

Shingon Esoteric Prayer - The Yakubarai Hoshi Matsuri

It is said that each year of a person's life is influenced by the "star (birth star)" of the year in which he or she is born, and each year's fortune changes. This is called "Hoshi-Meguri", which means the rotation of the stars to determine a person's fortune each year. It is said that the synergistic relationship between the star of the year and the nine stars that we were born with can lead to a good year (○) or a bad year (●).

Hoshi Matsuri is a ceremony held before the start of spring every year to pray for one's own star to be protected from bad luck and misfortune in a bad year, and to pray for more luck in a good year.

"**Yakubarai Hoshi Matsuri**" is an event to pray for good luck to purify the evil of the year. It is said that "**Yaku**" is the turning point of life where bad luck and hindrance is likely to happen to you, and there is a custom to pray for warding off the bad luck. The year of **bad luck** is a time of transition in a person's life, whether mental, physical, or social, and it is said that there are many changes and calamities that may occur during this period of time.

It is a time of great misfortune for **men at ages 25, 42, and 61**, and for **women at ages 19, 33, 37, and 61**, and the years before and after these are also known as "**Mae-Yaku**" and "**Ato-Yaku**".

If you wish to have prayers offered for you and your family to ward off bad luck and misfortune, please return or send in the application by Wednesday, January 26, 2022.

The Hoshimatsuri Goma Service will take place at the Main Hall on Sunday, February 6, 2022, at 10:30 A.M. Your Hoshimatsuri Ofuda will be blessed during the special goma service and you may pickup your ofuda after service or pay a mailing fee of \$5.00 to have the ofuda mailed to you.

\$10	Paper Ofuda (talismans)
\$50	Wooden Ofuda (talismans)
\$100	Family Ofuda (up to 5 names)
\$300	Special Family Ofuda (up to 15 names)

In Gassho

幸せになるための開運法

「真言密教秘法 厄ばらい星まつり」

わざわざ転じて福と為す!

「運気」を上げて所願成就!

人はその生涯をそれぞれの生まれた年の『星(生まれ星)』によって左右され、毎年の運勢が変わってくるといわれています。これを「星回り」といい、人間のその年の運勢を左右するという、星の巡り合わせを意味する言葉です。年々廻ってくる年の「九曜星」と、自らが持って生まれた「九星」の相乗関係で、良い年(○星)になったり悪い年(●星)になったりするといわれています。

「星まつり」は、毎年の立春の前に、その人の持つ「星(九星)」をおまつりし、悪い年には災難から逃れられるように、そして良い年には更なる開運を祈願するのです。

大難は小難に、小難は無難に

一年の運を左右する厄除け祈願

『厄ばらい星まつり』は、一年の厄を祓い開運招福を祈願する行事です。厄とは、災難や障りが身に降りかかりやすくなると言われる人生の節目のことで、古来より忌み慎む習わしがあり、厄年には神仏のご加護をいただいて災厄が身に振りかからないようにと寺社仏閣にお参りして厄祓いをします。

厄年を迎える時期は、人の一生の中でちょうど精神的・身体的・社会的な転機を迎える時期と重なり、さまざまな面で変化(災厄)の多い年回りとされています。

数え年で男性は 25 歳、42 歳、61 歳、女性は 19 歳、33 歳、37 歳、61 歳を大厄とし、その前後も前厄、後厄といって身を慎むのが古来からの習わしです。

申込締め切り日

2022 年 1 月 26 日必着

日時

2022 年 2 月 6 日(日) 午後 10 時 30 分から

場所

高野山米国別院聖堂 342 East 1st. Street, Los Angeles, CA., 90012

*星まつり祈禱札(紙)お一人様\$10.00 以上、木札お一人様\$50.00 以上のご寄付をお願いしております。家族祈願\$100.00 以上、家族特別祈願\$300.00 以上。

*お申し込みは、返信用封筒をご利用ください。 *お問い合わせは call (213)624-1267 まで。

*ご家族皆様のお申し込み、ご参加を心からお待ち申し上げます。

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2022 YAKUYOKE HOSHIMATSURI CHART

厄除け星まつり 吉凶早見表

Turn misfortune into good fortune

Increase your luck and make your wishes come true!

The Hoshi Matsuri is a traditional event to pray for luck every year, for a major bad luck to become a minor bad luck, and for a minor bad luck to become good luck.

