How to enjoy Roppongi Art Night more

Roppongi Art Night is an art festival for enjoying art all night by turning the entire town into a museum. There are also many events in the program that will be held late at night. Please enjoy your time in contact with art by ensuring you act in moderation and with good manners.

*Entry by those under 18 years old is prohibited between 23:00 and 4:00 in accordance with the Tokyo Metropolitan Ordinance Regarding the Healthy Development of Youths.

Check here for the latest information on Roppongi Art Night
http://www.roppongiartnight.com/

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#大本木アートナイト2017  #RAN2017
Mirai no Matsuri

What comes to mind on hearing the word “matsuri” (festival)? The general definition for matsuri is “the act of praying to or worshiping a deity or ancestors to give thanks or to comfort the spirit”. However, in recent years, music festivals and art festivals are all considered matsuri. What all of these have in common is that people gather to share an experience and pass on cultures to future generations and is a communication platform. The Roppongi Art Night 2017, will be featuring art and performances from around the world, including many from Asia, proposing a new creative form of “matsuri”.

OVERVIEW

Roppongi Art Night is an one-night art extravaganza staged in the district of Roppongi. The event proposes a pioneering model for urban development as well as a lifestyle that celebrates the enjoyment of art in our everyday lives. Presenting contemporary art, design, music, film, and performances, Roppongi Art Night offers an extraordinary experience. Launched in March 2009, the event is growing every year.

GREETING

Roppongi Art Night will be celebrating its 8th edition this year. This year’s theme “Mirai no Matsuri” (festival of the future) is held in the hopes of people coming together to enjoy art out on the streets of Roppongi like a “matsuri” and not confined by the walls of a museum. We welcome Mika Ninagawa as this year’s main program artist, and her bright, colorful works will be featured throughout the festival. Additionally, to celebrate the 50th anniversary of the founding of ASEAN, we are excited to present the “Southeast Asia Project”. Culture is becoming more important in enhancing Japan’s presence in the global community, and we would like for Roppongi Art Night to become the key platform in strengthening the visibility of Tokyo’s creativity and showcasing it to the world.

Fumio Nanjo
Chairperson of Roppongi
Art Night Executive Committee
ROPPONGI ART NIGHT 2017 TIME SCHEDULE
9/30 Sat --- 10/1 Sun

*1 The times of the events differ according to the venue. Please check the official website for details on each program. *2 Program content differs according to the time. Please check the official website for details on each program. *3 For dates and times of programs, please check the program information on the official website.

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Roppongi Art Night Photo Spot
Lapilors Roppongi
**21_21 DESIGN SIGHT**

[4] **Exhibition **GRAND PROJECTS: HOW FAR WILL YOU GO?**

Exhibition **GRAND PROJECTS: HOW FAR WILL YOU GO?** displays works that can be viewed with the physical senses. For example, visitors can explore inside a translucent cave-like installation by the artists’ group Nuron. For Use made from pine-wool looks.

• Entrance fees are necessary to view the exhibition.
• Take the subway or use the Roppongi Spa at the same time.
• Visitors should be careful when walking around the area.

**SUNTORY MUSEUM OF ART**

[66] **Exhibition **Kano Motonobu: Art Under Heaven Bowed to His Brush**

A special exhibition “Kano Motonobu: Art Under Heaven Bowed to His Brush” is held at the Suntory Museum of Art to celebrate the museum’s 10th year in Roppongi. It shows the masterpieces of Kano Motonobu (1477-1559), the second generation painter of the Kano School and the school’s most highly-acclaimed master. Valuable binding screens designated as Important Cultural Properties are also on display.

• Entrance fees are necessary to view the special exhibition.
• Taking of photographs inside the museum is prohibited.

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[66] Masaki Yamauchi Street Art Performances “MATURI” “Furtho beyond the Remote Mountains”
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**ROPPONGI HILLS**

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**INTERACTIVE PROGRAM COURSE**

Roppongi Art Night offers plenty of things for visitors to enjoy, including of this course is the midnight Bon-odori dance “Roku Hon Moku Yuama” marking its fifth edition this year, and which has become a staple feature of this event. In this interactive program course, we recommend seeing interactive works such as those that respond to human movement, and also taking part in physical activities such as exercises and dance.

* The number of visitors that can participate in certain programs is limited due to the limited amount of materials. Performances by artists will only be held during certain times. Please check the details in the information given for each program and artwork.
Mika Ninagawa “Tokyo Followers 1”

Roppongi Hills Arena  Sept. 30 17:30 - Oct. 1 6:00, 11:00-18:00  Admission: Free
Tokyo Midtown Canopy Square  Sept. 30 10:00 - Oct. 1 18:00  Admission: Free
The National Art Center, Tokyo Front garden  Sept. 30 10:00 - Oct. 1 18:00  Admission: Free

Installations will be set up in the three venues of Roppongi Hills Arena, Tokyo Midtown and the National Art Center, Tokyo. Reflecting Mika Ninagawa’s world view, the brightly colored installations feature Asian and Western motifs, and will conjure a magical, kaleidoscope-like world. They are the perfect spots for taking photos, and we hope visitors will be inspired to take creative photos. Various events will be held at the Roppongi Hills Arena for a two-day period.

Please see RHG for details on the events to be held at the Roppongi Hills Arena. At some events, there are restrictions on viewing locations during certain periods of time.

