



Summer Tips for Oulu

FINLAND 2026

City sights, restaurants, summer activities and much more!

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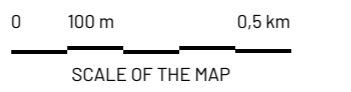
ATM Machines (Otto / Nosto in Finnish)
Kauppuriinkatu 10 (Pekuri Shopping Centre) | Isokatu 25 (Valkea Shop ping Centre), Isokatu 33 & 51 (Lidl) | Tehtaankatu 5 (K-Citymarket Raksila) | Kirkkokatu 6 | Hallituskatu 36

Pharmacies (Apteekki in Finnish)
Isokatu 27 ja 45 | Kauppuriinkatu 9 and 27-29 | Merikoskenkatu 11

Postal Services | K-Citymarket Raksila, Tehtaankatu 5

Isn't this a mouthful? Try to pronounce the local Oulu dialect!

Ookkonää
Oulusta pelekääkkönää
polliisia,
juokkonää
pillillä piimää!



MARITIME OULU

1 MARKET SQUARE WATERFRONT
The newly renovated accessible pier will, from July 1 onwards, host a public sauna, cruise vessels, and two restaurant boats.

2 TOPPILANSALMI
Old harbor buildings converted into residential use, along with the ships m/s Oulu and m/s Alpo, reflect the area's rich maritime history.

3 NALLIKARI
Known as the locals' living room, Nallikari enchants visitors not only with its sandy beach but also with its beautiful nature trails. In summer, its range of activities, dining, and accommodation services is complemented by a café at the foot of the picturesque lookout tower called The Lighthouse.

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Take the bus no. 15 to Nallikari!

FOR CHILDREN

Have fun at playgrounds

- 11 HUPISAARI CENTRAL PLAYGROUND
Hupisaaret City Park
- 12 NALLIKARI CENTRAL PLAYGROUND
Nallikarimantta

More playgrounds: ouka.fi/en/playgrounds

Move your body and test your brain

- 13 CHILDREN'S CULTURAL CENTRE KOTILO
Central Library Saari, 4th floor, Kaarlenväylä 3
- 14 OULU WATERPARK & PADDLING CENTRE
Linnansaari
- 15 CHILDREN'S TRAFFIC PARK
Hollihaka
- 16 VAUHTIPIISTO AMUSEMENT PARK
Leiritie 2, Hietasaari
- 17 SUOMEN TIVOLI AMUSEMENT PARK
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- 18 EIJAN PONTOUHUT (EIJA'S PONY ACTIVITIES)
Vaaskiventie 12, Hietasaari
- 19 REENIS
Alvar Aallon katu 1
- 20 ADVENTURE PARK HUIKIA
Pikkukankaantie
- 21 LEO'S OULU
Alasintie 10
- 22 SUPERPARK
Tyrväntie 16
- 23 KIPPOINES VILLAGE & ANIMAL PARK
Sipiänkuja 11, Haukipudas

New Museum and Science Centre Tiima Opens Oct 9, 2026

WONDERFUL SUMMER CAFÉS

- 24 CAFÉ KIIKKU | Hupisaaret City Park
Right next to the City Garden greenhouses. There is a wonderful playground near the café!
- 25 CAFÉ KRYPTA | Isokatu 6
In summertime Oulu Cathedral's crypt serves as an accessible cafe.
- 26 TÄHTITORNIN CAFÉ | Linnansaari
Coffee products and delicacies, small art exhibitions and books from local authors.
- 27 HARBOUR CAFÉ-RESTAURANT SEELARI | Puomitie 12
Café in the maritime surroundings of Hietasaari Island.
- 28 MARKET SQUARE SUMMER CAFÉS
All kinds of delightful things from ice cream to traditional treats!
- 29 RESTAURANT BOATS | Market Square Harbour
Treat yourself with salmon soup or smoked meat pizza in floating restaurants!
- 30 CAFÉ RANTSU | Tuira Beach, Koskitie 58
A great place for swimmers and bikers to take a break.
- 31 KOIVURANTA CAFÉ AND SAUNA RAFT | Kasarmintie 51
A cosy summer café and floating waffle bar by the beautiful Oulu River in Värtö district.
- 32 VILLA HANNALA | Kahvelitie 1
Discover a charming garden café nestled in the tranquil beauty of Toppilansaari.
- 33 CAFÉ KARUSELLI | Leiritie 2
While enjoying treats at the café in the amusement park, you can also take a ride on the nostalgic carousel.

