



## Tiilikajärvi National Park

- 34 km<sup>2</sup>
- Established: 1982
- Location: Rautavaara, Sotkamo



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**Tiilikajärvi's landscapes combine natural sandy shores, esker ridges, atmospheric marshes and wild woodlands. The National Park is an ideal setting for hiking, skiing and canoeing adventures.**

### Natural attractions

Tiilikajärvi's natural ecosystems include northern features as well as more southerly habitat types. Esker ridges, bogs and rivers add diversity to the forest and lakeland scene. A long pine-clad esker ridge runs through the whole park, almost bisecting Lake Tiilikka.

The lake's beautiful sandy shores include Venäjänhiekkä, the park's most popular beauty spot. The park's extensive open bogs are

of the northern mire type known as aapa bogs.

### Trails

The 7-km Uiton Kierto round trail starts from the car park at Sammakotammi, with side trails branching off towards Tiilikanautio and Pohjoisniemi, and a short distance to Venäjänhiekkä. A small gap in the esker ridge between Kalmoniemi and Pohjoisniemi means that walkers cannot cross the whole lake using this route. The park has 20 km of easy trails. Duckboards have been laid down where trails cross larger bogs.

Another trail starting from Sammakotammi, Virvatulpen Polku (19 km), leads out of the park towards Pumpulikirkko Nature Reserve and the nature tourism centre at Metsäkartano.

### Historic sights

The rustic grounds of Tiilikanautio Croft have been preserved as they were in the 1920s. In summer the grounds are filled with colourful wild flowers.

An old border stone located in the lake dates back more than 400 years to the Täyssinä Peace Treaty, which was signed after an earlier war

### Services

The rental hut at Uiton Kämpä, located in the centre of the national park, 3.5 km from the car park at Sammakotammi, is rented out during the summer. Basic accommodation in the Kosevan Kämpä open wilderness hut near Pohjoisniemi may be used by visitors.

