

Dear Friend,

Once again, thank YOU all for your great support to Gyotoku Pen Friend Club for such long years! We could have the 40th Anniversary on 15th May with the co-operation of Ichikawa City, International Relationship Section. At the beginning of GPC, we were young (40 years younger) but almost all the members look still young and active as they used to be. And we could get the messages from old members how much they enjoyed our meetings while they were in Japan.

As you can see from the photos taken by Mr. Takahashi, we had a lot of people, new and old, young and old, about almost 100, from China, England, Rumania, Thailand, Viet Nam, Russia, Uzbekistan, and Japanese. We really enjoyed cooking Japanese food, listening to the Japanese Drums performed by the members of Koyu, and answering Japanese quizzes! (I'm very sorry that some regular members couldn't attend this festive Events because of their appointments). The performance of Japanese Drums were so superb and dynamic that our heart was shaken and beaten!!! Thank you, Ms. Shiga and her group members!

As for Japanese cooking, before the party started, our cooking experts came earlier and prepared the materials for foreigners to cook easier. We appreciate you all and are proud of you all!!

今回の行徳ペンフレンドクラブ40周年にあたり、沢山の方々のご協力をいただき、心から御礼申し上げます。日本料理のための準備、迫力ある和太鼓の演奏、日本クイズなどたくさんの方々の方たちと祝うことができ、感謝でいっぱいです。またこの日のため有坂さんが作ってくださった雛人形の飾りも、本当にありがとうございます。これからも楽しいクラブを続けていきたいと思っておりますので、なお一層のお力をいただけただけなら幸いです。本当に、本当にありがとうございました。

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***Congratulations
40th Anniversary!***

