

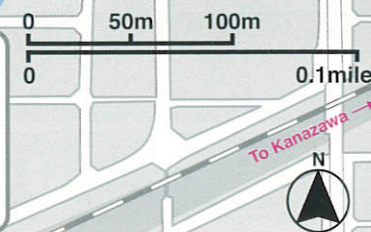
Matto Station Vicinity map



Hakusan Todorigawa Geopark Mascots Yuki Mama & Shizuku-chan

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1 Chiyo-Jo Haiku Museum
千代女の里俳句館



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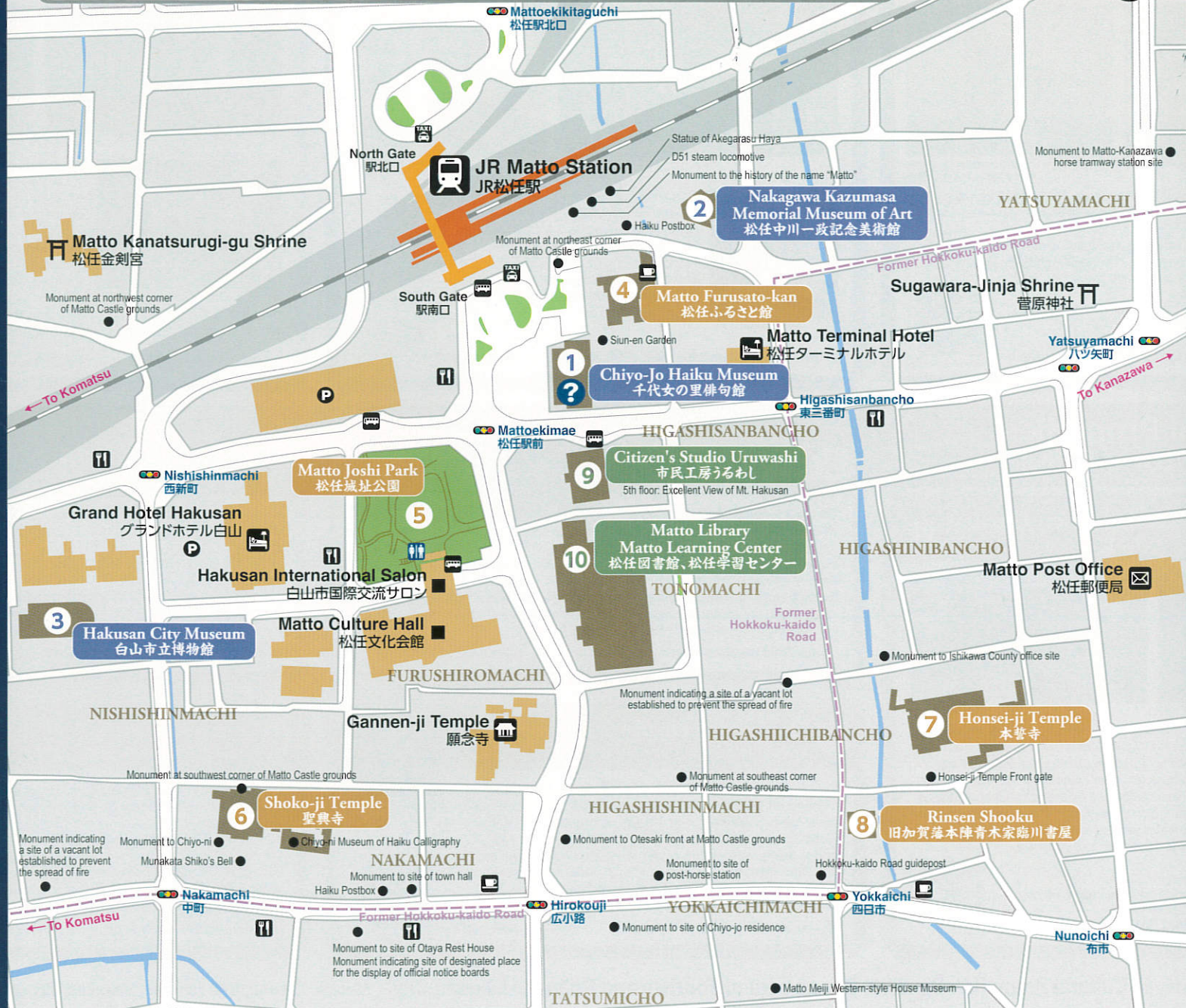
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Museums

Hours: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (last admission 4:30 p.m.)

Closed: Mondays (open if Mon. is a holiday and closed the following weekday), new year holidays (Dec. 29 to Jan. 3), and during exhibition changes

Admission: Combo ticket for admission to the three museums below: ¥200 for adults, ¥100 for children 16–18, free for children 15 and under and people with disabilities

① Chiyo-Jo Haiku Museum

千代女の里俳句館



Information



Exhibition room



Dolls representing a scene from a haiku poem by Chiyo-jo



Kaga no Chiyo-jo

Featuring works by the items related to Kaga no Chiyo-jo (1703-1775), famous female Japanese Haiku poet from Matto. Here you can enjoy and learn about the shortest poem in the world, the Haiku, with its sounds in a 5-7-5 phrase structure, by videos and audio guides.



