

Performance Program Schedule

Thursday, September 3

Location	18:00~18:30	18:30~19:00	19:00~19:30	19:30~20:00	20:00~20:30	20:30~21:00	21:00~21:30	21:30~22:00
Yeongnam Pojeongs-gate			Opening Ceremony	Following the Secret Royal Inspector and the Provincial Governor Traditional Music Sister Ensemble Sogong(20:00)				
Outdoor Stage	Show Me the Janggu Project Pungmulje Cheongam							Show me the Janggu Project Pungmulje Cheongam
Jinjudecheop Historical Park		Traditional Music of Jinju Hwang In-a				Singing Korea's Treasures Fusion Traditional Music Band Vidan		
Rodeo Street (Youth Bussking)	Seated Samulnori Gyeongang Nat'l Univ. Pungmulje-Aldong		Musical Gala Show Performing Arts Box The Play		Jinju's Trial Held Only at Night			Nostalgic 7080 Broomstick Band

Friday, September 4

Location	18:00~18:30	18:30~19:00	19:00~19:30	19:30~20:00	20:00~20:30	20:30~21:00	21:00~21:30	21:30~22:00
Yeongnam Pojeongs-gate	Jazz in Jinju Cho Youngwoo Quartet				Jazz in Jinju Cho Youngwoo Quartet	Following the Secret Royal Inspector and the Provincial Governor		
Outdoor Stage		Soldabangjaengi Soldabang Preservation Society (Companion Event)					Story of a Seoullite Theater Company Soullite	
Jinjudecheop Historical Park		Uwajeon Play Zone Companion Event					Uwajeon RE-PLAY Companion Event	
Rodeo Street (Youth Bussking)	Midsummer Night's Acoustic Singer-Songwriter Park Hae-won		Musical Gala Show Performing Arts Box The Play		Jinju's Trial Held Only at Night		Song of the Moon Biwon	

Saturday, September 5

Location	18:00~18:30	18:30~19:00	19:00~19:30	19:30~20:00	20:00~20:30	20:30~21:00	21:00~21:30	21:30~22:00
Yeongnam Pojeongs-gate	Gain Melody Artist on the Moonlight Art Company Jinju				Gain Melody Artist on the Moonlight Art Company Jinju	Following the Secret Royal Inspector and the Provincial Governor		
Outdoor Stage		Solo Circus Marine Boy		Original Drawing Show Kim's Drawing Lab		Solo Circus Marine Boy		Original Drawing Show Kim's Drawing Lab
Jinjudecheop Historical Park		Saturday Regular Stage Companion Event					Uwajeon RE-PLAY Companion Event	
Rodeo Street (Youth Bussking)	K-POP Dance Performance YOUNG WAVE		Musical Gala Show Performing Arts Box The Play		Jinju's Trial Held Only at Night		Rodeo Magic Performance Magician Jung Woo-jin	

Sunday, September 6

Location	18:00~18:30	18:30~19:00	19:00~19:30	19:30~20:00	20:00~20:30	20:30~21:00	21:00~21:30	21:30~22:00
Yeongnam Pojeongs-gate	Pop Violin Ahn Hyung-soo				Pop Violin Ahn Hyung-soo	Following the Secret Royal Inspector and the Provincial Governor		
Outdoor Stage		Drawing Magic Show Cajun-yang Art Troupe Unde Yong-yeung		Spirit of Fire Art of Magic		Drawing Magic Show Cajun-yang Art Troupe Unde Yong-yeung		Spirit of Fire Art of Magic
Jinjudecheop Historical Park		Saturday Regular Stage Companion Event					Uwajeon RE-PLAY Companion Event	
Rodeo Street (Youth Bussking)	Jinju Moonlight Aria Soprano Yeo So-hyun		Musical Gala Show Performing Arts Box The Play		Jinju's Trial Held Only at Night		Traditional Singer Sae-e-rssi Pungyu Mori	

8[Night 夜] Themed Programs

Night Scenery (Yagyeong)

Secret Royal Inspector Night Tour

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00~22:00 | Jinjuseong Area
Nighttime opening and landscape lighting of major national heritage sites.

Jinju Silk, Paving the Way

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00~22:00
| Yeongnam Pojeongs-gate to Jinjuseong Cafe
Trail landscape lighting using Jinju silk.