OULU IS EUROPEAN CAPITAL OF CULTURE 2026

Culture, art and a wide range of events as well as world-class experiences from near and far are taking over our northern region of 40 municipalities and cities.

Experiences available throughout the year

- 47 CITY HALL
Free admission, book your ticket online
LAYERS IN THE PEACE MACHINE
The installation portrays peace as a dynamic process, that shifts and evolves with the interaction from the participants.
EARWORM - MEDIA ART FROM KIASMA
Exhibition presents video works in which music and sound are a significant part of their atmosphere and narrative.
- 48 SHOPPING CENTRE PEKURI OULU2026 INFO AND SHOP
PLAY - FOTOGRAFISKA TALLINN X OULU2026
Through a multidisciplinary lens of 16 international artists, the exhibition explores play as both a source of joy and a distraction.
- 49 OULU CATHEDRAL
THE LOGOS
British-German artist Andrew Melchior's work is an immersive sound and spatial installation designed for the scale of Oulu Cathedral, featuring real signals originating from space, turned into a music.

Environmental Art

- 50 PIKINEN POLOKU (10 JUNE-30 SEPT)
Find more environmental art through these routes: ARToulu, Climate Clock and Sanginkontu.



Read more: Oulu2026.eu

SOUVENIRS FROM OULU

- 4 RUSTINKI SHOP
Hallituskatu 10
- 5 TAITO-SHOP
Rautatiekatu 11 B
- 6 OULU2026 SHOP, 2nd floor
KURE STORE, ground floor
Shopping Centre Pekuri, Kauppuriinkatu 10
- 7 SUOMALAINEN KIRJAKAUPPA
Shopping Centre Valkea, Isokatu 24-25
- 8 PROTO DESIGN SHOP
Pikisaarentie 17
- 9 OULU10
Torikatu 10

10 OULU MARKET HALL AND AITTATORI
Market Square | oulukauppahalli.fi
The Market Hall, opened in 1901, is now home to for example, cafes, a restaurant, handicrafts and souvenirs, fresh fish, meat and vegetables and a wide variety of local products and treats. You can also find the City of Oulu Tourist Information Center and Oulu Shop from the Market Hall.

In the old storehouses of Aittatori, you'll discover local expertise ranging from jewelry to shoes and fine dining.

SECOND-HAND FINDS

- 34 UFF SECOND HAND
Kirkkokatu 27
- 35 DOM VINTTI & SECOND HAND
Asemakatu 6 & 17
- 36 UNIOTORI
Kirkkokatu 4
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Kauppuriinkatu 10, Shopping Centre Pekuri
- 38 VADELMATARHIA
Kempeleentie 7 B
- 39 JÄRKIKIRPPIS
Tehtaankatu 1
- 40 LÄHIS-KIRPPIS
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- 42 SPR KONTTI
Tyrväntie 14
- 43 SININEN PYSÄKKI
Saaristonkatu 18-20
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Isokatu 26
- 45 KIRPPUTORI LILA
Valtatie 53
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Paakakatu 2

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Kaarlenväylä 2
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Hupisaartenpolku 13
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Automuseontie 3
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Linnansaari
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Pikisaarentie 6
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Sahantie 21
- 58 TURKANSAARI OPEN-AIR MUSEUM
Turkansaarentie 165
- 59 OULUNSALO LOCAL MUSEUM
Jääsköntie 5
- 60 KIERIKKI STONE AGE CENTRE
Pahkalantie 447, Yli-II (Oulu)
- 61 AALTOILO
Alvar Aallon Katu 5
- 62 CULTURAL CENTRE VALVE
Hallituskatu 7



LET'S TAKE A DIP!

Tuira Beach | Koskitie 58
Swim in the river, play beach volley, or relax on the grassy area. A popular sauna raft floating in the river offers relaxation in its gentle heat every day. The beach hosts cubicles for changing and a café.

