



Awaken the Irish  
within you!



# Irish Festival in Matsue 2020



**Lafcadio Hearn**  
The 170<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of his Birth &  
The 130<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of his Arrival in Matsue/Japan



## Sun 8 March, 2020 Matsue, Shimane

Matsue Castle Otemae  
to Karakoro Area

11:30-12:30 **St Patrick's Day Parade**

Matsue Castle Otemae Entrance Stairs  
→ Shimane Civic Center (Shimane Kenmin Kaikan)  
→ Minami Tonomachi → Kyomise Karakoro Plaza  
The dress code for paraders is green! Put on something green, Ireland's color, and march with the spirit of the Irish! Individuals and groups alike may participate, so don't hesitate to submit your application!

**Recruiting  
parade participants!**

**Participation is free!**  
For details, please check out  
our other flyer or our website.  
**APPLICATION DEADLINE:**  
**Thurs 27 February**

9:50-10:40 **PR Parade** (Horikawa Sightseeing Boats) launching from the Otemachi docks

10:30-16:00 **Irish Events**

**Irish Music Garden**

☘ **The Green Marché +**  
Matsue Specialty Goods Market

☘ **Live Stage + Dance**  
Karakoro Art Studio Garden Terrace +  
Ousuidou parking lot (east side of the studio) +  
Kyomise Karakoro Plaza

Sat 7 March  
15:35-22:00

**The Shamrock Irish Pub +  
Food Stand Market**

Karakoro Art Studio Underground Vault + Garden Terrace

INQUIRIES

"Irish Festival in Matsue" Executive Committee  
(operating at the Matsue International Community Center)

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**Go! Go! Ireland!**

Let's cheer for Ireland  
in the 2020 Tokyo Olympics and Paralympics!

Paraders  
can win  
lottery  
prizes!