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About TAO Factory

“Vitalize the region with education and promote industry with culture (fascination of the region)”
TAO Factory aims to be a factory (company) that constructs a new business model and fosters future talents in the course of human resource development.

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The performance & experience programs that offer enjoyment and the chance to experience Okinawan history, culture and the performing arts

“Share the Moments with Ryukyuroman Mini Theatre
The Exciting Okinawa-Style Performance and Experience Programs”

We would like all visitors to enjoy the show while in Okinawa and take the memory home with them.
The contemporary version *KUMIODORI* (Ryukyuroman Mini Theatre) is sure to be a moving experience for all.

Ryukyuroman Mini Theatre





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The contemporary version *KUMIODORI* is a theatrical performance composed of music and dance that has arranged Okinawan traditional performing arts, *kumiodori*. It is based on local history and its prominent figures and is performed by junior and senior high-school students. Through performance, performers recognize the significance of dedication and foster pride in their home, while being able to learn the local history, culture and the performing arts. Their powerful performance is staged throughout Okinawa, making a profound impact on audiences in Okinawa and other prefectures.

We organized this program, hoping to share the experience with you. That is Ryukyuroman Theatre, the exciting Okinawa-style performance.

Ryukyuroman Theatre adopts various Okinawan traditional performing arts such as Ryukyuan dance, *karate*, *eisa*, and *shishimai* (lion dance). It brings a new sensation when experiencing and learning Ryukyuan (Okinawan) culture and history.

Performers are all in their teens and twenties. They express their pride of Okinawa through an intense passion that can reach the hearts of every generation.

Under the slogan "The old is new," the performances are arranged in a modern style to be able to introduce Okinawan history, culture and the performing arts in an enjoyable and illuminating way.

To invite Ryukyuroman Mini Theatre

(Reservations and Inquiries)

1. Decide a plan.
2. Inquire about the number of people, the venue and the date.
3. Receive a proposal and an estimate.
4. Finished. Now all you need to do is wait.
5. Payment

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※We will make arrangements and look over the venue beforehand if necessary.

※Please understand that we may be unable to comply with your requests depending on the schedule and other conditions.

We will propose the best plan in compliance with our customers' wishes.

Please feel free to contact TAO Factory Ryukyuroman Mini Theatre.

Other requests for performance at events, shows, workshops,
and lectures are also welcome.



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Ryukyuroman Mini Theatre; The Exciting Okinawa-Style Performance

Blending notable elements of the Okinawan performing arts such as Ryukyuan dance, *karate*, *eisa*, and *shishimai* (lion dance), the performance is full of music, dance, humor, and life!

Length: 1 hour
Place: Mainland Okinawa
Periods of performance: All year round

Features & Benefits:

1. Contact with youth in Okinawa

The show features young and talented performers in their late teens and twenties in Okinawa. Their vigorous performance will touch your heart and lift your spirit.

2. Learn about Okinawan history and culture

Enjoy learning Okinawan history and culture. The theater will give you an appreciation for historic sites and hands-on experiences. A better understanding of the history and culture is sure to improve your visit.

[Fees](per person)

Option 1. Perform at customer desired location within mainland Okinawa (From 1,000 yen; minimum 80 or more people.)

Performances are available at accommodations and dining facilities. (The cost of reserving a location is not included; we can arrange the venue for extra charges.)

Option 2. Performance and Lunch (From 2,500 yen)

Option 3. Performance and Dinner (From 3,500 yen)

Enjoy the show and the meal at affiliated facilities in mainland Okinawa.

※Sound and lighting effects may vary depending on the location. ※We can organize the show and the meals upon request.

For MICE (Meeting, Incentive, Convention and Exhibition/Event) English and Chinese subtitles on the screen are available upon request. We will organize the show in compliance with the wishes of our customers and the size of the venue.



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“The Exciting Okinawa-Style Performance” Lessons (Dance/Performance classes)

We will send dance/performance instructors to the assigned place and give lessons in vocal exercises and in dances including Okinawan traditional performing arts.

Length: 2 hours or more
Place: Mainland Okinawa
Periods of reservation: All year round

Features & Benefits:

Through movement and dance, students will find enjoyment in performing and develop a desire for self-improvement. This program can be connected to school events such as a cultural festival or sports day, where students can perform their dance.

[Fees] From 2,000 yen per person (The cost of reserving a location is not included)
[Number of people] Minimum 30 or more
[Location] Decide in consultation

The flow of the program (example)

Preliminary guidance

DVD show of the contemporary version KUMIODORI

Lesson

- A model performance
- Practice by team
- Presentation

After

Performance at events such as a sports day or a cultural festival

For MICE (Meeting, Incentive, Convention and Exhibition/Event)
We recommend applying the program to orientation courses and staff training for the improvement of communication skills and team building programs.

