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NEWS RELEASE

UNIVERSAL STUDIOS JAPAN 25TH ANNIVERSARY “Let the one-time-only summer festivities begin!” “One Piece Premier Summer 2026”

Laugh, cry, and get super excited with the Straw Hat Crew! Let your emotions run free and feel liberated!

- ◇ Hancock and the Kuja Pirates join the fight! “One Piece Premier Show 2026”
- ◇ Be swept off your feet by Sanji’s hospitality again this year! “Sanji’s Pirate Restaurant”
- ◇ Super exciting adventure with Luffy and thrilling ride on “One Piece × Story Ride”

Coming Thursday July 30th to Thursday November 19th, 2026

Universal Studios Japan will host **“ONE PIECE Premier Summer 2026”**, its annual, highly popular limited-time event themed around the television anime “ONE PIECE” from **Thursday, July 30th to Thursday, November 19th, 2026**.

Celebrating its 25th anniversary, the Park is treating guests to a year of festive celebrations. This special 25th anniversary summer, fully immerse yourself in the world of “ONE PIECE” with the Super Exciting, Super Thrilling “ONE PIECE Premier Summer” event. Join the Straw Hat Crew as you laugh, cry, and have a blast, and enjoy a time to let your emotions run free!



■ All Three Popular Attractions Return in “One Piece Premier Summer 2026”!

These three wildly popular attractions with overwhelming quality and scale will be open this summer. A live entertainment show that sweeps the entire audience into “super-intense” excitement with “hyper-realistic” battles fought with all one’s might for the bonds and courage of the Straw Hat Crew, and for freedom and comradeship: **“One Piece Premier Show 2026”**. **“Sanji’s Pirate Restaurant,”** an entertainment restaurant where everyone’s heart flutters at Sanji’s ‘Mellorine!’ hospitality, and **“One Piece × Story Ride,”** a coaster where you are immersed in the story alongside Luffy and his crew and experience the thrill with your whole body.

■ Luffy and his crew fighting for their friends and freedom really gets the spirits going! Super Exciting Live Show, “One Piece Premier Show 2026”



Since its debut in 2007, the “One Piece Premier Show” has consistently earned high satisfaction ratings every year. **This year, the Kuja Pirates, led by Hancock, will face off against the Straw Hat Crew!** We’ll deliver an original story exclusive to the Park with the immersive realism only a live show can provide. Get ready for a heart-pounding experience where you’ll feel the Straw Hat Crew’s courage and bonds in “super-real” detail, get “super-excited” by the intense battles unfolding right before your eyes, and go “super-wild” during meet-and-greets that bring Luffy and the gang up close. Prepare to laugh, cry, and let your emotions run free in this thrilling adventure!

- Period: Thursday July 30th to Thursday November 19th, 2026. 1 show per day / total of 84 showings / Not showing some dates.
- Schedule: Doors open 6:15pm, Show start 6:45pm Length: approximately 80 minutes
- Location: WaterWorld



*Images shown are from past performances.

< “One Piece Premier Show 2026” Ticket Information >

- Price: Adults [12 and up]: From ¥3,000 (tax incl.)
Children [4 to 11]: From ¥2,000 (tax incl.)
- Sales: Universal Studios Japan Online Ticket Store, Lawson Ticket (online only)
- General Ticket Sales Begin: 12:00pm Wednesday June 10th, 2026
- Official Website: <https://www.usj.co.jp/web/ja/jp/events/onepiece/summer-2026/show>

Details regarding the pre-sale for holders of the Universal Prime Annual Pass Grand Royal will be announced on our official website on Friday, April 24th.

*Please note tickets will be sold in the following order: first to holders of the Universal Prime Annual Pass Grand Royal, followed by the Lawson Ticket pre-request period, and then general sales.

*All prices listed above are per person and apply to both advance and same-day tickets.

*Children 12 years old or younger who are still in elementary school qualify for the child rate. Children 3 years old or younger who do not require a seat may enter free of charge.

