

WALKING TOUR ON THE URBAN TRAIL

SAPPORO ROUND WALK



This is an early morning tour to walk around Maruyama and enjoy bird watching. We will look for wild birds in the Maruyama forest loved by local people. After climbing Maruyama, it is time for Nodate. Nodate means outdoor tea ceremony. While listening to the chirping of wild birds, we will have a special tea ceremony time. Please enjoy a valuable moment that you can experience only in Sapporo.

Highlights:

- Sapporo viewed from the top of Mt. Maruyama
- Local bird encounters
- Birdsong felt at the open-air tea ceremony

Location: Sapporo

Main Activity: WILDLIFE OBSERVATION/CULTURAL AND COMMUNITY EXCHANGE

Difficulty: 1

Tour Dates: Anytime

Pax: Minimum 2 Maximum 6

Price: JPY10,000

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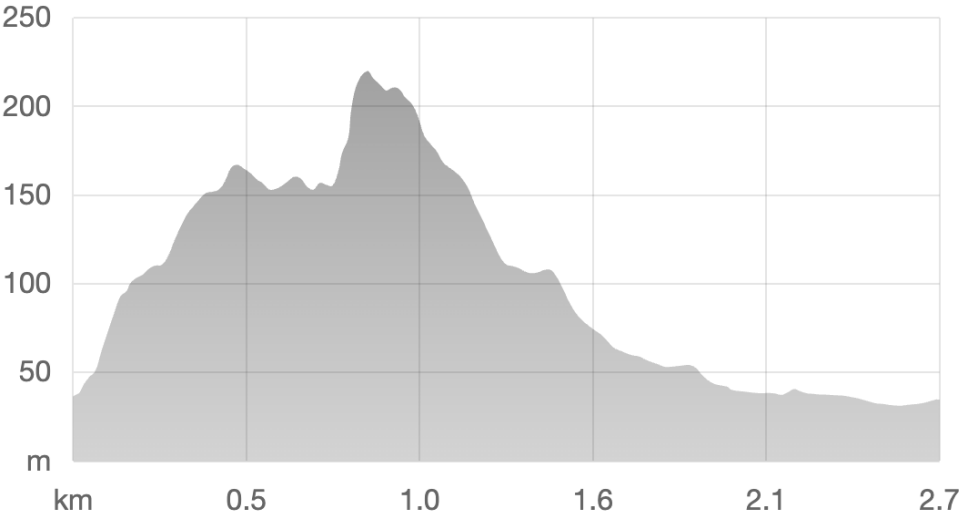
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Day-by-day Itinerary

Day 1

6:00 Meet at Odori Station / Briefing

Take subway to Maruyama Park

7:00 Climb Maruyama (elevation 225m). This is a light climb, about 1.5 hours round trip.

8:30 Visit Hokkaido Jingu Shrine. Purchase snacks on the way (on your own).

10:00 Nodate (Outdoor tea ceremony) at Maruyama Park

(We will enjoy Nodate at Maruyama Park, one of the most popular places for local people in Sapporo. However, Nodate itself is not the purpose of this tour, but to feel close to wild birds and wildlife. We will propose a new way to enjoy bird-watching unique to Sapporo.)

12:00 Dismissal at Maruyama Koen Station

Breakfast

Breakfast is a light meal such as onigiri

Lunch

Lunch is not included in the tour.

Your guide will recommend a lunch plan.

