



Hobart—Yaizu  
SISTER CITIES

# YAI-CHAN'S ACTIVITY BOOK

GET TO  
KNOW OUR  
SISTER  
CITY!



PUZZLES  
AND  
FUN FACTS!



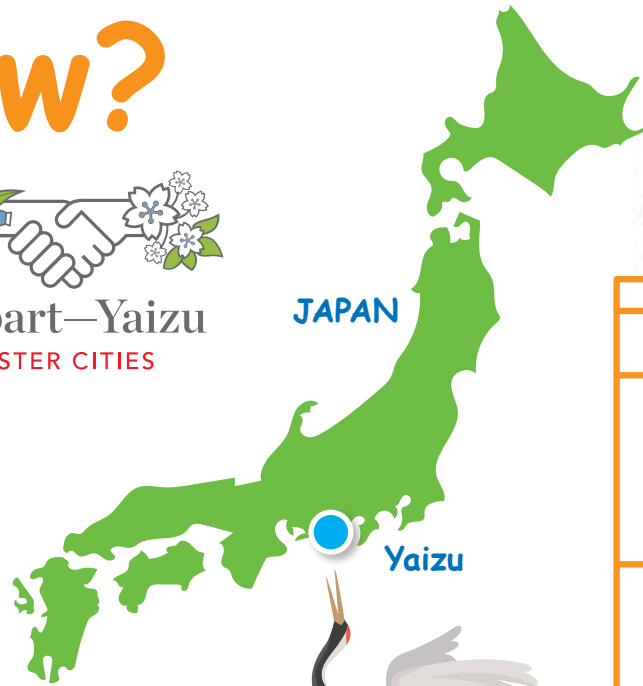
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# Did you know?

Hobart and Yaizu have been sister cities since 1977!



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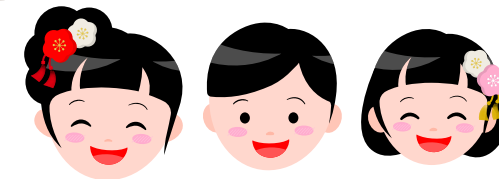
Hobart

50 YEARS

Soon we will celebrate having been friends for 50 years. That's a long time!



We became friends when Yaizu fishermen started coming to Hobart to fish for southern bluefin tuna.



For more than 20 years, exchange students from Hobart and Yaizu have been visiting each other. They get to see what its like to live in each others homes and go to school. They become lifelong friends.



Everyone loves the Japanese Garden at the Royal Tasmanian Botanical Gardens. Did you know it was designed by a landscape architect from Yaizu?

# Yai-Chan

**FUN FACTS!**

My name is Yai-Chan!

I am a bonito fish.

I am an eternal three-year-old boy.

I am the proud mascot of Yaizu City.



My favorite food is sweet tomatoes.

I wear my traditional fisherman's Uogashi shirt which is famous in Yaizu.

Colour me in!



## Yaizu City Fun Facts

- Yaizu is located between Tokyo and Nagoya, in the Shizuoka Prefecture.
- Yaizu has one of the most beautiful views of Mount Fuji in all of Japan.
- Yaizu is Japan's most famous fishing city.
- There is a lot of flat land and it has a cool climate, making it a great place for farming.
- Yaizu produces the sweetest tomatoes.



## Yaizu Word Search

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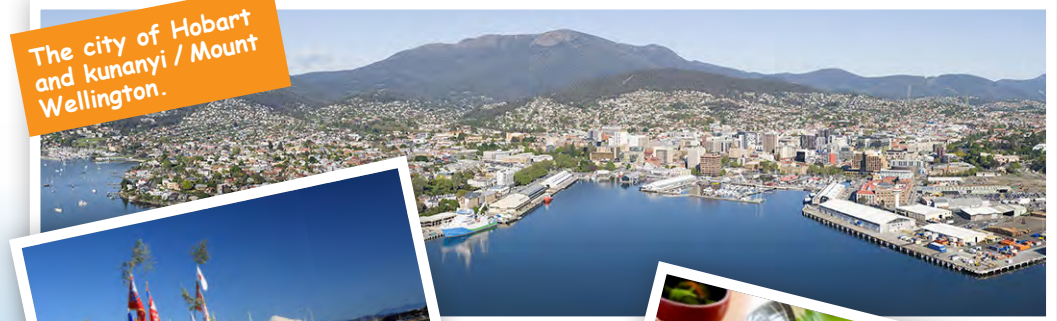
Word search puzzle from thewordsearch.com

## Hobart City Fun Facts

- Hobart is Australia's southernmost city, and is one of only five places in the world that is a Gateway to Antarctica.
- Hobart's Port, right on City's doorstep, is one of the deepest natural ports in the world. We also have a very famous fishing industry.
- No matter where you are in Hobart you are never far away from the beautiful mountain, kunanyi / Mount Wellington.
- The mountain is home to nearly every type of mammal found in Tasmania. From possums, wallabies, pademelons, potoroos, to bandicoots, echidnas, wombats and even Tasmanian devils.



The city of Hobart and kunanyi / Mount Wellington.



The fishing port in Yaizu



Delicious, fresh seafood in Yaizu

The land near Yaizu is nice and flat for farming.

Yaizu has one of the most beautiful views of Mount Fuji.





# kodomo no hi

Japanese Children's Day is a national holiday that is celebrated each year on 5 May.

Carp streamers called Koinobori are hung up outside homes. Carp are brave and strong when they swim upstream. The wish is for children to be like this.

Samurai helmets are made as they represent courage and strength.

