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Food

That was awesome. I cooked it in a lot of time, I heard that the origin of soymilk pudding was made in South Korea, and I thought that is hard to cook and taste, but that was a big misunderstanding. This can be cooked so easily, but the taste is so delicious. The softness is still just the right, but I felt we can add a teaspoon of gelatin, so you can taste a little harder pudding, the texture doesn't change. Also, I tried a lot of toppings. The recipe showed black sugar syrup and soybean flour, but it is also nice to add dry fruits and honey. This combo is often seen in yogurt, but it also much to the pudding. A normal one is well known and delicious you know, but this one is less calory and reduced sweetness a bit. People who want a healthy diet, I fully recommend you to substitute ordinary one for this pudding. At the first time, I thought it can not fill in my starving being, however, once you eat, I feel like very good. To be honest it is not 100% substitutable sweet. Remember please. I strongly recommend you try cooking it just once.



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I ate MacDonald's triangle pie of sweet potato in last day. The MacDonald seal triangle pie of chocolate at each autumn of a year. However, sweet potato flavor one is a new product. That means this is my first time eating it. The pie is so tasty!!! Inside the pie, sweet potato paste is fully in, then I feel mild sweetness by the paste and its texture is like real roasted sweet potatoes. In contrast, pie pastry is crispy and little salty, then highlight paste's sweetness. It is only 160 yen, but this pie's quality is more the that price. In addition, the chocolate flavor's one have direct sweetness. Each pie have each cham, so you can enjoy the different kinds of sweetness by eating these pies. Thus, it is good for people who don't have a sweet tooth or who like sweet potatoes. In addition, if you take out it, please warm the pie then eat it. This is the best way of eating these pies! I'm so sad to you can eat it in only autumn.

Food

Doden

This Ramen shop is kind of Jiro Ramen.

The Doden differs from the other Jiro Ramen.

Because The Doden noodles shape is characteristic.

This shape has good effect for connection of soup.

So, Doden noodles have a strong taste.

Also, Doden is not expensive for size. So, very good cost performance.

In addition, customers can choose between three sizes and two menus.

It is Abura soba and Ramen.

This taste is so good. Furthermore, you can add to option that some topping.



Chicken and Waffle

When I visited Portland, Oregon, I went to Screen Door which is a famous place for having brunch. It is in downtown Portland, so it is easy to access. I got their Chicken & Waffle and it was so good. It costs me \$23, but the cost depends on how many fried chickens you get, and you can choose 1, 2 or 3 pieces. 1 piece fried chicken costs \$17, and 3 piece fried chicken costs \$28. I think being able to choose how many chickens you are going to get is nice because we don't get leftovers.

The chicken is so crunchy, and the pancakes are so fluffy, so the texture was so fun. Also, the sweet maple syrup goes well with the salty chicken. I think the best part of this Chicken & Waffle is that you can enjoy different texture and different taste all at once. The restaurant's atmosphere is nice and chill. Overall, the restaurant and their food are 10 out of 10.

Movie

THIS IS A MOVIE REVIEW

This is Video reviewing channel. Today, I will review the great movie in this season, that is “joker folie à deux.” The story keeps the same social themes as the first movie but focuses more on personal struggles. The relationship between the Joker and Harley is shown in a dangerous and complicated way, which draws the audience in. There are many scenes that show the characters' emotions, making the viewer feel what they are going through, while also creating tension that makes you feel nervous. The movie’s visuals are impressive. The contrast between the dark city of Gotham and the bright, musical scenes shows the madness of the story. The music is also very good and helps to show the strong emotions of the characters. However, compared to the first movie, the pace of the film feels slower in some parts. Since it focuses on the characters' feelings, it might not be enough for people who are looking for more action. But this quietness helps to show the character’s deep feelings, and it does not decrease the quality of the movie.



Products



Today, I would like to evaluate the **foot warmer** that sticks to the socks of the MATSUKIYO brand.

The score for this product is 70 out of 100. I was fully satisfied with the price and effectiveness.

However, I believe there are a few things to consider before purchasing.

Let's talk about the feel of the product. I am a girl and a high school student. As a personal characteristic, my toes tend to get cold easily during the cold season. So, this product is useful to my school life to change more and more comfortable! Because, using the foot warmers, I felt that my toes warmed up and my overall blood flow improved. I could navigate the cold hallways with no problem.

