### "Nature Letter"

## **Asahidake**

The colors here at Asahidake are changing quickly and the views are stunning, no matter which way you look. The Japanese Rowan have turned pretty reds and oranges, but they are also sprouting new buds in preparation for winter.



The autumn colors and Asahidake



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A winter bud on a 

Aleutian Aven



Gentians



Gentians



Goldenrod



Japanese Rowan Berries



Miauel's wintergreen



Japanese Crowberries



Blueberries

# Asahidake Onsen



The night sky above the campground 9/6



[Golden-ringed dragonfly]

The hiking trails around the Asahidake Youth Campground can be enjoyed free of charge.

On a clear night the sky above the campsite is filled with stars, but it's getting cold, so be sure to bring some warm clothes.



Hagoromo waterfall Photo from 9/8

You see Hagoromo waterfall from the end of the walking trail. There is also a foot spa at the carpark and nearby Shikishima-sou hotel also has a onsen to relax in.

There is a temporary toilet at the carpark.

# **Useful Information**

Temperature in mid-September: 7~15°C

\* Based on Asahidake Nature Keeper records

### **Recommended Gear**

★ Bring a waterproof jacket and trousers when rain is forecast. ★ Dress in layers that are easy to adjust if you get hot or cold.



**Hiking Boots Trekking Poles** 



Light down jacket

Jacket

**Drinks** 

**Asahidake Ropeway Hours** 

25/8/2021~30/9/2021 Weekdays 6:30~17:30 Weekends & public holidays



6:00~17:30

The ropeway departs at 20 minute intervals

