



Leivonmäki National Park

- Location: Joutsa
- 31 km²
- Established: 2003



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Leivonmäki National Park, in Joutsa, is an ideal destination for a family outing. Easy, well-marked trails lead visitors to scenic shores and along esker ridges. Haapasuo, in the southern part of the park, is the best example of a well-preserved natural bog in Central Finland.

Hiking in the woodland home of the nightjar

Leivonmäki's longer trails start from the car park at Selänpohja and lead along pine-clad esker ridges to the shores of Lake Rutajärvi. The long peninsula of Joutsniemi has formed where a narrow esker ridge extends into the lake. This is an ideal area for rowing and canoeing. In the

northern part of the park the Koskikaran Kierros trail runs past scenic river rapids. In the south, visitors can sense the sights, sounds and scents of Haapasuo Bog, and walk round the Luupää geological trail. On light nights in early summer the distinctive whirring mating calls of nightjars can be heard near the Harjujärvi cooking shelter. Later in the summer visitors can pick tasty mushrooms, lingonberries and cloudberries in the park. Leivonmäki's diverse natural features and accessible location make the park an ideal location for nature study trips all year round.

Food, accommodation and equipment rentals

Find out more about the diverse services provided by the national park's partner companies at: luontoon.fi/en > Leivonmäki National Park



Nature-friendly hiking – for everyone to enjoy!

- Walking, skiing, cycling, rowing and canoeing is permitted except in the restricted areas (see map). When mountain biking, stay always on clearly visible tracks and pay attention to other hikers. Riding horses is allowed only along roads.
- Camping out temporarily is allowed in the sites indicated, and in the vicinity of campfire sites and shelters.
- Follow the rules of litter-free hiking. Please take all wastes away when you leave.
- Lighting a campfire is permitted only on designated campfire sites. When the forest or grass fire warning is in effect, fire lighting is allowed only in the cooking shelter of Kannuslahti.
- You may pick berries and edible mushrooms, but do not collect rocks or plants. Please do not disturb the wildlife.
- Fishing under the Fishing Act (www.eraluvat.fi). You may engage in angling and ice fishing with a rod except in flowing waters.
- Please note that toilets are not equipped with toilet paper.
- Pets must be kept on a leash.



Instructions and Rules

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Outdoor Etiquette

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Emergency number 112

Know where you are calling from – some parts of the park have no mobile phone reception!

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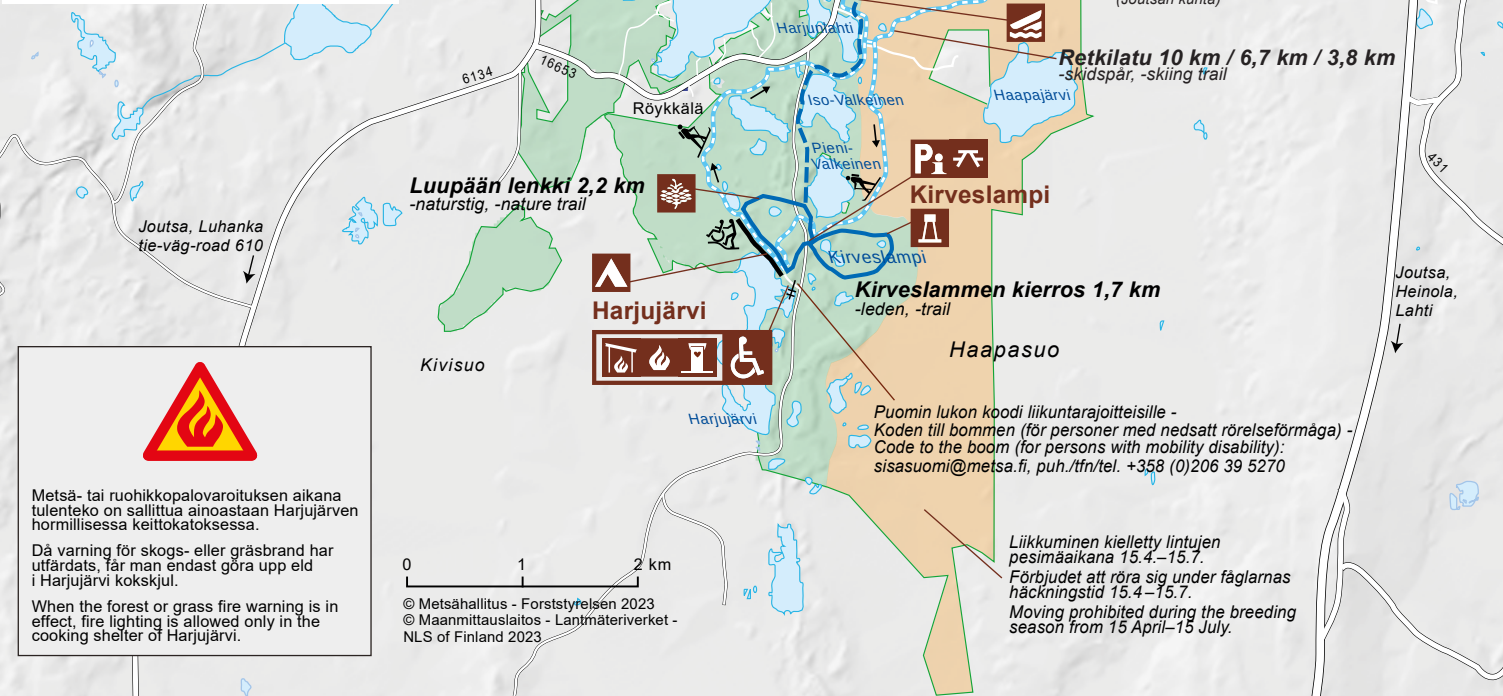


