

## Activities and Tours

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### Aiyu Sake Brewery 愛友酒造

●Hours: 9am~4pm  
●Closed: Open 7 days

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This long-established brewery has made sacred sake (miki) to offer to the gods since 1804. You can take a tour of their 200-year old brewery and enjoy sake tasting.



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### Roadside Station Itako 道の駅いたこ

●Hours: 9am~7pm  
●Closed: Open all days including holidays

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More than 300 kinds of souvenirs are sold here. You can also enjoy activities such as pottery making.



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### Itako Motor Sports Park イタコモータースポーツパーク

●Hours for car rental: 12pm~1pm, 4:30pm~Sunset  
●Closed: Wednesday & Thursday

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Whether you are an experienced racer or a beginner, you can enjoy yourself at this circuit. They offer rental cars that beginners can drive easily. Course length - 700m / longest straight line

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### Itako Maru Drive-in Shops and Restaurants いたこ丸ドライブイン

●Hours: 9:30am~5:00pm  
●Closed: Irregular Holidays

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### Itako Country Club (Golf Club) 潮来カントリークラブ

●Hours: 6:30am~5:30pm  
●Closed: Irregular Holidays

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### J-Golf Kasumigaura (Golf Club) ジェイゴルフ霞ヶ浦

●Hours: Monday-Friday 6:45am~5:00pm  
Saturday&Sunday 6:30am~5:00pm  
●Closed: Irregular Holidays

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## Tour of 12 Bridges 12橋めぐり



### Maekawa River 12 Bridges Tour

30min

¥5,000/boat for up to 5 passengers;  
each additional passenger ¥1,000



### Katozu 12 Bridges Tour

A tour

70 min

¥7,000/boat for up to 5 passengers;  
each additional passenger ¥1,400

B tour

50 min

¥6,000/boat up to 5 passengers;  
each additional passenger ¥1,200

C tour

40 min

¥5,000/boat up to 5 passengers;  
each additional passenger ¥1,000

※Only Maekawa 12 Bridges Tour and  
A tour operated during the Iris Festival

The tour takes you around the 12 bridges over the river. Enjoy the historical atmosphere of canal life around Enma (narrow waterway) on a rowing boat playing recorded chanteys in the background.

## Hand Rowing Boat 手漕ぎの「ろ舟遊覧」

Hand rowing boat services are available during the Iris Festival. These services are separate from the 12 Bridges tour.

Seasonal service : During Itako Iris Festival



## Enjoy Itako to the Full: Recommended Sightseeing Explorations

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### Cycling and Boat Tour around Itako Station, 2 hrs

00:00  
START

3 min

#### Depart Suigo-Itako Tourist Information Center at Itako Station

※Bicycle rental available (500 yen per day)



00:03

### 2 Suigo Itako Iris (Ayame) Garden

5 min

“Maekawa 12 Bridges Tour” boat trip (30 min)

00:40

### 10 Chosho-ji Temple

Built in 1185, Chosho-ji Temple is thought to have been founded by Minamoto-no-Yoritomo, the founder of Kamakura Shogunate, wishing for his good fortunes in battles. The bronze bell, nationally designated as an important cultural property, and the study hall used by Mito Mitsukuni, one of the prominent daimyos in the early Edo era, are worth seeing.



13 min

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### 1 Aiyu Sake Brewery

You can take a tour of their 200-year old brewery and enjoy sake tasting.  
※It is prohibited by law to drive cars and bicycles under the influence of alcohol.

10 min

02:00  
GOAL

Arrive at Itako Station

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### Strolling around Hinode area, 3 hrs

00:00  
START

20 min

00:20

Depart Suigo-Itako Bus Terminal

### 11 Cho-on-ji Temple

6 min

A temple built for Buddhist training. Its principle image is Jibo Kannon, who protects mothers and children. Richly colored temple and the Kannon statue is worth seeing.  
※You can try out a “sutra copying” experience.



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### 6 Tsukamoto Char-Grilled Handmade Rice Crackers Shop

※Have some rice crackers and tea here.

