A WEEKEND OF JAPANESE CULTURE - BONSAI & ORIGAMI -

From October 12 to 14, 2018, the Embassy of Japan and Bonsai Barbados hosted a Bonsai and Origami Exhibition at Queen's Park Gallery in Bridgetown.

The Hon. John A. King, M.P., Minister of Creative Economy, Culture and Sports, gave a speech at the opening on October 12, in which he stated that continued cooperation in the areas of culture and sport is important for the further development of bilateral relations between Japan and Barbados.

Over the next two days, approximately 800 Bajans visited the exhibition, participating in Origami workshops and viewing over 40 Bonsai trees cared for by Bonsai Barbados. The weekend served as a very good opportunity to introduce elements of Japanese culture to a wide audience of all ages.

Special Exhibits (October 12, 2018)



Queen's Park Galley



Ambassador Shinada briefs on Bonsai & Origami



The Hon. John A. King, M.P., Minister of Creative Economy, Culture and Sports gives his speech



Mr. Robert Gibbs, President of Bonsai Barbados and Ambassador Shinada

General Exhibits (Bonsai & Origami) (October 13 and 14, 2018)



Origami Exhibit



Origami workshop



People enjoyed the Bonsai exhibit (Exhibition hall)



Yukata (Summer Kimono) & Japanese calligraphy