However, there are several negative points for me. First, the warming time of this foot warmer is short. Only 5 hours. So, the effect does not last the full day. When I started using the warmer at 8:00 in the morning, its effects did not last until I left school. Second, if you put this foot warmer on your socks, it will stand out. For example, when you take off your shoes. Because their products were white, and my school socks were black. I was a little embarrassed when my friends saw me. But this product is cheaper than other companies, so I also think that the duration of effect and color issues are worth the price. So, I think the result of this product, the foot warmer, is 70 out of 100.

Finally, I would recommend this product to any child who suffers from cold toes like me. Because MATSUKIYO Bland's foot warmers work well and are inexpensive!



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本体 **798円**

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Products

Arrows Be-F-04K

Arrows smartphone is the best smartphone than other. There are several reasons to support the idea.

First, it is sturdy that there is no scar on the surface of the phone if it was dropped many times. Besides, there are no disorder about any function. I have been using this smartphone for 5 years but still I can use it without any problem.

Second, this one is very reasonable to buy. Comparing other smartphones such as i-phone which have same function as Arrows, Arrows is low-cost one so that we can save our money to arrange our digital life.

One thing but point is that there are few users, so it is difficult to search for Arrows function when user confuse to understand how to use. But this situation is often the case so don't worry about it.

In the end, Arrows smartphone is a nice smartphone. When I need to change my phone, I would buy Arrows again!



iPhone

I give four out of five.

I use an iPhone14. iPhone has many specific abilities compared to Oppo, for example, airdrop and connecting with other apple products. Also, iPhone has higher quality picture than other products. The photos are very colorful and clear. Also, we can easily edit pictures and videos of higher quality. These are very good points of the iPhone. However, Oppo is harder than iPhone. I used Oppo before using iPhone, I dropped that every day for two years, but that didn't break. In the other hand, my iPhone broke soon after I started using it. From these points, I give four out of five.

Music



WATCHING HARBOR SHOW IN TDS!!! ★★★★★

I visited Tokyo DisneySea with my friends, and we had an incredible time watching the harbor show, "Believe - Sea of Dreams." I'd rate it 5 out of 5 stars, and I want to share why this show was great.

There are a few key elements I loved about the show. First, the lighting direction was amazing. They used a variety of colored lasers, projection mapping on Mount Prometheus and Hotel MiraCosta, and more, that creates a fascinating visual experience that painted the night sky with color and brought the whole scene to life!!

Secondly, the music was perfectly integrated into the performance. The arrangements of the songs that came from the characters' movies were specialized to the theme of the show, which not only made it feel more immersive but also gave it a special atmosphere!!!

The combination of light and music created a dramatic and captivating experience!!!!

Although the show can be a bit expensive, the experience was completely worth it. My friends and I agreed that it was an unforgettable memory. If you're considering it, I would highly recommend seeing "Believe - Sea of Dreams" at least once. It's a must-see for anyone visiting Tokyo DisneySea!!!! Do not miss it!!

Gen Hoshino "Idea" Live at Tokyo Dome 2019

Today, I will talk about my favorite song "Idea" sung by Hoshino Gen. In 2019, he did a live performance at Tokyo Dome. I like it so much so I will talk about that in detail.

First, this song has many moods. For example, the first verse has a pop melody so we can feel like a kind of morning fresh winds. On the other hand, in the second verse, his voice and a few musical instruments make a night darkness moods. It is quite different from first verse. In the live performance, the lights staging also expresses it and it is really nice.

Additionally, in the final chorus, audiences are raising their hands, back dancers are dancing, and the artist and backband members are making a beautiful and bright harmony. We can feel that audiences are also making this memory together with the artist. After this performance, all people can feel happy and get vitality for tomorrow.

If you are interested in Japanese pop music, please listen to it!



Music

LIVE performance ~Mr. Children~ ★★★★★

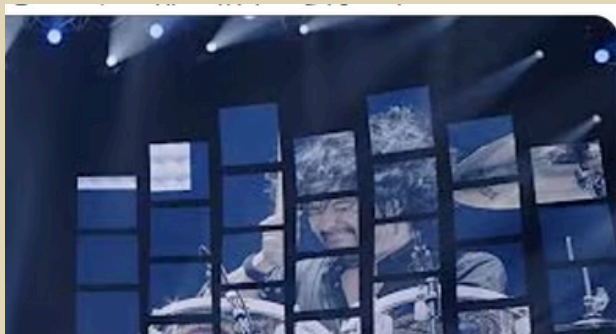
Strong messages are conveyed with catchy melody and high quality of overlapping instruments. No defect. Just perfect.