NINAGAWA ALMOND

ALMOND Roppongi  Sept. 30 10:00 - Oct. 1 18:00  Admission: Free

Visual works by Mika Ninagawa will adorn the window of ALMOND, the famous café located in the heart of Roppongi. The distinctively colored works have an intense aura that will no doubt catch the attention of the people in the bustling streets.
Three fabulous works to liven up the one-night festival

The “Southeast Asia Project” is a project where Southeast Asian artists and Japanese artists with links to Southeast Asia create works of art by cooperating with all kinds of people. Three works will be produced and exhibited during Roppongi Art Night: “OK no Matsuri” will be a work based on an artist’s discoveries and encounters in Roppongi. “Higantes” will be created through collaboration between artists and people. The “24-Hour Human Clock” will have humans for the clock hands.

Navin Rawanchaikul
“OK no Matsuri”
① Sept.30 15:00 - Oct.1 18:00
② Roppongi West Park
③ Admission: Free

Thai artist Navin Rawanchaikul will hold “OK no Matsuri” in Roppongi. A short movie and paintings themed on Roppongi will be shown, showing visitors a number of different faces and fascinating aspects of Roppongi. A variety of events which can be enjoyed by people of all ages will be held, including an artist talk, workshops for children as well as an original Roppongi salsa performance featured in the short movie.

Neo Angono Artists Collective
“The Roppongi Higantes Project Walking Among Giants: Them Are Us Too”
① Sept.30 10:00 - Oct.1 18:00
② Roppongi Hills West Walk 2F, Tokyo Midtown Canopy Square, The National Art Center, Tokyo, Roppongi West Park, and other locations in Roppongi
③ Admission: Free

Neo Angono Artists Collective is a group of artists based in the Philippines which started activities in 2004. Their representative work is the distinctive “Higantes” – giant sculpted figures. Influenced by the Roppongi district, the group makes these figures in collaboration with local people. The completed Higantes will be installed in the parks and streets, adding color to Roppongi.

Kokuritsu Okutama Museum
“Kokuritsu Okutama Museum 24-Hour Human Clock (Asia version)”
① Sept.30 18:00 - Oct.1 18:00
② Admission: Free
③ In front of Roppongi Hills North Tower

The “Kokuritsu Okutama Museum” is an artist collective launched in Ome City, Tokyo in 2012. Many of its members have shown works in Southeast Asia. Their Asia-themed “24-Hour Human Clock” will have people as the clock hands.
The Roppongi Hills Arena and Tokyo Midtown Canopy Square are the two central venues for Roppongi Art Night; various installations will be set up and numerous performances will be held.

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|                 | 21:45 ~ 22:00 Oni "UTAGE- Newspaper Ladies"
|                 | 23:00 ~ 23:20 Masahiro Yanagimoto and Friends "roppongi81!"
| Oct. 1 0:00 | 0:00 ~ 0:30 "Ryosuke Kondo and friends "Tokyo Hon Moku Yamaha Vol.5 (Midnight Bon-odon)"

* Please check the official website for details on each program.
* The installations at Roppongi Hills and Tokyo Midtown differ from each other in design and show.
**GETTING TO ROPPONGI ART NIGHT**

**Free Shuttle Buses**

**Roppongi Keyakizaka ⇨ Shibuya; Shinjuku and Ikebukuro; Kichijoji, Kokubunji, and Tachikawa**

Free shuttle buses will be operated from about 24:00 on Saturday, September 30 until the early morning of Sunday October 1.

After leaving Roppongi Keyakizaka, they will head toward each terminal. You may not be able to enter the bus if it is filled to capacity. Details such as the timetable and the locations of bus stops can be found on the official website.

* The times may vary depending on traffic conditions.

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**Roppongi Art Night Hotel Sponsorship Grand Hyatt Tokyo**

**Special Dinner Course**

In line with Roppongi Art Night, the restaurants at Grand Hyatt Tokyo will be serving a special dinner course with a welcome drink and a special ticket of Roppongi Art Night 2017 (invitation tickets to four participating museums). For details, please check the official website of Grand Hyatt Tokyo.

**Period:** Sept.1 (Fri) - Oct.1 (Sun)

**Restaurants:** The Oak Door, The French Kitchen, Fiorentina

**Official Website:**
https://www.tokyo.grand-hyatt.co.jp/restaurant/en/convention/ropponji-art-night/

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**Roppongi Art Night Participating Shops Extension of business hours and offering of special services**

For the duration of the event from 24:00 on Sept. 30 to 9:00 on Oct. 1, special services will be available only to visitors who have this brochure.

Many shops and restaurants in the Roppongi area will be extending their business hours and offering special services during Roppongi Art Night. In between looking at the works of art, or after you have finished looking at everything, you can have fun shopping and also treat yourself to a nice meal.

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Event Profile

Time and date
Sept.30 (Sat) 10:00 to Oct.1 (Sun) 18:00, 2017
Core time: Sept.30 (Sat) 17:27 (Sunset) - Oct.1 (Sun) 5:36 (Sunrise)
* Core time is the period during which many of the main installations and events will be held.

Venues
Roppongi Hills, Mori Art Museum, Tokyo Midtown, Suntory Museum of Art, 21_21 DESIGN SIGHT, The National Art Center, Tokyo, Roppongi Shopping District, other cooperating facilities and public spaces in the Roppongi district

Admission
Free (However, fee is required for certain programs and museum events)

Organizers
Minato City, Roppongi Art Night Executive Committee [The National Art Center, Tokyo, Suntory Museum of Art, Tokyo Midtown, 21_21 DESIGN SIGHT, Mori Art Museum, Mori Building, Roppongi Shopping District Association]

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