



# Experience a Japanese festival Help carry a mikoshi shrine!

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Have you ever seen the traditional portable shrines (*mikoshi*) used in Japanese festivals? *Mikoshi* are used when a God needs to be moved, and carrying one (*mikoshi katsugi*) is an energetic, lively aspect of Japanese festivals. In Matsue we have an old festival affectionately called “*Tenjin-san*” and we are looking for people to help carry the *mikoshi*. It’s a chance for you to help carry a *mikoshi* in traditional festival clothes!

## The shrine carrying will be on **7/24**

**Event** Shrine carrying at the **Shirakata Tenmangu Summer Festival**  
(Matsue Castle to Shirakata Tenmangu)

**Target Group** Foreign residents of Matsue (over 16 years old)

**Meeting Time** Women: 2pm Men: 3:30pm

•The event will end around 9pm.

**Application Deadline** 3 July (Tuesday)

**Fee** Free for Students. Others ¥1,000 each

### Application Method

Please email MICC, or come to the office on the 2<sup>nd</sup> floor.

•Please title your email “mikoshi2018”. E-mail: [m.koryu@web-sanin.co.jp](mailto:m.koryu@web-sanin.co.jp)

•Please include the following:

Name, sex, nationality, occupation, mobile phone number, practice date preference.



### Practice dates

**4 July (Wed) 7pm or 7 July (Sat) 1pm (~30 minutes)**

Please participate in one practice day. We will also check your size on this day