Artist movement = it depends on the song. The vocalist sometimes took off the guitar and moved around the stage or in the audience area. This will show the energy in the songs, and express the trust to other band members, which is emotional for the audience.

Light = it slightly changed in the structure of the song. To clarify the performers faces, lights are released from various directions. The color of the light is related to the album's color or song images, and it amplifies impact to the audience.

Sound quality = Many speakers are positioned in all directions, and it decreases the differences of the sound quality depending on the seat the audience sits.

Atmosphere of audience = Enthusiastic. Live performances have a culture of raising hands according to the tempo, and it creates unity.



Mr.Children 「足音」 Live from

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Mr.Children Official Channel

Mr.Children REFLECTION {Live & Film} DVD

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Music



The video is really vibrant and engaging, but the underlying message is also quite powerful (without being too political). This contrast made it both enjoyable and impactful. By making the video of such a high quality, it left a strong impression on me.



The music video for Taste was scary but wonderful. In every scene, women hurt or kill each other. Although the song itself is pop, this video is a thread. So, there is a good contrast between them. Also, what impressed me the most is its realism. I don't know how she made it, but it outperformed other videos. The scene in which one of the women stick the eye using the knife is my favorite.

Books

The Lord of the Rings

The Lord of the Rings is one of the most famous fantasy books. These fantastic and majestic masterpieces were published from 1954 to 1955 and made a big impact on writers around the world. Also, the same title movies released until now. I have read these Japanese books and watched the English movie released in 2001 when I was in junior high school. This story is based on European legends and Norse mythology. Some characters use magic, fight fantastic creatures like dragons, and we can enjoy these exciting journeys.

I think we can learn the diversity from this story. In the story world, Elfs and Dwarfs hated each other. However, they can form good relationships and make understanding at the end of this story. This episode probably connects with WW II, because the author wrote this story during the war. So, I think it is valuable to read. But this book has one problem. The book is too long, and reading all the stories is hard, like a Harry Potter series. So, I recommend the movie for those who haven't afforded time to read.

The movie is also fantastic. It uses great CG techniques and expresses the magical world. I watched the only first movie, so it is only 1 out of 3. I think actors' express emotions great, and costumes are in detail. However, I don't like this movie's plot. It can't appeal to Hobbits' feelings when they could live safely. Mostly, Sam's personality doesn't be expressed deeply. I know the Hobbits' village part is not exciting, so the film director didn't pay attention. But commonly, their lives and Sam's dreams are the foundation of these stories. Sam is one of the most important characters! So, if you have a lot of time, I recommend the book versions.



World History B Q&A by Hitoshi Saito ★★★★★☆(4 out of 5)

It is a great textbook to study world history! I bought it when I was just starting to study, and I'm using it still now. The book is getting tired, but the contents are so satisfying so I always study with this book. The good point is that it has much extra knowledge which is related to each question. Also, the answers are written in orange color to be invisible when I used red sheet. The chaptalized structure is useful too. I can focus on the chapter which I couldn't remember the words. However, the only negative thing is that the text doesn't have detailed explanation of each content. So, if you don't know the answer or connection between several events, you need to refer to other text to understand perfectly.



Event and Places

BIG CATs taking over GINZA SIX

I went to see the art exhibition at GINZA SIX and it was MASSIVE. When I entered the mall and looked up, all I could see was two big big cats and taiyo-no-to (tower of the sun) shaped spaceship. The bright white and orange smooth color and unnatural existence of cats really stand out and really caught my eyes. It was unusually beautiful that even feels like they were all AR. While the exhibition going on at The Taro Okamoto Memorial Museum focuses on Yanobe's personality as an artist and relationship between Taro Okamoto, this exhibition is more direct to the concept of big cat bang with big spaceship. If you are not that familiar with Yanobe's artwork, here should be the best way to start getting into his world.



