

The Kyoto Distillery



Newsletter

The Kyoto Distillery is pleased to announce our new brand house, 'The House of KI NO BI', will be opening on Saturday, March 28th.

The House of KI NO BI is a renovated traditional 'machiya' townhouse built over 100 years ago as a timber mill; the original interiors including earthen walls, beams and roof tiles have been retained to preserve the authentic ambience. Our ambition is to bring alive the KI NO BI brand and the spirit of Kyoto to the city we are proud to call our home.

As with our gins, we have used local materials wherever possible for the House of KI NO BI, including handmade furniture by local workshop 'In Wood' and a traditional Nishijin fabric company, Hosoo.



Omise no MA (Shop)



KI NO BI no MA



Tenji no MA (Exhibition Room)



Konwa no MA (Seminar Room)



Heathy & Local food menu of Kyoto vegetables

Each space in the House is called 'MA' (room in Japanese); KI NO BI no MA serves classic cocktails and local drinks such as Kyoto Brewing Company beers and wines from Amanohashidate Winery in the north of Kyoto Prefecture. The back bar is decorated with a woodblock pattern designed in collaboration by KIRA KARACHO, part of the KARACHO karakami atelier founded in Kyoto in 1624.

The food menu also focuses on local ingredients and offer botanical themed healthy meals. Exclusive items are available at the Omise no MA (Shop), Exhibition Space, Tenji no MA has lots of information about the history of gin and our botanicals, whilst seminars are available at Konwa (meaning Harmony) no MA. The interior design is by Douglas Kakuda Croll, son of two of the founders and a graduate of the

Bartlett School of Architecture at UCL London.

Information

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