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# ABOUT US - BRINGING PEOPLE TOGETHER



Here at Community Kite Project we believe fun and imagination are precious commodities. We would like to share them with as many people as possible. For hundreds of years kites have been built and flown across the globe by; Families, boys, girls, men and women for the pure pleasure of learning and enjoyment. Indeed, kite flying around the world is synonymous with freedom, the outdoors, imagination, storytelling and possibility. Come and join us!

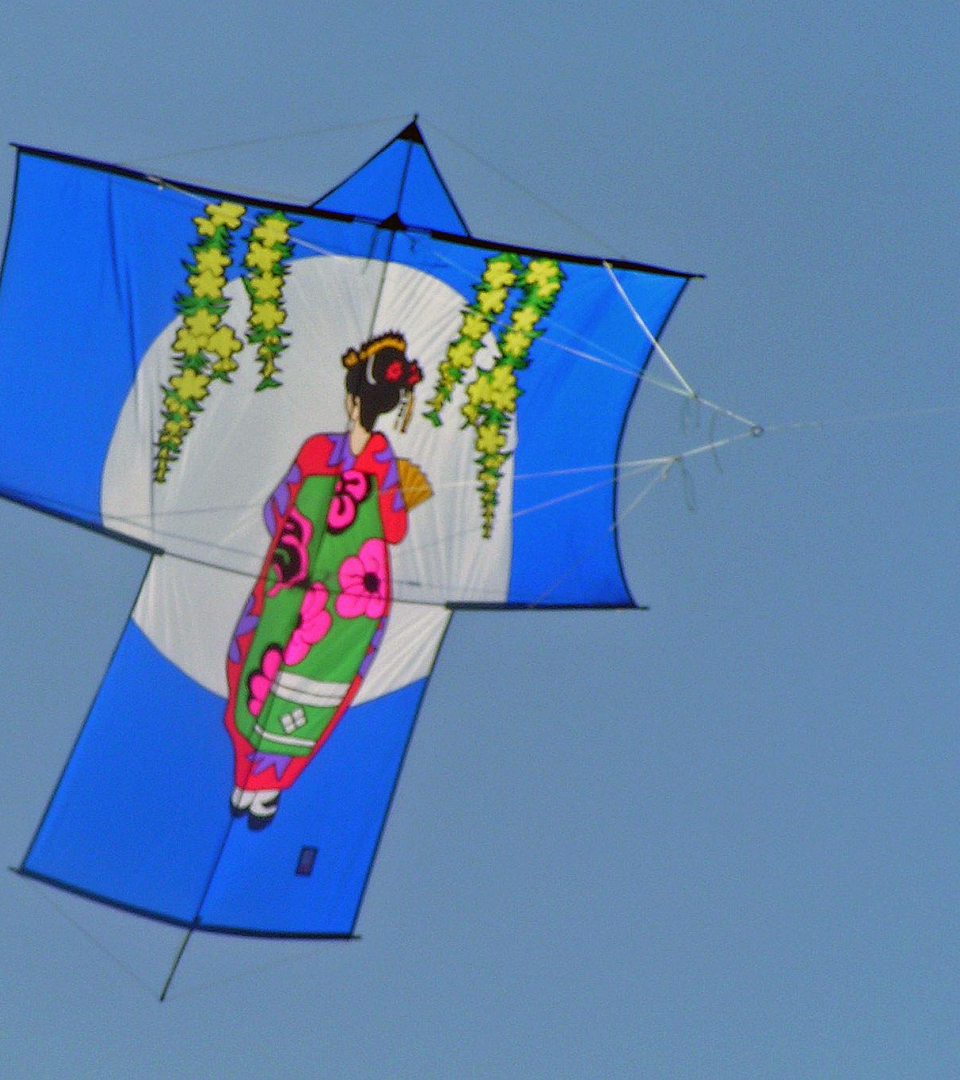
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The Sode Dako as it's known in Japan, is also known as the Kimono kite. 'Sode' actually means 'sleeve of a kimono'.

The form of one of these kites looks similar to a Japanese kimono, stretched out flat. Traditionally, this kite was built & flown to ensure the health & happiness of a newborn baby.



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Plenty of traditional Sode's still fly in Japan.

Like Chinese kites, most Japanese kites are works of art where a lot of effort is put into the decoration of the sail.

Master kite makers will work long hours creating intricate patterns with beautiful colours.





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Centuries ago, it was common for a string 'hummer' to be strung across the kite. When in the air, the string would make a humming noise like a noisy bee hive in the breeze.

The Sode kite is a good light wind flier, but in stronger winds you will need to add a longer tail to help the kite fly.