

Weekly Information "Nature Letter"



Sieversia pentapetala

Asahidake Sugatami Area



Asahidake



Pine grosbeak ♀

Sugatami Area: Current Conditions: One loop is 1.7km and approximately 1 hour. Along the walking path the *Sieversiapentapetala* flower is blossoming in great abundance. There is a rich diversity of over 30 different alpine flowers currently in blossom. Some of the mammals you may see include the Siberian Chipmunk, Ezo red fox, and Ezo mountain hare. Some of the alpine birds you may see include the Siberian rubythroat and pine grosbeak. **Take caution when resting, ravens love opening your bag zippers and take your food, even wrappers! This leaves garbage in remote areas.**



Asahidake Hot spring



Diphylleia grayi (Fruit)



Prunella vulgaris ssp. asiatica

Asahidake Onsen area also has paths for exploration, such as around the Campground. You can see different wild plants and search for birds. We recommend the "Yukomanbetsu" Botanical Garden. Learn more details about the National Park at the Asahidake Visitor Center. It's a beaut!

Tenninkyo Hagoromo waterfall



Tricyrtis latifolia var. *makinoana*



Hagoromo waterfall

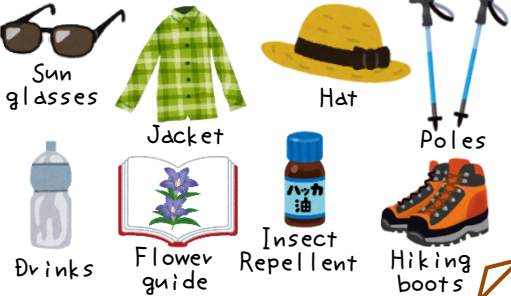
The walk to the falls is about 15 minutes. You can see the falls in full power and countless wildflowers. Near the parking lot there is also a foot onsen! Please enjoy and take your time. Hotels in Tenninkyo are open.

Recommendation Style in Sugatami

Average temperatures in late July : 12~20°C

※according to Asahidake Park Rangers' records

Recommended Equipment and Supplies



Blooming information in Sugatami Area



Phyllodoce caerulea

Primula cuneifolia var. *Cuneifolia*

Penstemon frutescens

Gentiana nipponica

Spiraea betulifolia



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New Asahidake Visitor Center is Now Open!

Definitely you should come visit and learn through our exhibitions about the local wildlife and wild flowers! Visit our website at...
<https://www.asahidake-vc-2291.jp/>

Asahidake Ropeway Operating hours

From July 27th to Aug 12th
 6:00-18:00 (weekends)
 From July 26th to Sep 30th
 6:30-17:30 (weekdays)
 From Aug 17th Sep 29th
 6:00-17:30 (weekends)
 Runs every 15 min

