

## MEETINGS



### Hokkaido International Women's Association News

HIWA always welcomes Japanese and non-Japanese women who are interested in our activities, which include international lectures, Japanese cultural activities, a bazaar for non-Japanese people, Japanese classes, English newsletter, and English classes. To apply for membership, fill out the application form on the official website below or come to the office on Monday. Yearly dues are ¥4,000. Details: HIWA, Chuo-ku, Kita 1, Nishi 3, MN Bldg., 6F/o SIS ☎/fax 221-3501 (Mondays only) or email to <hiwa@ivy.ocn.ne.jp>, <http://kokusaijosei.wix.com/hiwasince75/>



### Ethiopian Movie Showing

An Ethiopian documentary movie made in 2015 called "Dukale's Dream" and starring Hugh Jackman will be shown (70 min). "End poverty in all its forms everywhere" is one of 17 Sustainable Development Goals of the United Nations. Think about African children's future from poverty. After the movie, a lecture will be given by Wataru Okazaki about NGO activities in rural Uganda (20 min). Free. Cap.: 30. Date: Mar. 16 (Thu.), 6-7:45 p.m.

Venue: Sapporo International Communication Plaza 3F meeting room. Application: email to <apply@plaza-sapporo.or.jp> or ☎211-2105 or Fax 232-3833



## PLAZA NEWS & INFO



### Sapporo International Communication Plaza Foundation (SICPF)

#### Regular Events

**Let's Talk Program:** free and open to anyone in the 3F Salon. Japanese program (every Wed 2-3:30 p.m.). Practice your Japanese speaking skills with the "Mado" volunteer group. English program (every Tue. 12:20-1:20 p.m., 4th Tue. 6-7 p.m.).

**Origami Workshop:** (Mar. 4, Sat. 2-3 p.m.) "Spring"

#### Monthly Events

##### American corner

**Mar. 21 (Tue.)** 3-4 p.m. A seminar on "Women's History Month." Harvey Beasley, U.S. Consul, will speak in English about American fathers' parenting. Free. Cap.: 50. Venue: 3F meeting room. Application needed.

**Apr. 7 (Fri.)** 1-4 p.m. (doors close at 3:30 p.m.). Free Legal Consultation for Foreigners on Everyday Issues. Venue: 3F salon. No application needed.

**Apr. 15 (Sat.)** 10 a.m.-noon. Have Easter fun. Learn about the stories of Easter and make Easter eggs. Bring your own apron. Free. Cap.: 20, 3rd graders and older with parents. Venue: 3F Salon. Application: from Mar. 13 (Mon.).

#### For more information

Call the SICPF at 211-2105. Address: Chuo-ku, Kita 1-jo Nishi 3-chome, MN Bldg. 3F. Communication Salon. Open: Mon.-Sat. 9 a.m.-5:30 p.m. Closed: Sundays and Mar. 20 (Mon./hol.). <plazai@plaza-sapporo.or.jp> <www.plaza-sapporo.or.jp>

## MARCH EVENT CALENDAR

SUN	MON	TUE	WED	THU	FRI	SAT
29	30	31	1 March issue appears	2	3 Dolls Festival (p.1)	4 Origami Workshop (p.2)
5	6	7	8	9	10	11 Snow Candle 2017 (p.3)
12	13	14 White Day	15	16 Ethiopian Movie Showing (p.2)	17	18 Mt. Moiwa Ski Festival (p.3)
19	20 Shunbun-no-hi (p.1)	21 Seminar on "Women's History Month" (p.2)	22	23	24	25 Real Momotaro Dentetsu (until Mar. 26, p.3)
26	27	28	29 Application for Japanese-Language Proficiency Test starts (p.3)	30	31	1 Streetcar fare increase (p.3) April issue appears