

# Notice of closure for Sawajiri and Nagahama campsites

Sawajiri and Nagahama campsites have been used for free by visitors for a considerable time.

However, sadly we are announcing the discontinuation of all forms of camping at these sites.

**Effective from: 1/4/2020 (DD/MM/YYYY)**

## **The reasons for closure:**

- Recently, during holiday seasons in particular, the number of visitors and subsequent campers has increased drastically. This has led to an increase in campground refuse/litter and a disturbance for the local neighborhood. The natural wildlife/habitat must be preserved so that future generations of visitors and residents can enjoy the scenery at this designated park.
- Furthermore, it has been decided that a safe evacuation of these sites would be difficult to carry out in times of an emergency, such as heavy rainfall or tsunami.

## **After 1/4/2020:**

- These spaces can still be enjoyed as parks by visitors.
- Tako bay park family campsite (reservation and fee required) will still be open to visitors who wish to camp on the island.

Thank you for patronage of these campsites over the years.

We ask for your understanding and your cooperation.

Kozushima Island Village, Tokyo