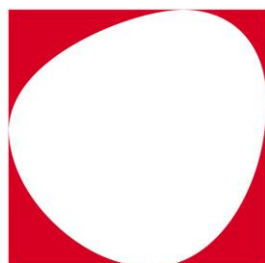


Japan Pavilion at Expo 2020 Dubai announces third wave of sponsors

Four new sponsors and donors and one public interest incorporated association to offer their support



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TOKYO, Japan, December 12, 2019—Preparations for the exhibits at the Expo 2020 Dubai Japan Pavilion are underway under the leadership of the Ministry of Economy, Trade and Industry, co-organized by the Ministry of Internal Affairs and Communications; the Ministry of Education, Culture, Sports, Science and Technology; the Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries; and the Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism, with the Japan External Trade Organization as a participating organization.

The following four companies have now been finalized as the latest official sponsors of the Japan Pavilion: BANDAI NAMCO Holdings Inc., Mitsubishi Heavy Industries, Ltd., Maruichi Selling Inc., and Mitsui & Co., Ltd.

In addition, the Japan Association for the 2025 World Exposition has been confirmed as a special partner to the Japan Pavilion.

The Japan Pavilion is continuing to seek sponsors and donors. Interested parties are requested to get in touch using the contact information below.

Inquiries about Japan Pavilion sponsorship and donation opportunities:

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■ Sponsors and donors

The following four companies have been newly confirmed as sponsors and donors of the Japan Pavilion, bringing the total number of sponsors to 19 (as of December 12th, 2019).



BANDAI NAMCO Holdings Inc.

(Minato-ku, Tokyo, JAPAN / President and Representative Director TAGUCHI Mitsuaki)
In order to provide "Dreams, Fun and Inspiration" to people around the world, the BANDAI NAMCO Group operates businesses in a wide range of entertainment fields, including toys, games, amusement facilities, visual and music content, and live events.



Mitsubishi Heavy Industries, Ltd.
(Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo, JAPAN / CEO IZUMISAWA Seiji)



Maruichi Selling Inc.
(Echizen City, Fukui, JAPAN / President KOBAYASHI Ichiro)



Mitsui & Co., Ltd.
(Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo, JAPAN /
Representative Director President and Chief Executive Officer YASUNAGA Tatsuo)

■ Special cooperation

As of December 12th, 2019, the following organization has been confirmed as a special partner to the Japan Pavilion:



Japan Association for the 2025 World Exposition
(Nanko-kita, Suminoe-ku, Osaka, JAPAN / Chairman NAKANISHI Hiroaki)

■ About the Japan Pavilion

Visit the official website at <https://expo2020-dubai.go.jp/> for the most up-to-date information on the Japan Pavilion's construction and exhibits, as well as related events to be held in Japan in the lead-up to Expo 2020 Dubai.

■ About Expo 2020 Dubai



Expo 2020 Dubai will be the first registered world expo held in a Middle Eastern or African country. Scheduled to take place over a 173-day period from October 20, 2020 to April 10, 2021, the event will herald the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the host nation, the United Arab Emirates, and is expected to attract 25 million visitors. Over 190 countries have declared their intention to set up exhibits on the 438-hectare venue grounds, responding to the expo's overarching theme of "Connecting Minds, Creating the Future" and its three subthemes: Mobility, Opportunity, and Sustainability.

Official website: <https://www.expo2020dubai.com>

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