

Best Cherry Blossom Spots in Uda City

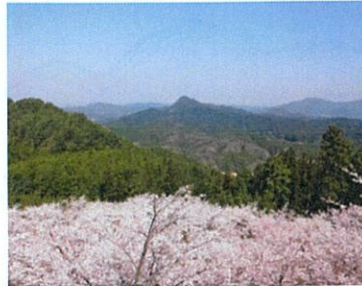
Uda City has so many great spots for cherry blossom viewing. Come and find your favorite 'Hanami' spot!



1 Gokuraku-ji Temple

278 Murou-Ohara

This weeping cherry tree is estimated to be 300 years old. From the hill, you can look down on the village of Muro-Ohara. (Early April)
<Access> 15 minutes' drive from Hari IC.



7 Uchimaki Kumin-no-Mori

Haibara-Uchimaki

500 cherry trees grow around Dake Shrine, which looks like 'sea of clouds'. (Mid-April)
<Access> From Haibara Stn, take a bus bound for 'Sonimura-Yakuba'. Get off at 'Uchimaki Nishiguchi', then walk for 40 minutes.



2 Ono-ji Temple

1680 Murou-Ono

The temple is known for its two old weeping cherry trees, both of which are believed to be 300 years old. (Early April)
● The trees are currently under nursing care.

<Access> 5 minutes' walk from Muroguchi-Ono Stn.



8 Uda River

Haibara-Shimoidani

The river is lined with cherry trees for about 2 km. They are beautifully lit up at night. (Early April)

<Access> 10 minutes' walk from Haibara Stn.



3 Murou-ji Temple

78 Murou

Murou-ji, well-known for its rhododendrons, is a great cherry blossom spot as well. (Mid-April)

<Access> From Muroguchi-Ono Stn, take a bus bound for Muro-ji.



9 Tenyaku-ji Temple

366 Ouda-Hazama

In the temple grounds stands a 350-year-old weeping cherry tree. (Early April)

<Access> From Haibara Stn, take a bus bound for 'Ouda'. Get off at 'Ouda Highschool' then walk for 10 minutes.



4 Saiko-ji Temple

31 Murou

This 200-year-old cherry tree is spreading out its branches like wings. (Mid-April)

<Access> From Muroguchi-Ono Stn, take a bus bound for Muro-ji. Get off at Muro-ji, then walk for 20 minutes.



10 Matabei Zakura

Ouda-Hongo

This 300-year-old weeping cherry tree is named after a military commander in the Sengoku period. (Early April)

<Access> From Haibara Stn, take a bus bound for 'Ouda'. Get off at 'Ouda Highschool' then walk for 15 minutes.



5 Goshin-ji Temple

225 Haibara-Jimyo

This 300-year-old weeping cherry tree is likely to be the parent tree of the ones at Ono-ji Temple. (Mid-April)

<Access> From Haibara Stn, take a bus bound for 'Sonimura-Yakuba'. Get off at 'Jimyo', then walk for 10 minutes.

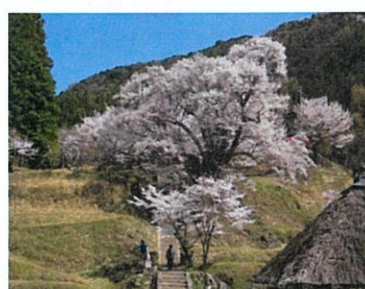


11 Mikumari Zakura

Utano-Furuichiba

100 cherry trees are planted along the riverbank, which are beautifully reflected on the river when lit up at night. (Mid-April)

<Access> From Haibara Stn, take a bus bound for 'Utano'. Get off at 'Furuichiba Mikumari Jinja-mae'.



6 Butsuryu-ji Temple

1684 Haibara-Akabane

This 900-year-old tree is the oldest one in Nara, and designated as a natural treasure. (Mid-April)

<Access> From Haibara Stn, take a bus bound for Sonimura-Yakuba. Get off at 'Takai', then walk for 40 minutes.



12 Iwahashi-no-Sakura

Utano-Iwahashi

The riverbank is lined with cherry blossoms for 1 km. Carp streamers fly above the cherry blossoms. (Mid-April)

<Access> From Haibara Stn, take a bus bound for 'Utano'. Get off at 'Matsui-bashi', then walk for 40 minutes.

● Please note that the blooming time of cherry trees differs from year to year depending on the weather.