



## Last Chance to See Sakura x Sanrio at Gardens by the Bay – Cherry Blossoms and Hello Kitty Before 15 April

### Description

If you haven't made it down to Gardens by the Bay's annual Sakura exhibition yet, consider this your final reminder – it closes on **15 April 2026**. This year's edition is extra special, combining the beauty of Japanese cherry blossoms with beloved **Sanrio characters** including Hello Kitty, My Melody, Cinnamoroll, Pompompurin, and Kuromi, all set against a stunning tribute to Ishikawa Prefecture.

Now in its 11th year, the Sakura display at the Flower Dome has become a seasonal favourite for Singaporeans and tourists alike. With just days left, this is your last chance to catch the pink blooms before they're gone for 2026.

### What to Expect at Sakura 2026

This year's Sakura showcase draws inspiration from **Ishikawa Prefecture**, a region celebrated for its rich cultural heritage. The Flower Dome has been transformed to feature recreations of Ishikawa's most iconic landmarks, including a two-storey **Nomura residence** modelled after a former samurai home of the Maeda clan. Expect to see an engawa (veranda) overlooking a serene courtyard garden, complete with wooden sliding doors, tatami mats, and traditional arts on display.

Visitors can also explore recreations inspired by the famed **Kenroku-en** – one of Japan's top three landscape gardens – along with exquisite traditional lacquerware and a captivating kimono forest. The display also brings to life the historic samurai and geisha districts that Ishikawa is known for.



The recreated Nomura samurai residence at the Sakura 2026 exhibition in the Flower Dome

## Sanrio Characters Join the Cherry Blossom Celebration

Adding a dose of kawaii magic to the floral spectacle, this edition welcomes **five beloved Sanrio characters** to celebrate hanami among the cherry blossoms. Look out for **Hello Kitty** posing in a pretty kimono beside a rickshaw, alongside My Melody, Cinnamoroll, Pompompurin, and Kuromi scattered throughout the display. They make for perfect photo opportunities, especially for families visiting with young children.



Hello Kitty dressed in a kimono amongst the cherry blossoms at Gardens by the Bay

## Deal Details at a Glance

<b>Event</b>	Sakura 2026 featuring Sanrio Characters
<b>Dates</b>	13 March - 15 April 2026
<b>Location</b>	Flower Dome, Gardens by the Bay
<b>Opening Hours</b>	9.00am - 9.00pm daily
<b>Tickets (SG Residents)</b>	From \$12 per adult
<b>Tickets (Tourists)</b>	\$46 (includes Flower Dome + Cloud Forest)

Official Website [gardensbythebay.com.sg](https://gardensbythebay.com.sg)

## Craft Workshops This Weekend

If you're heading down this weekend (11-12 April), there's an added bonus: a **Get Crafty! Felt Art Pouch Bag** workshop by AnnabelleTTN is running from 10am to 6pm in the Australian Garden within the Flower Dome. You can stick pre-cut felt pieces and sew your own pouch bag featuring whimsical sakura blossom designs. It's a lovely hands-on activity for both adults and kids.

The following weekend (18-19 April) features another craft session - **Pressed Flowers with NFC Tag** by When Stars Align, where you can arrange pressed flowers on an acrylic sheet embedded with an NFC tag that stores a customisable message.

## About Gardens by the Bay

[Gardens by the Bay](#) is Singapore's premier nature park spanning 101 hectares of reclaimed land in the heart of the city. The Flower Dome, the world's largest glass greenhouse, regularly hosts seasonal floral displays that have made it one of the most-visited attractions in Singapore.

## Don't Miss These Other Deals This Week

While you're planning your weekend, check out these other hot deals we've covered recently:

- [Ben & Jerry's Free Cone Day on 14 April at VivoCity](#) - unlimited free scoops!
- [Le Creuset Family Sale at Suntec](#) - up to 80% off this weekend
- [Sushi Express x Powerpuff Girls](#) - limited-edition menu launching 13 April

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