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暑さが続くと、ひんやりとした秋を待ち遠しく感じる人も多いと思いま す。そして寒い冬がくると、春の陽気を心待ちにする人も。私たちは、夏が来 ると冷たい地元のビール(またはアイスティー)、バーベキュー、ビーチやア ウトドアが楽しみとなります。ですが、遊んでばかりもいられません。現在、 私たちはNPO法人設立に向けて、新しいチームと新しいコンテンツの準備 を進めています。きっと読者の皆さんにも気に入っていただけると思いま す。もうしばらくお待ちを.....

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働く内容や働き方を多様に選択できる現代。さらなる仕事のやりがい を求めて、起業を志す人も増えている。今回取材した、日吉でグルメバーガ 一店を経営する「MADE IN HANDS」オーナーの阿部和彦も、異業種から飲 食業界へ参入し、起業した一人だ。

阿部は筑波大学大学院を卒業後、大手外資系コンサルティング会社に 就職した。そこではクライアント企業のITを活用した業務内容の効率化や、 グローバル展開のサポートなど、幅広い分野で実務経験を積んだ。しかし 彼は、社会の仕組みを広く知ることができる企業でしばらく学んだのち、独 立して飲食店を開業するというロードマップを最初から決めていた。順風 満帆に見えるキャリアだが、辞める決断に迷いはなかったと話す。何が彼を そこまで惹きつけたのか聞いてみると、シンプルな答えが返ってきた。大学 時代、一人暮らしがきっかけで料理をするようになった阿部は、仲間を呼ん で料理の腕をふるまう機会を重ねるうちに、人に喜んでもらう楽しさと、そ の奥深さにどんどんはまっていったという。

独立後は、ジャンルを決めた「専門店」を開きたいと思いながらも、何を 扱う店にするかずっと未定だった。居酒屋やビストロだと、肉・魚・野菜など 幅広い食材を扱うことになり、一人で調理するには工程が複雑だ。そして 材料が余れば食品ロスのリスクが高まる。それは昔、居酒屋でアルバイトを

In today's rapidly changing world, many people who have traditionally stayed in their present jobs for a long time have suddenly made changes in their work in search of a more rewarding life. Kazuhiko Abe is one such person. He is the owner of Made in Hands, a gourmet burger shop in Hiyoshi.

After graduating from the University of Tsukuba Graduate School, Abe received a position at a major foreign consulting firm. There, he gained practical experience in a wide range of areas, including improving the efficiency of client companies' IT-based operations and supporting their global expansion. However, he had decided from the beginning that his life roadmap would be to open his own restaurant after studying in a company that would give him a broader view of the world. Although his career appeared to be forward-looking, he says he had no doubts about his plan to quit. When I asked why this new path appealed to him, he gave me a simple answer. While at university, Abe invited friends over to share his cooking skills, and with these experiences he became more and more enthusiastic about the joy of making people happy



しながら日々感じていた事だった。しかし、バリエーションが少なすぎると 店としての面白さに欠けるので、アンテナを張りながら可能性を探る日々 は続いた。転機が訪れたのは社会人3年目のある日、業務が忙しく昼食を 食べ損ねた状態で街を歩いていた時のこと。中途半端な時間帯で開いて いる店が少なく、たまたま入ったのがグルメバーガーの店だった。それまで グルメバーガーという存在は知っていたが、食べるのは初めてだった阿部 は、予想をはるかに越える味わいと、その食べ応えに衝撃を受けたという。 バーガーは肉、パン、野菜という基本的な食材は共通しているが、ソースや チーズ、ベーコンなど挟む具材を変えれば、風味が変化し別のメニューに なる。その時、「自分が求めていた商材は、まさにこれなのでは?」と感じた と語る。

退職後は都内のグルメバーガー店で修業しながら、休みの日にさまざ まな店を食べ歩き研究を重ね、2016年9月に念願の店をオープンした。店 名の通り、パンも粉から手づくりで毎日焼いており、ベーコンも手間暇かけ て熟成させている。パテはビーフ100%を使用、そこに秘伝のソースが添え られている。

まるで自分自身をコンサルティングするように、ゼロから店をプロデュ ースしていく作業は、阿部のようなこだわり派の人間には心が躍るプロセ スに違いない。前職で多くの企業と関わって得た知識も、今に生きているだ ろう。客のニーズをいち早く把握しメニューに生かしながら、新しい味の研 究にも貪欲だ。「MADE IN HANDS」をひとたび訪れたら、阿部の思いが込 められたハンバーガーを通じて、ワクワクするような体験があなたを待って いることだろう。

and their deep appreciation for his homemade food.

