

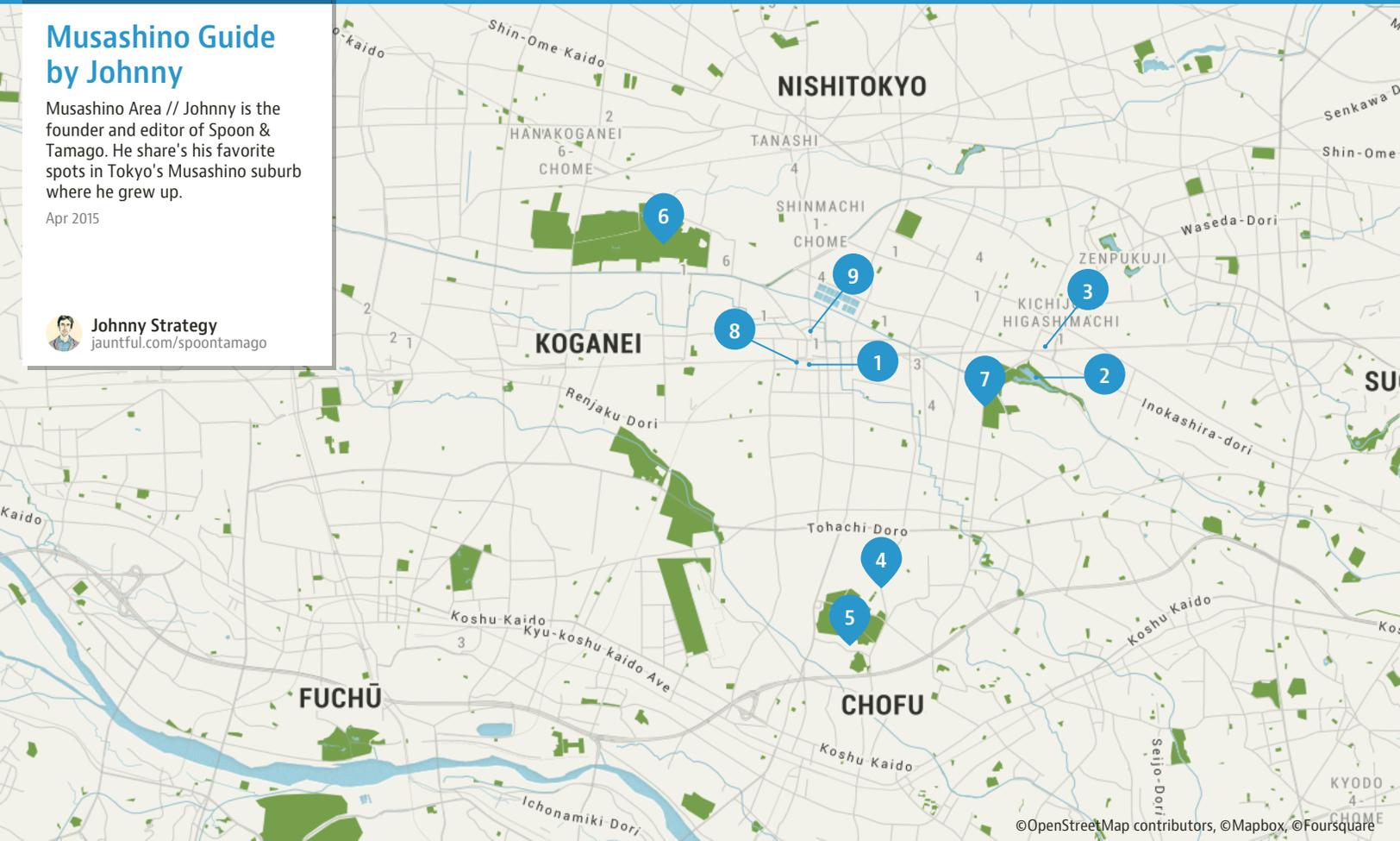
Musashino Guide by Johnny

Musashino Area // Johnny is the founder and editor of Spoon & Tamago. He share's his favorite spots in Tokyo's Musashino suburb where he grew up.

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武蔵野プレイス

Community Center

Musashino Place functions primarily as a library but it also has a cafe that serves a great breakfast. It was designed by kw+hg architects.

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Jindai-ji Temple (深大寺)

Buddhist Temple

The Jindaiji Temple / botanical gardens can get a bit crowded at times but a must-see, especially if you're a Ge Ge Ge no Kitaro fan. Also, best.soba.ever.

深大寺元町5-15-1, 調布市

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Ramen

Hands-down the best ramen joint in the neighborhood. The owners are an adorable husband-and-wife from Hokkaido. It doesn't open till the sun starts to set.

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Inokashira Park (井の頭恩賜公園)

Park

Row-boating in the lake and a zoo that's better than you'd expect. Also, if you're going to the Ghibli Museum (#6) walk through this park to get there.

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kensetsu.metro.tokyo.jp/seibuk/inokashira/

小金井公園 (Koganei Park)

Other

Cherry blossoms in the One of the best parks in Tokyo. Cherry blossoms in Spring and grass sledding in Summer. Don't miss the outdoor architecture museum.

Harmonica Yokocyo

Mall

Just steps from Kichijoji is Harmony Yokochō, a retro-style stretch of tiny shops, eateries and bars. Those with the courage to explore will be rewarded.

吉祥寺本町, 武蔵野市

Ghibli Museum

Art Museum

If you're a fan of Hayao Miyazaki's movies the Ghibli Museum will satisfy kids and adults alike. Very well done.

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バスラーメン

Noodles

Bus Ramen started off as a mobile mini-truck, offering warm bowls of ramen as they traveled around the city. 30 years later they're still at it.

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Sake Bar

Outside Panda is a small paper panda lantern. Next to it is a door the same size. You have to practically get on all fours to enter. But you'll be glad you did.

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