Asahidake & Tenninkyo Nature Letters

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Sugatami Trail

At 1.7km, most visitors can hike in an hour

Alpine plants have started to bloom while snow is melting. You might also encounter Ezo Chipmunks and Mountain Hares on the trail if you're lucky. Be cautious, the trails are snowy, slippery, and muddy. There are many plants growing under the snow, so please walk only on the marked trail!.

Keep your shoes dry; rental rain boots are 300yen.



Kagami pond with Mt. Asahidake in the background



Ezo Chipmunk



Alpine plants in Sugatami



Alpine Azalea

Sunglasses

Water



Kibanasyakunage (Rhododendron aureum)

We recommend you to bring: *Rainwear is recommended, mountain weather changes quickly.

Jacket



Komebatsugazakura (Arcterica nana)

Trekking poles







Asahidake Onsen Trails • Alpine plant botanical

garden · Onsen · Campsite



The Mountain Festival



Chishimazakura

The cherry blossom of Chishimazakura are shown around the trails of Yukomanbetsu Swamp and Wasabi swamp. The Daisetsuzan Mountain Festival has been done in the campsite at 17th.

Tenninkyo

Hagoromo Waterfall · Columnar joint • Foot bath • Onsen

Hiking trails are lined with wild flowers. Hagoromo waterfall is a quick and easy hike of just 15 minutes.

You can feel the waterfall's power stronger than other seasons since the snow is melting. The foot bath in the parking lot and Shikishimasou's onsen are also highly recommended.



Columnar joint



Boots

Hagoromo Waterfall





Asahidake ropeway



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