



Japan's Largest Jomon Prehistoric Settlement

Special Historic Site

## Sannai Maruyama Site

Aomori City

ca. 3,900 BCE to 2,200 BCE



A large hub settlement site comprising various facilities, and you can understand the Jomon prehistoric people's way of life and the environment at the time.

A large number of pottery, stone tools, lacquered objects, clay figurines, jade, and obsidian, etc. have been excavated.

### Sannai Maruyama Jomon Culture Center



- 305 Maruyama, Sannai, Aomori City, Aomori Pref. 9:00~17:00 (Jun.-Sep.: until 18:00)
- 4th Mon., Year-end and New Year holidays 017-766-8282
- Adults JPY 410 / High school and university students JPY 200 / Children Free



Ritual Site with a Stone Circle Characterized by Complex Arrangement of Stones

Historic Site

## Komakino Stone Circle

Aomori City

ca. 2,000 BCE



A large scale stone circle characterized by flat stones aligned alternately in longitudinal and latitudinal directions, as if in a stone wall. The stone circle is as large as 55 m in diameter. Around the stone circle, pit graves have also been discovered, ritual artifacts such as triangular stone plates have been unearthed.

### Aomori City Komakino Site Preservation Museum



- 108-3 Sawabe, Nozawa, Aomori City, Aomori Pref. 9:00~17:00
- Year-end and New Year holidays 017-757-8665 Free



Archaeological Site Excavated Pieces of the Earliest Pottery in Japan

Historic Site

## Odai Yamamoto Site

Sotogahama Town

ca. 13,000 BCE



The oldest pottery in Japan was excavated at this site. The use of pottery, which is not suitable for a mobile lifestyle, is eloquent evidence of the beginning of sedentary life. Stone arrowheads have also been unearthed here, which suggest that people started to use bows and arrows.

### Sotogahama Oyama Furusato Shiryokan



- 34-3 Kanita-Odaisawabe, Sotogahama town, Higashi Tsugaru-gun, Aomori Pref.
- 9:00~16:00 Mon., Year-end and New Year holidays
- 0174-22-2577 Free



Discover Art, History, and Seafood!

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### Aomori Museum of Art

Exhibits artworks related to the climate of Aomori Prefecture

- 9:30~17:00 (Jun.-Sep.: 9:00~18:00)
- 2nd and 4th Mon., Year-end and New Year holidays
- 017-783-3000



### Aomori Gyosai Center (Fish Market)

Aomori resident's kitchen where you can taste Nokke-Don rice bowls

- 7:00~16:00
- Tue.
- 017-763-0085

### Ginger Miso Oden

Warm and addictive oden with a grated ginger miso broth



### Nokke-Don Rice Bowl

A seafood rice bowl made with donburi rice and your favorite ingredients



### Aomori Prefectural Museum

Aomori Prefecture's general museum, filled with nature, history, and culture

- 9:00~17:00 (May.-Oct.: until 18:00)
- Temporarily closed
- 017-777-1585



### Nebuta Museum WA-RASSE

Witness the history and charm of the Nebuta Festival all year round!

- 9:00~19:00 (Sep.-Apr.: until 18:00)
- Aug. 9 and 10, Year-end and New Year holidays
- 017-752-1311



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## RECOMMENDED ROUTES

Day 1

Day 2

