Tournament Timetable

This timetable will help you make the most of the many aspects of sumo available on each date of the tournament. Pay special attention to the marks.

**8:00**
Doors open

**Around 8:30**
Premier体质 Bout: Suga-Hikamatsuyama vs. Tochinoshin

**Around 14:20**
Juryo Entrance

**Around 14:40**
Junior Bantamweight Bout: Takanosada vs. Tochiozan

**Around 15:15**
Makuuchi Entrance: Top division wrestlers form a vivid circle in the ring in decorative makuuchi and turn to face the crowd.

**Around 15:45**
Kesho-mawashi: Wrestlers bow in a centuries-old tradition that begins each day, a low-ranking with bestowing a bow upon the same champion.

**Around 16:15**
Makuuchi Bow-twirling Ceremony

**Around 18:00**
Bow-twirling Ceremony (Nihon-otsuki): Wrestlers twirl a Japanese bow in a centuries-old tradition that begins each day, a low-ranking with bestowing a bow upon the same champion.

**Bouts commence at 10:00**

FAQ

- Is same-day re-entry to the Kokugikan allowed? A: One re-entry is permitted. Visit the South Gate for more information.

- Are there lockers inside the Kokugikan? A: There are lockers near the East and West smoking areas on 1F.

**English Commentary on Loaned Radios**
You can rent a radio to listen to English language commentary on the sumo bouts. ¥785 (Min. 16:00-18:00).

**Kokugikan Café Stand / Bentō Box Lunch Stand**
The café stand offers meals such as French fries and yakisoba in addition to soft drinks, coffee and alcoholic beverages for draft beer.

**Set menu: One set meal ¥1,200**

**Hamburger combo ¥900**

**Nihon Sumo Kyokai Official Arena Map of Ryogoku Kokugikan**

**Nagoya Tournament**
July

**FUKUOKA Tournament**
November

**OSAKA Tournament**
March

**TOKYO Tournament**
January, May, September

**2F General Admission Seating (Row 14)**

**Set menu-Choi nomi ¥1,200**

**Kokusai Café Stand (Row 14)**

**MEAT SHOP RAIDEN**

**Information about Wheelchair and Stroller Parking**

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**TRAVEL INFORMATION**

**Official English Site**

**Ticket information is available in English!**

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**2019 Sumo Calendar**

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**General Admission Seating (Row 14)**

**Unreserved seat is Area of purple.**

**General Admission Seating (Row 14)**

- **No smoking area**
- **Wheelchair/Stroller Parking**
- **Elevator**
- **Stairs**
- **Smoking area**
- **Young Children**
- **Information**
- **Food/Drink Stall**
- **Merchandise Stall**

**Peach team**

**Famous Sumo Gourmet**

- **Yakitori** ¥950
  - Available at shops on 1F & 2F
- **Nikomi Bentō Lunch Box** ¥1,150
  - Available at shops on 1F & 2F
- **Sumo Stable Chanko Special** ¥900
  - Available at B1F Banquet Hall
- **Hyochan-yaki** ¥900
  - 1F Shop, 2F Cafe
  - **Set menu: One set meal ¥1,200**
  - **Hamburger combo ¥900**

**Set menu-Choi nomi ¥1,200**

**Kokusai Café Stand (Row 14)**

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