## **Bathing Room Rules and Etiquette**

Opening Hours 6:00 - 9:30 / 15:00 - 25:00

Your card key is necessary in order to use the public bath. Please be sure to bring the correct one with you:

For the male bathing area, use a brown card key For the female bathing area, use a white card key

- Please note that the bathing area may be crowded at certain times of day. Thank you for your understanding.
- Please be sure to lock all valuables in the locker. Please note that we cannot accept responsibility for any theft, loss or damage incurred on these premises.
- Please remove any jewelry or accessories before entering the bath, as the hot spring minerals may change their appearance.
- Towels are not provided in the public bath. Please bring your towel from your guest room.
- Guests may wear dressing gowns and slippers to the public bath, however please refrain from wearing them in the lobby or restaurant areas.
- Please refrain from mixed bathing for children over 9 years old.
- We ask parents to make sure that their children keep the hot spring bathwater clean. Toilet facilities are located nearby.
- It may be dangerous for children to bathe alone. Children should be accompanied by a parent or guardian at all times.
- If you have any of the following, you are not permitted to use the bathing facilities :
  - 1. People who are wareing tattoos.\*
  - 2. Medical advice not to take hot baths or saunas.
  - 3. Any contagious disease.
  - 4. A heart-related medical condition.
  - 5. A skin-related condition.
  - 6. Permission is also refused if you are drunk or under the influence of alcohol.
  - Please refrain from using the bath if you have any of the symptoms below: Acute sickness (especially with high fever) / Active tuberculosis / Malignant tumor / Serious heart disease / Respiratory failure / Kidney dysfunction / Bleeding disorders / Severe anemia / Progressive diseases in general
  - \* Bathing is only possible when the tattoo can hide with two stickers. The tattoo cover stickers will be distributed for free at the entrance, so please tell us if you need any.

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Please take off your shoes / slippers and store them in the shoe boxes provided before entering the changing area. Additionally, before entering the bathing area please remove all clothing, including underwear, and place them in the lockers provided.



Please refrain from using hair dye or washing clothes in the bathing area.



Please do not bring food or drink into the bathing area.



Taking photos in the changing rooms or the bathroom is prohibited. Please do not bring any camera or camera-equipped device (e.g. a mobile phone or smartphone) into the changing room or bathroom area.



Foot bathing (i.e. wearing clothes while paddling) is not allowed.



Wearing bathing costumes / swimwear is prohibited.



Please wash your body and rinse off any soap bubbles before entering the bath-tub.



Please be careful not to spray other guests with hot water or soap while washing.



Please refrain from disturbing other guests (for example by running, jumping, splashing, swimming, shouting, etc)



Please be careful to keep your hair and towel out of the water in the bath-tub.



Please do not wash your hair or body in the bath-tub.



Please avoid taking a bath directly before or after eating. Also be aware that bathing while under the influence of alcohol is extremely dangerous.