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# The rich and beautiful nature will make your heart flutter.







Kunigami Village is full of sights, such as Cape Hedo with its stunning view from the cliffs and the rich forests with beautiful clear streams.







\ Fun Trip/

What Does Kunigami Have to Offer?

unigami is located on the northernmost edge of Okinawa Island and features a large forest that is full of subtropical trees. This very same precious forest was registered as a World Natural Heritage site in 2021. Here, you can discover Okinawa's charm beyond the beaches and the sea, including cliffs that offer some of the most amazing views in Okinawa, beautiful waterfalls that lie deep in the jungle, a small village with a nostalgic atmosphere, and delicious local cuisine.







#### COLUMIN

#### This is what a Yambarukuina (Okinawa rail) is!

Yambarukuina, a precious endemic species that lives in the rich forests of Okinawa. It is about 30 cm long with a black-and-white stripe that goes down its throat and belly and a bright red beak. Having little wings with muscles that are not well-developed, they are unable to fly. However, they have excellent leg strength and can run at a speed of 40 km/h. They sometimes cross the road in search of food, so if you are driving, watch out!



# What to Enjoy in Kunigami

Whether you are active, relaxed, gourmet, shopping, or looking for photo opportunities, it's all OK!



#### Have fun in a rich natural wonderland

A subtropical forest, pristine waterfalls, and large, uniquely shaped rocks, you can find these and more among the massive playground that is Kunigami's rich and abundant nature. The extraordinary experience you'll have here is sure



#### Have your fill of local delicacies

Feast on vegetables, fruits, fish, and meats all grown in Kunigami's rich natural environment. Eating produce where it was produced is the best part of enjoying food. Taste the great flavors of Kunigami to your heart's content!



#### Relax on beautiful beaches

Enjoy sandy beaches glistening in the morning sun and the gorgeous sun setting across the horizon. There's not a person on this planet that would fail to find happiness enjoying the sight of the sea as it changes from moment to moment during the course of the day. Relax and let time slip away among the sounds of the waves.



#### Enjoy a selection of souvenirs from Kunigami

Kunigami has its own original products that make perfect souvenirs, including food made from the blessings of our seas and mountains, as well as sundries and pottery. Buy a gift for those you hold dear, but don't forget to treat yourself, too.



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Wide area/Around Michi-no-Eki & Hentona

# What to Do in Kunigami

Kunigami Village, with its subtropical forests, offers a variety of programs to experience nature. Let's spend an active time visiting nature spots!

9:00



Forest Tharapy Guide Mr. Kaoru Oshiro

### Hiji Waterfall Walkway

Healing in the subtropical forest with forest therapy

Refresh your mind and body with forest therapy with a professional guide on the Hiii Waterfall Trail.

781-1 Hiji, Kunigami Village **2** 0980-41-3636

Summer 9:00 - 16:00 (Closed 17:30) Winter 9:00 - 15:00 (Closed 17:10) Open All Year

https://hiji.yuiyui-k.jp

\*For inquiries about forest therapy https://www.kunigami-forest-therapy.jp/







#### Kunigami Minato Shokudo

you can fully enjoy seafood and a pleasant sea breeze

A popular dining room where you can enjoy seafood caught off the coast and perfectly satisfying dishes daily.

477-1 Hama, Kunigami Village **2** 0980-50-1660

11:30 - 14:00, 17:30 - 21:00(Tue-Sat)

11:00 - 14:00 (Sun/Holiday)

\*Ends when sold out Closed on Mon



### 14:00

### Okinawa Rail **Ecology Center**

Go meet Yanbaru kuina as they cheerfully run around!

A place where you can watch Yanbaru kuina eating and bathing up close.

1477-35 Ada, Kunigami Village **2** 0980-41-7788

9:00 - 17:00 Closed on Wed http://kuinapark.com/kuina



# What to Do in Kunigami

Eat, Buy, Take a Walk

If you want a relaxing day in the village, take it easy with Kunigami's charm.



## 12:00

#### Hill Valley Jr.

Excellent hamburgers made with the best ingredients

A variety of hamburger patties including Okinawan pork, juicy beef and goat.

