

Maebaru

1 Mt. Kaya

Kaya-san (365m), located near Chikuzen maebaru station and Itoshima's best oyster huts are one of the best hiking places to go for beginner-intermediate hikers. Kaya-san is a short day hike that takes about 2 to 3 hours yet offers a great view at the summit where you can see the a panoramic view from Keya no Oto all the way to Fukuoka Tower.

[Address] Kaya-san, Shima Moroyoshi, Itoshima, Fukuoka Prefecture 819-1321 Route: Shima Moroyoshi -> Kaya-san (365m) -> Shima Kofuji -> Chikuzen-Maebaru Distance: ~9km Toilets: Shima Moroyoshi (start) and Chikuzen-Maebaru Station Bus: From Chikuzen-Maebaru, a twice hourly bus runs from the bus stop outside the station's north exit to the beginning of the trail. Alternatively the start of the trail can be reached on foot in approximately 40 minutes.

2 Tana Cafe + Coffee Roaster



Tana Cafe + Coffee Roaster is a home-brew coffee shop situated around the Maebaru area. Cozy and relaxing, it is perfect for a sunday afternoon cooldown.

[Address] 3-9-1, Maebaru Chuo, Itoshima-shi, Fukuoka
[Phone] 092-321-2008 Open: 10AM-7PM Closed: Tue.
Access: 5 minute walk from JR Chikuzen Maebaru Station North Exit

3 Itoshima Kurashi x Kokonoki



Itoshima Kurashi x Kokonoki is a small lovely handmade shop. It sells variety of things like necklaces, handbags or T-shirts. With a theme "A life with nature", everything in the shop is rustic yet elegant.

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5 Sumi Cafe

Sumi cafe located in the inner side of Maebaru (about 15 minute drive from Chikuzen Maebaru station), offers you one the most delicious salted caramel pudding in a renovated traditional Japanese house. Want to know what heaven tastes like? Come and try it! Let your taste buds experience the magnificent flavor.



[Address] 1454, Hon, Itoshima-shi, Fukuoka
[Phone] 092-330-8732 Open: 12PM-5PM

4 Kozai no Mori Restaurant

Kozai no Mori is a traditional Japanese restaurant in the middle of Maebaru shopping street. The 100-year old building was once an old wealthy trader's shop. Upon entering this quaint histric building, you can travel back in time of Meiji and Taisho era and imagine the life then.



[Address] 3-18-15, Maebaru Chuo, Itoshima-shi, Fukuoka
[Phone] 092-321-4717 Open: 11AM-5PM Close: Wed.
Access: 5 minute walk from JR Chikuzen Maebaru Station North Exit

6 Guest House Kotonoha



Guest House Kotonoha is a guest house very close from Maebaru station. Established by a tourist-loving couple who have spent their lives travelling around the world, foreign bookers are especially welcomed here. The

guest house is also on the same building as Ekimae no Baru.

[Address] 2-1-21, Maebaru Chuo, Itoshima-shi, Fukuoka (Maebaru Ekimae building 4th floor) [Phone] 090-7291-0767
Access: 1 minute walk from JR Chikuzen Maebaru Station North Exit

7 Raizan Senyoji Daihioin Temple



With its prominent Indian influence and boasting its 400 year old history, the Raizan Sennyoji Daihioin Temple still stands as a testament. The temple lies at the north of Mount Raizan's midsection and is also called "the

Kannon of Raizan", which is said to have been built in 178 AD.

[Address] 626, Raizan, Itoshima-shi, Fukuoka
[Phone] 092-323-3547 Open: 9AM-4:30PM

8 Ekimae no Baru



Ekimae no Baru, as the name describes itself clearly is "a bar in front of (Maebaru) station". With an atmosphere of Western Europe, it serves an excellent range of wine, complimented with delicious food.

[Address] 2-1-21, Maebaru Chuo, Itoshima-shi, Fukuoka, Maebaru Ekimae building 1st floor
[Phone] 092-324-1022
Open: 3PM-10PM Closed: Wed.
Access: 1 minute walk from JR Chikuzen Maebaru Station North Exit.

9 Tabibito Curry



Tabibito Curry meaning traveller curry in Japanese is a cozy curry restaurant. Chef owner himself has travelled around Asian countries and learned the best tastes in the areas. Every day, 4 kinds of authentic curry are served from more than 10 repertoires including Khima curry, butter chicken and Sri Lanka curry.

[Address] 1-15-18, Maebaru Nishi, Itoshima-shi, Fukuoka [Phone] 092-329-0010
Open: 11:30AM-9PM Closed: Thu.
Access: 7 minute walk from JR Chikuzen Maebaru Station North Exit.

10 Ito Sai Sai



Ito Sai Sai is a store selling Itoshima-harvested fresh meat and agricultural products, and processed goods. The hand-made corner boasts a selection of sausages and tofu, jams, as well as a plentiful selection of bento box lunches. Their Delivery & Reception Counter provides services which can be used to send items throughout the country.

[Address] 567-1, Hatae, Itoshima-shi, Fukuoka [Phone] 092-324-3131 Open: 9AM-6PM
Closed: New Year Access: 6 minute-bus ride from JR Hatae Station. Showa Bus Stop "JA Ito Sai Sai mae" from JR Hatae Station.

