

1,5  
km

1 h

easy



# Snowshoeing trail on the Koli peaks

**This trail will take you into the fabulous winter forests and majestic landscapes of Koli National Park.**

On the the first leg of the trail, you will climb to the top of Akka-Koli to enjoy a view of the rugged fells to the west and, looking to the south, the famous Vesivaara Hill. Below the Akka-Koli lookout point you will find the Temple of Silence, a popular spot for weddings. You will walk through the forest to the enigmatic Paha-Koli, whose rock formation has been the inspiration for many a fabulous tale.

The highlight of the trail is Koli National Park's most popular sight: the scenic vista of Finland's most famous national landscape from the summit of Ukko-Koli Hill. The stunning views of high, snow-covered fells, frozen Lake Pielinen far to the north and the jagged coastline and countless island to the south are sure to take your breath away.

**RECOMMENDED SEASON**  
Winter.

**DISTANCE** 1,5 km

**DURATION** 1 h

**TRAIL MARKING AND SIGNS**

The trail starts from outside the Koli Nature Centre Ukko and is marked by orange ribbons

**DIFFICULTY** Easy.  
Fresh, heavy snow may add difficulty.

**STARTING POINT** The trail starts from outside the Koli Nature Centre Ukko. Nature Centre guides will provide you with trail information and advice.

**VARUSTEET**

High, sturdy and warm winter boots that fit the snowshoes, warm socks, snowshoes, poles. Warm and weatherproof clothing - wear layers to ensure that you will not overheat while physically active. Keep a charged mobile phone in a warm pocket. Snowshoes are available to rent in Koli Visitor Centre Ukko.

**REMEMBER!**

- Light your fires at designated campfire sites only.
- Dogs are allowed in the park, but they must be kept on a leash at all times.
- Follow the principle of Leave No Trace. Do not litter.

**FOR MORE INFORMATION**

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## Huippujen lumikenkäilyreitti Snowshoeing Trail of the Tops 1,5 km

Huomioithan, että poluilla ei ole talvikunnossapitoa.

Please note, that there is no winter maintenance on hiking trails.

- Etäisyys – Distance
- Risteysnumero – Crossroad Number
- Vaaran huippu – Hill Peak
- Lumikenkäilyreitti – Snowshoeing Trail
- Huomio! Ei talvikunnossapitoa – Caution! No winter maintenance
- Näköalapaikka – Lookout Point
- Uhrihalkeama – Sacrificial Crevice
- Hiljaisuuden tempelli – Temple of Silence
- Opastus – Tourist Information
- Luontokeskus – Nature Centre
- Hotelli – Hotel
- Ravintola – Restaurant
- Kahvila – Café
- Kauppa – Shop
- Jätteiden lajittelu – Recycling
- Tulentekopaikka – Campfire Place
- Spa – Spa
- Laskettelurinne – Downhill Skiing
- Pysäköintialue – Parking Place
- Pysäköinti ja opastus – Parking and Information
- Invapysäköinti – Disabled Parking
- P1
- P2
- P3 matkailuautoille ja linja-autoille – P3 Mobile Homes and Buses

