

Juntos!! Japan-Latin America and the Caribbean Exchange Outbound Program Peru Report

Theme: Promote sportsmanship, emotion, and camaraderie, through the "Confraternities": where the Pan American Nikkei will unite under the waving of a single flag, that of Friendship and Unity

1. Program Overview

We aim to show the emphasis on cooperation with the Nikkei community by sending Japanese students and adults to the Nikkei sports festival (Confraternidad Deportiva Internacional Nikkei, CONFRA) held in February, 2025.

Participants: Total: 5 Japanese undergraduate students and an adult

Location: Lima, Republic of Peru

2. Program Schedule

Pre-study Program (online)

Friday, December 20, 2024	- Pre- departure Orientations
Friday, January 17, 2025	

Inbound Program

Wednesday, February 5, 2025	- Arrival at Jorge Chavez International Airport in Lima
Thursday, February 6, 2025	- Orientation: Facilitated Dialogue Session by AFS Peru Office - Courtesy Call: Japanese Embassy - Sightseeing in the capital area - Visit to House of Representatives
Friday, February 7, 2025	- Confraternidad Deportiva Internacional Nikkei (CONFRA) - Reception at Japan Ambassador Residency - Opening Ceremony
Saturday, February 8, 2025	- Full day of Confraternidad Deportiva Internacional Nikkei (CONFRA)
Sunday, February 9, 2025	- Confraternidad Deportiva Internacional Nikkei (CONFRA) - Awards and Farewell ceremony
Monday, February 10, 2025	- Departure from Jorge Chavez International Airport in Lima

3. Program Photos



2/5 Arrival at Jorge Chavez International Airport in Lima



2/6 AFS Facilitated Dialogue Session



2/6 Courtesy Call: Japanese Embassy



2/6 Sightseeing in the capital area



2/7 Confraternidad Deportiva Internacional Nikkei (CONFRA)



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2/8 Confraternidad Deportiva Internacional Nikkei (CONFRA)



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2/9 Confraternidad Deportiva Internacional Nikkei (CONFRA)



2/10 Awards and Farewell ceremony

4. Voices from Participants (excerpt)

"The Juntos! program is possible thanks to the support of many people, and on behalf of all the student participants, I would like to thank them all"

"Thank you for your repeated support and replies even before the Juntos! program's overseas deployment. Thank you so much for not only providing interpretation but also distributing T-shirts and Wi-Fi during the overseas deployment. Thank you very much for your support on-site"

"I will cherish the valuable perspectives, experiences, knowledge, and connections I gained locally, and use them in my future activities"

5. Voices from the Receiving Parties (excerpt)


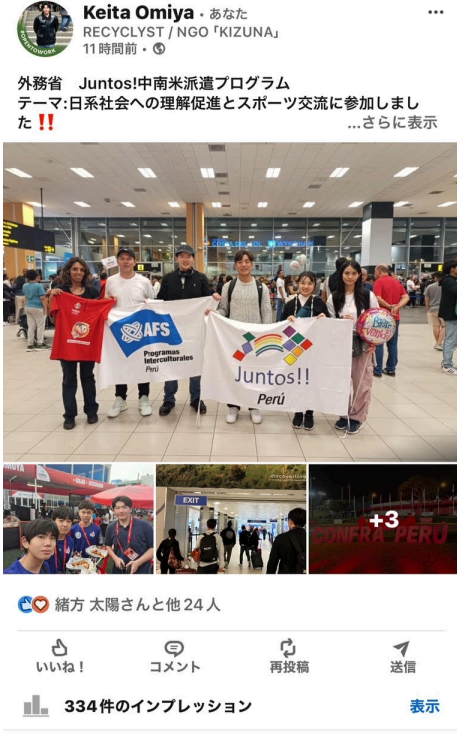
“To our Pan American nikkei brothers and sisters, thank you so much for joining us on these four unforgettable days, full of excitement, sportsmanship, camaraderie, and above all... LOTS OF KIMOCCHI! ♥”

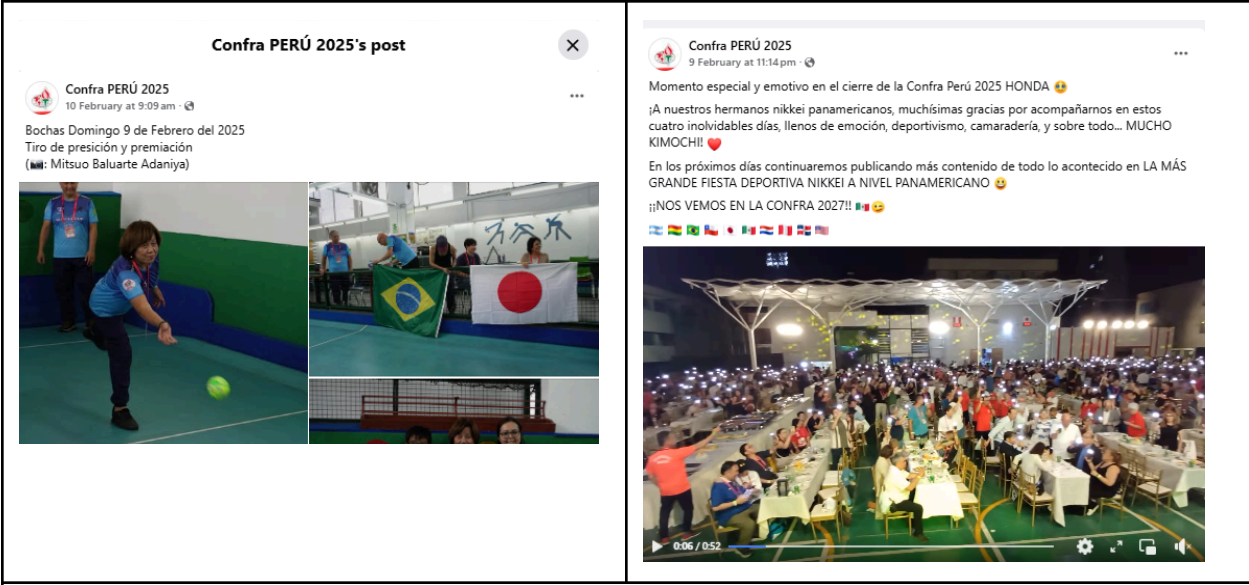
AELU (Asociación Estadio La Unión)

“Sport brings together in Peru brings together big NIKKEI international family With great joy and excitement, and highlighting the traditions of Peru and Japan, the XXVI Nikkei Peru 2025 International Sports Confraternity was inaugurated, bringing together more than 1,500 athletes from 10 countries in the Americas and Japan in the AELU club.”

IPD - Instituto Peruano de Deporte

6. Disseminations by the participants, News reports, etc.

 <p>Participants' Instagram</p>	 <p>Participants' LinkedIn</p>
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Facebook post: Confra PERÚ 2025 official page

Implementation agency: AFS