

Experience of Hiroshima Sea Story

~ A Private Cruise Trip in the Seto Inland Sea, Kurahashi Island ~



Overview

Hiroshima and Kure City are surrounded by the sea. This boat tour takes you on a cruise through the beautiful islands of the calm Seto Inland Sea. The journey begins at Kure Port with a ship cruise tour, where you can enjoy the traditional 200-year-old fishermen's song, *Ondo no Funauta*, sung in harmony with the rhythm of the sea.

After a leisurely 1.5-hour cruise, you will arrive at Katsurahama Beach in Kurahashi. There, you will visit the Nagato Shipbuilding History Museum, where you can experience the history of wooden shipbuilding that has been cultivated since ancient times. As the sun begins to set, you will embark on a sunset cruise.

For dinner, you will enjoy a premium outdoor dining experience, savoring the fresh bounty of the Seto Inland Sea while interacting with the island's locals.

The next morning, a guided hiking tour to Mt. Hiyama awaits. You will take in a breathtaking 360-degree panoramic view while enjoying a traditional tea break. A guide will accompany you throughout the experience.

Details

• Available Travel Types

☒ Individual ☒ Group

• Tour Availability

☒ Year-round (except December to February due to tidal conditions)

• Tour Locations

Kure City, Seto Inland Sea, Kurahashi, Mt. Hiyama

• Meeting Point

Kure Port

• Price (per person)

70,000 JPY

• Included in Price

- Boat fare
- Guide fee
- Dinner
- Breakfast
- Accommodation

• Number of Participants

Minimum: 4 people

Maximum: 8 people

• Languages Available

Japanese, English

▪ Access

10-minute walk from JR Kure Station

Return trip via taxi from Kurahashi to Kure Port

Themes

- ✓ Food ✓ History ✓ Culture ✓ Nature
✓ Activities ✓ Inbound Tourism ✓ Peace Tourism ✓ Unique & Innovative
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Highlights

1. **A Private Boat Tour**
 - Explore the 1,200-year history of Hiroshima's maritime culture on an exclusive chartered cruise.
 2. **Authentic Outdoor BBQ Dining**
 - Enjoy high-quality BBQ made with fresh seafood from the Seto Inland Sea while engaging with locals.
 3. **Sunset Cruise on the Seto Inland Sea**
 - Set sail for a breathtaking sunset experience. (Kotatsu seating available from October onward)
 4. **Morning Hiking Tour of Mt. Kazan**
 - Feel the refreshing forest air as you ascend to the summit, where you can enjoy a 360-degree panoramic view of the Seto Inland Sea while sipping tea and savoring local sweets.
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Target Audience

- International tourists visiting Hiroshima (especially from Western countries and Australia)
- Domestic travelers
- Those who love nature, the sea, and food

Itinerary

Day 1

- **13:30** Meet at Kure Port
- **14:00** Cruise departure (Explore naval history and see warships up close)
- **15:00** Arrive at Kurahashi Port → Katsurahama & Nagato Shipbuilding History Museum
Guided Tour
- **16:30** Kotatsu Sunset Cruise
- **17:30** Premium Seto Inland Sea BBQ
- **Accommodation:** Private Villa *SEA SEA SON*

Day 2

- **09:00** Mt. Hiyama Hiking Tour (Tea Ceremony)
 - **11:30** Visit Hot Springs
 - **13:30** Return to Kure Port
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