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金沢

百万石まつり

令和7年6月6日(金)・7日(土)・8日(日)

6月7日(土) 午後2時から

百万石行列(金沢駅東広場前〜金沢城公園)

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Kanazawa's biggest festival of the year! 3 days of festivities!

The 74th Annual Hyakumangoku Festival June 6, Friday - June 8, Sunday, 2025

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The Hyakumangoku parade pays tribute to the achievements of Maeda Toshiie, the first lord of the Kaga Domain. On Saturday, June 7, actor Ishihara Yoshizumi plays Maeda in this reenactment of Maeda's entry into Kanazawa Castle on June 7, Saturday, 2025. The parade starts at the east side of Kanazawa Station and proceeds through the heart of the city to Kanazawa Castle Park. Other events of the day include the Hyakumangoku Chakai tea ceremonies, the Odori-nagashi dances, and the Hyakumangoku Takigi Noh, a noh theatre performance held by torchlight!

Event Schedule

[Friday June 6, 2025]

Omizutori Ritual (お水取りの儀式) & Chasen Kuyo Service (茶筌供養)

9:00 a.m. – 10:00 a.m. at Kanazawa Shrine (金澤神社) and Seisonkaku (成巽閣)

Shinto priests draw sacred water in the *Omizutori* ritual, the first official event of the festival. (Free of charge)

Kencha Shiki Ceremony (献茶式)

1:00 p.m. – 2:00 p.m. at Oyama Shrine (尾山神社)

The *Kencha Shiki* ceremony is a Shinto adaption of the traditional tea ceremony in which tea is offered to the gods.

Children's Lantern and Taiko Drum Parade (子ども提灯太鼓行列)

6:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. behind Shiinoki Cultural Complex

Hundreds of local children carrying beautiful red lanterns and playing the taiko drums will march through Shiinoki Green Space and Kanazawa Castle Park.

Kaga Yuzen Lantern Floating (加賀友禅燈ろう流し)

7:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m. Asanogawa River (between Tenjinbashi Bridge and Asanogawa Ohashi Bridge, Higashi Chaya District)

About 600 Kaga Yuzen Lanterns will flow down the clear stream of the Asanogawa River, creating a charming atmosphere.

[Saturday June 7, 2025]

Hyakumangoku Chakai (百万石茶会)

8:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Tea houses in and around Kenrokuen Garden (兼六園及び周辺)

Enjoy traditional tea ceremonies. (1,500 yen fee)

Hyakumangoku Parade (百万石行列)

2:00 p.m. – 6:00 p.m.

The highlight of the festival! The parade reenacts the entrance of Maeda Toshiie and his entourage into Kanazawa Castle. It features performers and locals in historical dress, marching bands, and other performances! It starts from the east side of Kanazawa Station and passes through Musashigatsuji and downtown before ending at Kanazawa Castle Park.

Hyakumangoku Odori Nagashi Dances (百万石踊り流し)

6:00 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.

Min'yo dance teams flood the streets from Minami-cho to Katamachi, to dance the night away in colorful yukata. (Free of charge)

Hyakumangoku Takigi Noh (百万石薪能)

7:00 p.m. – 9:00 p.m. Kanazawa Castle Park

A Noh theatre performance is held at night by torchlight to cap off the parade day with the solemn sounds of Noh chants and taiko drums.

Kaga Hyakumangoku Bon Shougatsu (加賀百万石「盆正月」)

10:00 a.m. – 6:00 p.m. Kanazawa Castle Park

A “Summer New Year’s Celebration” featuring lion dancing, taiko drums, portable shrine processions, and more! (Free of charge)

[Sunday June 8, 2025]

Hyakumangoku Chakai (百万石茶会)

8:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Tea houses in and around Kenrokuen Garden (兼六園及び周辺)

Enjoy traditional tea ceremonies. (1,500 yen fee)

Min'yo Hana Emaki (民謡華絵巻)

10:30 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Kanazawa Kagekiza Theater (金沢歌劇座)

Enjoy the folk songs of Kanazawa, as well as Ishikawa Prefecture and other regions of Japan.

Kaga Hyakumangoku Bon Shougatsu (加賀百万石「盆正月」)

10:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Kanazawa Castle Park (continued from Saturday)

A “Summer New Year’s Celebration” featuring lion dancing, taiko drums, portable shrine processions, and more!



Actor Ishihara Yoshizumi plays Maeda Toshiie on his entry into Kanazawa Castle.

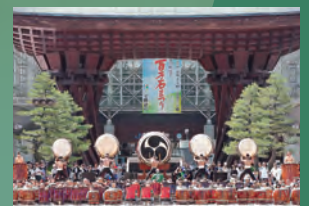


Kitano Kie plays O-Matsu no Kata, Maeda's wife and supporter.

See them march on Saturday, June 7 from 2:00 p.m. to 6:00 p.m.!

[Hyakumangoku Festival]

The Hyakumangoku festival celebrates the achievements of Maeda Toshiie, the first lord of the Kaga Domain, and the prosperity and rich culture of Kanazawa through 3 days packed with events. The festival starts with a ritual at Kanazawa Shrine, where Shinto priests will draw sacred water, and features a grand tea ceremony held at seven tea houses. During the festival, a historical parade, marching bands, and food and activity stalls fill the streets, bedecking the city's natural splendor. The night of the parade, a Noh performance is held by torchlight at Kanazawa Castle Park. Starting the same day, the Kaga Hyakumangoku Bon Shougatsu (加賀百万石「盆正月」) tops off the events (continues on Sunday). On Sunday, as the heat and fervor cools, traditional folk songs and tea ceremony bring the festival to graceful finish.



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