Setouchi Shimanami Kaido

A trip where you can enjoy interaction with locals and gain new inspirations
Shimanami Kaido Cycling

“Setouchi Shimanami Kaido”, connecting the islands of the Seto Inland Sea between Onomichi City in Hiroshima Pref. and Imabari City in Ehime Pref. across nine bridges, is famed as a “Cyclists’ Sanctuary” and attracts many domestic and overseas bicycle enthusiasts alike. In 2014, the Shimanami Kaido concluded a Sister Cycling Road Agreement with “Sun Moon Lake Cycling Course” in Taiwan. A monument to the Cyclists’ Sanctuary is located in the Michi-no-Eki Tatara Shimanami Park (Omishima, Imabari City)

Furthermore the cycle tourism centered on the cyclists' sanctuary “Setouchi Shimanami Kaido” received the Grand Prize of the 2016 “Sports Culture Tourism Award” from the Japan Sports Agency in cooperation with the Agency for Cultural Affairs and the Japan Tourism Agency.

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