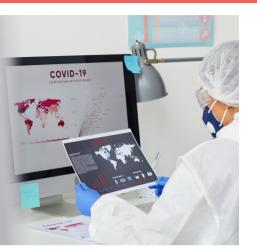
Abe ventured to open a "specialty restaurant" with a specific food genre, but he had always been undecided about what to serve. An izakaya (Japanese-style pub) or bistro would require handling a wide range of ingredients, such as meat, fish, and vegetables, and the cooking process would be too complicated for one person, he thought. Furthermore, Abe was worried about the surplus of ingredients and the risk of food loss. "This was something that concerned me every day while working part-time at an izakaya," he recalled. However, if there were too few variations, the restaurant would lack appeal, so he continued to search for possibilities with eager eyes. The turning point came one day during his third year at the company during his lunch break. Having missed the normal lunch time break, Abe noticed that many of the usual restaurants were already closed. He finally stumbled into a gourmet burger joint. Although he had heard of gourmet burgers before, this was the first time for Abe to actually eat at such a shop. The basic ingredients of a burger are usually the same: meat, bread, and vegetables and yet, Abe was mesmerized by this shopjust changing the sauce, cheese, bacon, or other ingredients of the burger. It became a whole new culinary experience. At that time, he felt that this was exactly the kind of product he was looking for.

After resigning from his job, Abe trained at a gourmet burger restaurant in Tokyo and spent his days off eating and researching various restaurants before opening the restaurant of his dreams in September 2016. As the name of the restaurant suggests, the bread is handmade from flour and baked daily. The bacon is aged with a lot of time and care and the patties are made from 100% beef and are served topped with a secret sauce.

The process of establishing a restaurant from scratch must be an exciting one for someone as particular as Abe. The knowledge he gained from working in various job environments is still very much present today. He is quick to understand his customer's wishes and apply them to his menu, and at the same time exploring his own quest for new menu variations. Made in Hands is sure to offer customers exactly the appeal and excitement Abe instills in his own recipes.

Covid Update

It has been a difficult few years, but experts are finally looking past the vagaries of numbers which continue to rise and fall in pockets, and to start planning a return to normalcy in a post-pandemic world.



For well over two years, the coronavirus pandemic has colored our lives. Our work environments, vacations, schools and every social occasion have all had to take the most damaging global health crisis in more than a century into consideration.

Today, however, aggressive vaccine programs coupled with a majority of the public heeding common-sense precautions mean that the crisis appears to have peaked in most advanced economies. Here in Yokohama, that is visible in far larger crowds at Yokohama Stadium for DeNA Bay Stars baseball games, the bars in the backstreets of Noge being once again packed, and far more people looking forward to an overseas vacation this summer.

One of Japan's leading epidemiologists says the next stage in the virus' cycle is for it to "settle" into the human population and for the public to accept that while the coronavirus may never be eliminated entirely and that occasional

flare-ups are likely, we need to be of the mindset that it is just another virus that is out there.

Taro Yamamoto, a professor of international health at the Institute of Tropical Medicine at Nagasaki University, said in a recent interview with the Mainichi newspaper that much of the world has already acquired herd immunity, coronavirus is fading into "just one of many infectious diseases", and he points out that viruses can even disappear from human society in time.

Japan was reporting around 15,000 cases a day in late June, down significantly from a peak of slightly above 100,000 new infections a day in early February. And the "conclusion" to the crisis phase of the outbreak is on the horizon, he said.

