

Announcement

## Sakai Refinery Holds 43rd Phoenix Tennis School

Tonengeneral Sekiyu K.K. (head office: Minato-ku, Tokyo; president: Jun Mutoh) hosted a tennis school at its Sakai refinery (Sakai City, Osaka; manager: Kazuto Uchino) on October 16 for around 30 local children of preschool and elementary school age.

The tennis school is offered annually at the refinery for readers of Phoenix, a community newsletter issued by the refinery. This was the forty-third time the school had been held since its inception in 1974.

On the Sakai refinery tennis courts, under the instruction of members of the refinery tennis club, participants, selected from among many applicants by drawing, experienced the fun of tennis while learning the basics of the game. Participants expressed their enthusiasm for the program through comments such as, "It was really fun" and "I want to do this again."

The Tonengeneral Group will continue to advance its social contribution activities through a variety of methods.



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