

### 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 pot shards, stone tools, lacquered objects, clay figurines, jade, and obsidian, etc. have been excavated.

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♀ 305 Maruyama, Sannai, Aomori City, Aomori Pref. ② 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

## Komakino Stone Cir

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. 2 9:00~17:00

✓ Year-end and New Year holidays С 017-757-8665 ¥ Free







Archaeological Site Excavated Pieces of the Earliest Pottery in Japan



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

2 34-3 Kanita-Odaisawabe, Sotogahama town, Higashi Tsugaru-gun, Aomori Pref.

- 9:00 ~16:00 ✓ Mon., Year-end and New Year holidays
- **C** 0174-22-2577 **¥** Free





Discover Art, History, and Seafood!

# OMORI-SOTOGAHAMA





#### 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

Nokke-Don Rice Bowl A seafood rice bowl made with donburi rice and your favorite ingredients

017-783-3000



## Aomori Gyosai Cente (Fish Market)

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

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



**Ginger Miso** 

Warm and addictive oden with a grated ginger

Oden

### Aomori Prefectural Museum

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

- **9**:00~17:00 (May.-Oct.: until 18:00)
- Year-end and New Year holidays
- C 017-777-1585



#### Nebuta Museum WA-RASSE

Witness the history and charm of the Nebuta Festival all year

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



## >>>>>> Day 1 >>>>>

## Aomori Airport

**AND THE RESERVE** 

Shin-Aomori Sta.

15 min. by car

30 min. by car

Aomori City Komakino Site Preservation Museum

5 min. by car

Komakino Stone Circle

20 min. by car

1) Sannai Maruyama Site

Sannai Maruyama Jomon Culture Center

10 min. walk / 5 min. by car

**Aomori** Museum of Art

15 min. by car 10 min. by car

Shin-Aomori Sta.

**Aomori City** 

60 min. by JR Shinkansen to Shin-Hakodate-Hokuto Sta.

23 min. by JR Shinkansen to Hachinohe Sta.

#### **Aomori City**

>>>>>> Day 2 >>>>>>>

10 min. walk

🗚 Aomori Gyosai Center 🌿 🖺

80 min. by car

Q Sotogahama Oyama Furusato Shiryokan

5 min. walk / 2 min. by car

**Odai Yamamoto Site** 

10 min. by car

"Well Kani" Market in front of Kanita Sta.

60 min. by car

Aomori Prefectural 🚓 Museum

5 min. by car

Nebuta Museum **WA-RASSE** 

15 min. by car A short walk 30 min. by car

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90 min. by car to Omori Katsuyama Stone Circle

90 min. by car to Futatsumori Site