"We are entering a process of recognizing that the disease and the virus that causes it is not something that can be eliminated but is 'something that exists in society'," he said. "I think that recognition is the 'conclusion,' because the coronavirus changes from being a special disease into a regular one."

Yamamoto insists the stringent restrictions imposed in the very early stages of the health crisis were appropriate as not enough was known about the new virus and that failing to introduce measures could have led to medical facilities being overwhelmed. Japan recorded relatively fewer deaths than many other countries, although he admits there was a price to be paid in terms of economic and social activity.

And he predicts that in one generation's time, people will be infected with the virus as infants and obtain immunity.

"And as those infants grow up and become adults, they will be infected several times," he said. "And when they are adults, I think it will become an illness that doesn't result in particularly severe symptoms."

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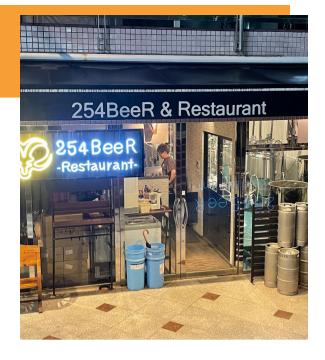
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近年、日本では野生鳥獣肉(「ジビエ」フランス語のgibierに由来)の 料理がちょっとしたブームになっており、猪肉や鹿肉はもはや珍しいもの ではない。また、馬は野生というわけではないが、馬肉は長野県や熊本 県では古くから一般的な食材として親しまれている。2017年から2020 年にかけて、馬肉に特化した「29BY」というブルーパブが吉田町にあっ た。しかし建物の老朽化により、2021年に移転を余儀なくされた。現在は 「254BeeR & Restaurant」へと名前を変え、東横線白楽駅の東口から徒 歩1分の場所にある新しい場所で、席数30、キッチンとビール醸造設備が 揃ったおしゃれな店として存在感を放っている。

醸造責任者の五条芳範は「横浜ビール」出身。254BeeR & Restaurant を運営する株式会社N-1の代表取締役、松本大輔とは長年一緒にパート ナーとして仕事してきた仲で、同社は野毛町で2店舗飲食店を経営してい る。メニューには馬肉の刺身、燻製、グリルなどがずらりと並んでいる。ま た、北海道産や東北産の鹿肉、冬場には野生の猪肉も。ジビエ以外にも 多数の料理があり、肉食好きにはたまらない。馬刺し盛り合わせなどメイ ン料理の平均は1,450円ほどだ。

五條は独創的で、さまざまなアイデアを持つブルワーだ。先日のビー ルのラインナップは、ドライホップされたセゾン、甘夏サワー、アンバーエ ール、ペールエール、IPA2種や、オーストラリア産のゲストビール2種。全品 スモール(260ml) またはレギュラー(350ml) サイズから選べ、750円から 900円で楽しめる。アルコール度数が高すぎるものやホップの風味が強す ぎるようなビールはなく、すべて料理と楽しめるような満足感のあるビー ルが提供されている。ビールを仕込むとき、事前に計画せずに心の赴くま ま、その豊富な経験と「こんなビールが飲みたい」という欲求に従って直 感的に醸造すると五條は明かしてくれた。

スタイリッシュな店内には、角のムフロン羊をモチーフとしたデザイ ンが各所に飾られていることに気づく。このデザインは、店名の「254」に も表されているが、2人が同じ昭和54年(1979年)の未(羊)年生まれであ ることにちなんだものだそうだ。未年生まれの人は(筆者もその一人だ が)、この囲いのなかでは家にいるかのようにくつろいでしまうことだろ う。



A recent mini-boom in wild game meat (jibie, from the French qibier) has hit Japan, and boar and venison are no longer rarities on a menu. While horses are hardly wild, horse meat has been popular in Nagano and Kumamoto for centuries. From 2017 to 2020, a brewpub called 29BY specializing in horse meat was a fixture in Yoshida-machi, but the deterioration of the building forced a move to suburban Hakuraku in 2021. Its sparkling new location, just minutes from the east exit of the Toyoko Line station, features a modern brewery and kitchen and room for 30 quests.

