



HOTEL NEW OTANI TOKYO

New Year Events 2026

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EVENT GUIDE

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...Additional charge required

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...Location on "FLOOR PLAN"

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NEW YEAR TRADITIONS

Toshikoshi Soba: 12/31 Charge Year-crossing Noodles



Eating soba (buckwheat noodles) on New Year's Eve is a long-standing tradition observed all around Japan. Savor the aroma and smoothness of the noodles along with delicate bonito broth.

- 12/31 10:30pm–11:30pm
- ¥1,800 per person
- ② (Fuyo room, Banquet Fl., The Main bldg)
- *Take-out available from 10:00pm

Hatsumode: the First 12/31-1/3 Shrine/Temple Visit of the Year



Join the Japanese tradition in making wishes for the New Year at the Shinto shrine within the hotel.

- 12/31 11:30pm–1:00am
- 1/1 9:00am–6:00pm
- 1/2 10:00am–6:00pm
- 1/3 10:00am–3:00pm

① (Kofuku-den Shrine, Arcade Fl., The Main bldg)
*Free shuttle bus services to and from major shrines and temples in Tokyo are also available. See reverse side for details.

"Mochi" (Rice Cake) 1/1 Pass Pounding Performance



Rice cakes (*Mochi*) are most commonly associated with New Year's celebrations in Japan. People wish for good luck as steamed glutinous rice is pounded with a "kine", or giant wooden mallet. The freshly pounded rice cakes will then be served to the spectators.

- 1/1 ① 2:00pm–2:30pm
- ② 3:30pm–4:00pm
- ② (Orizuru Mai room, Arcade Fl., The Main bldg)

Hatsugama: 1/1 & 1/2 Charge New Year's Tea Ceremony



Enjoy a bowl of Matcha, Japanese sweets, and the true essence of traditional Japanese hospitality.

- 1/1 & 2 11:00am–4:00pm
- ¥3,000 per person *cash only
- ② (Seisei-an, 7th Fl., Garden Tower)

Kakizome: New Year's 1/2 Pass Calligraphy Writing



Kakizome is the tradition of doing the first calligraphy writing of the year on January 2. All equipment is ready, as well as advice from professional calligraphy instructors (in Japanese only).

- 1/2 10:00am–3:00pm
- ② (Foyer of Orizuru Mai room, Arcade Fl., The Main bldg)

ENTERTAINMENT

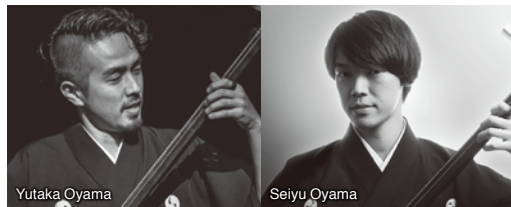
The New Otani Orchestra 12/31 Pass and Choir: New Year's Eve Opera Gala and Symphony No. 9



Hotel New Otani Tokyo brings together over 100 musicians to perform Beethoven's Symphony No. 9 and opera classics. Come and spend a spectacular evening to wrap up the year 2025.

- 12/31 8:45pm–10:15pm
- ② (Tsuru room, Banquet Fl., The Main bldg)

Atrium Concert 1/1 "Tsugaru Shamisen"



Rejoice the New Year with the energetic music of traditional "Tsugaru Shamisen".

- 1/1
- ① 12:30pm–1:00pm ② 3:30pm–4:00pm
- ② (Atrium, 1st Fl., Garden Court)

Atrium Concert "New 1/2 Year's Chamber Concert"



A chamber ensemble consisting of members of the New Otani Orchestra, led by concertmaster Taro Ito, brings to you vigorous and festive music that will boost the celebratory mood of the new year.

- 1/2 ① 12:00 noon–12:30pm
- ② 3:45pm–4:15pm
- ② (Atrium, 1st Fl., Garden Court)

New Year's Taiko 1/1 Drum Performance



Celebrate the New Year with the powerful booming sounds of Japanese traditional "Taiko" drums.

- 1/1 10:30am–10:50am
- ② (Japanese Garden)
- *Will be held in Tsuru room (②) in case of rain.