1605 Okuma, Kunigami Village Michi no Eki Yui Yui Kunigami 11:00 - 14:30 \*Ends when sold out Closed on Tue and the last Mon of the month







### Biking is recommended! Rental bikes are available at the Tourist Information Center

### 15:00

### **Tobaru Community**

Relax in a landscape that has not changed in a long time

Bougainvilleas, shisas and other scenes that make you want to stop and take pictures are everywhere.

Tobaru, Kunigami Village



### 17:00

#### Pavilion at Hama fishing port

A special sunset spot visited by locals

The pavilion by the sea is a good place to watch the sunset. Enjoy a luxurious time while listening to the sound of waves.

Hama, Kunigami Village





An indoor facility where you can play with toys made from Okinawan wood. You can experience the characteristics and texture of wood.

1094-1 Hentona, Kunigami Village ☎ 0980-50-1022 10:00 - 16:00 Closed on Thu



To see the forests of Yanbaru, look no further than \_ a certified quide!

If you visit the forests of Yanbaru, it's best to have a Kunigami-Village-certified guide show you around! In addition to providing safe and secure tours, they will tell you about all the amazing things that make the forests of Yanbaru so great, which only local guides know.



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An introduction to recommended spots where you can

There are many facilities in Kunigami where you can get in touch with the forests of Yanbaru. You can do things like interact with trees and learn a lot about the forest. You should come for a visit and see for yourself.



#### Yanbaru Discovery Forest

A lodging facility in the middle of the forest. There is also an auto campsite, and there are many programs available, such as guided walks and treks.

1301-7 Aha, Kunigami Village **2** 0980-41-7979 8:30 - 17:30 Closed on Wed



#### Michi no Eki Yambaru Pinapple hills Aha Nature Lounge

Spend a relaxing time while enjoying the view of the rich Yanbaru forest stretching out in front of you.

1089-7 Aha, Kunigami Village

**2** 0980-43-5115 10:00 - 17:00 \*Nov - March Closed on

the 2nd Wed of the month

enjoy the forests and beautiful sea of Yanbaru!



All around the area, you'll also find spots with stunning views where you can feel the beauty of the sea. You'll be able to encounter so many blues that you may question if the sea has this many colors.



#### The Cape Hedo Information Center HEAD LINE

An information center at the northernmost tip of the Okinawa Main Island. Soak up the fantastic view of Cape Hedo from the observatory on the third floor.

973-5 Hedo, Kunigami Village **2** 0980-43-0977 10:00 - 17:00 Open All Year



#### Kavauchi Banta

You can look out over the East China Sea from cliffs that are over 80 meter high. Banta is the word for cliffs in the local Okinawan dialect.

Ginama, Kunigami Village



Have an active and enjoyable experience on the sea with snorkeling, standup paddle boarding, sea kayaks, and more!

In the gorgeous, clear blue sea of Kunigami, you can enjoy sea kayaking and standup paddle boarding by the shore. Why not snorkel your way up close and personal with the field-like beautiful coral reef that comes highly recommended by the local marine shop.



### Enjoy forest and marine activities! >>

Scan the QR code to access details on various guided tours







The best way to experience delicious local food when traveling is to visit restaurants favored by the locals. Here, we introduce set menus, Okinawan soba noodles, sweets, and other delicacies made with local ingredients. Discover and enjoy gourmet foods you can only find here!



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#### Waya

Run by the Miyazato family, this restaurant serves delicious and hearty meals. Curry rice and soki soba are also popular and reasonably priced.

1605 Okuma, Kunigami Village **2** 0980-41-3888

11:00 - 17:00 (Ends when sold out) Closed on Tue



### Restaurant Kuina

Using Okinawan ingredients, the restaurant offers an inventive and hearty menu. Large groups can dine comfortably in the spacious dining area, which has plenty of seating.

1605 Okuma, Kunigami Village **2** 0980-43-8844

11:00 - 16:00 (Mon, Tue, Thu, Fri) 11:00 - 16:00, 17:00 - 20:00 (Sat, Sun)



#### 3 Shokudo Himawari

A local favorite for nearly 40 years, this nostalgic diner attracts road trippers and overseas tourists who come to savor its famous Okinawa soba. 267 Kaganji, Kunigami Village

**2** 0980-41-2175 11:00 - 16:00 Closed on Tue



#### 4 Yanbaru Iyu

Using fresh local fish caught in the waters around Kunigami, the restaurant offers a variety of dishes, including seafood rice bowls, tuna rice bowls, fish soup, squid ink soup, and three types of sashimi platters that bring the delicious taste of fish in Kugami.