The Chungmugong Kim Si-min Sets Sail!

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00~22:00
| Mulbit Naru Rest Area (Departure)
Nighttime operation of the Chungmugong Kim Si-min Boat.

Moonlight Secret Trail

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00~22:00 | Rodeo Street
Nighttime landscape lighting connected with the local commercial district.

Installation of the Silk Tunnel

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00~22:00 | Yeongnam Pojeongs-gate
Silk lantern tunnel along the uphill path.

Night Road (Yaro)

Moonlight Secret Royal Inspector

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00~22:00
| Jinjuseong to Rodeo Street
Fun games on the route between the fortress and the street.

Shadow War in the Moonlight

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00~22:00
| Jinju National Museum
Defend Jinjuseong! A fierce two-team laser tag battle.

Tracing the Path of the Secret Royal Inspector and the Fortress

Sept 3 (Thu) 19:30 ~ 20:30 / Sept 4 (Fri) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 20:30~21:30
| Major National Heritage Sites in Jinjuseong
Walking tour performance with actors.

The Secret Royal Inspector's Hidden Passage

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00~22:00
| Namgang Riverside below Jinjuseong South Gate
A special riverside walk through a gate open only during the night festival.

Night Painting (Yaehwa)

Return of the Lanterns

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00~22:00 | Jinjuseong Area:
Heritage-themed lantern exhibition produced by Bitmaru resident artists.

Calligraphy Exhibition

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00~22:00
| Jinjuseong, Rodeo Street Area
Calligraphy exhibition utilizing Jinju national heritage and Jinju dialects.

Pillar of Light Exhibition

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00~22:00
| Inside Jinjuseong
A beautiful light pillar exhibition containing stories about Jinju's national heritage and history.

8[Night 夜] Themed Programs

Night History (Yasa)

Empathy Events with Jinju National Museum

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00~22:00 | Jinju National Museum
Three participatory activities during the museum's night opening.

Secret Inspector's Secret Letter

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00~22:00
| Gyeongjeolsa to Jinju National Museum
A stamp tour where you become a secret inspector and complete missions.

Secret Inspector's Secret Letter

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00~22:00 | Rodeo Street
Submit everyday worries and complaints as secret letters to the inspector.

Night Trial in Jinju

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 20:00~20:30 | Rodeo Street
A trial play performance based on stories from the audience.

My Portrait Drawn by a Gyobang Artist (Paid)

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00~22:00 | In front of Jinju National Museum
A painter in traditional artist attire draws your portrait as a Joseon figure.

Secret Investigation Team

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00~22:00
| Jinjuseong, Rodeo Street Area
reporter team acting as a secret investigation squad to take photos and write articles.

Night Tale (Yaseol)

Meeting the Traditional Artists of Jinju

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00~ 22:00
| Yeongnam Pojeongs-gate, Jinju Battle History Park (Performances) & Museum front (Experience)
Jinju intangible heritage performances, demonstrations, and experiences.

A Moonlight Stroll through Jinjuseong Fortress

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00~22:00 Departs on the hour
| Jinjuseong Area (Starts from Gongbukmun)
Jinjuseong stories told by cultural tourism guides

The People's Playground

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00~22:00 | Jinjuseong Outdoor Stage
Audience-participatory performances of various genres including circus, drawing shows, and fire shows.

The Royal Inspector's Secret Envoy

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00~22:00
| Namgang River below Jinjuseong South Gate
Nighttime kayak experience and lantern floating experience.

Endless Tales of Jinju History

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00~22:00 | Jinjuseong Intersection
Exciting Jinju history stories told by local youth.

Festival DJ

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00~22:00 | Jinjuseong Outdoor Stage
Festival broadcasting station with relatable stories and enjoyable music.

8[Night 夜] Themed Programs

Night Tale (Yaseol)

Jinjuseong Fortress Changing of the Guard Ceremony

Sept 4 (Fri) ~ Sept 5 (Sat) 19:00~19:30 | Jinjuseong Gongbukmun Gate
Reenactment of the gate closing and guard change ceremony for fortress defense.

Youth Arts Night Festival

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00~21:30 | Rodeo Street
Energetic busking performances filled with the energy of young artists.

Sangmusa Night Tour

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00~22:00 | Rodeo Street
A fun communication program with Joseon Dynasty characters who appear as you walk down the street.

