

Letters from Nikko National Park

We will introduce you to the beautiful nature in Okunikko.
Listening birds chirping, take a deep breath in forest...They will give you a comfortable time.



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Yama tsutsuji Azaleas at Lake Chuzenji



Zumi (Malus toringo) at Senjogahara Marshland



*Kurinsou (Primula japonica)
at Shobugahama Beach*

● Nature

Yama tsutsuji Azaleas are at their best on the shores of Lake Chuzenji, and all over Chuzenji town. *Togoku mitsuba tsutsuji (Rhododendron wadanum)* at Ryuzu Falls is also blooming, but the volume is low.

This year seems to be a good year for *Zumi (Malus toringo)*, and it's at their best at Lake Chuzenji and Lake Sainoko. There are so many buds on the trees of *Zumi* in Senjogahara Marshland that even from a distance, the entire tree looks reddish. The air will be sweetly fragrant during the peak season. Flowering also has begun in areas such as Sanbonmatsu and Akanuma, and is expected to be in full bloom by early to mid-week next week.

The flowering of *Kurinsou (Primula japonica)* around Senjugahama Beach is progressing, but the numbers of flowers are still small.