I strongly recommend going upstairs and getting closer as possible. You can see detail and tiny but many cats surrounding the spaceship. 5F is my recommendation. It's close enough and not many people were there. And before you go, you should watch the introduction video of the concept of the exhibition. It really helps you get into the world of the BIG CAT BANG!! PLUS, you cannot miss the merchandise sold at Tsutaya-shoten on the 6th floor. Though it's not really written on the internet, they still have the pop-up store inside and you can get cut t-shirts, figures and so on!

Karuizawa

Karuizawa is one of the best places to visit in Japan for relaxation! I traveled to Karuizawa in Nagano Prefecture twice, once when I was 10 and again at 14, with my parents and grandparents, respectively.

During my first visit, I thoroughly enjoyed cycling around the Karuizawa area. Since Karuizawa has beautiful nature, it's a tranquil and serene place, giving me a sense of peace and fulfillment. With refreshing breezes and the scent of the forest, I felt relaxed as I cycled through.

On my second visit, I stayed at a hotel with a stylish design that inspired creativity. The room felt like a secret base: the upper level had a bed, while the lower level featured a cozy sofa. There's also a shopping street nearby, where visitors can enjoy dining and buying unique souvenirs. I ate soba, a specialty of Nagano Prefecture, and was surprised by the depth of its flavor.

During both visits, I went to a shrine located on the border between Gunma and Nagano Prefectures. Interestingly, the shrine on the Gunma side is called "Kumano Shrine," while on the Nagano side, it's known as "Kumanokotai Shrine." The sacred Shinano tree, over 1,000 years old, is revered for bringing good luck and fostering relationships. Perched at the top of Usui Pass, the shrine also offers a stunning view!

Karuizawa is truly a wonderful place to relax!



Event and Places

つくば Science Edge contest 2024: ★★★★★☆

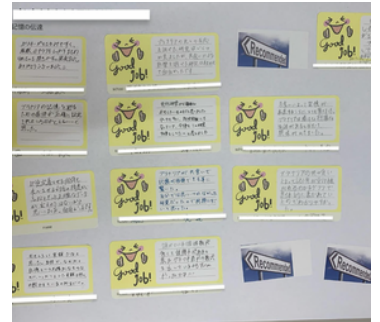
Last year, I joined this contest and got many opportunities here.

In this review, I will explain the most interesting memories.

This contest is so big science content in Japan and more than thousand people join it. Also, it is not just presenting your own experiment. After the presentation, the presenter has time to communicate with each other. So, I could get many friends and many perspectives. Moreover, the presenter is not only Japanese. So, it is good for global communication.”The recommendation card” is also nice. That is giving comment or advice for good presenter. It is nice to get comments and advice from others. Moreover, if you could get this card a lot, you might get some award.

Another activity, I have lecture of science experiments. In this event we could choose 2 workshops from many different themes, and I chose biological experiment and JAEA’s project presentation. It was such an interesting and exciting event for me to get a variety of knowledge from lectures.

As a result, if you interesting communication with other people and you want just to have a conversation with another researcher, it will be a nice opportunity for you.



Rikugien Garden is a metropolitan garden located in Bunkyo Ward, Tokyo. It was created between 1695 and 1702 by Yanagisawa Yoshiyasu, who served as a chamberlain for the fifth shogun, Tokugawa Tsunayoshi, during the Edo period. The garden is designed in the traditional Japanese "strolling garden" style, with beautifully placed ponds and artificial hills. The garden offers visitors enjoyable views of nature that change beautifully with each season.

I visited for the first time. It's a wonderful garden. It's well cared for and has a calm atmosphere, making it hard to believe it's in the middle of the city. Sometimes you can see tall buildings through the scenery, but they somehow make it feel like you are traveling back in time. The

weeping cherry trees were past their peak, but they were still magnificent. I came to see cherry blossoms, but besides the weeping cherry trees, there was only one old cherry tree near the Fukiage Teahouse. Even so, there are many attractions like Chidoribashi Bridge, Takimi Teahouse, Hakuobashi Bridge, San'inbashi Bridge, Fujishiro Toge, Togetsukyo Bridge, and Tatsuruhashi Bridge. I went on a cloudy weekday right when it opened, so it was nice and quiet. It's remarkable that they have placed toilets discreetly in various places, anticipating large crowds.