Kobe Beef

The title of Kobe Beef is only bestowed on beef that satisfies a set of quality standards. It's recognized as the most valuable brand of beef. High quality marbled meat has a sweet taste and is beloved by people from all over the world. There are a number of restaurants in Kobe where visitors can experience incomparable flavor of Kobe beef.

Location/View: Restaurants located in Sannomiya and Motomachi area
Access: About 5 min. (by Port Liner) (About 2km)
Season: Year-round
Parking for tour buses: 8-16 buses
*Reservation required

Related links:
- Official Kobe Tourism Website “FeelKOB+E”
  [http://plus.feel-kobe.jp/]
- Kobe Beef Marketing & Distribution Promotion Association

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Kobe Sweets and Breads

With the opening of Port of KOBE to international trade, western-style confectioners and bakeries were opened for foreign residents in the Foreign Settlement area. There is still a number of refined shops located close to each other. These sweets became popular across Japan not only for their taste but also for their wonderful appearance. Kobe Sweets is known as a much-loved treat across the country. Kobe is also the city with the highest bread consumption in Japan.

Location/View: Mainly located in Chuo ward and Higashinada ward
Access: About 5 min. (by Port Liner) (About 2km)
Season: Year-round
Parking for tour buses: Kamomeria: 20
Kitan: 8-16
*Reservation required

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Nada Sake

The district of Nada produces roughly one third of sake production in Japan. To this day there are a number of traditional sake breweries that are located within a stone's throw of each other that have been competing for centuries to produce the most delicious sake. Each museum introduces you the process of sake making and displays its tools. Tasting is available and visitors can purchase freshly made sake at the shops.

Location/View: 7 breweries in Nada ward and Higashi-nada ward
Access:
- Travel by tour: About 15 min. by car from berth (About 10km)
- Individual travel: About 7 min. walk from Hanshin Railway Oishi, Ishiyagawa, Mikage, Sumiyoshi, Uozaki Station (About 10km from port)
Season: Year-round
Parking for tour buses: Shushinkan: 2
Hakutsuru: 6
*Reservation required

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Sannomiya~Kobe, and Old Foreign Settlement Area

Main shopping district in Kobe where you can find nation-widely famous Kobe brand shops including confectioneries, boutiques, traditional Japanese sweets shops, antique shops etc. Especially in the Old Foreign Settlement area selected as one of the 100 special scenic cities in Japan, modern western buildings still remain and high-end boutiques and restaurants are found, which creates an exotic atmosphere.

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Kobe Harborland

Kobe Harborland umie is a shopping mall consisting of 225 retailers covering fashion, dining, home items etc. It is a spacious location facing to ocean and is a popular spot for shopping and sightseeing. Kobe Port Tower, a local landmark of Kobe city, as well as the Kobe Maritime Museum are nearby. Must-visit night view spot as well.

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$10million Night View (Mt.Rokko)

Only 40 minutes to the peak of Mt. Rokko by cable car and bus from the city center. During the day, you can feel negative ions in the nature of Mt. Rokko and enjoy a panoramic night view of Kobe and Osaka, known as “10 Million Dollar Nightview.”

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Kitano Old Foreign Residences are one of the most popular tourist spots in Kobe, befitting its exotic atmosphere and its image as a port city. There are 17 of the Ijinkan or foreign settlement houses, which have been preserved and opened to the public. While strolling around the area, one can visit souvenir shops and purchase goods and accessories. Kobe is also the number one location for the processing of cultured pearls, with around 80% of the country's pearl production passing through the city.

Location/View | 650-0002
Access | Individual travel: 15 min. by car from port (About 3.4km)
Season | Year-round
Parking for tour buses | 8-16 buses
Related links | Official Kobe Tourism Website “FeelKOBE+”
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Akashi Kaikyo Bridge & Outlet Shopping Mall

Akashi Kaikyo Bridge is the world's longest suspension bridge which connects Kobe city and Awaji island. Officially recognized in the Guinness Book of World Records, it is 3,911m long with a central span of 1,991m. Lighted up at night, it is a sight to behold that varies depending on the day or seasons, earning its moniker as the "Pearl Bridge". Outlet mall is nearby so one can also enjoy shopping while viewing the panorama of Akashi Kaikyo Bridge.

Location/View | 655-0047
Access | Travel by tour: About 25 min. by car from berth (About 20km) Individual travel: 5 min. Short walk from JR Kobe line Maiko Station (About 20km from port)
Season | Year-round
Parking for tour buses | Akashi Kaikyo Bridge: 10 Outlet Mall: 70
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Arima Onsen & Outlet Shopping Mall

Arima is the oldest hot spring resort in Japan and one of the three most famous resorts of its type in the country. This spring comes out of the ground at over 90 °C with double the salt content of seawater. When it comes into contact with the air, it turns reddish color and is said to be effective against skin diseases and rheumatism. Easy access from Kobe, visitors can enjoy a stone sauna to relax one's mind and body for a day trip. The largest outlet shopping mall in west Japan is located nearby.

Location/View | 651-1401
Access | Travel by tour: About 30 min. via car from berth (About 22km) Individual travel: About 5 min. Short walk from Kobe Electric Railway Arima Onsen station (About 22km from port)
Season | Year-round
Parking for tour buses | Arima Onsen: Large 4, S&M 2 Outlet Mall: 20
Related links | Arima Onsen Tourism Association
http://www.arima-onsen.com/eng/index.html
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### Infiorata Kobe

"Infiorata" in Italian literally means “decorated with flowers.” As its name suggest, Infiorata is an event to enjoy the pictures made of flowers in the plazas or on the road. Started in the Italian city of Genzano, infiorata festivals take place in many European cities. It has been started since 1997 in KOBE and during this event, you can enjoy number of beautiful artworks made from petals and flowers.

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### Minato Kobe Fireworks Festival

The night sky of the Port of Kobe is transformed by around 10,000 huge fireworks. Minato Kobe Fireworks Festival is a signature summer event of Kobe. Seeing the "starmine" series of rapid-launch fireworks against the night scenery of the waterfront leaves an impression on you.

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### Kobe Luminarie

Kobe Luminarie is an illumination event to remember the souls of the victims of the Great Hanshin Earthquake as well as a symbol of hope for the reconstruction of Kobe City. The colorful lights create a warm, welcoming and enchanted atmosphere at one of the largest illumination events in Japan.

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<th>Location/View</th>
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| Season        | Winter Early Dec-Mid Dec  
| Parking for tour buses | Kamomeria: 20  
| Harbour land: 20 | *Reservation required |
| Related links | |

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