Location: 310 Tono-machi Phone: (076) 276-0819

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② Nakagawa Kazumasa Memorial Museum of Art

松任中川一政記念美術館

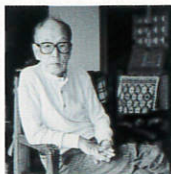


Exhibition room



Roses

"The Crucial Moment"



Nakagawa Kazumasa

This art museum is the personal museum of Kazumasa Nakagawa (1893-1991), a modern master of western painting in Japan and a recipient of the Order of Culture. His various types of dynamic artwork are on display here, including painting, calligraphy, and pottery. This museum was opened in Matto, the home town of his mother, with personal donations of his art.



Location: 61-1 Asahi-machi Phone: (076) 275-7532

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③ Hakusan City Museum

白山市立博物館



Reproduction of a scene of swordsmithing



Reproduction of a rice-polishing workshop



Display related to shishimai lion dance

Models and other materials reproducing scenes of swordsmithing by the living national treasure Sumitani Masamine are on display here. Other items on display include the achievements of Akegarasu Haya and Matsumoto Hakka, a reconstruction of the administrative buildings for Todai-ji Temple's Yokoe-no-sho estate (the ruins of which have been designated as a national historical relic site), and folk materials including traditional farming implements.



Location: 168-1 Nishishin-machi Phone: (076) 275-8922

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Cultural Properties and Historic Sites

④ Matto Furusato-kan, Siun-en Garden

松任ふるさと館、紫雲園

Matto 23 Cafe



Matto Furusato-kan (Registered tangible cultural property of Japan)



Siun-en Garden



Oe no Ma

The former residence of Yoshida Mohei, a businessman who was active before World War II, is now open to the public as a cultural facility. The gorgeous architecture indicates the prosperity of the Yoshida family in those days. The main house and the gate have been designated by the national government as registered tangible cultural properties. The adjoining Japanese garden, Siun-en, provides visitors with a place to rest and unwind, with its seasonal beauty and elegance.



Hours: 9:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m. (last admission 4:30 p.m.)
Closed: Mondays (open if Mon. is a holiday and closed the following weekday),
new year holidays Admission: Free

Location: 312 Tono-machi Phone: (076) 276-5614

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⑤ Matto Joshi Park

松任城址公園



Plan for the Old Castle of Matto

This park is named for Matto Castle, which is said to have originally served as the residence of the Matto Family. In 1583, the castle became the residence of Maeda Toshinaga, and went through a number of changes before it was abandoned in the early 17th century. A stone monument in the castle's main enclosure site in the park and five stone monuments showing the boundaries of the castle site in the urban area have since been erected, based on an old drawing made during the Edo period (1603–1868).

Location: 306 Furushiro-machi

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⑥ Shoko-ji Temple

聖興寺



Monument to Chiyo-ni
(Municipally designated historic site)

Shoko-ji Temple has ties to the poet Kaga no Chiyo-jo. The Monument to Chiyo-ni, located within the precincts, is a stone tablet inscribed with a haiku composed as her final words. It was erected in 1799, on the 25th anniversary of her death, in memory of her illustrious achievements. The front face of this 1.3-meter-tall natural stone tablet is inscribed, "Final Words: Viewing the moon/I now bid farewell/to this world — Monument to Chiyo-ni."

Location: 56-1 Naka-machi Phone: (076) 275-0161

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⑦ Honsei-ji Temple

本誓寺



Front gate (Structure municipally designated as a tangible cultural property)



Matsumoto Hakka

Honsei-ji Temple is an old temple of the Otani school of the Shinshu sect. The front gate was originally constructed in 1801 as the gate for the residence of the Cho family, one of the Kaga Domain's chief retainer families. Around 1881, Matsumoto Hakka, the chief priest of Honsei-ji Temple, took over this gate and relocated it to its current location. Hakka excelled at classical Chinese literature and waka poetry, and his calligraphy is also highly regarded.

Location: 12 Higashi-Ichiban-cho Phone: (076) 275-0206

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⑧ Rinsen Shooku

旧加賀藩本陣青木家臨川書屋



Aoki Family
Rinsen Shooku
(Structure municipally designated as a tangible cultural property)

Rinsen Shooku was a lodging facility (*honjin*, or officially appointed inn) for use by the lord of the Kaga Domain and others. The name — literally, "riverside writings-shop" — comes from the fact that this inn was built next to the Nakamura Yosui canal.

The Aoki family (Kasama-ya) served as leading town officials for generations. After the discontinuation of the *otaya* that had been the domain's *honjin* in the Naka-machi district, Rinsen Shooku functioned as the *honjin* for the Matto area from 1741 through the late 19th century.

Location: 2 Higashi-Ichiban-cho Phone: (076) 274-9579

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