Night Market (Yasi)

Jinjuseong Traditional Market Street

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00 ~ 22:00
| Jinjuseong Outdoor Stage
Traditional market street with handicraft sales and experiences featuring local small businesses.

Hidden Stories Under the Moonlight: Craft Picnic

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00~22:00 | Rodeo Street
Craft market and experience program with artists from the Jinju Craft Creation Support Center.

Hidden Stories Under the Moonlight: Children's Flea Market

Sept 5 (Sat) 19:00~21:00 | Woon Bank Jinju Branch Parking Lot
A thrifty flea market run by child CEOs buying and selling pre-loved items.

Night Food (Yasik)

Olbam Saturday Night Market

Sept 5 (Sat) 18:00~22:00 | Nongae Market
Jinju's special night market full of delicious food.

Hidden Stories Under the Moonlight: Rodeo Night Market

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00~22:00 | Rodeo Street
A night market to enjoy tasty food from the 'Albam Saturday Night Market' and the 'Rodeo Street Merchants Association' in one place.

Hidden Stories Under the Moonlight: Jinju Jinmaek

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun) 18:00~22:00 | Rodeo Street
A special taste only found in Jinju! 'Jinju Jinmaek', a craft beer made primarily from native Sit-down wheat.

Night Accommodation (Yasuk)

ESG Base Camp: Carbon-Free Jinju Tour Season 4

Sept 4 (Fri) ~ Sept 6 (Sun)
| Jinju Craft Creation Support Center & Jinju City Area
Accommodation-type eco-friendly education programs such as climate change response and eco-experiences

Jinju National Museum Special Night Opening

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun), 2026, 18:00~22:00
(Last entry 21:30)

The Secret Royal Inspector Appears at the Museum

The Secret Royal Inspector was a special official in the Joseon Dynasty who hid their identity to observe the lives of the people. Shall we find out what the inspector did at the museum?

Exhibition Guide

※ Location: Permanent Exhibition Hall, 2nd Floor



Document with Mapae Seal

Joseon 1813, ink on paper, 61.0×275.0cm

A petition submitted by the people in February 1813 (13th year of King Sunjo) asking for rewards for descendants of merit subjects. The inspector resolved the civil complaint and stamped the Mapae seal at the end of the document.



Mapae

Joseon 1723, metal, 9.4cm diameter

A token for requisitioning post station horses. There were five types, from 1-horse to 5-horse tablets. Secret inspectors typically used 2-horse and 3-horse tablets.

Empathy Events with Jinju National Museum

Sept 3 (Thu) ~ Sept 6 (Sun), 2026 | Museum Lobby

Inspector's
Secret Document
🕒 18:00~21:30
📍 Museum Lobby
On-site Participation

Inspector's
Lucky Mapae
🕒 19:00
📍 Museum Lobby
On-site Participation

Collect the People's Faces to
Complete the Mapae
🕒 18:00~21:30
📍 Museum Lobby
On-site Participation



JINJU NATIONAL MUSEUM

Jinju National Heritage
August 2026

Night Tour

2026.
Sept 3 (Thu) - Sept 6 (Sun)
18:00 - 22:00

Jinjuseong Fortress · Jinju National Museum
Original Downtown (Rodeo Street) Area

Night Tour

The Fifth Story

Secret Royal Inspector at Night

“Appears at Jinjuseong,”

2026.
Sept 3 (Thu) - Sept 6 (Sun)
18:00 - 22:00

Hosted by
Korea Heritage Service Gyeongsangnam-do Jinju City

Organized by
Jinju Culture and Tourism Foundation

Jinjuseong Fortress · Jinju National Museum
Original Downtown (Rodeo Street) Area

Introduction to the Jinju Night Cultural Heritage Festival

The “Jinju Night Cultural Heritage Festival” is a program centered around areas with a high concentration of national heritage. By utilizing the region’s unique historical and cultural resources, it provides various activities such as night viewings, performances, hands-on experiences, and exhibitions. The program aims to increase the utilization of national heritage while widely promoting and preserving its meaning and value.

