

CCEA

Cross Cultural Exchange Association

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FEBRUARY NEWSLETTER

WELCOME BACK!

Be a part of our first meeting of the new year on February 7th at 10:30am!

Check out all of your favorite returning groups as well as new ones that are sure to become favorites. We will be gathering at Aichi International Association in Aichi International Plaza 1st floor.



Aichi International
Plaza

2 Chome-6-1
Sannomaru, Naka
Ward, Nagoya, Aichi
460-0001

1st Floor Large
Meeting Room

5-minute walk from
Nagoyajo Station,
Exit 5, (Purple /
Meijo Line)

Coming next month...

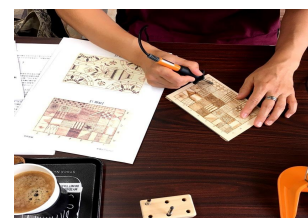
Wood Burning Studio Crimo

Woodburning is an art that uses an electric pen to create patterns with light and dark burnt colors.

It is an art that can be used in a variety of situations, from cute illustrations to photo-like works, wooden miscellaneous goods, and leather items. It is also called "pyrography" or "artesanía" overseas, and has many enthusiasts.



Please keep an eye out for more information and the sign up link for this workshop at our March general meeting!



Space is limited and reserved on a first come first served basis

February

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday	Sunday
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3 Book Club	4 Language Exchange	5	6	7 CCEA General Meeting	8	9
10 Photography	11	12 Day Trip	13 Yamato-e	14 CCEA Board Meeting	15	16
17 Pilates	18 Restaurant Hunters	19	20	21 Turkish Cooking	22 Ikebana & Calligraphy	23
24	25	26 Kimekomi	27	28 Yamato-e Happy Hour Hunters		



Courtney R. January 4th
Hiroko January 13th
Kerry January 14th
Gwyn January 31st

Ericka February 4th
Shuuko February 5th
Yoriko February 7th
Masako February 19th
Kaori February 20th
Naomi February 24th

SAVE THE DATE!

General Meeting Dates

March 7th- Wood Burning
April 4th- Cookie Decorating
May 9th -TBA
June 6th -TBA

September 5th - TBA
October 3rd TBA
November 7th -TBA
December- Holiday Lunch

Member Spotlight



Gwyn Wilson

Welcome to CCEA!

I have lived in Nagoya with my husband, Paul, for over seven years. We have two cats, Karly and Sweetie. Before moving to Japan, we lived in Southern California.

I love the arts and music scenes. I currently volunteer and collaborate with other artists in the Aichi area. I am also studying at the Urasenke School of Japanese Tea Ceremony, which has allowed me to immerse myself in the arts and culture of Japan.

I hope you all have a great time in CCEA and Aichi as much as I do.



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Are you interested in becoming a board member? Please contact us for more information!

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