

Japanese traditional performing arts
"Edo-Daikagura"

Senmaru

What is "Edo-Daikagura"?

Senmaru is a performer of "Edo-Daikagura". "Edo" is an old name of Tokyo. "Daikagura", it is very difficult to explain it. Don't worry. Don't think. Feel! Reportedly, the original purpose of Daikagura was to serve as a talisman for the people, chasing away evil on behalf of Jingu (the grand Shintoism shrines). Thus, Daikagura was originally a very sacred and serious performance. Today, the performance is becoming people's entertainment. Senmaru wears a "kimono" and performs Japanese traditional tricks. Don't blink. It's amazing!!!



Overview of the Performances

Kasa-no-kyoku

Teacup, metal ring, ball, square wooden measuring box and various other objects are spun around on the top of an umbrella.

Gokaijawan-no-kyoku

Five-storied teacups. Teacups are stacked up to the left and right on a pole, which is balanced vertically on the performer's face.

Dobin-no-kyoku

Juggling with a Japanese tea pot and a mouth stick.

Hanakagomari-no-kyoku

Juggling with balls and a decorated bamboo basket.

Mizukumoi-no-kyoku

A rice bowl is spun around on the end of a long pole, until... Watch out for spills!



Career Highlights

Theatre

Yumé - Flug durch Träume: ein japanisches Kaleidoskop, Germany, Zürich Switzerland & Wien Austria