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- Pysäköinti ja opastustaulu - Parking med information - Parking and information board
- Linja-autopysäköinti - Parking for bussar - Parking for buses
- Tulentekopaikka - Eldplats - Campfire place
- Keittokatos - Kokskjul - Cooking shelter
- Telttailualue - Tältningsområde - Tent site
- Laavu - Skärmskydd - Lean-to shelter
- Puolikota - Halvkåta - Campfire shelter
- Ruokailupöytä - Picnic bord - Picnic site
- Luontopolku - Naturstig - Nature trail
- Näkötorni - Utsiktstorn - Observation tower
- Uimaranta - Badplats - Beach
- Veneenlaskupaikka - Båtramp - Boat launching place
- Kuivakäymälä - Torrtoalett - Dry toilet
- Esteetön palvelu - Tillgänglig - Accessible
- Vaativa esteetön reitti - Krävande tillgänglig led - Demanding accessible trail 0,7 km
- Patikointireitti - Vandringsled - Hiking trail
- Puomi - Vägboom - Road barrier
- Tie - Väg - Road
- Muun toimijan ylläpitämä palvelu - Service upprätthållen av en annan aktör - Facility managed by other organisation
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- LUONTOPOLUT - NATURSTIGAR - NATURE TRAILS**
- Koskikaran kierros 3,5 km
 - Luupään lenkki 2,2 km
- RENGASREITIT - RUNDSLINGOR - CIRCULAR TRAILS**
- Harjunkierros 4,5 km
 - Mäyränkierros 5,5 km
 - Kirveslammen kierros 1,7 km
 - Maastopyöräilyreitti 22,0 km
 - Retkilatu 10,3 km/6,7 km/3,8 km
 - Kiertosuunta - Riktning - Direction



Metsä- tai ruohikkopalovaroituksen aikana tulenteko on sallittua ainoastaan Harjujärven hormillisessa keittokatosessa.

Då varning för skogs- eller gräsbrand har utfärdats, får man endast göra upp eld i Harjujärvi kokskjul.

When the forest or grass fire warning is in effect, fire lighting is allowed only in the cooking shelter of Harjujärvi.

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Puomin lukon koodi liikuntarajoitteisille - Koden till bommen (för personer med nedsatt rörelseförmåga) - Code to the boom (for persons with mobility disability): sisasuomi@metsa.fi, puh./fn/tel. +358 (0)206 39 5270

Liikkuminen kielletty lintujen pesimäaikana 15.4.–15.7. Förbjudet att röra sig under fåglarnas häckningstid 15.4.–15.7. Moving prohibited during the breeding season from 15 April–15 July.