



Your Custom-Made

HNT Itinerary Awaits...

At HNT, we specialize in creating and guiding private custom-made tours around Hokkaido in every season. Our passion for travel, attention to detail and love of Hokkaido will guide you to one of the best holidays of your life!

Find out why guests consistently rave about our tours and honor us with 5-star ratings. We not only care about your holiday, we're right there with you, offering complete logistical support, dedicated English-speaking nature guides and private transportation on every tour.



Enjoy Nature. Be Happy!

Tour Synopsis



Make the most of your trip to Hokkaido on a 2 Day Tour with HNT! After pick-up from your hotel in Sapporo, we'll drive over the mountains to the Mt. Yotei region, for local products shopping and the great lookout of Lake Toya from Silo Observatory. After lunch, we'll ride the Mt. Usu-zan ropeway, take a short crater rim walk and learn about the important history of this volcano. On our way further down south, we can also visit a famous gelato spot called Lake Hill Farm. The overnight stay for this trip is truly remarkable: a traditional ryokan with private onsens linked by walking trails on the property! Take a private hot springs bath, or two!! Dinner will be in the kaiseki style, with breakfast also included. Day 2 will start with the islets walk at Lake Onuma, a small lake dotted by hundreds of islets connected by walking bridges. For lunch, we'll head to Shikabe seaside town for a memorable hot springs steamer lunch. After lunch, we'll check out a kelp factory before driving north for 2.5 hours to Noboribetsu Onsen's remarkable geological sightseeing, including Hell Valley, a hot spring lake, stream, waterfall & foot bath. To end the day, the onsen at Dai-Ichi Takimotokan Hotel is otherworldly, with 32 baths each for men & women, and a mixed swimming pool as well. From here it's a further 2 hours back to Sapporo to end this memorable 2-day HNT tour.

Highlights of the Tour

- ✓ Tour guided by an English-speaking nature guide with private transportation
- ✓ Top sightseeing in central & southern Hokkaido including Lake Toya, Mt. Yotei region, Lake Onuma & Noboribetsu's Hell Valley
- ✓ Enjoy a variety of cuisine options including seafood, kaiseki dinner, gelato, farmer's market, Japanese staples & more
- ✓ Stay at our recommended "secret" traditional ryokan with a private onsens nature trail, kaiseki dinner & breakfast included
- ✓ A nice variety of famous sightseeing spots & off-the-beaten-path destinations



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Tour Route

Day 1: Sapporo → Kimobetsu → Lake Toya → Oshima Peninsula

Day 2: Oshima Peninsula → Lake Onuma → Shikabe → Noboribetsu Onsen → Sapporo



Why Travel with Us?

- ✓ Unforgettable private tours in Hokkaido with an English-speaking guide & private transportation
- ✓ Carefully selected, enthusiastic and highly-experienced nature guides with insider knowledge of Hokkaido
- ✓ Uniquely crafted, custom-made itineraries built around your personal preferences
- ✓ Complete logistical support and itinerary creation from our HNT travel experts, which means no middle-man costs and the most competitive prices
- ✓ Superior flexibility during your tour with the ability to change activities as you go, as well as price protection for missed activities beyond your control



HNT 2-Day Tour Itinerary:

Lake Toya, Lake Onuma & Noboribetsu

Day 1: Yotei Region, Lake Toya & Oshima Peninsula

Pick-up from Sapporo	Your guide will be waiting at the hotel lobby at 8:30am to begin your tour; please confirm your hotel details
Drive to Mt. Yotei Region	Estimated driving time is approx. 1.5 hrs.
Kimobetsu Local Products Market	Check out local products at this farmer's market in the heart of the Mt. Yotei region farmlands
Mt. Yotei Scenic Drive	Enjoy scenic views of Mt. Yotei, known as the Mt. Fuji of the North
Drive to Lake Toya	Estimated driving time is approx. 30 min.
Silo Observatory	Enjoy the iconic Lake Toya caldera rim viewpoint at Silo Observatory
Lunch at Lake Toya	Recommended: Wakasaimo with lake views and quality Japanese cuisine
Mt. Usu-zan Ropeway & Crater Rim Walk	Ride the ropeway, then walk along the crater rim of Hokkaido's most active volcano for great views of Mt. Yotei, Mt. Showa-Shinzan, Lake Toya & the Pacific Ocean; extended hiking options available
Lake Hill Farm	Famous gelato with great countryside views
Drive to Oshima Peninsula	Estimated driving time is approx. 1 hr. 45 min.
Ryokan Check-in, Onsen & Dinner	This special traditional ryokan has a nature trail linking a series of private onsens, which you can use until early evening and from dawn. You'll also enjoy the true omotenashii hospitality, along with a kaiseki dinner & breakfast
Overnight: Oshima Peninsula Secret Ryokan	(kaiseki dinner & breakfast included)