Värtö Beach | Kasarmintie 53
A popular beach upstream from the city centre. The Koivuranta café, a sauna raft, an ice cream stand, and possibilities for private river cruises offer a wide selection of refreshment and summer fun. The beach has cubicles for changing.

Nallikari Beach | Nallikarinranta
The summer living room for locals, the long and soft beach of Nallikari offers a large activity area for enjoyment. The waters are shallow and very safe for children, too. The area has a holiday village, restaurants, a new central playground, and other services and activities to choose from. Showers and toilets are in Nallikari Aalto building.

► All the public beaches: ouka.fi/en/beaches

EXPERIENCE LOCAL SAUNAS

Bastusauna | Torinranta | bastusauna.fi
A sauna experience on the edge of the market square! Oulu's newest floating sauna has one stove heated with wood and another with electricity. Starting from July, book your sauna time from the website.

Kesän Sauna | Tuira Beach | kesansauna.fi
Heated by volunteers, this sauna is a favourite among locals as well as travellers. You can relax in the floating sauna on the river every day from May to September! See daily service hours online. Please bring your own towel and swimsuit. A café on the beach serves refreshments. Tickets: 7 €/children, 9.25 €/adult.

Löylykontti Tuira | Tuira Beach | loylykontti.fi
New sauna container, which can accommodate 10 people at once. Reservations for the saunas are made in advance via website. Bring your own towel and swimsuit. With the sauna key code, you can use the changing room and shower facilities of Tuira beach. Tickets: 8–12 €/person.

Olosauna | Vaakunakylä | olosauuna.fi | 15, 18

Modern floating village sauna. Enjoy the heat in good company, in a beautifully designed space with breathtaking views. A dip off the pier completes the experience. Ticket includes a towel, seat cover, shampoo, and still or sparkling water – just bring your own swimsuit. In the Olosauna café, you can relax even outside the sauna. Ticket booking from the website. Tickets: 22 €/children, 28 €/adults.

Koivuranta Sauna Raft | Värtö Beach | koivurannansaunaoutta.fi
Enjoy the smooth heat of the floating sauna and take a cooling dip in Oulu River. You can buy delicious refreshments and crispy waffles from the raft café. There is also a jacuzzi for relaxing in the beautiful river scenery. Please bring your own towel and swimsuit. Tickets: 9.50 €/children, 11.50 €/student, 13 €/adults.

Lainesauna | Saarela | lainesauna.fi
Traditional sauna raft offers public sauna in the beautiful scenery of Oulujoki river. Swim in a river or try the hot tub. To avoid queuing, purchase a sauna ticket beforehand from the web site. Bring your own towel and swimsuit with you. Lainesauna make also river cruises and raft can be rented in the harbour for your own group. Tickets: 17 €/person.

Mallassauna | Pikisaarentie 15 | mallassauna.fi
Hailuoto Brewery's Restaurant Mallassauna is serving not only tasty dishes but also sauna experiences in Pikisaari. Outdoor saunas, built from recycled materials through volunteer work, are available for free during the restaurant's opening hours. There is dressing room tent in the yard. Bring our own towel and swimsuit. Check the opening hours on the website.

OULU ♥ CYCLING

You can rent a bike or a fatbike to move around effortlessly in the city and the surrounding nature. Take an independent ride or hire a guide to show you around in Kaakkuri activity centre, on the trails of Hietasaari, or around Pykösjärvi lake. Cycling gives you easy access to sights along the extensive Oulu cycleway network as well as nearby nature destinations.

► ouka.fi/en/cycling

Bike Rental

TOURIST INFORMATION | Kauppatori 1 | visitoulu.fi/info

NALLIKARI HOLIDAY VILLAGE | Leiritie 10 | nallikari.fi

PYÖRÄKORJAAMO LAIHIAINEN | Kirkkokatu 28

pyorakorjaamolaihiainen.com

PYÖRÄ-SUVALA | Lekatie 2 | pyorasuvala.fi

OULUHOTTEL ALLIMARIA | Allitie 1 | ouluhostel.fi

Many of the local hotels can also provide their customers with regular bicycles.

