

# Day 1

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## Tokyo >> Kyukamura Fuji

The first stop of our road trip was lunch at Kyukamura Fuji, a hotspring resort that boasts an awesome view of Mt. Fuji. For lunch we ate the river salmon lunch bowl set meal and enjoyed a pretty spectacular view.

**Our Lunch Price:** ¥1320

**Lunch \$ range:** ¥1000~¥1700

**Lunch Hours:** 11:30am-1:30pm (Last Order)

<https://www.qkamura.or.jp/fuji>

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## Kyukamura Fuji >> Tanuki Lake

After lunch we drove just a few minutes down the road and parked next to Tanuki Lake which has an incredible view of Fuji. The lake and surrounding area has various easy nature walks and hiking trails.

<https://tanukiko.com/en/>

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## Tanuki Lake >> Shiraito Falls

Just 10 minutes down the road from Tanuki Lake is Shiraito Falls. These beautiful waterfalls are 150 meters wide and fed by volcano spring water. We parked in a parking lot just across the road from the falls entrance and then walked just a few minutes down a cement stair trail into the falls area.

**Admission:** Free

**Parking:** ¥200-¥500

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## Shiraito Falls >>

### Ofuji Local Farmers Market

Before heading to our camping spot for the night we went to a local farmers market to buy some vegetables for a BBQ dinner. If you're looking for other groceries there are also supermarkets within 10-20 minutes drive.

**Hours:** 8:30am-4:30pm

**Closed:** Wednesdays

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## Farmers Market >>

### Asagiri Jamboree Camp Ground

Our sleeping spot for the first night is the Asagiri Jamboree Auto Camping ground. This campsite does have views of Mt. Fuji but during our stay here we were greeted with low cloud and fog.

<https://www.asagiri-camp.net/>

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# Day 2



## Asagiri Jamboree Camp Ground >> Edoya Jyohokuten Bakery

We started day two with breakfast at a local bakery and cafe. The morning set includes delicious sandwiches, a small side dish, and juice or coffee and it was only 480yen.

**Price:** Breakfast set ¥480

**Hours:** 9:30am-6:00pm

**Closed:** Thursdays

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## Edoya Jyohokuten Bakery >> Mt.Fuji World Heritage Centre

The Mt.Fuji Heritage Centre is a museum dedicated to Mt.Fuji. There are interactive exhibits, observatory deck with a great view of Mt. Fuji, a virtual Fuji hike, movie theatre and more.

<https://exploreshizuoka.com/mtfujicentre/>

**Price:** Adults ¥300

Students: Free

**Hours:** 9:00am-5:00pm



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## Mt. Fuji World Heritage Centre >> Omiya Yokocho

For lunch we headed to a local outdoor food area which is few minutes walk away from the Mt.Fuji Heritage centre. We had the infamous Fujiomiya Yakisoba but there are other food options as well.

**Price:** Yakisoba Regular ¥450 / Large ¥600

**Hours:** 10:00am-6:00pm



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## Omiya Yokocho >> Fujisan Hongu Sengen Taisha

After lunch we walked to the Fujisan Hongu Sengen Taisha. This shrine and the grounds are very beautiful and a great place to wander through and explore.

**Price:** Green tea set - ¥660

**Hours:** 10:00am-6:00pm

**Closed:** Tuesdays



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## Fujisan Hongu Sengen Taisha >> Toraya Kobo Café

Toraya Kobo café is a gorgeous designed café located in a beautiful garden that sells traditional Japanese sweets and green tea. The green tea is refillable and it was so nice to relax in such a peaceful setting.



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## Toraya Kobo Cafe>> Otome Parking

Our sleeping spot for the first night is a free parking spot called Otome parking. This spot has 24/7 toilets, Fuji views, and across the street is a day-use onsen.

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**Price:** Coffee ¥400 / ham toast ¥440

**Hours:** 8:00am-8:00pm

**Closed:** Wednesdays

Otome Parking >>

## Kissa Fugetsu Café

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## Kissa Fugetsu Cafe >> Shuzenji

Shuzenji is one of the oldest hot spring resort towns in Izu peninsula and it's named after the temple found near the center of the town. It's perfect to explore on foot and it's attractions include a small bamboo forest, several ryokan, a variety of cute shops and cafes, free foot onsen, and much much more.

**Parking:** ¥400 Per day

<https://exploreshizuoka.com/shuzenji-a-walk-through-history/>

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Shuzenji >>

## Amago Chaya Shuzenji

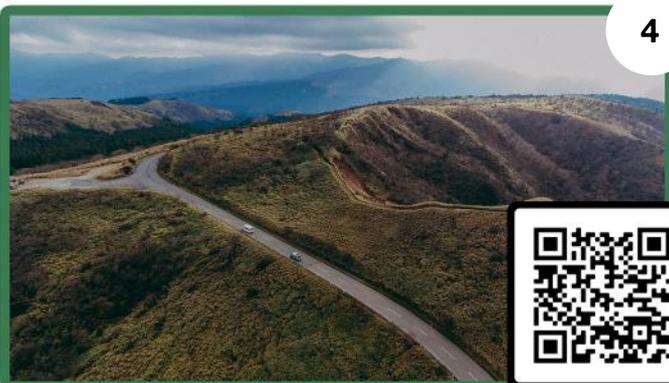
After exploring Shuzenji, we had lunch at one of the local restaurants called Amago Chaya Shuzenji. This restaurant serves Amago, which means river trout in Japanese. These trout are found in the local crystal clean wasabi streams.

