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Greetings from the Chairperson

Hello. I am Daichi Mishima, the Chairperson of the 96th May Festival Standing Committee.

Thank you for participating in the 96th May Festival.

I would be happy if you enjoyed the May Festival.

When you decided to participate in the 96th May Festival in February, we couldn't tell you about the restrictions. In the end, you could serve food and drink, and about 100,000 people came to the May Festival for the first time in four years.

I am very honored that we could organize the place for UTokyo students to present academic and cultural activities to many visitors directly. I am strongly convinced that the splendid and brilliant world of wit and youthfulness, which "Flora" expresses, existed on the campuses.

I imagine it was the first time for almost everyone to participate in the May Festival. This means few people had knowledge on dealing with a lot of visitors, participation procedures, or so. However, there was not any major trouble thanks to your cooperation.

After the festival was over, we noticed many things we could have done, or avoid doing. Please answer a questionnaire of the May Festival, and the organization of the May Festival. We will keep up our effort to make the May Festival better based on your feedback.

In closing, I would like to thank everyone again for creating the May Festival with us.

Hope to see you again next year.

The Chairperson of the 96th May Festival Standing Committee

Daichi Mishima

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Reviewing the 96th May Festival

The 96th May Festival has successfully ended, and a total of 406 projects have brought excitement to the Hongo and Yayoi Campus.

About Festival Format and Measures Against COVID-19

Although the influence of COVID-19 had been getting weaker, many measures against the virus were still required when holding the 96th May Festival. We apologize for the inconvenience and thank you for your cooperation.

Even under this circumstance, we were able to hold the festival in a hybrid format without any entry restrictions for the first time after the outbreak of COVID-19. More than 100,000 visitors came to the campuses during the 2 festival days. We sincerely appreciate your participation in the festival and supporting us to create an environment full of joy by running outdoor stalls and many other projects.

Also, to enable the continuous operation of the May Festival in the following years, we set up Eating Space and asked projects to wear masks as strict measures against COVID-19. We thank you again for your cooperation.

Others

We are thankful to all project members for carrying out your project without any troubles or problems.

We apologize for the inconvenience when handing over rental goods to some of the projects on the day before the festival.

We asked some of the outdoor projects to follow our Fire Safety Inspections and other adjustments so as to operate properly under bad weather conditions. Thank you for your generous cooperation.

Also, thank you for following our environmental measures such as garbage separation procedures and Cleaning Check. The festival ended successfully without any ruins or stains on the campuses.

Committee Member Confidence Vote

Period **June 14th (Wed.) - June 23rd (Fri.) 9:00 p.m.**

- In accordance with Article 3.6 of the Statute of the May Festival Standing Committee, the members of the 97th May Festival Standing Committee will be elected through a vote on the Web System.
- Voting is open to all projects with one vote per project, so please make sure to vote via the Web System “Committee Member Confidence Vote” (委員信任投票) within this period.

Request for Questionnaire Cooperation

Deadline June 20th (Tue.) 9:00 p.m.

- We are conducting a questionnaire about this year's May Festival to both managers.
- The results of the questionnaire will be used to achieve smoother and more satisfactory operations of the May Festival in the following years. We look forward to your cooperation in filling out the questionnaire.
- Please fill out the questionnaire from this link <<https://forms.gle/TsWkcdAh7suhvLSL7>>.
- The questionnaire is exclusive for projects carried out by non-Japanese speakers. Your thoughts and views are very important for our improvement. We look forward to your cooperation.

Refunds

- Refunds of Project Guarantee Deposit and other refunds will be made by bank transfer. The transfer is scheduled to be made **in June**.
- We will refund to the bank account registered in “[20] Bank Account Registration” ([20] 返金用口座情報登録).
- We will contact you via “Inquiry” (問い合わせ) after the refund is completed. Please be sure to confirm that the money has been properly transferred.
- For projects that have requested in-person refunds in advance, refunds will be made on schedules below. Please choose your convenient schedule.
 - June 14th (Wed.) 6:30 p.m. - 7:30 p.m. (Discussion Room 2, 3rd Floor of Student Support Center, Hongo Campus)
 - June 16th (Fri.) 6:30 p.m. - 8:30 p.m. (Room 104, 1st Floor of Building 1, Komaba Campus)
 - » If none of the above are available, refunds will be made at the Committee Room at Hongo Campus (Room 6, 3rd floor of the Second Refectory (Dai-ni Shokudo), Hongo Campus). Details will be announced via “Inquiry” (問い合わせ).
- For projects that had no issues in carrying out the project, we will refund all the Project Guarantee Deposit.
- If there is a change in the cost of rental goods or purchase of items after the Project Guarantee Deposit, the additional refunds will be made.