### Please help us to protect nature:

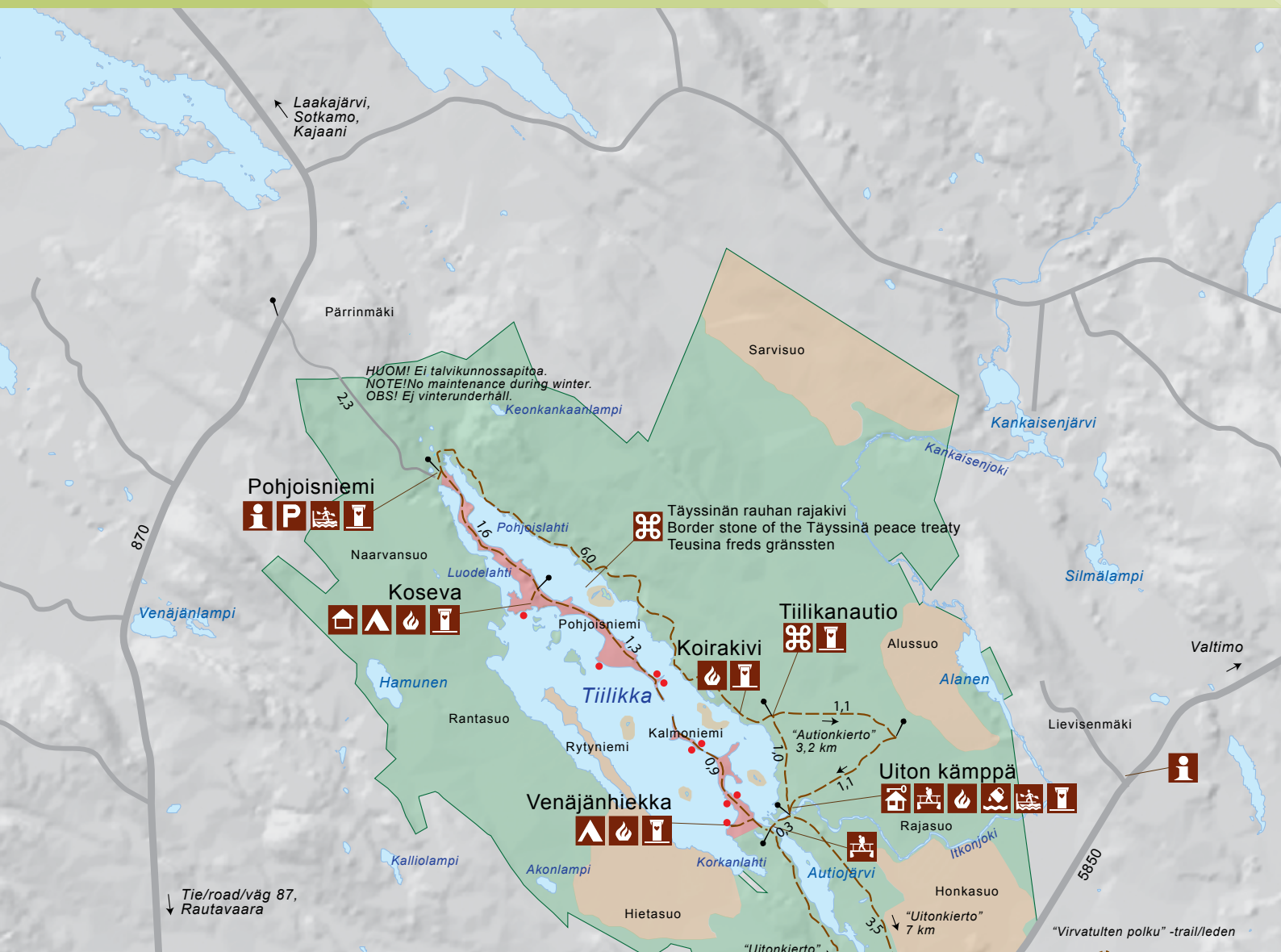
- Please respect nature and other hikers!
- Leave no traces of your visit behind. Safely combustible wastes can be burnt at campfire sites. Please take any other wastes away when you leave the park.
- You may freely walk, row, canoe and ski in the park, except in restricted areas.
- You may not walk or go ashore away from the marked trails and mooring sites along the esker ridges at Tiilikka during snow-free periods
- You can pick wild mushrooms and berries, but please do not collect plants or stones
- fishing is allowed with a simple rod and line or in an ice-hole, in accordance with fishing legislation
- Camping is only allowed in the camping sites Venäjänhiekkä and Koseva.
- Light campfires is allowed in the sites provided in the camping areas marked on the map. Lighting campfires is forbidden if the forest fire warning is in effect.
- Use of motorvehicles and -boats is forbidden
- Please keep pets on lead.
- Quality of water of the well on the grounds of Uiton kämpppä rental hut is checked regularly, please see nationalparks.fi/tiilikajarvi > services. Surface waters, like that in lakes, rivers and streams should be boiled or filtrated, before drinking it as water quality varies from one area to another.
- **Emergency number: 112. Note that there are some areas in the park without signal.**

[www.nationalparks.fi/tiilikajarvi](http://www.nationalparks.fi/tiilikajarvi)  
> Rules and regulations





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Liikkuminen kielletty 15.4 - 15.7.  
Entering or landing forbidden 15 April - 15 July  
 Förbjudet att ta i land och röra sig under tiden 15.4 - 15.7

Liikkuminen ja maihinnosu on sallittu lumettomana aikana vain merkityillä poluilla ja paikoilla.  
Entering or landing only permitted on marked trails and marked spots while there is no snow on the ground.  
 Under barmakstid är det tillåtet att ta i land och röra sig endast längs spångad stigarna.

Opastus - Information

Pysäköintialue - Parking  
Parkeringsområde

Matkailunähtävyyks  
Special point of interest -  
Sevärdhet

Tulentekopaikka -  
Campfire place - Eldplats

Telttailualue - Tent site  
Tältningsplats

Autiotupa - Wilderness hut  
Ödestuga

Vuokrakämpä - Rental cabin  
Hyresstuga

Kaivo - Well - Brunn

Silta - Bridge - Bro

Veneenlaskupaikka  
Boat ramp - Båtramp

Kanoottilaituri - Canoe launching jetty  
Kanoätbrygga

Kuivakäymälä - Dry toilet - Torrtoalett

Jätteiden lajittelu - Recycling  
Avfallssortering

Polkureitti - Hiking route - Stig

Tie - Road - Väg

Rajoitusosan maihinnosuupaikka  
Landing spot on restricted area

Landstigningsplats på begränsningsdel

Pumpulikkiirkon luonnonsuojelualue/  
Pumpulikkiirkko old-growth forest/  
Pumpulikkiirkkos naturskyddsområde,  
Metsäkartano (19 km)

**Samakkotammi**

Tie/Road/Väg 87,  
Rautavaara



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