

OKUNIKKO

HIKING MAP

The Charm of Okunikko

Climb to the top of Iroha Slope and see Okunikko's majestic nature, with its mountains, rivers, waterfalls, lakes, and swamps, spread out before your eyes. The regions geographic features were formed by volcanic activities and flowing rivers into a shape reminiscent of the three-tiered doll stand used in the Japanese Doll Festival held in March. Lake Chuzenji is on the first tier, Senjogahara Marshland on the second, and Lake Yunoko on the third. The differences in elevations create natural habitats for a variety of plants and animals. Okunikko has been a center of religious activity since a monk named Shoudo-Shonin founded temples in the mountains of Nikko about 1,200 years ago. In 1934 Okunikko was designated as Nikko National Park in order to preserve it as a representative scenic place in Japan and promote its utilization. Okunikko shows a different side of itself in each of the four seasons. We hope you will take this map and enjoy a hike here.

* Please also stop by the Nikko Natural Science Museum for more information on nature.

* The following routes DO NOT include break times. Please plan your trip accordingly.



A MAP 1~7
Senjogahara Marshland Nature Research Trail
Level: Beginner Distance: 6.3km Req. Time: 2 hrs. 20 min.
Yudaki Iriguchi → 40 min → Aki Bridge → 35 min → Akanuma Junction → 30 min → Ryuzu no taki

B MAP 8~9
Odashirogahara Marshland Trail
Level: Beginner Distance: 7.2km Req. Time: 2 hrs.
Akanuma → 15 min → Shikunage Bridge → 35 min → Odashirogahara Observatory → 35 min → Izumiyaodoike Pond → 35 min → Kotoku Iriguchi

C MAP 10~16
Lake Kikoma / Lake Kikoma Trail
Level: Moderate Distance: 9.6km Req. Time: 4 hrs. 15 min.
Yumoto → 40 min → Kotoku Pass → 30 min → Lake Kikoma → 70 min → Kurenuma → 25 min → Sanno → 55 min → Kotoku → 25 min → Kotoku Iriguchi

D MAP 17~19
Hiking trail around Lake Yunoko
Level: Beginner Distance: 2.9km Req. Time: 1 hr. 10 min.
Yumoto Onsen → 40 min → Yudakiue → 20 min → Usagijima peninsula → 10 min → Kohan mae

E MAP 20~26
Lake Chuzenji Scenic Trail
Level: Advanced Distance: 11.0km Req. Time: 4 hrs. 55 min.
Akechidaira → 5 min → Akechidaira Memorial Garden → 30 min → Chankodaira → 30 min → Mt. Hangetsu → 40 min → Mt. Nantai → 20 min → Mt. Nantai Shrine → 40 min → Akatori

F MAP 27~30
Lake Sainoko, Senjugahama Beach and Ryuzu Falls Trail
Level: Moderate Distance: 8.0km Req. Time: 2 hrs. 55 min.
Sainoko-Iriguchi → 25 min → Lake Sainoko → 55 min → Senjugahama Beach → 55 min → Akechidaira → 40 min → Ryuzu no taki

G MAP 31~32
Lake Chuzenji Shobugahama Beach Trail
Level: Beginner Distance: 3.5km Req. Time: 1 hr. 15 min.
Futatsuzan-Jinja Chugushi Shrine → 5 min → Nishi-Rokuban Memorial Garden → 20 min → Maruyama → 30 min → Lake Chuzenji → 20 min → Shobu Yuransen Hachikajo

H MAP 33~34
Lake Chuzenji Southern Coast Trail
Level: Advanced Distance: 10.0km Req. Time: 4 hrs.
Senjugahama Beach → 20 min → Senju-do Hall → 70 min → Bonjiwa → 70 min → Dainichizaki → 50 min → Asegata → 30 min → Mujinakubo

I MAP 35~36
Mt. Nantai Climbing Trail
Level: Advanced Distance: 3.0km Req. Time: 2 hrs. 35 min.
Futatsuzan-Jinja Chugushi Shrine → 30 min → Station No. 4 → 30 min → Mt. Nantai emergency lodge → 50 min → Mt. Nantai summit → 20 min → Station No. 3 → 30 min → Futatsuzan-Jinja Chugushi Shrine

J MAP 37~38
Mt. Shirane Climbing Trail
Level: Advanced Distance: 8 hrs. 35 min.
Yumoto Onsen → 20 min → Mt. Mae-Shirane → 40 min → Mt. Shirane → 40 min → Midagake Pond → 30 min → Mt. Goshiki → 30 min → Kokoyodaira → 10 min → Yumoto Onsen

Around Chuzenji Onsen "Doko-Nav" MAP

Use the "Doko-Nav" guide signs when walking through Chuzenji Onsen.

In Chuzenji Onsen, there are guide signs called "Doko-Nav" posted on lampposts and elsewhere throughout the town. They show the current location, the district name, and the distance to nearby sightseeing spots. Use them for your reference.

Toilets - May close in winter
Toilets for the physically disabled
Ostomate Toilet - Toilet equipped with a pump to dispose of the contents of colostomy bags and artificial ostomies
Information
Parking - Paid parking. General cars: 500 JPY
Bus Stop
Facilities
Electric Vehicle Charging Stand
Boat Terminal

ATTENTION! Dear hikers, please observe the following hiking rules and etiquette to stay safe and enjoy the beautiful scenery.

Only camp in designated areas

Consider your physical condition, strength, and the weather when selecting your hiking trail.

Bring a jacket with you even in the summer. Take note of changes in the weather.

Watch out for wild bears and bees/wasps.

Do not feed the wild monkeys.

Do not take home plants or otherwise intentionally change the scenery.

Take home any garbage with you.