

## Tackling Rising Costs

**【特集】もっと話そう【物価高対策&予算】のこと**

また値上がり…、家計が苦しいわ

ご存知ですか？  
物価高から皆さんの暮らしを守るために、神戸市の予算が決まりました

ニュースで物価高対策として国の交付金が神戸市に110億円配分されたって聞いたけど、何に使うの？

お中納めや現金の一時給付は2万円以内？

神戸市は「配って終わり」ではなく、「支援が続く仕組み」を作ることに重点を置いて使い道を決めました。たくさんの人や事業者・大学・団体と共に支援していきます

皆さんの暮らしに貢献する「食の支援」を中心に、次のページから解説しますね！

**暮らしを守り続ける神戸市の物価高対策とは？**

誰もが安心して暮らせるように3つの軸でつくれた支援の仕組み。マンガで分かりやすく解説します。

If you have any questions about ward office procedures, financial support for raising children, etc.



Call the Kobe International Community Center (KICC)!

☎ 078-742-872 | (11 languages)



↑ Scan here to visit the website!

## Tackling Rising Prices

### Food Support Kobe

Residents in all wards across Kobe City who are heavily affected by inflation and rising costs are eligible to receive five days' worth of food and daily essentials, for free, in spring and in autumn.

To participate, **please bring:** Documents with proof of address (ex. MyNumber Card, driver's license, mail addressed to you with your address written on it)



### Childrearing Support

School lunches at municipal elementary schools will be free of cost; the cost of school lunches at municipal junior high schools will be reduced.

### New Initiatives

From initiatives such as buying foods at low prices at "Food Loss Lockers" to increased community fridges where residents can take out stored foods for free, you can find out more about different support avenues through Kobe City's official website.



## Celebrate Kobe at These Ward Festivals!

### Nagata Festival (Nagata Ward)

**Date:** Sat. May 23, 11:00AM ~ 4:00PM

**Venue:** Wakamatsu Park



### Suma Forest of Music (Suma Ward)

**Date:** Sat. May 23, 11:00AM ~ 5:00PM

**Venue:** Suma Rikyu Park

(Admission is free on the day of; parking fees may apply)



### Festival of Greenery & Sun (Nishi Ward)

**Date:** Sat. May 23, 12:00PM ~ 5:00PM

**Venue:** Plenty Plaza (east of Seishin-chuo Subway Station) 5-chome Kojidai,



## Celebrate Kobe at These Ward Festivals!

### Rokko Family Festival (Nada Ward)

**Date:** Sat. May 30, 11:00AM ~ 5:00PM

**Venue:** Oji Sports Center Track and Field Grounds



### Kita Kita Festival (Kita Ward)

**Date:** Sat. May 30, 11:30AM ~ 5:00PM

**Venue:** Arima Hall (Hokushin Cultural Center) and surrounding outdoor areas (parking lot)



## もっと知ろう KOBE

### Fire Warning and Fire Advisory Alerts Under New Standards Starting April 1

To strengthen fire prevention efforts, warnings and advisories for fire-related disasters will now be issued under new standards.

When a fire warning is issued, the use of fire outdoors will be restricted, including activities such as open burning, fireworks, and smoking near flammable materials. Violations may result in penalties such as fines.

#### Examples of restricted activities:

- Bonfires / open burning
- Fireworks
- Smoking near flammable materials



### Kobe Marathon 2026 Runner Registration Now Open!

Applications are now open for runners in the Kobe Marathon 2026, where participants can run through the streets of Kobe and enjoy the city's beautiful autumn scenery.

**Event Date:** Sun. November 15

**Eligibility:** People born on or before April 1, 2008

#### Events:

Full Marathon (42.195 km)

Relay Run (Section 1: approx. 21.6 km / Section 2: approx. 21.2 km)

**Apply:** via official website by Monday, June 1 at 5:00 PM.

Participants will be selected by lottery.

**Inquiries:** 0570-018-501



## Must-Try Events!

### DIY Flower Bouquets (@ Nunobiki Herb Gardens)

Make a charming bouquet using fresh spring herbs, one of the highlights of the season!

**Date & Time:** Sat. May 23 & Sun. May 24, 12:00PM ~ 4:00PM

Cancelled in the event of heavy rain.

**Fees:** 500 yen per bouquet; additional 100 yen for bouquet cup

Herb gardens admission fee will apply separately.

**TEL:** 078-271-1160



### Exhibit: The World of Picture Book Author Shomei Yo (@ Koiso Memorial Museum of Art)

Approximately 100 works by picture book author Shomei Yo are on display, including original illustrations and oil paintings.

**Dates:** Sat. May 23 to Sun. August 16

**Time:** 10:00AM ~ 5:00PM

Admission fees apply (free admission for SHS students and younger)

**TEL:** 078-857-5880