Brewmaster Yoshinori Gojo, an alumnus of Yokohama Beer, and CEO Daisuke Matsumoto have partnered this enterprise for years, with two sister bars in Noge-cho. The menu features every permutation of raw, cured, and grilled horsemeat, but has expanded to include venison from Hokkaido and Tohoku, plus wild boar in winter. There are plenty of more conventional dishes on offer, though directed mainly at carnivores. Main courses average ¥1450.

Gojo is an inventive and versatile brewer. Recently one could choose among dry hopped saison, amanatsu sour, amber, and pale ale, as well as two IPAs and two Australian guest beers. All come in small (260ml) or regular (350ml) glasses, priced at ¥750 and ¥900 respectively. None are excessively strong or over-hopped; all are satisfying. The mercurial Gojo freely admits that he doesn't plan ahead but brews on impulse, based on his long experience and what he wants to drink.

The restaurant is festooned with images of mouflon rams, their curving horns incorporated into Matsumoto's stylish design. The sheep motif also explains the name 254: the two men were born in Showa 54 (1979), the Year of the Sheep. All fellow bovidae (I am one) will feel right at home in this corral!







元町公園弓道場

Motomachi Park **Archery Club**

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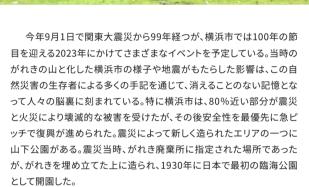
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山下公園の上方に位置する山手エリア、中でも元町公園周辺は勾 配のある散歩道が多く、多くの外国人の別荘が倒壊した。この地域を再 建する目的で、公園の最も低い場所に1931年(昭和6年)元町公園弓道 場が誕生した。山手本通りに点在する西洋風の建造物や外国人墓地に 囲まれた地域に目を奪われ、この弓道場や元町公園プール(1930年建 造)には気づかない人もいるかもしれない。

弓道を極めるための弓道場として建設され、稽古(練習)場としては 関東地区で当時最大の規模となった。取材のため訪れると、管理責任者 の久間倉一男氏(弓道四段)が弓道場の歴史について教えてくれた。久 間倉氏によると、元町公園弓道場は戦後占領により1953年まで使用禁 止となった。最初の木造の道場は1945年5月29日の空襲を免れ、1970 年まで現存していたが、その後、改築され現在に至る。久間倉氏は、古く から伝わる弓道の技を覚えたいと門を叩く人々を迎えてくれる。初心者 は、月2回金曜日もしくは土曜日、全10回(5,000円)の初心者講習に参 加可能だ。通常、初心者講習会を修了したあとは、それぞれの会に入会 し修練を積んでいく。経験を積んでいくうち、自分の弓矢と袴を購入する 人も多い。

元町弓道場は9:00-17:00開館。(第三月曜日、祝日休館)指導は日 本語のみで行われる。



The Great Kanto Earthquake approaches 99 years on the first of September and already the city is planning events to mark the centennial throughout 2023. Through the many writings recorded by survivors of this natural disaster, the devastation and aftermath of this day left an indelible stamp on their memory. Particularly in Yokohama, where nearly 80% of the city was destroyed by the quake and ensuing fires, rebuilding the city quickly with an attention to safety became the priority of the local government. One new area that was a result of the earthquake is Yamashita Park-the site was selected as the disposal site for the rubble and was completed as Japan's first seaside park in 1930.

Above Yamashita Park in the Yamate area, many foreigners' large summer homes also collapsed, in particular, the area around Motomachi Park with its many pathways descending the hillside. Rebuilding this area gave birth to the Motomachi Park Archery Club in 1931 at the very bottom of the park. Sightseeing around the surrounding Western-style homes and the Foreigner's General Cemetery dotting Yamate-dori, one might miss this archery club or even the Motomachi Pool (1930).

