



Environmental Contributions

The ANA Group is actively involved in various environmental conservation activities, such as the Aozora Project, with “For People and the Planet” as our slogan.



Chiang Mai forestation (Thailand)



Rankoshi Forest

ANA Aozora (“Blue Sky”) Forests (Japan)

Name	Nearest Airport	Launch Date	Location
1 Amagi Yugashima Forest	Haneda	4/17/2004	Izu, Shizuoka
2 Onocho Kijihiki Forest	Hakodate	5/16/2004	Hakodate, Hokkaido
3 Rankoshi Forest	New Chitose	7/3/2004	Chitose, Hokkaido
4 Kitagocho Hanatate Forest	Miyazaki	10/31/2004	Minaminakagun, Miyazaki
5 OISCA Forest	Matsuyama	3/27/2005	Matsuyama, Ehime
6 Koyasan Genji Forest	Kansai	4/10/2005	Itogun, Wakayama
7 Aijisu Forest	Yamaguchi Ube	5/28/2005	Yoshikigun, Yamaguchi
8 Shibeicho Shitsugen Forest	Tancho Kushiro	5/29/2005	Kawakamigun, Hokkaido
9 Shinshu Forest	Haneda	7/16/2005	Kamiminochigun, Nagano
10 Asahi Forest	New Hiroshima	8/20/2005	Miyoshi, Hiroshima
11 Niyodogawa Forest	Kochi Ryoma	10/22/2005	Agawagun, Kochi
12 Kitagocho Hachi no Su Forest	Miyazaki	10/30/2005	Minaminakagun, Miyazaki
13 Itohara Kaigan Forest	Oita	5/13/2006	Kunisaki, Oita
14 Yaotsu Forest	Chubu	10/21/2006	Kamogun, Gifu
15 Kirishima Forest	Kagoshima	10/28/2006	Kirishima, Kagoshima
16 Yusuhara Forest	Kochi Ryoma	11/11/2006	Takaokagun, Kochi
17 Sakurajima OISCA Forest	Kagoshima	3/3/2007	Kagoshima, Kagoshima
(Overseas)			
1 Community Forest for Shwehlaing, Pyun and Kasauk Villages	Myanmar	8/1/2005	Nyaung Oo
2 Phuket OISCA Forest	Thailand	11/21/2005	Saranrom, M.Banpee
3 Aozora OISCA Chiang Mai Forest	Thailand	8/24/2006	Moobaan, M2 T. Sa Ha Korn Primary School
4 Chai Nat OISCA Forest	Thailand	8/27/2007	Chai Nat Province

■ Forestation

Six Locations Forested in FY2006

The main cause of global warming is the massive amount of CO₂ emissions caused by man. Forests “purify” the air by absorbing this CO₂ and restoring oxygen. Our wish is to gradually expand our forests by reviving areas previously deforested by ruthless logging and natural disasters, and by foresting as-yet bare lands, to help the global environment.

The Aozora Forestation Project, begun in 2004, is a 10-year plan

that aims to promote forestation and forest management activities in areas surrounding the 50 domestic airports serviced by the ANA Group. During FY2006, we held forestation activities in Itohara Kaigan Forest, Yaotsu Forest, Kirishima Forest, Yusuhara Forest and Sakurajima OISCA Forest.

Gradually Restoring Japan’s Forests

According to the Forestry Agency, realizing the government’s pledge to reduce Japan’s greenhouse emissions by 6% will require that over half the reductions—3.8%—come from well-maintained woodlands and forests. Statistics from the Forestry Agency state that the trees in Rankoshi Forest can currently absorb 40 persons’ worth of CO₂ emitted in one year, and the Yugashima Forest, 11 persons’ worth.

It takes time for a seedling to grow and become part of a forest. It also takes careful tending such as thinning and weeding. The ANA Group will continue working with local governments and forestry cooperatives to gradually expand the forests of Japan.

People and Forests

Aozora juku (open-air classes) are held with assistance from the Field Science Education and Research Center of Kyoto University. What better place to learn about the value of our environment than in the midst of a cool green forest?

The ANA Group will pursue its long-range forestation plan in hopes of strengthening the bond between people and forests, and of passing our natural resources on to the next generation.

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■ Okinawa Coral-Planting

Team Tyura Sango

Like elsewhere around the globe, coral reefs in Okinawa are suffering from rising water temperatures, crown-of-thorns starfish, and the outflow of red clay. To combat these threats and revive the beautiful seas of Okinawa, ANA joined forces with 13 other corporations and formed "Team Tyura Sango" in 2004. Four times a year, in the spring and fall, volunteer divers hand-plant coral grown in Onnason, Okinawa according to guidelines set by the Japanese Coral Reef Society. In FY2006, more than 200 volunteers took part, planting a well-balanced mix of corals

including Edakomon and Shoga. At first, the freshly planted coral was fair game for the fish, but by attaching protective nets, the survival rate jumped to about 90%.

To spread the word about our coral-planting activities, we hold an annual "Coral Forum." For the latest installment, held on July 16, writer C.W. Nicol and Rikkyo University Professor Osamu Abe were invited to what became a very informative session on coral conservation and the beauty and importance of Okinawa's nature.

Team Tyura Sango website:
<http://www.tyurasango.com>



Coral planting



Coral Forum

■ Environmental Picture Book Competition

4th Aozora ("Blue Sky") Environmental Picture Book Competition

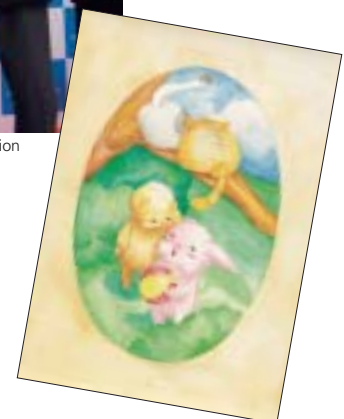
The Aozora ("Blue Sky") Environmental Picture Book Competition, begun in 2003, aims to teach and inspire future generations about the value of nature.

As with previous contests, submissions were received from a broad range of ages (6 to 66) and locations (10 countries, plus 30 prefectures and regions in Japan). After careful consideration, the reviewing committee, led by writer C.W. Nicol, selected Niigata resident Nozomi Watanabe's work, entitled *Precious Things*, as the first-prize winner. Guam resident Kohei Sawada's *Sea Turtle's Tears* and UK resident Jane Veveris Callan's *The Little Star and the Wise Old Mouse* were chosen for special prizes; 37 other works also received awards and prizes.



Award Ceremony for the Fourth Aozora Environmental Picture Book Competition

The winning story was published as a bilingual (Japanese/English) book. A total of 100,000 copies were distributed for free aboard ANA Group flights, at branch offices in Japan and abroad, and at many kindergartens and schools.



First Prize winner *Precious Things*