1569-1, Okuma, Kunigami Village **2** 0980-41-2588 11:30 - 16:00 Closed on Thu



#### 6 Yui Café

Sweets made from Okinawan ingredients are also available, with baked treats recommended as souvenirs. Take a break in the dining area during your visit.

1569-1 Okuma, Kunigami Village ☎ 0980-41-5555 10:30 - 17:30 Open All Year



#### 6 Cafe&Goods BANANA

and refreshing dessert drizzled with generous amounts of

brown sugar syrup-just like mom used to make.

Located on the west coast, this cozy café and shop overlooks the ocean. At dusk. the sunset spreads out beautifully. The shop also sells handmade items crafted from coral found on the beach.

534-1 Ura, Kunigami Village **2** 090-4469-7207 8:30 - 19:00 Irregular holidays



#### Parlor Yumechan

and 'agi' means fried

This parlor is famous for its ice zenzai, made with kidney beans slowly simmered by the owner, and Okinawan tempura. The menu also offers a variety of dishes, including hot sandwiches and udon noodles.

1569-1 Okuma, Kunigami Village **2** 090-8290-5597 10:00 - 17:00 Closed on Mon



#### 3 Sa-ta-ya

The hearty meals prepared by the friendly and charming owner, like Okinawan chanpon and pork gristle bowls, are both satisfying and reasonably priced.

1569-1 Okuma, Kunigami Village **2** 090-1943-2901 9:00 - 17:00 Closed on Wed

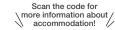




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## 章 \$\alpha\$ Stay in Kunigami

From casual accommodations to resort stays, there are wonderful inns that will make your time in Kunigami truly memorable.











#### Okuma Private Beach & Resort

A resort with a natural sandy beach right on your doorstep offers luxury in Kunigami

Spread over 100,000 square meters, the private resort has various types of villas and cottages. You can enjoy snorkeling, stargazing. and other activities perfectfor families and friends.

913 Okuma, Kunigami Village 2 0980-41-2222 Please check website for rates. https://okumaresort.com/









#### HABUMAN OKINAWA

Fill your heart with the energy of nature

With ocean, river, and waterfall all within walking distance, this 66-year-old house has been renovated in a modern style while maintaining its original charm, ideal for a peaceful getaway.

359 Aha, Kunigami Village 2 080-7272-1981 Please check website for rates. https://www.airbnb.ip/rooms/45941998?









#### Yanbaru Kuina Sou

A cozy and relaxing place to stay

Interaction with the owners is one of the reasons this B&B is so popular. The private rooms make it a great choice for solo travelers, family trips, friends, or even business stays.

1278-6 Hentona, Kunigami Village 2 0980-41-5506 Please check website for rates. https://www.yanbarukuinasou.com/









### Chichinuii

A peaceful environment to recharge your body and mind

With only ten guest rooms, this small hotel provides a tranquil space for quests to harmonize with nature and enjoy the slower pace of time.

183-1 Kaganji, Kunigami Village 🕿 090-9780-2677 Please check website for rates. https://chichinuji.studio.site/guestroom

### Calling all Kunigami souvenirs, Souvenins and Chafts

Kunigami is rich in natural blessings from the sea, mountains, and earth. The products made from the gifts of nature make fantastic souvenirs.



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#### Kunigami Donuts

Popular Okinawan flavors like tangerine and pineapple. These products contain no additives, eggs, milk, or animal fats.

A Michi no Eki Yui Yui Kunigami 216 yen (tax incl.) /1pc



Ryukyu pine, the signature tree of Okinawa, is known for its distinctive grain, with yellowish-brown striped annual rings on a creamy white background.

Kunigami Village Tourism Association 180 yen (tax incl.) Bottom 240 ven (tax incl.)



#### Whale Shark chopstick rest

Chopstick rests in the shape of whale sharks. a favorite at the Okinawa Churaumi Aquarium. When used at the dining table, it makes eating more enjoyable.

Michi no Eki Yui Yui Kunigami 919 yen (tax incl.)





Karagi tea 743 yen (tax incl.) Okumidori 1,000 yen (tax incl.) Yanbaru tea 840 yen (tax incl.)