*Cost of Studio Pass (Park entry ticket) not included.

*Please check the official website for details regarding the event date and tickets.

Enjoy the finest French cuisine for the ladies! “Sanji's Pirate Restaurant” is open again this year!



The wildly popular live entertainment restaurant “Sanji's Pirate Restaurant” will open again this year. Sanji, the cook of the Straw Hat Crew, will welcome you with his signature passion. This year, Sanji has created a special menu designed to make the ladies, as beautiful as jewels, shine even brighter. With hungry Luffy and Zoro, plus characters connected to the Straw Hat Crew making an appearance, the restaurant is in a frenzy! Come and savor Sanji's exquisite French cuisine, prepared with love.

*“Sanji's Pirate Restaurant” will first be available for advance purchase by holders of the Universal Prime Annual Pass Grand Royal, followed by lottery-based ticket sales.

- Period: Thursday July 30th to Thursday November 19th, 2026. Each showing approximately 85 minutes in length. Tickets valid for one seating.
- Location: Lombard's Landing™



**Boat à Bijoux: Dedicated to the Ladies
“A Jewel Box of Love” (Meat)**



**Boat à Bijoux: Dedicated to the Ladies
“A Jewel Box of Love” (Fish)**



**Dedicated to the Ladies
Mellorine Love Sweets**

*Advance orders for the take-home sweets “Mellorine Love Sweets for Ladies” can only be placed when purchasing tickets for “Sanji's Pirate Restaurant.” Please note that these sweets will not be available for purchase on the day of the event.

*Quantities are limited. Sales will end once the quota for each session has been reached.

*Content is subject to change without notice.

<“Sanji's Pirate Restaurant” Ticket Information >

- Price: Adults [12 and up]: ¥7,000 (tax incl.)
Children [4 to 11]: ¥2,600 (tax incl.)
- Sales: Universal Studios Japan Online Ticket Store
- Purchase Method: Lottery based
- Applications Begin: 12:00pm Monday May 25th, 2026
- Official Website: <https://www.usj.co.jp/web/ja/jp/events/onepiece/summer-2026/sanji>

Details regarding the pre-sale for holders of the Universal Prime Annual Pass Grand Royal will be announced on our official website on Friday, April 24.

*Tickets for “Sanji's Pirate Restaurant” will be sold in the following order: first to holders of the Universal Prime Annual Pass Grand Royal, followed by a lottery, and then general sales.

*Please check the official website for details regarding the event date, show times, the lottery process, and tickets.

*Children under 12 who are still in elementary school are eligible for the child rate.

*Cost of Studio Pass (Park entry ticket) not included.

■ **Join a Super Exciting adventure with Luffy and gang on a thrilling ride experience!**

“One Piece × Story Ride”



The wildly popular ride attraction “Hollywood Dream - The Ride,” where guests can experience exhilarating thrills and a sense of freedom while listening to their favorite background music, is teaming up with “ONE PIECE”! Immerse yourself in an original adventure story with the Straw Hat Crew and enjoy this dynamic, thrilling coaster ride.

- Period: Thursday July 30th to Thursday November 19th, 2026
- Location: Hollywood Dream – The Ride
- Attraction Type: Story Ride

*Experience not available on “Hollywood Dream – The Ride – Backdrop”.

Stay tuned for more details on the attractions and restaurants at “One Piece Premier Summer 2026,” as well as the latest updates on original food and merchandise.

■ **“ONE PIECE” edition of “Universal VIP Experience Group Tour” makes debut!**

Led by a dedicated guide, the “Universal VIP Experience Group Tour” invites guests to enjoy the Park to the fullest without worrying about wait times for attractions. Two special VIP tours exclusive to “One Piece Premier Summer 2026” will be available. This is an exclusive, premium “super-exciting” experience for tour participants, inviting you to fully immerse yourself in the Park’s 25th anniversary festivities and the world of “ONE PIECE” that’s only available this summer.

