

# Asahidake & Tenninkyō Nature Letters

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## Sugatami Trail

At 1.7km, most visitors can hike in an hour

The change of weather in Daizetsuzan area is diverse. No sooner than the thunderstorm passed, Mt. Asahidake shows its form under the blue sky. When a day like this, all the birds will come out together to turn this place into a paradise.

A species of gentians called Ezo-Oyama-Rindou is in season. There are some colonies of the white version waiting for you to discover.

## Alpine plants in Sugatami



Fluff of Aleutian Avens



Lingonberry



European Goldenrod  
(*S. v. var. asiatica*)

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## We recommend you to bring

※Rainwear is recommended, mountain weather changes quickly.

「Flowers of Sugatami」 is on sell!

Flower guide



Sunglasses



Hat



Trekking poles



Water



Jacket



Hiking boots



Eurasian Bullfinch



Ezo-Oyama-Rindou  
(*G. t. var. j. f. montana*)



Mt. Asahidake after a thunderstorm

## Asahidake Onsen

Trails • Alpine Botanical Garden • Onsen • Campsite



Fruits of Kurotsuribana  
(*Euonymus tricarplus*)



Butterfly Maple

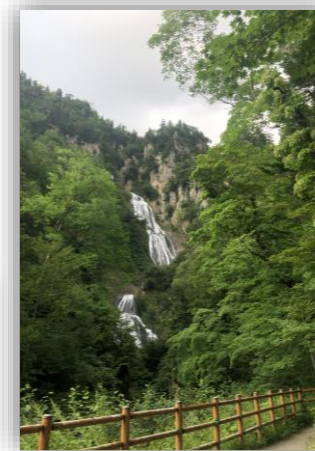
## Tenninkyō

Hagoromo Waterfall • Columnar joint • Foot bath • Onsen

- We had set up a temporary toilet in the Parking lot.
- It takes only 15 minutes of walking to have a view of Hagoromo Waterfall. Which is the highest water fall in Hokkaido(270m).
- Please be ware of gravels on the trails due to the heavy rain before.
- After having the trail, Shikishimasou's onsen is also recommended.



The gravels on the trail



Hagoromo Waterfall

Ropeway Information



Asahidake ropeway



Daisetsuzan Nature School

We have 7 routes of trails in Asahidake Onsen. Trees are making fruits in the coming autumn. Please enjoy finding different shapes of fruits Three places are providing day-use hot springs, they will be a nice set with the trails.