

### Saiki Hikopan Campagne

Although tiny, the bakery sells a wide array of bread, including sandwich loaf and takoyaki bun. How about taking a break from the walk for a rest?



### Hikodake

At 639.35 meters high, the summit offers views of the Shikoku mountains, Bungo Channel, Tsurumi Peninsula, Youra Peninsula, and the Onyu Island below. Hikodake Gongen Shrine is now enshrined at the top of the mountain, and hiking to see the sunrise, including on New Year's day, is recommended. The wild cherry blossoms are at their height in late March.

### Rose garden

Height of season: Early May to

Near the Nishikamiura District Civic Hall, the private garden is open for public viewing. Approximately 150 varieties of potted and planted and wall-climbing roses bloom in all their



beauty. Each area of the garden has a theme to delight the viewer. Parking is available at the District Civic Hall.



# Hikodake Foothills & Kariu Life Course

The summit of Hikodake, rising between Saiki and Tsukumi in Oita Prefecture, has a distinctive dome shape and was used as a landmark for ships traveling through the Bungo Channel in the olden days. The route takes visitors on a



### Naval Town Saiki Time Travel Trail Course

[Other Courses]



Kamiura





### Naokawa Satoyama Countryside Course

This leisurely walk through





Road of History and Literature to



Kamae

Crystal Water Village Trail Course



of the crystal clear Banjyo

# Kamiura Sea Breeze Trail Course



## Kamae Bayside Walking Trail Course



you can also enjoy a so-called "Uradon'

### For more information

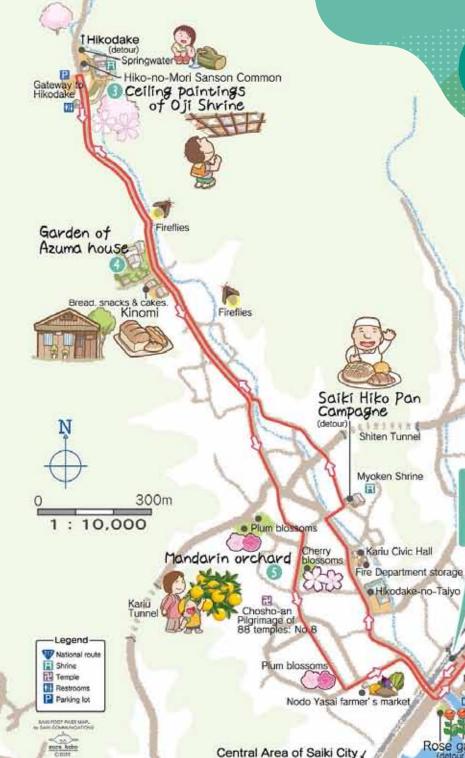
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### START & GOAL

Duration: Approx. 1.5 hours

Vertical drop : Approx. 60 m Calories burned : Approx. 160 kcal

Distance: Approx. 4.5 km

### 1 Kariu Station

Although some parts have been restored, the retro train station retains the ambiance of the days when it first opened in 1959. There used to be a cafeteria, a fishing tackle store, and a guard station adjacent to the station, but only the station building remains today.



### 3 Ceiling paintings of Oji Shrine

At Oji Shrine, visitors can view 216 beautiful ceiling paintings at any time while listening to the babbling brook. The paintings were restored several times for conservation, and 14 of the 216 pieces were painted by students of Nishikamiura Middle School (now Genyou Middle School).



### 2 Hikodake-No-Sato **Fureai Market**

The Kariu district farmer's market. established by union members in 2004, sells fish brought by local fishermen, ready-made foods, and sundries every Sunday from 8 am. It attracts many residents as well as those from outside the city.

### 4 Garden of Azuma house

The garden, created by the owner of the house, allows visitors to enjoy the scenery of each season, and you may be able to hear anecdotes about how the garden was made if the timing is right. It is open to the public for free tours.





### Kariu Station

Nishikamiura Baseball Ground Nishikamiura District Civic Hall



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Kariu Station

Hikodake-no-Sato Fureai Market





### Mandarin orchard (October to early February)

You will see citrus fruits here and there as you walk down the alley. Enjoy a leisurely walk while appreciating the