“Universal VIP Experience Group Tour Featuring the 25th Anniversary Special ‘One Piece Premier Show’”

For a limited time this summer, the 25th Anniversary Special VIP Tour includes front-row S-class seats to the “One Piece Premier Show 2026”!

< Ticket Information >

- Price: Adults [12 and up] from ¥22,000 (tax incl.) / Children [4 to 11] from ¥20,500 (tax incl.)
- Available for purchase on Universal Studios Japan Online Ticket Store
- On Sale: From 12:00pm Thursday June 10th, 2026

*Children 12 years old or younger who are still in elementary school qualify for the child rate. Children 3 years old or younger who do not require a seat may enter free of charge.

*Cost of Studio Pass (Park entry ticket) not included.

*Please check the official website for details regarding tickets.

“Universal VIP Experience Group Tour: One Piece Premier Show & Sanji's Pirate Restaurant Set”

This complete tour package is a must for fans, offering not only the “One Piece Premier Show 2026” but also includes tickets to the wildly popular “Sanji's Pirate Restaurant”.

< Ticket Information >

- Price: Adults [12 and up] from ¥34,900 (tax incl.) / Children [4 to 11] from ¥32,900 (tax incl.)
- Available for purchase on Universal Studios Japan Online Ticket Store
- On Sale: From 12:00pm Tuesday June 7th, 2026

*Children 12 years old or younger who are still in elementary school qualify for the child rate. Children 3 years old or younger who do not require a seat may enter free of charge.

*Cost of Studio Pass (Park entry ticket) not included.

*Please check the official website for details regarding tickets.

<About “ONE PIECE”>

Authored by Eiichiro Oda. The series began serialization in the July 22, 1997, issue (No. 34) of “Weekly Shonen Jump” and will celebrate its 25th anniversary in July 2022. Volume 1 of the manga was released on December 24, 1997. The first print run of Volume 57, released on March 4, 2010, set a record (at the time) for the highest first-print run in Japanese publishing history at 3 million copies, a record that remains unsurpassed to this day. Volume 67, released on August 3, 2012, broke its own record with a first-print run of 4.05 million copies. As of March 4, 2026, the worldwide cumulative circulation of the manga series has exceeded 600 million copies (with over 450 million copies sold in Japan and over 150 million copies sold overseas). The TV anime series began airing on the Fuji TV network in 1999 and celebrated its 25th anniversary in 2024. The Elbaph arc began airing on April 5, 2026. The live action-drama series “ONE PIECE”, exclusively streaming worldwide on Netflix, began streaming Season 2 on March 10, 2026.

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About Universal Studios Japan

Universal Studios Japan is wholly owned by Comcast NBCUniversal. Universal Studios Japan, located in Osaka Japan, has succeeded in establishing its position as a prominent entertainment and leisure landmark – drawing many guests from Japan as well as overseas. The park offers some of the world’s most exciting and innovative experiences – high quality attractions, shows, and seasonal events based on Hollywood blockbusters, Japanese anime and entertainment brands popular around the globe. Guests can let loose and enjoy unforgettable, super energetic experiences throughout the park. Universal Studios Japan has continued to evolve since its opening in 2001. It most recently launched SUPER NINTENDO WORLD, where guests can unleash their passion to play in an immersive environment based on iconic Nintendo characters and their worlds. It also offers premier entertainment experiences such as the magical The Wizarding World of Harry Potter featuring Harry Potter and the Forbidden Journey, the breathtaking Jurassic Park area with its state-of-the-art Flying Dinosaur coaster, and Minion Park, where guests will encounter Minions causing mischief on Despicable Me Minion Mayhem, had undergone a major expansion in 2025. In 2026, to commemorate the Park’s 25th Anniversary, new “Discover U!!!” program will inspire guests to discover a new version of themselves through the power of the theme park’s entertainment.

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