



Kehi no Matsubara Beach

Matsushima-cho, Tsuruga City

Astride Tsuruga Bay is the beautiful Kehi no Matsubara beach, whose white sands border pine groves and open into the pleasant waters of the bay. The feel of its warm sands and fallen pine boughs make all of your cares melt away...

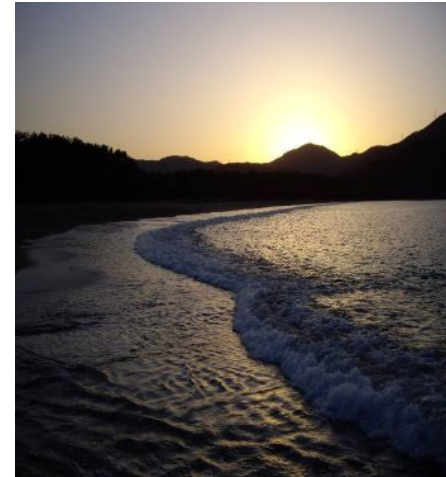


Kehi no Matsubara Beach (Nationally Designated Scenic Spot)^①



Summer at the beach^②

Alongside Miho no Matsubara (Shizuoka Prefecture) and Niji no Matsubara (Saga Prefecture), Kehi no Matsubara is one of the three largest beach areas in Japan. The view created by its white sands and 17,000 pine trees have earned it national recognition as a place of scenic beauty. Beachgoers from the surrounding areas, from Kyoto to Osaka to the Nagoya area, come to enjoy its beauty unique to each season.



Shoreline at night^③



Pine grove walking path^④



Stone monument bearing a poem by Takahama Kyoshi

On an imperial tour of the Hokuriku Area, Emperor Meiji praised the beach's beauty and that of its view. Upon visiting the beach himself, samurai-turned-government-official Katsu Kaishū captured in verse the Emperor's visit and the breathtaking view he enjoyed. Other noteworthy figures, such as poet and novelist Takahama Kyoshi, praised this site for its unforgettable vistas.



Kehi no Matsubara in winter