(From left to right)

Kunigami is also known for its teas, including Karagi tea with a cinnamon aroma. Okumidori with a slightly sweet taste. and the refreshing Yanbaru tea.

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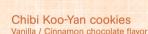
648 yen (tax incl.)

A Michi no Eki Yui Yui Kunigami

#### Towel to Protect Local Nature®

Imabari towels, embroidered with Kunigami's creatures like the Okinawa rail and sea turtle, make wonderful gifts, and a portion of the proceeds is donated to environmental causes

 Kunigami Village Tourism Association 990 yen (tax incl.)



Cookies shaped like "Koo-Yan." the official character of Kunigami Village, have a delightful, crisp texture that is hard to resist

B Yui Cafe 180 yen (tax incl.)









A Michi no Eki Yui Yui Kunigami

1605 Okuma, Kunigami Village **2** 0980-41-5555 9:00 - 18:00 Open All Year



1569-1 Okuma, Kunigami Village **2** 0980-41-5555 10:30 - 17:30 Open All Year



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1569-1 Okuma, Kunigami Village **2** 0980-41-2420 9:00 - 17:00 Closed New Year's Day



# **Travel Information List**

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Kunigami Minato Shokudo	<b>©</b> ©	477-1 Hama, Kunigami Village	0980-50-1660
Hamakaze	<b>©</b> 🖸 🗆	478-1 Hama, Kunigami Village	0980-41-2250
Restaurant Kuina		1605 Okuma, Kunigami Village	0980-43-8844
Waya		1605 Okuma, Kunigami Village	0980-41-3888
Hill Valley Jr.		1605 Okuma, Kunigami Village	_
Parlor Yumechan		1569-1 Okuma, Kunigami Village	090-8290-5597
Toriya Twie		1569-1 Okuma, Kunigami Village	090-6869-2591
Yanbaru Iyu	<b>*</b> C D	1569-1 Okuma, Kunigami Village	_
Sa-ta-ya		1569-1 Okuma, Kunigami Village	090-1943-2901
Curry Parlor Sousui		1569-1 Okuma, Kunigami Village	080-4273-9763
Yamabiko		1700-4 Hentona, Kunigami Village	0980-41-5600
Maruhira Shokudo		3 Uka, Kunigami Village	0980-43-5284
Oku Yanbaru Shokudo		1280-1 Oku, Kunigami Village	0980-41-8933
Restaurant Mi-Ya-	<b>© © </b>	1704-2 Okuma, Kunigami Village	0980-41-5409
Okuma-navi CAFE & BBQ	<b>© © </b>	1715-1 Okuma, Kunigami Village	090-2506-0055
Tokkuriya	<b>© © </b>	272 Kaganji, Kunigami Village	0980-41-5846
Night Community Center Mitsu Bar	<b>© © </b>	1713-2 2F Hentona, Kunigami Village	0980-43-7257
Izakaya & Café Deigo	<b>© © D</b>	1370-1 Hentona, Kunigami Village	0980-41-2501
Izakaya Yunta	<b>© © </b>	1566 Hentona, Kunigami Village	090-8292-0949
Yamaneko Restaurant	<b>© © </b>	14 Hentona, Kunigami Village	0980-41-5180
Turugwa	<b>© © </b>	1527-2 Hentona, Kunigami Village	0980-41-3868
Ajinoya	<b>© © D</b>	2123 Hentona, Kunigami Village	0980-41-2446
Tamamura Shoten	<b>© © </b>	100 Kaganji, Kunigami Village	080-3983-6226
M (Miyazato Kashiten)	<b>© © D</b>	117-1 Hentona, Kunigami Village	0980-41-2392
Yui Cafe		1605 Okuma, Kunigami Village	0980-41-5555
Bookcafe Okinawa Rail		2040-107 Okuma Taihojabaru, Kunigami Village	080-8350-5524
Cafe & Goods BANANA	<b>⊕</b> © <b>□</b>	534-1 Ura, Kunigami Village	090-4469-7207
Fukushibu Café		973-5 Hedo, Kunigami Village	0980-43-0977
Hedomisaki Koyo Parlor		973-9 Hedo, Kunigami Village	070-4073-9536
OkuMasa	<b>© © </b>	329-23 Okuma, Kunigami Village	0980-43-9342
AFROXJAM		2040-55 Okuma, Kunigami Village	0980-43-9992
Snack YEN	<b>© © </b>	314 Hentona, Kunigami Village	090-1941-9905
Marushige Shoten	<b>© © </b>	116 Hentona, Kunigami Village	0980-41-5844
GEAR UP	<b>© © </b>	215-2F Hentona, Kunigami Village	080-6496-4734
Yanbaru Gelato Daisekirinzan Store		1241 Zanama, Kunigami Village	080-4930-7794