Shishimai: 1/1 Lion Dance



Lion dance or "Shishimai" is a traditional dance mimicking a lion's movements. The dance is often performed for celebrations and is said to summon luck and fortune.

- 1/1 Lobby Fl., The Main bldg, from 10:15am
- Banquet Fl. Lobby, The Main bldg, from around 10:30am ②

Japanese Sword 1/1 Performance "Battodo"



"Battodo" is a form of martial art that focuses on drawing and cutting with a real sword in a single, fluid motion. Watch the swift and proficient movements choreographed to celebrate the new year.

- 1/1 1:30pm–2:00pm
- ② (Japanese Garden)
- *Will be held in Sirius room (②) in case of rain.

Craftwork from 1/1-1/3 the Edo Era



Craftsmen will demonstrate their skills in creating various traditional craftwork items, which can be purchased as gifts or souvenirs.

- 1/1 & 2 10:00am–8:00pm
- 1/3 10:00am–3:00pm
- Cash only after 6:00pm
- ② (Banquet Fl. Lobby, The Main bldg)

FOR KIDS

Street Fair 1/1-1/3 Charge

Experience a traditional Japanese festival, where attractions and games are available from stall vendors.
(Additional charge required to participate in games.)



- 1/1 & 2 10:00am-7:00pm
- 1/3 10:00am-3:00pm
- (Banquet Fl. Lobby, Garden Tower)



Joyful Family Game Land: 12/31-1/3 Charge Arcade & AR Games



Recommended for families with small children.
*Some games require charges.

- 12/31 11:00am-9:00pm 1/1 & 2 10:00am-9:00pm
- 1/3 10:00am-3:00pm
- ST (Orizuru Yu room & Foyer of Yu, Arcade Fl., The Main bldg)

Mini Kite Making 12/31-1/1 Charge Workshop



Kites are one of the symbols of the New Year's celebrations. Discover Japanese tradition by making your own hand-sized kite ("Osampo Kite") for a charming cultural experience.

- 12/31 & 1/1 10:00am-6:00pm
- ¥1,000 per person
- (Sakura room, Banquet Fl., The Main bldg)

Caricature Portraits 1/1-1/3 Charge

An artist will draw your portrait in the graphic style of "manga", the unique subculture of Japan.



- 1/1 & 2 10:00am-6:00pm
- 1/3 10:00am-3:00pm
- ¥2,000 per person *cash only
- (Foyer of Orizuru, Arcade Fl., The Main bldg)

Table Games 1/1-1/2 Pass



Dabble in poker and other table games. English speaking staff will be happy to give a quick tutorial to beginners.

- *This is not a casino. (Betting is not allowed.)
- 1/1 & 2 6:00pm-11:00pm
- (LAPIS L room, 16th Fl., The Main bldg)
- *Limited to guests 18 years and older after 8:00pm.

Ninja Theatre 1/1-1/2 Pass



Dynamic action sequences will be performed on-stage.

- 1/1 & 2
- 1 1:30pm-2:10pm
- 2 5:30pm-6:10pm
- (Edo room, Banquet Fl., The Main bldg)
- *Dialogue in Japanese only

JAPANESE CUISINE

Osechi: New Year's Feast 1/1-1/3 Charge

"Osechi" is the celebrative meal most commonly eaten for breakfast during the New Year's holidays. Each item is intended to wish for the health and happiness of family and friends for the coming year.



- 1/1-1/3
- ¥8,500 per person
- *Please ask staff for further information.
- *Normal buffet breakfast is also available. ("Breakfast Ticket" required.)

Kioi-cho Gourmet Buffet 12/31-1/2 Charge

Enjoy an extensive variety of dishes prepared by our chefs.



- 12/31-1/2 From 5:00pm and 7:30pm
- Prices:
- Adults ¥30,000
- Seniors (70 years and above) ¥27,000
- Children (7-12 years) ¥22,000
- Infants (4-6 years) ¥12,000
- (Fuyo room, Banquet Fl., The Main bldg)



SHUTTLE BUS SERVICES Pass

Free bus services are available to and from the destinations shown below on Jan 1 and 2.
Also convenient for enjoying a bit of sightseeing in the surrounding areas of each destination.
*All buses leave from the Banquet floor entrance of The Main building.

