

Kokubunji x Tatsunoko: Anime Town Festival

*Tatsunoko Production is the animation studio behind Kokubunji City's official mascot “HOTCH.”



Date: Sunday, August 17, 2025

Location: Level 5, cocobunji WEST Building, cocobunji Plaza, 3-1-1 Honcho, Kokubunji City.

ACTIVITIES:

① Participate in drawing with Ms. Suzuka Yoshida, the creator of the HOTCH character.

DETAILS

- Together with Ms. Yoshida, participants will create artwork by painting on a large sheet, which will be displayed on the staircase of the Koigakubo Community Center at a later time.
 - Time: 11:00-12:00
 - Eligibility: Elementary school students and their parents
 - Venue Capacity: 30 groups
- ② Enjoy watching Ms. Yoshida paint large illustrations.
- Time: 15:00
 - Venue Capacity: 160 people

Both events (① and ②) require advance registration.

If the number of applications exceeds capacity, participation will be determined through the random selection of drawings by staff, with priority given to residents of Kokubunji City.

Please apply by Thursday, July 31.

For application details, please check the website stated at the end of this page.

③Additional events or showcases will include

- Kamishibai (Paper Theater), featuring Tatsunoko anime
(1st session: 10:00~, 2nd session: 13:00~)
- Traditional Summer Festival Booths
- Coloring Activity Corner
- Hocchi and Tatsunoko character merchandise
- Tatsunoko Production art panel exhibits

No registration required.

More events will be held in addition to those listed above.

For a full schedule and registration details, please check the Kokubunji City website.

Japanese: <https://www.city.kokubunji.tokyo.jp/machi/1034521/index.html>

English (Machine translation):

<https://www.city.kokubunji.tokyo.jp.e.amu.hp.transer.com/machi/1034521/index.html>

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