literature wirters who have connections to Kagoshima, or have works set in Kagoshima.



Tel.099-226-7771/Open hours: 9:30-18:00 (enter before 17:30) Closed:Tues. (the following day if it is

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Shiroyama