Fatbikes and Guided Tours

LAPPI: lappis.fi

NALLIKARI SAFARIS: nallikarisafaris.fi

NORTHERN RENTAL: northernrental.fi

OULU KITCHEN

HOTROCK-AITTA | Aittatori 9

KAUPPAHALLIN KAHVILA | Kauppatori, Market Hall

FISH RESTAURANT LOHIKEIDAS | Limingantie 5 & Market Square

RESTAURANT NALLIKARI | Nallikarinranta 15

RESTAURANT SARAKKA | Hallituskatu 13-17

RESTAURANT ULEÄÅBORG 1881 | Aittatori 4-5

SCANDIC OULU STATION | Kajaaninkatu 17

MORE RESTAURANTS

ALFRED KITCHEN & BAR | Pakkahuoneenkatu 24

BISTRO MESU | Hallituskatu 1

BAROTS | Rautatienkatu 11A

CAFÉ ROOSTER | Torikatu 26

CHEEZBURG FACTORY | Asemakatu 39

CHITIR CHICKEN | Pakkahuoneenkatu 11

KAUPPURI 5 BURGERS | Kauppurienkatu 5

OSKARIN KELLARI | Uusikatu 26

RESTAURANT HELLA | Isokatu 13

SIIPWEIKOT | Hallituskatu 9

STEFAN'S STEAKHOUSE | Kauppurienkatu 8

STICKY WINGERS | Torikatu 21-23

TUBA FOOD & LOUNGE | Mannenkatu 2

VALVEEN PALJETTI | Hallituskatu 7

VIKING RESTAURANT HARALD | Kirkkokatu 16

RESTAURANTS AND CAFÉS UNDER THE SAME ROOF

SHOPPING CENTRE VALKEA | Isokatu 25

SHOPPING CENTRE PEKURI | Kauppurienkatu 10

OULU MARKET HALL | Market Square

CAFÉS

ANTELL PIHA | Kauppurienkatu 7

HOSTEL-CAFÉ HUVILA | Panimokuja 1

CAFÉ OULU | Kauppurienkatu 3

KAHVILA MAKASINI | Aittatori, Aitta 1

KREEMA | Kainuuntie 1

MON CHOU PÂTISSERIE | Pakkahuoneenkatu 5 B 20

PARK CAFE MAKIA | Otto Karhi Park

PUUSTOLA BAKERY | Pakkahuoneenkatu 15

ROBERT'S COFFEE | Isokatu 28

SAMBA CAFÉ | Hallituskatu 30 M

GUIDED WALKING TOURS

Culture, ghosts, and fateful stories. Come and get to know Oulu with a professional guide. Themed walks offer a variety of stories from Oulu: fascinating tales about the city's history and culture along with facts about today's Oulu. Tours are held in summer both in Finnish and in English. A ticket to a tour is 12,90 €.

Get your ticket:
visitoulu.fi/en/kierrokset
and Tourist Information Centre
at Market Hall.

Book a guide for your own group:
goarctic.fi

DISCOVER OULU

Alvar Aalto Route
Oulu is part of Alvar Aalto Route, which connects sites designed by Alvar Aalto's architecture office into a cultural route across Europe.

► Read more: visitoulu.fi/en/alvar-aalto

Self-Guided Walking Tours

Explore the city's history and waterways with 'The Pearls of the River Estuary' and 'Tracking History in Oulu' routes. From Atla you can find walking tours 'The Sound of the North' and 'Tales of Tar' which are part of the Oulu 2026 European Capital of Culture program.

CITY NOMADI: citynomadi.com

ATLA: atla.fi/oulu

OULU GUIDE: revelguide/ouluguide

Toripoliisi Statue and Market Square

If you have not taken a friendsie with the Toripoliisi statue, you have not properly been to Oulu. The plump guardian of the Market Square is a memorial from last century when actual police officers guarded the area and kept the peace in Oulu for a long time. The officers turned into legends during their lifetime.

Hot tip: You can get your own miniature Toripoliisi statue at the Tourist Info (Market Hall), information desk of the central police station (Kirkkokatu 13) or at the City of Oulu's service point, Oulu 10 (Torikatu 10).