**Price:** Coffee ¥540

**Hours:** 11:00am-3:00pm

**Closed:** Wednesdays

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## Amago Chaya Shuzenji >> West Izu Skyline

On our way to our campsite for the evening, we drove on the West Izu Skyline. This skyline is a twisty road, that's fun to drive and offers amazing scenic views. Way out in the distance we could see Heda and Mihama Peninsula, one of our favourite places to visit during the summer.

West Izu Skyline >>

## Izu Matsuzaki Asobijima

For our third and final night, we stayed at a campsite called Izu Matsuzaki Asobijima. This campsite is on the Izu coast and has a beautiful ocean view.

This campsite includes spots with A/C power outlets for charging electronics, free Wifi, clean heated toilets, and free access to bicycles. On top of all that, the owner and his little family are wonderful and very friendly.

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<http://www.asobijima.com/>

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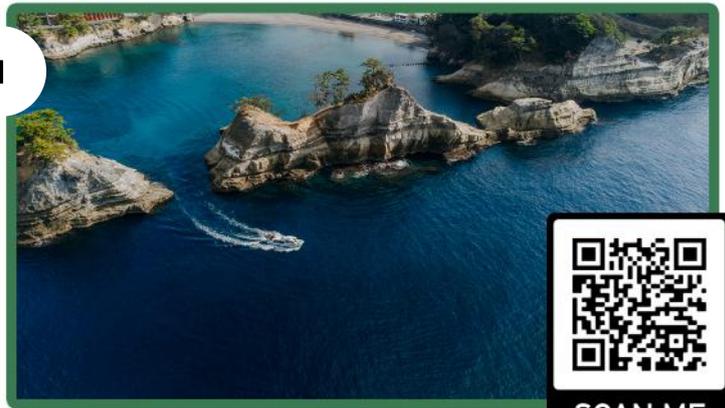
## Izu Matsuzaki Asobijima >> Dogashima

Dogashima is a beautiful spot on the west coast of Izu. There are hiking trails along the coastal cliffs and at the dock there are boats that you can buy a ticket for that will take passengers on on a 20 minute coastline cave excursion.

**Price:**

Adult (Middle school and above) ¥1,300  
Children (Elementary) ¥650

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<http://izudogasima-yuransen.com/>

## Dogashima >> Wasabien KADOYA Lunch

After Dogashima we headed to Kawazu, the last spot on our 4 day road trip. For lunch we stopped by at a restaurant that serves a variety of fresh Wasabi dishes. I was stunned to learn that it can take up to 18 months for the wasabi to grow to size that we had for lunch.

**Price:** ¥1,300

**Hours:** 9:30am - 2:00pm

**Closed:** Wednesdays

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## Wasabien Kadoya Lunch >> Kawazu Seven Waterfalls

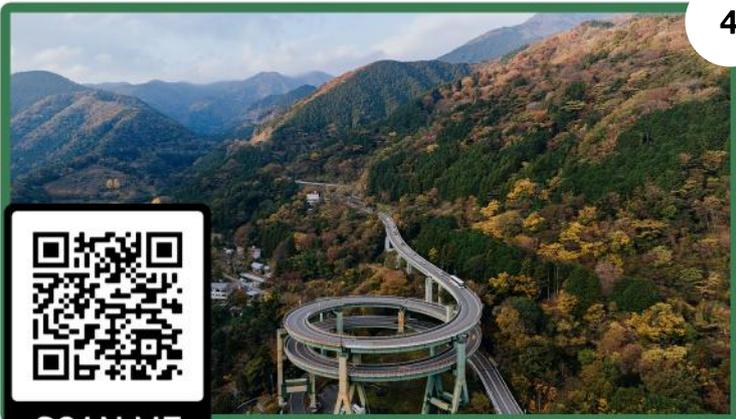
Kawazu area is probably most well known for beautiful sakura flowers along the river in the spring, but its also famous for it's 7 waterfalls. After a delicious lunch walked over to the nearby Oodaru waterfalls which actually has an onsen hotsprings at the base of it and then walked over the Shokeidaru waterfalls. Getting to the various waterfalls that we visited was roughly about 25 minutes of walking along the nature paths. The pathway trails are beautiful, scenic and easy for just about anyone to

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## Kawazu Seven Waterfalls >>

### Kawazu Nanadaru Loop Bridge & Tokyo

While heading home back to Tokyo, we took the Kawazu Nanadaru Loop Bridge. This unique bridge is a double spiral that stems a total of 45 meters out of the valley and into the mountain side.

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