

Sakura Project

in Maribor



Purpose of Sakura tree planting

- Commemoration of Tokyo Olympic & Paralympic Game 2020
- 30th Anniversary of the diplomatic relationship between Japan and Slovenia

Planting site

- Rakušek square

Sakura sapling

- Number: 22
- Species: *Prunus subhirtella*, *Prunus serrulata*

Ceremony of Sakura planting

- Date: 8 November 2022
- Place: Maribor
- Main guests

Mayor of Maribor, Mr. Saša Arsenovič

President of Slovenia Olympic Committee,
Mr. Bogdan Gabrovec

The director of the European Youth Olympic
Festival in Maribor, Ms. Nataša Ritonja

Ambassador of Japan, H.E. Hiromichi
Matsushima

Speech: Mr. Saša Arsenovič, Mayor of Maribor



Speech: Ambassador of Japan



Representatives



Memorial Plate



Planting



Japanese sake tasting