Final Results of May Festival Awards

The 1st - 3rd place projects in each category, as well as the Grand Prix and semi Grand Prix projects, were determined by the votes of visitors on the day of the May Festival. Prizes were awarded to the projects below. We give them our most sincere congratulations.

Thank you for your participation in May Festival Awards. All projects were fascinating and colored the May Festival. We would like to thank everyone involved in the projects.

Grand Prix Project & Semi Grand Prix Project



PE-Lab

The University of Tokyo
Department of Precision
Engineering



Sake Tasting

The University of Tokyo Biological
Chemistry and Biotechnology 4th
Grade

The 1st - 3rd Place Projects in Each Category

Performance Category

1st Place	Todai Yoyomu (Marukyu Project)
2nd Place	Science Show at Hongo Campus (The University of Tokyo Communicators of Science and Technology)
3rd Place	Brass Academy the 29th May Festival Concert (The University of Tokyo Brass Academy)

Academic Category

1st Place	Science Museum at Hongo Campus (The University of Tokyo Communicators of Science and Technology)
2nd Place	Mock Trial in AI Court (AI Mock Trial Executive Committee)
3rd Place	Neo-Futuristic Experience 2023 (The University of Tokyo Department of Electrical and Electronic Engineering, Department of Information and Communication Engineering)

Food Category

1st Place	La Pizzeria (2022, 2023 Enrolled Natural Sciences I-7)
2nd Place	Mikan Fan Club (The University of Tokyo Mikan Fan Club)
3rd Place	Grab Some Kebab (2023 Enrolled Natural Sciences II,III-9)

Participation Category

1st Place	Hongo City Pokemon Gym (The University of Tokyo Pokemon Society Poketch)
2nd Place	Programming for You (ut.code();)
3rd Place	AnotherVision May Fes. Nazotoki Event (The University of Tokyo Riddle Creator Group AnotherVision)

Exhibition Category

1st Place	UTokyo LEGO Club Exhibition (The University of Tokyo LEGO Club)
2nd Place	3D Map of Japan (The University of Tokyo Geography Club)
3rd Place	The Origami Museum 2023 in Hongo (The University of Tokyo Orist Origami Club)

Class Category

1st Place	La Pizzeria (2022, 2023 Enrolled Natural Sciences I-7)
2nd Place	Grab Some Kebab (2023 Enrolled Natural Sciences II,III-9)
3rd Place	Happy Pirozhki (2023 Enrolled Humanities and Social Sciences I,II,III-4)

Publication of Punishments

Taido Performance by the University of Tokyo Taido Club (Project ID : 316)

Group name

- Athletic Foundation of the University of Tokyo Taido Club

The content of the punishment

- Publicizing the violation, Strict warning, Apology essay

The reason for the punishment

- Failing to complete Cleaning Check by the Committee and defaulting on the duty of restoration

Basis of provision

- The Autonomous Regulations for the 96th May Festival Paragraph 3 “Project members and the Committee should endeavor to preserve university facilities and environment, and restore them immediately to their original states after the festival.”

Beef Skewer House Eagles (Project ID : 332)

Group name

- The University of Tokyo Eagles

The content of the punishment

- Publicizing the violation, Strict warning

The reason for the punishment

- Violation of rules about handling alcohol

Basis of provision

- Project Duties Paragraph 4 “Follow the instructions given by the Committee regarding the operation of the May Festival.”
- Manager Duties Paragraph 5 “Disseminate information from the Committee to all project members if necessary, and ensure that project members comply with regulations and instructions from the Committee.”

Local Products Store of Nagano Prefecture Kiso-Valley “Yoshinaka-Do” (Project ID : 368)

Group name

- The University of Tokyo Kiso-Valley Study Group

The content of the punishment

- Publicizing the violation, Strict warning, Apology essay

The reason for the punishment

- Conducting unpermitted and excessive manifestation related to external entities

Basis of provision

- The Autonomous Regulations for the 96th May Festival Paragraph 9 “Any behavior of advertising companies or certain external groups and individuals is prohibited.”
- Participation Requirements Paragraph 3 “Not aim at advertising commercial organizations such as companies, political/religious groups or other external entities and individuals.”

May Festival Education Forum 2023 (Project ID : 371)

Group name

- Renaissance of Japanese Education

The content of the punishment

- Publicizing the violation

The reason for the punishment

- Asking visitors for fund-raising when they enter the project place

■ **Basis of provision**

- Project Duties Paragraph 4 “Follow the instructions given by the Committee regarding the operation of the May Festival.”
- Manager Duties Paragraph 5 “Disseminate information from the Committee to all project members if necessary, and ensure that project members comply with regulations and instructions from the Committee.”