1/1 & 2 Toyokawa Inari Temple [about 10 min]



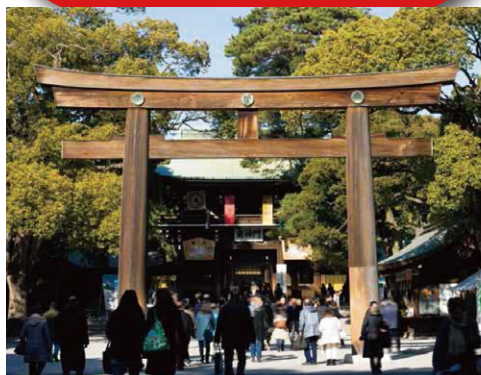
Also stops at Hie Shrine [about 20 min]

1/2 Imperial Palace [about 30 min]



Available on Jan 2 only for the Imperial family appearance and Emperor's address

1/1 Meiji Shrine [about 20 min]



1/1 Asakusa area [about 40 min]



Senso-ji Temple, etc.



- *Brackets indicate the required time to get to each destination.
- *Please see shuttle bus time table for specific departure times.

- *Please present your Event Pass upon boarding.
- *No reservation required.



FLOOR PLAN

GARDEN TOWER Restaurants & Bars

- 40th Fl.**
- BELLA VISTA [Western Cuisine]
 - TOWER RESTAURANT [Buffet Dining]
- Lobby Fl.**
- GARDEN LOUNGE [Tea & Cocktails]
 - NADAMAN [Japanese Cuisine]
 - KYUBEY (GARDEN TOWER) [Sushi]
 - mendokoro NAKAJIMA [Japanese Noodles]
- 4th Fl.**
- TRADER VIC'S TOKYO [International Cuisine]
 - BOATHOUSE BAR [Bar]
- 2nd Fl.**
- Café LA MILLE [Café]
- 1st Fl.**
- AUX BACCANALES [French Restaurant, Café & Bakery]

GARDEN COURT Restaurants & Bars

- Lobby Fl.**
- KATO'S DINING & BAR [Japanese Cuisine & Bar]
 - SENBAZURU [Japanese Cuisine]
- 4th Fl.**
- GUN-SHIP [International Cuisine]
 - TSUKIJI SUZUTOMI [Sushi]
- 2nd Fl.**
- TULLY'S COFFEE [Café]

N Workout Room

GARDEN TOWER 21st Fl.
12/31-1/3 24 hours

O Seisei-an (Tea Ceremony Room)

GARDEN TOWER 7th Fl.
Hatsugama: New Year's Tea Ceremony
1/1 & 2 11:00am - 4:00pm



Banquet Floor

*See reverse side.

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GARDEN TOWER 3rd Fl.
12/29 & 30 7:00am - 10:00pm
12/31-1/3 10:00am - 6:00pm
1/4 10:00am - 9:00pm

P Workout Room

THE MAIN bldg 3rd Fl.
12/31-1/3 5:00am - 10:00pm

THE MAIN bldg Restaurants & Bars

- 17th Fl.**
- VIEW & DINING THE SKY [Buffet Restaurant]
 - sky BAR [Bar]
- 16th Fl.**
- TAIKAN-EN [Chinese Cuisine]
- Lobby Fl.**
- TOUR D'ARGENT TOKYO [French Cuisine]
 - SATSUKI [All-day Dining]
 - Bar Capri [Bar]
 - Tempura HORIKAWA [Japanese Cuisine/Tempura]
 - OKAHAN [Sukiyaki/Shabu Shabu]
 - KYUBEY (THE MAIN) [Sushi]
- Arcade Fl.**
- RIB ROOM [Steak House]
 - RANSEN [Japanese Cuisine]
 - RANSEN HANARE [Bar]
 - FUMIZEN [Tonkatsu/Japanese Cuisine]
 - NIIZU [Soba/Eel]
 - ISEHIRO [Yakitori]
 - TOM CAT [Pizza & Café]
 - PESHAWORL [Café]

In the Japanese Garden

- SEKISHIN-TEI / SEISEN-TEI / MOMIJI-TEI [Teppanyaki]
- NADAMAN MAIN BRANCH SAZANKA-SO [Japanese Cuisine (Kaiseki)]

- Children are welcome
- Accessible restroom
- Pass Requires New Year Event Pass
- Charge Additional charge required

THE MAIN bldg Arcade Fl.