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Accomodation



Okuma Private Beach & Resort	913 Okuma, Kunigami Village	0980-41-2222
Ada Garden Hotel Okinawa	1285-95 Ada, Kunigami Village	0980-41-7070
Hotel Kunigami	139 Hentona, Kunigami Village	0980-41-2115
Kunigami Kariyushi Hotel	269-1 Hanji, Kunigami Village	0980-50-1906
Chichinuji	183-1 Kaganji, Kunigami Village	090-9780-2677
Yanbaru Discovery Forest	1301-7 Aha, Kunigami Village	0980-41-7979
Minshuku Yanbaru Kuina Sou	1278-6 Hentona, Kunigami Vilage	0980-41-5506
Minshuku Izumiya	192 Hentona, Kunigami Village	0980-41-2972
Minshuku Miyagi	480 Oku, Kunigami Village	0980-41-8383
Minshuku Saji	112 Ada, Kunigami Village	0980-41-7676
Minshuku Aha	322 Aha, Kunigami Village	0980-41-7255
Oku Yanbaru no Sato	1280-1 Oku, Kunigami Village	0980-50-4141
Pension Yonaha-Dake	2040-101 Okuma, Kunigami Village	090-3794-5919
Yukuin Okuma	1724 Okuma, Kunigami Village	090-1945-0318
HABUMAN OKINAWA	359 Aha, Kunigami Village	080-7272-1981
Okuma Beach Villa	501 Hama, Kunigami Village	090-9780-4614
Guest house Hechima	303 Kaganji, Kunigami Village	080-6028-8611
YANBARU HOSTEL	1429 Hentona, Kunigami Village	0980-41-2787
Yonna Kan	68 Yona, Kunigami Village	0980-50-1356
Sosu Asahi no Oka	517 Sosu, Kunigami Village	0980-41-8888
Kunigami Forest Park (Bungalows, log cabins and campsite)	1094-1 Hentona, Kunigami Village	0980-43-0514
Hiji Waterfall Camp Site	781-1 Hiji, Kunigami Village	0980-41-3636
Miyagwasa	41 Hedo, Kunigami Village	098-963-9294
Yanbaru Hotel Nammei Shinshitsu	161 Jashiki, Kunigami Village	050-8884-4992
CAMPVILLAGE Yanbaru no Ne	1089-7 Aha, Kunigami Village	0980-43-5115
Cottage Kyujitsu Dia	2040-107 Okuma Taihojabaru, Kunigami Village	080-8350-5524
Sunset Villa ACCORCLAW OKINAWA	70-22 Kaganji, Kunigami Village	070-9226-2037

Activities



Okuma Beach Villa	₩ 🚞 😅	501 Hama, Kunigami Village	090-9780-4614
OKUMA navi	***	1715-1 Okuma, Kunigami Village	090-8763-3813
Kunigami Asobi.com	***	253 Kaganji, Kunigami Village	090-7299-2467
Playing in the ocean and forest Kijimunaa	₩ 🚞 💉	484-8 Ura, Kunigami Village	kijimunaa@nifty.com
Coffee Boat	₩ 😂 🕶	534-1 Ura, Kunigami Village	090-4469-7207
Endemic Garden H (Yanbaru Tours)	₩ 🚞 🗷	161 Jashiki, Kunigami Village	info@endemicgarden.jp
Daisekirinzan	***	1241 Ginama, Kunigami Village	0980-41-8117
Ashimuri no Sato	₩ 🚞 🕶	14-1 Hedo, Kunigami Village	090-3012-4280
Yanbaru Ecotourism Research Institute	* 👫 🚞 🖅	248-1 Ada, Kunigami Village	0980-41-7966
Yanbaru East Coast Blue Tourism Center	₩ 🗮 💉	1896-3 Ada, Kunigami Village	0980-51-4100
Yanbaru Discovery Forest	***	1301-7 Aha, Kunigami Village	0980-41-7979
Forest Therapy	***	https://www.kunigami-forest-therapy.jp/	
Kunigami Forest Park	<b>₩ ☞</b>	1094-1 Hentona, Kunigami Village	0980-43-0514
Sea Life	**	213 Hentona, Kunigami Village	080-8851-6315