25 min

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### 2 Roadside station Itako

15 min

You may purchase Niji-dora, a type of dorayaki (Japanese pancake with red bean paste) made with locally grown flower and rice, which they demonstrate cooking in the store.



03:00  
GOAL

Arrive at Suigo-Itako Bus Terminal

## Accommodations

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### Annex Business Hotel ビジネスホテルアネックス

●Phone: 0299-62-4567  
●Check-in: 3pm  
●Check-out: 10am

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### New Makomo Hotel ホテル新まこも

●Phone: 0299-63-2220  
●Check-in: 3pm  
●Check-out: 10am

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### Ayame Ryokan Inn 阿や免旅館

●Phone: 0299-62-2127  
●Check-in: 3pm  
●Check-out: 10am

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### Sulkanso Hotel ホテル水鏡荘

●Phone: 0299-62-3717  
●Check-in: 3pm  
●Check-out: 10am

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### Kampo no Yado Inn かんぽの宿潮来

●Phone: 0299-67-5611  
●Check-in: 3pm  
●Check-out: 10am

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### Nihon Suigo Center - National Youth Hostel 国民宿舎日本水郷センター

●Phone: 0299-62-2009  
●Check-in: 4pm  
●Check-out: 10am

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### Itako Station Hotel 潮来ステーションホテル

●Phone: 0299-62-3110  
●Check-in: 3pm  
●Check-out: 10am

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### Itako-so Youth Hostel ユースホステル潮来荘

●Phone: 0299-64-2510  
●Check-in: 4pm-10pm  
(check-in by 6pm if dining at the hotel)  
●Check-out: 7am-9am

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### Itako Fujiya Hotel 潮来富士屋ホテル

●Phone: 0299-62-2000  
●Check-in: 4pm  
●Check-out: 10am  
●HP: <http://www.fujiya-hotel.co.jp/foreign/english.html>

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### Kasumigaura - Traditional Inn & Restaurant 朝来旅館 霞ヶ浦

●Phone: 0299-64-2721  
●Check-in: 3pm  
●Check-out: 11am

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### Itako Hotel 潮来ホテル

●Phone: 0299-62-3130  
●Check-in: 3pm (last check-in 10pm)  
●Check-out: 10am  
●HP: [http://www.itakohotel.co.jp/en/1en\\_top.html](http://www.itakohotel.co.jp/en/1en_top.html)

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### Chitoseya-Ryokan - Traditional Inn & Restaurant 千歳屋旅館

●Phone: 0299-64-2003  
●Check-in: 3:30pm (last check-in 10pm)  
●Check-out: 10:30am

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### Shibata Hotel ホテル芝田

●Phone: 0299-66-2389  
●Check-in: 3pm (last check-in 10pm)  
●Check-out: 10am

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### Choshi-ya - Traditional Inn & Restaurant 朝来旅館 銚子屋

●Phone: 0299-64-6111  
●Check-in: 3pm (last check-in 10pm)  
●Check-out: 10pm

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... Registered with Government's international hotel standard. English speaking staff on site.

## Late Night & 24 Hour Pharmacy

### Yac's Drug Itako Branch ヤックスドラッグ潮来店

●Hours: 24 hours  
●Closed: Open 7 days

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### Welcia Itako Shingu-minami Branch ウエルシア潮来新宮南店

●Hours: 9:00am~12:00pm  
●Closed: Open 7 days

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### Welcia Itako Suga-minami Branch ウエルシア潮来須賀南店

●Hours: 9:00am~12:00pm  
●Closed: Open 7 days

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## In Case of Emergency

Dial 110 for 24-Hour Police Services

Call 119 for Fire Trucks and Ambulances

When you call this number, provide the following information to the police officer on the line:

- ① The reason for the call, for example, to report an accident or crime
- ② Where it happened or the address
- ③ Your name

Tell the operator on the line:

- ① Whether the reason for your call is a fire or ambulance
- ② Your location
- ③ Your name