Public Lecture (Project ID : 387)

■ **Group name**

- The University of Tokyo Young Buddhist Association

■ **The content of the punishment**

- Publicizing the violation, Strict warning

■ **The reason for the punishment**

- Conducting unpermitted manifestation related to external entities

■ **Basis of provision**

- The Autonomous Regulations for the 96th May Festival Paragraph 9 “Any behavior of advertising companies or certain external groups and individuals is prohibited.”
- Participation Requirements Paragraph 3 “Not aim at advertising commercial organizations such as companies, political/religious groups or other external entities and individuals.”

Banh Mi, Love at First Bite (Project ID : 472)

■ **Group name**

- The University of Tokyo Vietnamese Student Associations

■ **The content of the punishment**

- Publicizing the violation

■ **The reason for the punishment**

- Bringing in and using knives

■ **Basis of provision**

- Project Duties Paragraph 4 “Follow the instructions given by the Committee regarding the operation of the May Festival.”
- Manager Duties Paragraph 5 “Disseminate information from the Committee to all project members if necessary, and ensure that project members comply with regulations and instructions from the Committee.”

Mock Trial in AI Court (Project ID : 492)

■ **Group name**

- AI Mock Trial Executive Committee

■ **The content of the punishment**

- Publicizing the violation, Strict warning, Apology essay

■ The reason for the punishment

- Conducting unpermitted and excessive manifestation related to external entities

■ Basis of provision

- The Autonomous Regulations for the 96th May Festival Paragraph 9 “Any behavior of advertising companies or certain external groups and individuals is prohibited.”
- Participation Requirements Paragraph 3 “Not aim at advertising commercial organizations such as companies, political/religious groups or other external entities and individuals.”

Lesma’s Gyukushi (Project ID : 520)

■ Group name

- The University of Tokyo Lemon Smash

■ The content of the punishment

- Publicizing the violation, Strict warning

■ The reason for the punishment

- Leaving a signboard without disassembling and defaulting on the duty of restoration

■ Basis of provision

- The Autonomous Regulations for the 96th May Festival Paragraph 3 “Project members and the Committee should endeavor to preserve university facilities and environment, and restore them immediately to their original states after the festival.”

Association Football Club Garapon Lottery (Project ID : 552)

■ Group name

- Athletic Foundation of the University of Tokyo Association Football Club

■ The content of the punishment

- Publicizing the violation, Strict warning

■ The reason for the punishment

- Conducting unpermitted manifestation related to external entities

■ Basis of provision

- The Autonomous Regulations for the 96th May Festival Paragraph 9 “Any behavior of advertising companies or certain external groups and individuals is prohibited.”
- Participation Requirements Paragraph 3 “Not aim at advertising commercial organizations such as companies, political/religious groups or other external entities and individuals.”

UTSCC Flea Market (Project ID : 585)

■ Group name

- The University of Tokyo Street Culture Club

■ The content of the punishment

- Publicizing the violation, Strict warning, Apology essay, Recommendation for designation as an observed project next year

■ The reason for the punishment

- Violation of rules about handling alcohol
- Conducting unpermitted commercial transaction multiple times

■ Basis of/Related provision

- The Autonomous Regulations for the 96th May Festival Paragraph 5 “Project members and the Committee should respect the right of all participants to run projects smoothly and not disturb other projects.”
- Project Duties Paragraph 4 “Follow the instructions given by the Committee regarding the operation of the May Festival.”
- Manager Duties Paragraph 5 “Disseminate information from the Committee to all project members if necessary, and ensure that project members comply with regulations and instructions from the Committee.”

Takoyakidoukukai (Project ID : 636)

■ Group name

- Todai Takoyaki Kenkyukai

■ The content of the punishment

- Publicizing the violation

■ The reason for the punishment

- Bringing in and using knives

■ Basis of provision

- Project Duties Paragraph 4 “Follow the instructions given by the Committee regarding the operation of the May Festival.”
- Manager Duties Paragraph 5 “Disseminate information from the Committee to all project members if necessary, and ensure that project members comply with regulations and instructions from the Committee.”

Baby Castella (Project ID : 649)

■ Group name

- 2023 Enrolled Humanities and Social Sciences I,II-15

■ The content of the punishment

- Publicizing the violation

■ The reason for the punishment

- Bringing in and using knives

■ Basis of provision

- Project Duties Paragraph 4 “Follow the instructions given by the Committee regarding the operation of the May Festival.”
- Manager Duties Paragraph 5 “Disseminate information from the Committee to all project members if necessary, and ensure that project members comply with regulations and instructions from the Committee.”

My Chocolate Banana (Project ID : 670)

■ Group name

- 2023 Enrolled Natural Sciences I-9

■ The content of the punishment

- Publicizing the violation

■ The reason for the punishment

- Bringing in and using knives

■ Basis of provision

- Project Duties Paragraph 4 “Follow the instructions given by the Committee regarding the operation of the May Festival.”
- Manager Duties Paragraph 5 “Disseminate information from the Committee to all project members if necessary, and ensure that project members comply with regulations and instructions from the Committee.”

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