Varieté am Bodensee, Lauterach Austria

GOP Varieté-Theater Bad Oeynhausen, Germany

GOP Varieté-Theater Hannover, Germany

GOP Varieté-Theater Essen, Germany

GOP Varieté-Theater München, Germany

GOP Varieté-Theater Münster, Germany

Krystallpalast Varieté Leipzig, Germany

National Engei Hall, Tokyo Japan

TV

The Late Late Show, RTÉ Ireland

Das Supertalent, RTL Germany

Italia's Got Talent (finalist), TV8 Italy

Festivals

Street Performance World Championship, Dublin Ireland

Elemental Festival, Limerick Ireland

Glastonbury Festival, UK

Mintfest, Kendal UK

British Juggling Convention Public Show, Doncaster UK

Streets Ahead, Liverpool UK

Sementes - Mostra Internacional de Artes para o Pequeno Público, Almada Portugal

FETEN, Gijón Spain

Festival Internacional de Teatre de Carrer, Vila-real Spain

Festival Internacional de Teatro y Artes de Calle (TAC), Valladolid Spain

Festival Internacional de Teatro de Calle de Alcorcón (FITCA), Spain

Mostra de Teatro da Rua, Orense Spain

Jornadas de Teatro de Calle, Avilés Spain

Ar.ca. Festival De Artes De Calle De Aguilar, Aguilar de Campoo Spain

Aste Nagusia, Bilbao Spain

Teatro en la calle, Salamanca Spain

Fiestas de San Isidro, Madrid Spain

Festa Major, Terrassa Spain

Fira de Circ al Carrer, La Bisbal Spain

Fiestas de San Mateo, Logroño Spain

Mostra de Teatre Jove Butaka, Olesa Spain

Festival Internacional de Teatro, Molina Spain

Festa Major, Parets del Vallès Spain

Festival dos Abrazos, Santiago de Compostela Spain

Festival de les Arts al Carrer, Gandia Spain

Festival Internacional de Teatro, Cazorla Spain

Festival Medieval d'Elx, Elche Spain
MANGAMORE, Amorebieta-Etxano Spain
Bamberg zaubert, Germany
Kleines Fest im Großen Garten, Hannover Germany
Kleines Fest im grossen Kurpark, Bad Pyrmont Germany
Internationale Kulturbörse Freiburg (Varieté-Abend), Germany
Schloßfest, Güstrow Germany
Duckstein Festivals, Hamburg, Kiel & Binz Germany
Gaukler-festival, Koblenz Germany
Pflasterzauber, Hildesheim Germany
Buskers Bern, Switzerland
Spettacolo, Brunnen Switzerland
Lugano Buskers Festival, Switzerland
Gauklerfest Interlaken, Switzerland
Pflasterspektakel, Linz Austria
Straßenkunstfestival, Villach Austria
OLALA, Lienz Austria
Rotterdams Straatfestival, Netherlands
The Perfect Pitch Onderstroom, Vlissingen Netherlands
Del Mundo, Maasmechelen Belgium
De Gevleugelde Stad Ieper, Belgium
Premio Andersen Festival, Sestri Levante (GE) Italy
Artisti in Piazza, Pennabilli (PU) Italy
Il Teatro che Cammina, Castel San Pietro Terme (BO) Italy
Strade del Mondo, Varese Italy
Ottocento Festival, Saludecio (RN) Italy
Immaginia, San Valentino in A.C. (PE) Italy
Artisti di Strada Festa di Santa Croce, Savignano Italy
A Teramo si incontra il mondo, Teramo Italy
Ratataplan, Lessona Italy
Teatro del Mare, Roseto degli Abruzzi (TE), Francavilla al Mare (CH) & San Salvo (CH) Italy
La Luna nel Pozzo, Caorle (VE) Italy
Voilà, Pedavena (BL) Italy
Saonara Street Festival, Saonara (PD) Italy
La Terra dei Buskers, Ostuni (BR) Italy
Veregra Street Festival, Montegrano (AP) Italy
Castellarte, Mercogliano (AV) Italy
Strabilandia, Bellizzi (SA) Italy
Festa del Borgo Antico, Corato Italy
Pie descalsi, Vascon (TV) Italy
Tutti Matti per Colorno, Colorno (PR) Italy
Chietinstrada Buskers Festival, Chieti Italy
Il Borgo Incantato, Gerace (RC) Italy
Festival dei Cinque Continenti, Italy
StraVaganti, Italy

Magie al Borgo, Costa di Mezzate Italy
Convention di Giocoleria della Brianza Gran Galà, Imbersago (LC) Italy
La Notte delle Streghe, San Giovanni in Marignano (RN) Italy
fasti Verolani, Veroli (FR) Italy
Il paese dei Balocchi, Rosignano Marittimo (LI) Italy
Santa Sofia Buskers Festival, Corniolo, Santa Sofia (FC) Italy
Castellaro Buskers Festival, Castellaro Lagusello (MN) Italy
Bajocco Festival, Albano Laziale (RM) Italy
La Luna nel Pozzo, Caorle (VE) Italy
Ana Desetnica, Ljubljana Slovenia
Festival Lent, Maribor Slovenia
Cest is d'Best, Zagreb Croatia
BuskerBus, Oleśnica, Wrocław, Legnica, Zielona Góra & Zgorzelec Poland
K-Town Family Funfest, Khartoum Sudan
Dubai Fringe Festival, UAE
World Street Festival in Global Village, Dubai UAE
Sharjah Food Festival, UAE
Singapore River Busker's Festival, Singapore
Sentosa Buskers Festival, Singapore
KL International Buskers' Festival, Malaysia
Bangkok Street Show, Thailand
The Em District Japan Week, Bangkok Thailand
World Buskers Festival, Christchurch New Zealand
Fringe Street Theatre Festival, Adelaide Australia
Fremantle Street Arts Festival, Australia
Downtown Denver international buskerfest, USA
Sparks St. Mall Ottawa Busker Festival, Canada
Halifax International Buskers Festival, Canada
Orangeville's Busker Streetfest, Canada
Montreal Just for Laughs festival, Canada
Vancouver international comedy festival, Canada
London Fringe Festival, Canada
Toronto's BuskerFest, Canada
Festival Internacional Cervantino, Guanajuato Mexico
Festival Internacional de Teatro, Manizales Colombia
Festival Internacional de Teatro Infantil do Ceará (TIC), Fortaleza Brazil

Senmaru has performed in...

Ireland, UK, Portugal, Spain, France, Germany, Switzerland, Austria, Netherlands, Belgium, Italy, Slovenia, Croatia, Poland, Sudan, Kuwait, Qatar, UAE, Hong Kong, Singapore, Malaysia, Thailand, New Zealand, Australia, South Korea, USA, Canada, Mexico, Trinidad and Tobago, Chile, Colombia, Ecuador, Brazil, Japan, etc...