Kunigami Village's Offical Character

Karakicho/Kakka Café

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## Kunigami MAP







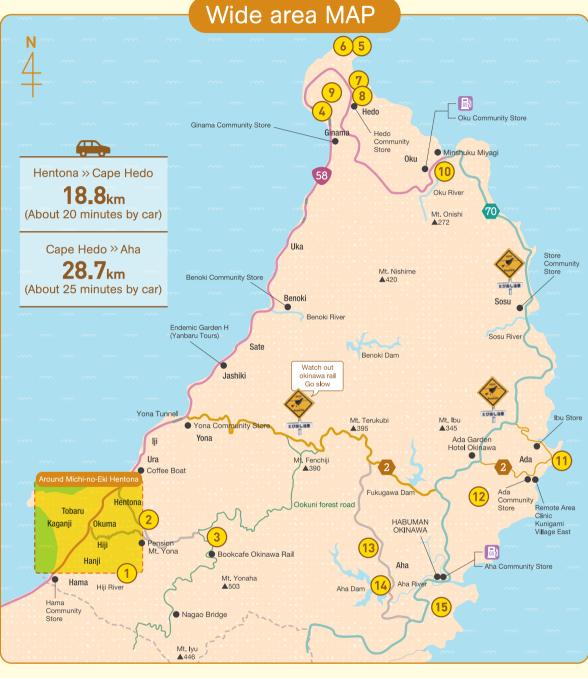


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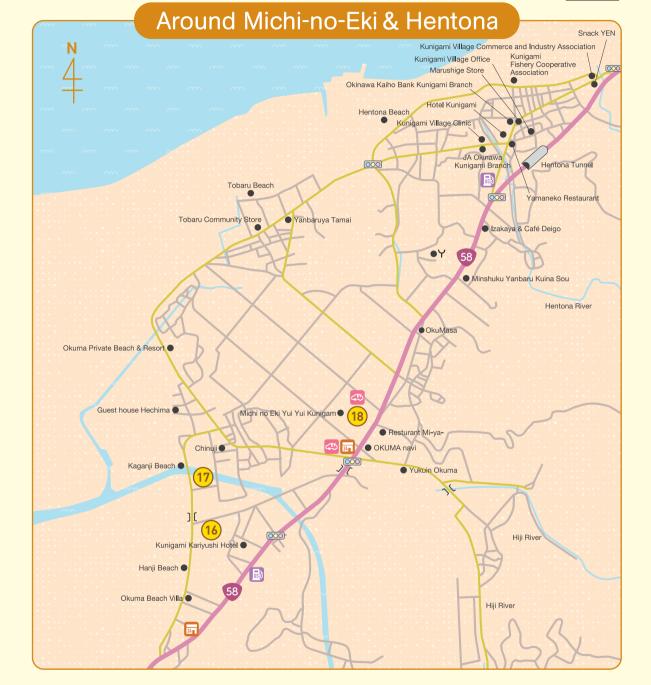


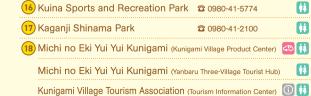




Hiji Waterfall	Ħ	6 The Cape Hedo Information Center HEAD LINE (1)	12) Ada Kuina Fureai Park Visitor Center 🚻
Kunigami Forest Park	ij	7 Okinawa Rail Observation Platform	Okinawa Rail Ecology Center 🔃
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Kayauchi Banta	įį.	Oku Yanbaru no Sato (Communication Center and Accommodation Center)	14 Yanbaru Discovery Forest (Activity Zone)
Cape Hedo	ij.	11) Yanbaru East Coast Blue Tourism Center (Ada)	15 Michi no Eki Yambaru Pinapple hills Aha 🥰 🚺

Base Facility





19 Yanbaru Wildlife Conservation Center Ufugi Nature Museum \*Closed for renovations scheduled around June 2024 - July 2025 or later