Originally built for a small group of archery specialists, the *dojo* (martial arts training hall) soon became one of the largest in the Kanto area. On my visit to the club I was greeted by the current director, Kazuo Kumakura, a fourth-*dan* (fourth degree, out of nine) archer. He recalls that although the club began with strong membership, soon after the war it was closed until 1953 during the occupation. Avoiding the fire-bombings of May 29, 1945, the first wooden structure survived until 1970, when it was replaced by the current administrative offices. Kumakura greets archery enthusiasts who are interested in learning this ancient martial art. Beginners may start by attending a preliminary course held either on Fridays or Saturdays, twice a month, for a total of ten lessons (¥5000 total). Usually beginners continue these preliminary lessons for several years before they embark on their own private

lessons. Advanced archers who pursue lessons tend to buy their own equipment and *hakama* (robe).

Motomachi Park Archery Club is open everyday from $9:00\sim17:00$ except on the third Monday of every month and holidays. Lessons are held in Japanese only.





写真の力 THE POWER OF PHOTOS

Text by Hisao Saito Photos by Jumpei Kawasaki

「良い写真」と聞いた時、どんな写真を思い浮かべるでしょうか。綺 麗に写っている写真、かっこいい写真、センスの良い写真などなど。

ある幼い女の子とのエピソードをご紹介します。

女の子は、度の厚いメガネを掛け、歯に矯正器具を付けていて、お 世辞にも「かわいい」とか「綺麗」というお顔立ちとはいえませんでした。 でも女の子の目はキラキラしていて、そしていつもニコニコしていると ても愛らしい子でした。その日、女の子はサイドボードに飾ってあった1 枚の写真を、私に見せてくれました。とても美しい若い女性のポートレ イト。

「私のひいおばあちゃんの写真なの」と、その子は教えてくれまし た。

「私も大きくなったら、ひいおばあちゃんみたいに綺麗になるんだ」 と、とても幸せそうに話してくれました。

50年前の写真が時を超えて、女の子へ前向きに生きる活力を授け たのです。良い写真は、将来への指針となり未来への希望を生み出す 力を持っています。

When you hear, "That's a great photo," what comes to mind? A photo that was beautifully taken? One that strikes you as cool? One with flair?

Let me share with you an anecdote involving a little girl.

A girl wearing Coke-bottle glasses and braces on her teeth generally wouldn't be called "cute" or "beautiful" in flattery. But this girl's eyes were always twinkling, and she never failed to have a smile. Hence, she was quite adorable. One day, this girl showed me a photo on a sideboard. It was a portrait of a very beautiful young woman.

"This is a photo of my great-grandmother," she told me. "When I grow up, I'll be as beautiful as her," she said with great joy.

This photograph taken 50 years ago had instilled in her a positive outlook on her life to come. Good photos, I would tell you, have this power to shape and create hope for the future.







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7artscafe is a cultural hub for traditional and modern arts, signature drinks and health-conscious food located in Yokohama, JAPAN.

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トウモロコシ1本(芯					
ハラペーニョ	1本(スライス)				
バター	30				
チェダーチーズ (シュレッド)	50				
パクチー					
ケイジャンスパイス	適量				
塩適量(スパイスにも塩が入って	るので少なめでOK)				
ケイジャンスパイス					
パプリカパウダー	20g				
クミンパウダー	5				
チリパウダー	108				
コリアンダーパウダー					
オニオンパウダー	10				
オレガノ	38				
ブラックペッパー	5				
塩	5				

jataperio (sticeu)						
butter						
cheddar cheese (shredded)50g						
coriander to taste						
Cajun spice to taste						
salt (spices also contain salt, so a small amount is OK) to taste						
Cajun Spice						
paprika powder20g						
cumin powder5g						
chili powder10g						
coriander powder3g						
onion powder10g						
oregano3g						
black pepper5g						
salt5g						

corn (remove corn from cob).....1 ear

- スパイス類を混ぜ合わせる
- スキレット(なければ耐熱のココットでOK)を火にかけバターを
- 2にトウモロコシとスパイスを加え、軽く炒めて塩で味を整える
- 3にハラペーニョとチーズを順にのせ、オーブンでチーズが溶ける まで焼く

- Heat skillet (or use a heat-resistant cocotte) and add butter.
- Add corn and spice mix. Fry lightly and season with salt.