X Foyer of Orizuru

Banana Selling Performance

1/1 & 2
① 10:00am - ② 1:30pm - ③ 5:30pm -
1/3
① 10:00am - ② 1:30pm -

Caricature Portraits

1/1 & 2 10:00am - 6:00pm
1/3 10:00am - 3:00pm

Nursing Room
8:00am - 9:00pm

THE MAIN bldg Arcade Fl.

Y Kofuku-den Shrine

Hatsumode: First Shrine/Temple Visit of the Year

12/31 11:30pm - 1:00am
1/1 9:00am - 6:00pm
1/2 10:00am - 6:00pm
1/3 10:00am - 3:00pm

Stall Vendors

1/1 9:00am - 6:00pm
1/2 10:00am - 6:00pm
1/3 10:00am - 3:00pm

THE MAIN bldg 16th Fl.

C LAPIS L room

Table Games
1/1 & 2 6:00pm - 11:00pm
(Limited to guests 18 years and older after 8:00pm)

Z Foyer of Orizuru Mai room

"Kakizome" New Year's Calligraphy Writing

1/2 10:00am - 3:00pm

R Orizuru Mai room

"Mochi" (Rice Cake) Pounding Performance

1/1 ① 2:00pm - 2:30pm ② 3:30pm - 4:00pm

The Otani Comedy Theatre

1/1 11:00am Circus Band
12:00 noon Magic Show
1:00pm Stand-up Comedy
4:30pm Circus Band
5:30pm Magic Show
6:30pm Stand-up Comedy
1/2 11:00am Circus Band
12:00 noon Magic Show
1:00pm Stand-up Comedy
2:00pm Picture Storytelling
3:30pm Circus Band
4:30pm Picture Storytelling
5:30pm Stand-up Comedy
6:30pm Magic Show
*Dialogue in Japanese only

W Orizuru Sho room

Ping-pong Room

1/1 & 2 10:00am - 9:00pm
1/3 10:00am - 3:00pm

V Orizuru Rei room

Sand Art Performance by kisato

1/1 11:00am - 12:00 noon *Dialogue in Japanese only

U Foyer of Orizuru Rei room

S Foyer of Orizuru Yu room

VR Bungee Jumping Experience

1/1 & 2 10:00am - 7:00pm

T Orizuru Yu room

Joyful Family Game Land: Arcade & AR Games

12/31 11:00am - 9:00pm
1/1 & 2 10:00am - 9:00pm
1/3 10:00am - 3:00pm

Banquet Floor

(GARDEN COURT 5th Fl. / GARDEN TOWER 5th Fl. / THE MAIN bldg 1st Fl.)

Children are welcome

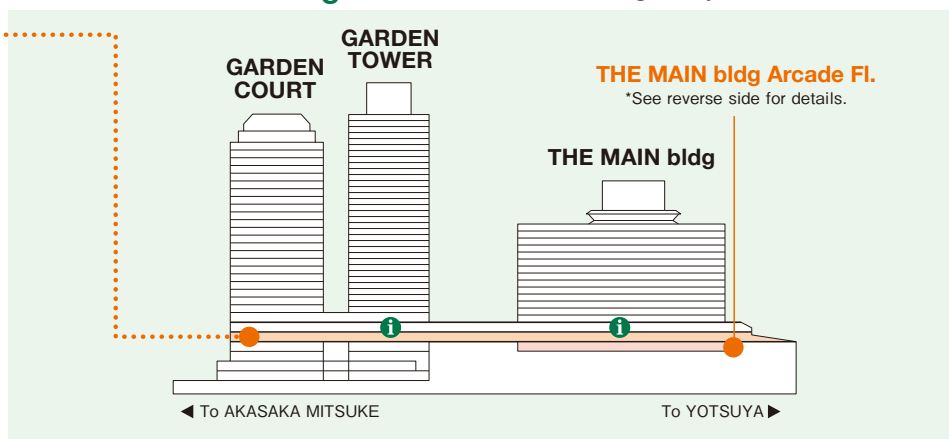
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Additional charge required