#	Star 星	Star Name 星名	Fortune of This Year 今年の運勢	Birth Year 生まれ年			
1	● Bad Luck 大凶	White Venus Sinking Luck 羅喉星 Eclipse	A dragon lurking in a pond cannot ascend to heaven as it wishes. As such, it's a difficult year for you to achieve what you want, so you should be modest in everything you do. 池中の竜の如く思うこと叶わじ。控え目に。	2022	2013	2004	1995
				1986	1977	1968	1959
2	◐ Half Luck 半吉	Red Venus Opening Luck 土曜星 Saturn	It's a year in which your fortunes begin to open up, so you can prepare carefully in the first half of the year, and then you can move forward in the second half and get good luck. 開運期。上期に慎重、下期に前進。	2021	2012	2003	1994
				1985	1976	1967	1958
3	○ Good Luck 末吉	White Saturn Good Luck 水曜星 Mercury	You have very good luck. If you live carefully, you can open the basis of good fortune and longevity, but you need to be careful about the misfortune of lust and what you say. 運勢盛大。自重して吉。色と口の災いに注意。	2020	2011	2002	1993
				1984	1975	1966	1957
4	◑ Half Luck 半吉	Purple Mars Living Luck 金曜星 Venus	There is some kind of impediment and this year will be difficult. You need to be especially vigilant about good outcome. There are ways to break the ice if you're meticulous about it. 美味話に差障りあり。細心注意で打開有り。	2019	2010	2001	1992
				1983	1974	1965	1956
5	○ Good Luck 大吉	White Mercury Strong Luck 日曜星 Sun	Luck will be good. Do not be extravagant, but be self-aware and you will have good luck in all matters. However, it is advisable to be moderate when the fortune of the month and the day is bad. 運勢盛大。奢らず自戒し、控え目で吉運有。	2018	2009	2000	1991
				1982	1973	1964	1955
6	● Bad Luck 大凶	Black Saturn Resting Luck 火曜星 Mars	There are elements that make it difficult to move forward. It's better to be patient and wait for an opportunity to come your way. Forcing things forward will lead to your demise. 忍耐が肝要。強引は破滅の基。	2017	2008	1999	1990
				1981	1972	1963	1954
7	● Bad Luck 大凶	Azure Jupiter Dying Luck 計都星 Comet	You have a lot of hesitation and constant heartache, so moderation in everything is good. Consult with your superiors, or faith in God or Buddha to improve your luck. 気迷い多く心労多くし。目上と神仏に傾聴せよ。	2016	2007	1998	1989
				1980	1971	1962	1953
8	◑ Half Luck 半吉	Green Jupiter Advancing Luck 月曜星 Moon	You have very strong luck. Good fortune will come from the determination to do everything. However, you must be careful and not to hurry. 強運にして万事吉。勇み足に注意。	2015	2006	1997	1988
				1979	1970	1961	1952
9	○ Good Luck 大吉	Yellow Saturn Good Luck 木曜星 Jupiter	Luck is good. If you do not panic and do not deviate from the right path with a level mind. There is a good chance that what you wish for will come. 運勢順調。平常心を心掛け、邪道排斥で吉。	2014	2005	1996	1987
				1978	1969	1960	1951
				1942	1933	1924	1915

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星まつり 祈禱 申し込み用紙 2022 HOSHIMATSURI APPLICATION FORM

Please send in your application to the Temple by Wednesday, January 26, 2022. The Hoshimatsuri Goma Service will take place on Sunday, February 6, 2022, at 10:30 A.M.

Paper Ofuda is \$10.00 per person minimum donation. Special wooden Ofuda is \$50.00 per person minimum donation. Family Ofuda is \$100 per family (up to 5 names) minimum donation. Special family ofuda is \$300 per family (up to 15 names) minimum donation. Ofudas may be picked up in-person after conclusion of the Hoshimatsuri Goma Service. Alternatively, you may pay a minimum \$5 mailing fee to have your Ofuda mailed to you.

Make check payable to **“Koyasan Beikoku Betsuin of L.A.”**

Please print name and information of applicant and sub-applicant(s) clearly.

お申し込み〆切りは2022年1月26日(水)です。

星まつり祈禱札はお一人様\$10.00以上・木製の祈禱札はお一人様\$50.00以上の寄付をお願いしております

・家族祈願\$100.00以上、家族特別祈願\$300.00以上。

祈禱札に願主のお名前を記入します。お名前の記入には間違えのないようはっきりとした文字(楷書)でお書き下さい。

Name of Applicant お申込者ご芳名	Address ご住所	Phone 連絡先

Individual Hoshimatsuri Prayer

Star Number	Name of Applicant and/or Sub-Applicant(s) ご祈禱願主の氏名	Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY)	Ofuda Type (P/W)	P : Paper (\$10.00) W : Wood (\$50.00)

Please see attached for additional names

Please see back for Family and Special Family Yakubarai Application

Family Yakubarai Prayer

Name of Head of Household (Example: Harry Yoshimoto)	Family Name (Example: Yoshimoto Family)

Star Number	Name of Sub-Applicant(s) ご家族の氏名	Date of Birth (MM/DD/YYYY)	Age

Please see attached for additional names

Family Yakubari (up to 5 names)	\$100.00
Special Family Yakubarai (up to 20 names)	\$300.00

Number of \$10 Individual Paper Ofuda: _____

Number of \$50 Individual Wooden Ofuda: _____

Number of \$100 Family Ofuda: _____

Number of \$300 Special Family Ofuda: _____

Total Number of Ofuda (s): _____

Minimum Mailing Fee (at least \$5): _____

Total Amount Enclosed: _____

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Application Received: _____

Payment Received (CK # / Cash) : _____ / **Initial:** _____

Ofuda Created: _____ / **Initial:** _____

Picked Up: _____ / **Mailed:** _____