



Excerpts from the Newsletter issued by Abiko City Tel: 04-7185-1111

Abiko Children's Festival

Date: October 19 (Sun) 9:40-15:00 (Admission until 14:00)

Venue: Abisuta and Teganuma Park

Content: Children's Hello Work (Reception 10:00-14:00), Workshop, Town Zoo, etc.

Eligibility: Below junior high school students

Fee : ¥200(Application is not required)

Inquiry: Mail to abikko2020@gmail.com

Senior Citizens' Cultural Festival

Date: October 10 (Fri) 10:00-15:00

Venue: Keyaki Plaza

Content: Dance, chorus and folk songs by citizens above 60 years old

Fee: Free

Capacity: 500 persons (first come, first served)

Inquiry: Senior Citizen Support Section at extension 412

2026 Teganuma Calendars

Teganuma calendars are made to enhance awareness of Lake Teganuma cleaning through four seasons of the lake. The sales are used to clean the lake.

Price:¥300

Sales period: October 8 (Wed), 2025 to February 28 (Sat), 2026

Inquiry: Tel. 04-7185-1484, Teganuma Section (Clean Teganuma Promotion Council)



Tax Payment Campaign (October-December)

Chiba Prefecture and each municipality in Chiba are strengthening measures to collect taxes properly under a slogan “We will never overlook any tax delinquencies.”

Measures for delinquent tax payers: Notice by documents, property check at work place, garnishment of salary/savings and life insurance, house search, car tire lock, etc.

Inquiry: Tel. 04-7185-1753, Tax Collection Section; Tel. 043-223-2127, Tax Service Section, Chiba Prefectural Government

Are your block walls safe?

We suggest that you check your block walls. To prevent block walls from collapsing, the owner and manager of them need to check and maintain safety of block walla properly. If you notice any danger in your block wall, we suggest that you post a warning sign for passersby and repair and improve them promptly after consultation with professionals. Use subsidy of the city for the repair and improvement. For more details, see the homepage of the Ministry of Land, Infrastructure Transport and Tourism.

Inquiry: ext. 528, Building and Housing Section

Campaign to Clear Bicycles in front of Stations (October-November)

The city will remove left bicycles and motorbikes from the sidewalks in front of or near train stations. Left bicycles and motorbikes may prevent citizens from walking safely and make it difficult for people to escape and help others in case of disaster. Please cooperate with us in proper parking.

Inquiry: Tel. 04-7183-5470, Izumi Left Bicycle Storage Area; Tel. 04-7185-1369, Traffic Policy Section

“TSUTSUJISO”: Welfare Facility for Elderly People

The facility provides elderly people with the time to enjoy Karaoke, Go and Shogi, Health Mahjong, Exercise Machines and Bath including chat rooms. It also holds such events as Shamisen concerts, in addition to consultation by doctors.

Service hours of the facility are 9:30 to 16:00. (Bath closes at 15:30.) You can check out holidays and bus service time, etc. on the city website.

Eligibility: people aged 60 and above in the cities of Abiko and Toride

Fee: Free for the people of 65 and above (¥100 for people of 64 years old and below)

For more details, contact the facility at 04-7188-0123.

Individual Number Card Services on Weekends (By reservation only)

Call the Civic Section at 04-7185-4326 (9:00 – 17:00 on weekdays except national holidays) for a reservation.

Dates and Hours	Reservation will be accepted
Oct 18 (Sat) 9:00 -12:00	From 9:00 a.m. on Oct 1(Wed)
Nov 9 (Sun) 9:00 -12:00	From 9:00 a.m. on Oct 22 (Wed)

Location: Civic Section (Abiko City Hall, 1F)

Services: Application (reservation not required) and Issuance (reservation required) of Individual Number Cards, Renewal of electric certificate (reservation not required)

Requirements: notification card, 2 kinds of your ID (residence card, special permanent resident certificate, driver's license, health insurance card, bank passbook, etc.)

Advisory Services- Oct 2025

*Reservation required

Item	Date/Time	Location	Contact
Legal Advice	Oct 7,9,16,21 and 23 10:30 ~ 15:00	Civic Consulting Room, 2F, Abiko City Hall Or by telephone	Secretarial Section * Tel: 04-7185-1714 Call for an appointment
Daily Life Advice	Weekdays (except national holidays) 8:30 ~ 17:00	Social Welfare Section West Annex 2F	Social Welfare Section Ext.394
Child Matters in General	Weekdays (except national holidays) 8:30 ~ 17:00	West Annex 1F	Child Consulting Section Tel: 04-7185-1821
Domestic Violence	Weekdays (except national holidays) 8:30 ~ 17:00	West Annex 2F	Support Office for DV Social Welfare Section Tel: 04-7185-1113
Consultations for Foreign Residents	Sun, Mon, Tue, Wed, Fri, Sat (except national holidays) 10:00 – 16:30	AIRA Office Abiko Civic Plaza	E-mail: info@e-aira.jp Tel: 04-7183-1231 Leave your name & phone number, and a counselor will call you back later.

Public Health Care Center Programs –Oct. 2025 Tel:04-7185-1126*

Item	Date	Eligibility
Welcome Baby Classes	Oct 4,11 and 18(each Sat) Reservation required*	Expecting women of 20 weeks or over, and their family

Consultation for 4-month-old children	Oct 7(Tue) and 14(Tue)	Children born in May, 2025
Health Checkup for 18-month-old children	Oct 2 and 9 (each Thu)	Children born between Feb 21 and April 8, 2024
Dental Checkup for 2-year and 8-month-old children	Oct 16 (Thu)	Children born in Feb, 2023
Health Checkup for 3-year-old children	Oct 2 and 9 (each Thu)	Children born in Feb 23 and April 9, 2022
Dental Checkup for 5-year-old children	Oct 16 (Thu)	Children born between Sep 9 and Oct 13, 2020
Baby Food Class for 4 to 6-month-old babies	Oct 31(Fri) Reservation required*	First 30 applicants (parents)
Baby Food Class for 8 to 9-month-old babies	Oct 15(Thu) Reservation required*	First 20 applicants. Children born in Jan, 2025

— Urgent Health Care Consultations —

1. Sudden Illness at Night or on Holidays: hospital introductions

Call Fire Station at 04-7184-0119. They will advise you of an appropriate holiday/night-time emergency hospital or pediatrician. Before going there, talk with the hospital on the phone about your sickness or injury. In urgent cases, call 119 for an ambulance.

2. Child's Sudden Illness at Night: telephone consultation with a nurse

Call #8000 or 043-242-9939 Hours: 19:00 ~ 8:00 next day A nurse will advise you about the care to be taken for your infant/child.

3. Sudden Illness at Night and Holidays: telephone consultation with a nurse

Call #7119 or 03-6810-1636 Hours: weekdays and Saturdays 18:00 ~ 8:00 next day
Sundays, Holidays and year-end/New Year holidays: 9:00 ~ 8:00 next day

4. Illness or Toothaches on Holidays: contact Holiday Clinic at 04-7187-7020

(1) Dentist: 9:00-11:30 (2) Internal Medicine & Pediatrician: 9:00~11:30, 13:00~16:30

Note: Holidays: Sundays, national holidays, year-end/New Year holidays

Please do not hesitate to call for an ambulance in case of serious injury or acute illness.

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