This year, we welcome you with the theme, “Secret Royal Inspector Appears at Jinjuseong by Night.” Set against the moonlit Jinjuseong Fortress, an exciting nighttime historical tour unfolds where you become a Secret Royal Inspector to find hidden clues and observe the joys and sorrows of the people. Following the footsteps of the Secret Royal Inspector wearing the Eosahwa (paper flowers bestowed by the king), this is a time to honor the achievements of historical figures who punished corrupt officials and realized justice, while vividly listening to the hidden stories scattered throughout Jinjuseong Fortress. Through this “Jinju Night Cultural Heritage Festival,” we hope you experience Jinjuseong Fortress and its surrounding cultural heritage in a new light, and deeply feel Jinju’s historical pride and upright spirit.

Overview of the 2026 Jinju Night Cultural Heritage Festival

Project Name	2026 Jinju Night Cultural Heritage Festival
Slogan	Secret Royal Inspector Appears at Jinjuseong by Night
Date & Time	Thursday, September 3 - Sunday, September 6, 2026 / 18:00-22:00
Location	Jinjuseong Fortress, Jinju National Museum, Original Downtown (Rodeo Street) area
Hosted by	Korea Heritage Service Gyeongsangnam-do Jinju City
Organized by	Jinju Culture and Tourism Foundation

8 Nights (Themes) - 34 Events
Companion Event - National Heritage Media Art Jinjuseong

2026 Jinju Night Cultural Heritage Festival Venue Map

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|---|---|----|---|----|---|
| 1 | Media Art & Night Tour Main Information Center | 9 | Night Tour Main Info Center & Cooling Shelter - B | 17 | My Portrait Drawn by Gyobang Artists Paid Experience |
| 2 | Meeting the Traditional Artists of Jinju Performance | 10 | Grasshopper Band & Insects Lanterns Landscape Lighting | 18 | Shadow War Under the Moonlight Experience |
| 3 | Silk Lantern Tunnel Landscape Lighting | 11 | The Secret Royal Inspector's Hidden Passage | 19 | Night Tour Main Information Center - C |
| 4 | Night Tour Main Information Center - A | 12 | The Royal Inspector's Secret Envoy, etc.: Kayak Experience | 20 | Cooling Shelter - C |
| 5 | Child Safety Necklace | 13 | Jinjuseong Traditional Market Street: Flea Market Sales Experience | 21 | Endless Tales of Jinju History |
| 6 | Cooling Shelter - A | 14 | Traditional Folk Playground Performance | 22 | Return of the Lanterns Landscape Lighting |
| 7 | Under the Tree with Silk Lights Landscape Lighting | 15 | Festival DJ | | |
| 8 | Deer Family Landscape Lighting | 16 | Meeting the Traditional Artists of Jinju Experience | | |

Rodeo Street Night Market

- Jinju Specialty Beer 'Jinju Jinmaek' **Pop-up Sale**
- Olban Saturday Night Market, Night Market with Rodeo Street Merchants Association **Food**
- Craft Picnic **Market, Experience**
- Night Stroll of Sangmusa **Performance**
- Youth Arts Night Festival **Performance**
- Children's Bazaar (Sat, Sep 5)

Jinjudaechep Historical Park

- Meet the Artists of Jinju **Performance**
- Saturday Regular Stage **Performance**
- Uwangjeon **Performance**

Moonlight Secret Royal Inspector

- Complete 3 missions on the way from Jinjuseong Fortress to Rodeo Night Market to draw a prize.
- Prize Redemption: Culture Box on Rodeo Street
- May close early if prizes run out.



Legend

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| Main Information Center | Restroom | Cooling Shelter |
| Stroller Rental | Nursing Room | Kayak Registration |
| Medical Booth/Ambulance | | |

The Royal Inspector's Secret Letter Stamp Tour

Stamp Tour Introduction

Become a Joseon Dynasty secret inspector, complete 5 missions, and receive a gift!
Mapae plaster air freshener given upon completion
(Limited to the first 2,000 participants)

How to Participate

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| 1 Solidify the Inspector's Resolve! | 2 In front of Gyeongjeolsa |
| 2 Decipher the Code with Wisdom! | 3 Path to Changnyeolsa |
| 3 Show the Inspector's Strength! | 4 In front of Hoguksa |
| 4 Find the Treasure with Insight! | 5 Seojangdae Poru |
| 5 Collect the People's Faces to Complete the Mapae! | 6 Jinju National Museum |

