

Takarazuka Shrine Obayashi danjiri

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【Takarazuka's danjiri】

Currently, there are 19 "Danjiri" in Takarazuka and it is being towed in the autumn festival of each district.

It is 19 units of Kawamohigashi, kawamominami, Kamiakura, Akuraminami, Oharanochubu, Maitanihigashi, Maitaninishi, Kohama, Nakayamadera, Kuchitani, Obayashi, Hirai, Kaminakasuji, Nakasujiminami, Maruhashi, Yamamotohigashi, Yamamotonishi and Kamisasori.

【Obayashi's danjiri】

Obayashi's danjiri which is called plate balustrade of Sumiyoshi style is a heavy four-wheeled cart. What you call the stories of Shutendoji subjugation and Tsuchigumo extermination are drawn with sculpture by Minamoto no Yorimitsu who is the eldest son of Minamoto no Mitsunaka who was based in Kawanishi city, Hyogo Prefecture.

Not only Minamoto no Yorimitsu, but also Watanabe no Tsuna, Sakata Kintoki, Urabe no Suetake and Usui Sadamitsu who were called the Four Devas of Minamoto appeared and as we go around danjiri, we can enjoy their activities and the story of getting rid of bad demons and Japanese folk monsters.



【Takarazuka danjiri parade】

Every April, danjiri gathered which is to be pulled in the autumn festival in Takarazuka city.

We can see a lot of danjiri which boast of all over the city. I think that it is interesting to compare features of each district.