Accessible Restrooms
THE MAIN bldg Arcade Fl. Foyer of Orizuru / Banquet Fl. beside Fuyo room / Lobby Fl. beside Rainbow (flowershop) / Lobby Fl. SATSUKI
GARDEN TOWER Lobby Fl. beside mendokoro NAKAJIMA / 21st Fl. / 40th Fl.
GARDEN COURT 1st Fl. behind the elevators

Inquiries: Information Desk [THE MAIN bldg & GARDEN TOWER Lobby Fl.]
Concierge Desk [THE MAIN bldg Lobby Fl.]



Atrium

Atrium Concert “Tsugaru Shamisen”

1/1 ① 12:30pm – 1:00pm
 ② 3:30pm – 4:00pm

Atrium Concert “New Year’s Chamber Concert”

1/2 ① 12:00 noon – 12:30pm
 ② 3:45pm – 4:15pm

K Sirius room

Osechi Site by Senbazuru

1/1 8:00am – 11:00am

Osechi Site by Nadaman

1/3 7:30am – 10:00am

L Aries room

I PALAZZO OTANI

J GARDEN TOWER Banquet Fl. Lobby

Street Fair

1/1 & 2 10:00am – 7:00pm
 1/3 10:00am – 3:00pm

b Japanese Garden

New Year’s Taiko Drum Performance

1/1 10:30am – 10:50am
 *Will be held in Tsuru room (F) in case of rain.

Japanese Sword Performance “Battodo”

1/1 1:30pm – 2:00pm
 *Will be held in Sirius room (K) in case of rain.

C Fuyo room

Kioi-cho Gourmet Buffet

12/31–1/2 5:00pm and 7:30pm

Year-crossing Noodles

12/31 10:30pm – 11:30pm
 (Take-out available from 10:00pm)

Grand Breakfast Buffet

1/1 & 2 8:00am – 11:00am (“Osechi” on 1/1 only)

B THE MAIN bldg Banquet Fl. Lobby

Shishimai: Lion Dance

1/1 From around 10:30am
 (From around 10:15am on the Lobby Fl., The Main bldg)

Craftwork from the Edo Era

1/1 & 2 10:00am – 8:00pm
 1/3 10:00am – 3:00pm

Street Organ Concert

1/2 ① 1:00pm – 1:30pm
 ② 3:00pm – 3:30pm
 ③ 5:00pm – 5:30pm



H Hō room

Osechi Site by Nadaman

1/1 7:30am – 10:30am
 1/2 7:30am – 10:00am

Milk Hall Otani-ken (Restaurant and Café)

1/1 & 2 12:00 noon – 4:30pm

Grand Breakfast Buffet

1/3 8:00am – 10:00am

E Tachibana room

Regional Goods Fair From New Otani Group Hotels

12/31 12:00 noon – 6:00pm
 1/1 10:00am – 6:00pm
 1/2 9:00am – 6:00pm
 1/3 9:00am – 3:00pm

M Suiho room

Flamenco Performance

1/1 2:30pm – 3:15pm

D Sakura room

Mini Kite Making Workshop

12/31 & 1/1 10:00am – 6:00pm

F Tsuru room

The New Otani Orchestra and Choir: New Year’s Eve Opera Gala and Symphony No.9

12/31 8:45pm – 10:15pm

“No.1 Sentai Gozyuger” Show

1/1 1:00pm – 1:30pm

Performance Stage “Kioi”

1/1 8:45pm – 10:00pm

Saori Yuki & Sachiko Yasuda Concert

1/2 1:30pm – 2:40pm

Japanese Vaudeville (Kodan)

1/2 4:30pm – 5:30pm

Japanese Vaudeville (Rakugo)

1/2 8:45pm – 10:00pm

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