Homestay Programme in Shizuoka Prefecture 2007

Period: 11 December – 21 December 2007 (11 days)
Number of students: Five

Shizuoka University covers the following expenses:
1) Homestay (including breakfast and dinner)
2) Train return ticket from Narita to Shizuoka (including Shinkansen return fare between Tokyo and Shizuoka)
3) 2Day-1Night trip to Hakone* (staying at Japanese style inn)
4) Field trips to local facilities (schools, museums, companies, factories) and historic sites (castles, temples, etc.)
5) Exchange activities with Shizuoka University students
* The destination is subject to change.

Estimated expenses (S$1,500) to be borne by students include:
1) Return airfare
2) Travel insurance
3) Lunch and daily expenses
4) Transportation in Shizuoka

Application is open to all NUS students. Preference will be given to Japanese Studies majors/concentrators in their third or honours years. Participants are required to have good communication skills in Japanese.

Application forms are available at Pigeon Hole No. 5 (outside of the General Office of the Department of Japanese Studies AS4/03-27) and on the Department’s homepage http://www.fas.nus.edu.sg/jps/. Completed forms must be submitted to the General Office by the deadline.

Application deadline: Monday, 27 August 2007

All applicants are required to attend the meeting with Prof. Ishii from Shizuoka University scheduled on Wednesday, 29 August 2007, 10am at AS4/03-28. (If you can’t attend the meeting, please report to Ms Lee Bee Ling by e-mail jpsleebl@nus.edu.sg.)

The results will be notified by e-mail by Friday, 14 September. The names of selected applicants will be available on the department’s homestay notice board and homepage http://www.fas.nus.edu.sg/jps/. Selected applicants are required to attend an orientation meeting. For enquiries, please e-mail to jpsleebl@nus.edu.sg.