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What's included

- 1 breakfasts, 0 lunches, 0 dinners
- Snacks and refreshments
- English speaking Japanese guide(s)

Not included :

- Airfares
- Personal expenses
- Additional alcoholic drinks with included meals

We provide & What to bring

We provide

- First aid kit
- Safety equipment and maps

What to bring

Essentials

- Waterproof jacket and pants
- Hiking boots
- Fleece or down jacket (even in summer the temperature can drop below 10
- Thermal layers top & bottom
- Base layers top & bottom
- Spare pairs of socks
- Gloves, beanie, and other items to keep you warm
- Sun hat, sunscreen, and sunglasses
- Water bottle or hydration system of more than 1L
- Quick dry hand towel
- Personal medications
- Backpack with enough capacity to carry all the above
- Rain cover for backpack
- Travel insurance
- Passport
- Cash in Japanese yen

Recommended items

- Walking poles
- Cell phone power bank
- Dry bags
- Extra snacks which you're used to eating while hiking
- Camera

About us

We are a Sapporo-based company that provides tour operations and tourism consulting. It was founded in 2020 to play a part in sustainable tourism in Hokkaido in the midst of the turmoil caused by COVID-19. In the post-COVID era, the tourism industry must make drastic changes, and it is necessary to flexibly respond to changing situations at unprecedented speeds. Like the sika deer, which is endemic to Hokkaido, we meet the expectations of our customers with strength and broadness of perspective.

Specifically, we provide clients with highly unique experiences, primarily in Hokkaido. We offer various outdoor activities tailored to fit client needs, such as guided backcountry skiing. For adventure travel, we provide comprehensive coordination. In collaboration with local research institutes and artists, we are also planning tours that convey the deep spirituality of Ainu culture.

Guides

In 2009, he opened the wine bar "Barcom Sapporo" as a place to connect producers and consumers. It also holds events to promote exchanges between producers (local) and consumers (food and agriculture education). Projects such as "Lunch in the Vineyard," which includes visits to slow food producers and wineries, are also popular.

The company is currently promoting the attractiveness of the region through inbound business from Europe, the U.S., and Asia. Guides a total of 400-500 people a year.



Information and Requirements

Dietary Restrictions

- We will do our best to accommodate any special dietary requests from guests who are vegetarians, or who have food allergies, etc.

Emergency Response Plan

- In case of emergency, we will follow our accident response manual.
- The guide of this tour has completed an advanced first aid course and always carries a first aid kit with her.
- In the event of a disaster, we will follow "Initial Disaster Response Manual for Foreign Tourists" produced by the Hokkaido Tourism Organization.

Reservation & Cancellation Policy

Payment Methods

We require a Deposit of 50 000 yen or Full Payment to secure your booking. The Deposit is treated as a part of the Tour Price. You will receive an email reminder about payment of the balance, which is generally due 30 days prior to the tour departure date.

Credit cards (Visa / MasterCard) or PayPal are accepted.

Cancellation

If you wish to cancel a tour reservation, please notify us in writing. Our Cancellation Policies are as follows.

- Cancelled more than 21 days prior to departure: Zero fees
- Cancelled between 20 and 8 days prior to departure: 20% of the Tour Price
- Cancelled between 7 days and 48 hours prior to departure: 30% of the Tour Price
- Cancelled between 48 and 24 hours prior to departure: 40% of the Tour Price
- Cancelled within 24 hours of departure: 50% of the Tour Price
- Cancelled on the day of departure: 100% of the Tour Price
- No refunds will be given after the tour has commenced

Disclaimer

- There are certain inherent risks in adventure travel. These include, but are not limited to, risks of cycling, hiking, swimming, walking and -on all trips- danger of animals, inaccessibility of medical attention and difficulty in evacuation in the case of a medical emergency. Passengers assume all such risks with regard to these possibilities. By embarking upon his/her trip, the traveler voluntarily assumes all risks involved in such travel, whether expected or unexpected.
- In addition and without limitation, Ezosika Travel Co., Ltd. is not responsible for any injury, loss, death, inconvenience, delay or damage to personal property in connection with the provision of any goods or services, whether resulting from but not limited to acts of God or force majeure, illness, disease, acts of war, civil unrest, insurrection or revolt, animals, strikes or other labor activities, criminal or terrorist activities of any kind, overbooking or downgrading of services, food poisoning, mechanical or other failure of aircraft or other means of transportation or for failure of any transportation mechanism to arrive or depart on time.
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