



Pyhä-Häkki National Park

• Location: Saarijärvi

• 13 km²

• Established: 1956



Metsähallitus, national park management

• Customer Service

mon-fri from 9 am to 3 pm:

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• Hut reservations (Poika-aho),

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nationalparks.fi/pyha-hakkinp



National Park Pyhä-Häkki

Take a stroll into the best preserved old-growth forests in Southern Finland. See 400-year-old pine trees that bear scars of ancient forest fires. Such forests give you a sense of timelessness, encouraging you to slow down and savour the natural scene.

The Majestic Pine Trees of the Old-growth Forest

In Pyhä-Häkki National Park you can experience atmospheric old-growth forests, and look out for many rare woodland plants and animals. Explore the park's centuries-old pine forests and see

how ancient forest fires have left their marks on the grand old trees.

A trip for the whole family to enjoy

Pyhä-Häkki offers easily accessible and versatile trails. Immerse yourself in the scents and spaciousness of a marsh in the lap of the ancient forest. Enjoy a tasty packed meal at the Kotajärvi cooking shelter. Sense the world of the past in the Poikaaho Crown Tenant Farm. These days, the farm serves as a rental hut inhabited by shepherds during summertime. You can rent the hut in the spring and autumn, even for just one night. The 17-kilometre Tulijärvi trail with lean-to shelters is also suitable for two-day hikes.

Do you need a guide or lodging?

The partner companies of the national park provide information and food services, rental equipment and versatile accommodation:

nationalparks.fi/pyha-hakkinp/services/partners



Nature-friendly hiking – everyone enjoys!

- You may walk and ski freely in the park. Riding horses is only permitted on the roads and campers are asked to stay by the shelter at Tulijärvi.
- Mountain biking is permitted under Everyman's Right of access to the land. Always stay on clearly visible tracks and pay attention to other hikers when mountain biking.
- Follow the rules of litter-free hiking. Please take all wastes away when you leave.
- Lighting a campfire is permitted only at designated campfire sites. When forest fire warning is in effect, fire may only be lit in the built fireplace of the cooking shelter in Kotajärvi.
- You may pick berries and edible mushrooms, but do not collect rocks or plants. Please do not disturb the wildlife.
- Fishing is not permitted in the park.
- Please note that toilets are not equipped with toilet paper.
- Pets must be kept on a leash.



Instructions and Rules

nationalparks.fi/pyha-hakkinp/instructionsandrules

Retkietiketti

luonto.onfi/retkietiketti

Emergency number 112

– some parts of the park have no mobile phone reception!

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