

Experience the magical, extraordinary nights of Hokomichi



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NIGHT STORY

Himeji Otemae Street Illumination

Illumination Period: November 22, 2025(Sat) – February 22, 2026(Sun)

Otemae Street will be illuminated with beautiful lights.
Enjoy relaxing food and drinks along the glowing road and market stalls.
Step away from everyday life, and let your heart unwind in this extraordinary nightscape.

Event Map & Schedule

Himeji Castle

November 16 (Sun) [Hokomichi Night Bar]

Time: 14:00-20:30

We will create a casual, welcoming space where people can enjoy local gourmet flavors from daytime. It will be a warm, joyful time that brings smiles across generations

*No illumination on November 16 (Sun)

December 24(Wed) – 25(Thu) [Illuminer Night Christmas]

Time: 14:00-20:30

Spend a romantic Christmas surrounded by twinkling lights, lively music, and festive cheer.

Otemae Street

Bon Marche

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Sanyo Himeji
Station

Sanyo Department
Store
QWELL

Grass Square
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JR Himeji Station

JR Sanyo Line

November 15(Sat) / December 20(Sat) [Hokomichi Terrace]

Time: 14:00-20:00

About 10 sets of parasols, tables, and chairs will be arranged to create an extraordinary, relaxing atmosphere.

*No illumination on November 15 (Sat)

November 29(Sat) – 30(Sun) [Illuminer Night Café]

Time: 14:00-20:00

Enjoy a café-style space filled with smiles and good times!

Don't miss the "Hokomichi Performance," the finale of the Himeji Art Season.

More Details Here!



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■ This initiative is being carried out as a social experiment to promote future use and improvement of Hokomichi (Pedestrian Priority Street).
■ Event details may change without notice depending on the weather.