



葡萄の騎士の会

THE BROTHERHOOD OF THE KNIGHTS
OF THE VINE OF JAPAN

Established in 1986

2026. F.I.C.B. sponsored Japan Wine Discovery Tour

May 18-24, 2026



Known for its sushi and tempura, the center of Japanese food culture is now Tokyo. With 12 three-star Michelin restaurants and 33 two-star restaurants (2024 edition), Tokyo is not only a city of fine dining, but also a city of dining out where the quality and cost performance of all restaurants is the best in the world, supporting the fast development of wine culture. Wine Discovery Tokyo will focus on pairing wines with Japanese cuisine unique to Japan, allowing visitors to experience a culinary culture that has continued since the Edo period, 400 years ago. In addition, the Nagano extension is planning a city-wide event in which participants will stay in Matsumoto City and experience Nagano's local food and local wines.

The Knights of the Vine of Japan
Grand Master

Shoji Kinoshita

Main Program (Tokyo & Yamanashi)

Monday, May 18

Check in at the Grand Prince Hotel Shin Takanawa*****

17:00 --18:00 Japanese Wine Introduction Program

18:00 – 20:00 Welcome dinner



Tuesday, May 19

7:00-8:00 Breakfast

8:30 Hotel departure to Katsunuma Winery in Yamanashi by tour bus

10:30 Winery Tour

12:30 Lunch

14:00 Winery Tour

16:00 Departure from Katsunuma

19:00 Dinner

22:30 Hotel arrival



Wednesday, May 20

- 7:00-9:00 Breakfast
- 10:00 Japanese Wine Tasting Fest.
Enthronement by The Knights of the Vine of Japan
- Lunch
- 14:30 Asakusa Sensoji Temple
- 16:00 Tokyo Sky Tree
- 18:00 Dinner
- 22:00 Hotel arrival



Thursday, May 21

- 7:00-8:30 Breakfast
- 9:00 Free time walk around Shibuya
- 11:30 Lunch at Shibuya Winery
- 15:00 Meiji Shrine
- 19:00 YAKATABUNE (dinner boat) Dinner
- 22:30 Arrive at hotel



Friday, May 22

- 7:00-9:00 Breakfast
- Check out

Extension Program (Nagano Area)

Friday, May 22

- 9:00 Departure from hotel
- 10:30 Winery Tour and Lunch
- 15:00 Hotel Buena Vista Matsumoto**** Check-in
- 19:00 Welcome Dinner



Saturday, May 23

- 7:00-8:30 Breakfast
- 9:00 Winery Tour
- 12:30 Lunch
- 14:30 Winery Tour
- 17:30 Hotel arrival
- 19:00 Dinner



Sunday, May 24

- 7:00-8:30 Breakfast
- 10:00 Departure from hotel
- 11:30 Winery tour and Lunch
- 15:36 Ueda Station, Shinkansen bullet train
- 17:52 Tokyo Station

General Information

For further information regarding the program please visit our event website

<https://www.japan-wine-knights.org>

Deadline for registration : October 31, 2025

We are more than happy to assist you with your registration

Registration Office

E mail: registration@japan-wine-knights.org

Main program - May 18–22, 2026 Tokyo and Yamanashi

[Grand Prince Hotel New Takanawa**](#)**

Twin room JPY 240,000 /p

Single use of a twin room JPY 280,000/p

Enthronement by The Knights of the Vine of Japan JPY 25,000/p
(One guest per Wine Brotherhood is free)

Extension program - May 22–24, 2026 Nagano

[Hotel Buena Vista Matsumoto**](#)**

Executive twin room JPY 180,000/p

Twin room JPY 160,000/p

Single use of a twin room JPY 174,000/p

Above costs include taxes, accommodation, transfers, meals, tours
as outlined in the program

Payment Conditions

Pay JPY 100,000.– as a deposit at the time of registration

The balance should be paid by December 31 2025.

Cancellation Policy

Cancellation by 15 February 2026

75% refund of full payment minus JPY 15,000.– processing fee per person

Cancellation by 15 March 2026

50% refund of full payment minus JPY 15,000.– processing fee per person

Cancellation after 15 March 2026 no refund

Any cancellation must be confirmed in writing by the person who made the original booking

In case of force majeure, travel restrictions by WHO or the respective country: full refund minus JPY 15,000.– per person processing fee

The event will be organized in case of minimum 50 participants.

[Click here to fill out the application form](#)