Day 2: Lake Onuma, Shikabe, Noboribetsu & Sapporo

Ryokan Departure	Your guide will be waiting at your ryokan lobby at 8:30am to begin the day
Drive to Lake Onuma	Estimated driving time is approx. 45 min.
Onuma Lake Islets Nature Walk	Walk among the hundreds of islets at this small lake, which is crowned by an attractive volcano
Drive to Shikabe	Estimated driving time appx. 15 min.
Shikabe Geyser & Lunch	See the geyser at Shikabe, then steam your own seafood lunch in a unique way on the outdoor onsen steam cookers, or order off the menu inside (lunch is self-pay)
Konbukun Kelp Factory	Tour this seaweed factory and sample the endless variety of seaweed products
Drive to Noboribetsu Onsen	Estimated driving time is approx. 2.5 hrs.
Noboribetsu Hell Valley & Geothermal Sightseeing	Explore the geothermal spots of Noboribetsu by foot or car, such as the 450m long Hell Valley, the huge Oyunuma hot springs lake, river and waterfalls, and have a foot bath in the middle of the forest
Dai-Ichi Takimotokan Onsen	Reputed to be the largest onsen in Asia, Dai-Ichi Takimotokan should not be missed by onsen lovers (towels provided): 32 pools each for the male & female sides with over a half-dozen different hot spring sources, as well as a mixed public swimming pool (suits provided & required for pool entry)
Drive to Sapporo	Estimated driving time is approx. 1.5 hrs.
Drop-off in Sapporo	Unfortunately, this marks the end of our tour together . . . until next time!



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Tour Price

Tour Price (2 pax group)	¥96,200 pp
Sales Tax	¥7,696 pp
Total Tour Price	¥103,900 pp
5% Off Early-booking Tour Price*	¥98,700 pp

* Tour price is based on 2 participants, and will vary according to group size; please enquire for exact quote

* Standard accommodation available at Lake Onuma with dinner & breakfast: Reduce ¥7,500 pp

* Early-booking discount offer valid for tours booked up to 3 months prior to the tour date

What is included in this tour	What is not included in this tour
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ✓ Tour guided by an English-speaking nature guide ✓ Private transportation in a 4wd vehicle ✓ Entry and participation fees for all activities listed in the itinerary ✓ Stay at our recommended traditional ryokan with kaiseki dinner & breakfast included ✓ Hot springs entry fees and taxes, including private onsen at the ryokan ✓ Quality photos provided following the tour 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Daily lunches • Wi-Fi (please ask us about mobile Wi-Fi or SIM card rental from New Chitose Airport)

Policy & Payment Information

What to Bring

Seasonal clothing · If you have any questions, ask us!

HNT Guiding Policy

Paramount for HNT Tours is the safety and wellbeing of our guests. Our extensive experience in the mountains of Hokkaido and internationally gives us a profound respect for nature, and we may be forced to alter a tour itinerary if we encounter adverse conditions that may put our guests at risk. All tour activities in the itinerary are subject to modification depending on safety conditions. Your safety is our top priority.

Payment Methods

Please specify your preferred payment method for the 50% deposit:

1. **International Bank Transfer** (subject to bank fees of 2,500 yen per transaction in addition to remitter fees)
2. **PayPal** (subject to PayPal fees of between 2-6% per transaction)

Deposit & Cancellation Policy

A minimum 50% deposit must be received no later than 30 days before the start of a tour. The remainder can be paid in cash upon arrival. Cancellations by any participants made by 30 days before the start of a tour are eligible for a 50% deposit refund. Cancellations by any participants made within 30 days of a tour are not eligible for a deposit refund.



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Disclaimer

We take great care in creating fantastic tours for our guests which are custom-made to match their preferences. We will endeavor to follow the itinerary to the greatest possible extent. However, if changes to an itinerary must be made due to weather conditions, guest safety concerns or unexpected delays during a tour, HNT is not responsible if aspects of a tour cannot be achieved. If aspects of a tour are missed or a tour prematurely ends due to HNT reasons, a refund will be provided for any missed aspects or tour dates, not including reservation fees that cannot be refunded from hotels, operators or others.

What Our Guests are Saying

“The most enjoyable and relaxing holiday we’ve ever experienced!” - A.W. (Indonesia)

“Absolutely brilliant! I would recommend these guys to anyone who wants to see the REAL Hokkaido. I was looked after with the utmost care and every one of my needs were met.” - U.Y. (England)

“A One of a kind travel experience.” - L.B.P (Malaysia)



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