Street Art in Oulu

Find the coolest murals and other paintings in the urban environment. Check out the best spots on the map on the back of this guide.

The Oulu Grade

Oulu went askew in 1783! When the city plan was being renewed, it was based around the Franzén House in the corner of Kirkkokatu and Kajaaninkatu. However, contrary to the planners' beliefs, the angle was not 90 degrees. Therefore, the streets in the city centre cross each other in either 89- or 91-degree angles, and the walls of buildings have had to be drawn awry on purpose.

Wonderful Wooden Districts

Discover the idyllic city districts where you can sense the presence of Oulu history. Be charmed by old town of Pikisaari, the island of artisans and artists and find the old residential blocks of Kuusiluoto at the northeast end of Holihihaka Park. Be sure to also visit the wooden districts of Karjasilta and Puu-Raksila, both of which have been evaluated as important residential areas in view of cultural history. Also drop by to see the architecture from the end of the 19th century in Intiös old barracks area and visit Hietasaari's historic villas with their nog towers.

FOR A RAINY DAY

Cinema, Theatre and Music

CINEMA FINNKINO PLAZA | Torikatu 32

CINEMA STAR | Kalliotie 6

THEATRE ROLIVE | Hallituskatu 11

OULU THEATRE | Kaarlenväylä 2

OULUN TYÖVÄEN NÄYTTÄMÖ | Upseerinkatu 4

POP UP STAGE KLONKKA | Hallituskatu 20

SUMMER'S WEEKLY PROGRAMME

Find Oulu's summer activities with guided tours! Explore the Oulu river delta on a SUP-board, enjoy sea breeze on a kayak tour, or experience nature on a fatbike safari. On a guided city walking tour you will hear interesting stories of the city that is a European Capital of Culture 2026.



Explore Oulu's restaurant scene on Oulu Guide

OULU SYMPHONY & OULU MUSIC CENTRE | Leevi Madetojan katu 1-3

CULTURAL CENTRE VALVE | Hallituskatu 7
Cinema, Theatre and Art Exhibitions

Local Arts & Exhibitions

OULU ART MUSEUM | Kasarmintie 9

GALLERY 5 | Hallituskatu 5-7

GALLERY 33 | Hallituskatu 33

NELIÖ GALLERY | Asemakatu 37

JIIPEE.ART SHOWROOM | Hallituskatu 12

ART GALLERY FINLAND | Torikatu 7

GALLERY MABD | Torikatu 4

GALLERY VOX | Pakkahuoneenkatu 8

GALLERY TASO | Pikisaarentie 15

PIKIGALLERY | Pikisaarentie 15

DESIGN CENTRE PROTO | Pikisaarentie 17

Bowling and Billiards

OULU BOWLING ALLEY | Isokatu 97

ALPPIA BOWLING | Tukkimiehentie 1

SPACE BOWLING & BILLIARDS | Saaristonkatu 9

CITY BILJARD | Ylioppilaantie 4 C

Games and Escape Rooms

ARCTIC GLOW MINIGOLF OULU | Torikatu 15-17

PELIBUNKKERI & MEGAZONE | Pakkahuoneenkatu 17

LABYRINTH GAMES ROOM ESCAPE | Asemakatu 10

CITY ESCAPE GAMES | Isokatu 8, Ylioppilaantie 4 C

EXIT OULU | Uusikatu 13-15 & 22

PAKOTALO | Isokatu 30

Versatile Movement

OULU CLIMBING CENTRE | Paakakatu 7 | 4, 20, 21

REENIS | Alvar Aallon katu 1 | 4, 20, 21

NALLISPORT | Vellamontie 9 | 15

KAAMOS CLIMBING | Kallisenhaara 3 | 3, 9, C, D

Shopping Malls

OULU MARKET HALL | Kauppatori 1

SHOPPING CENTRE PEKURI | Kauppurienkatu 10

SHOPPING CENTRE VALKEA | Isokatu 25

IDEAPARK OULU | Ritaharjuntie 49 | 3

Top-Notch Disc Golf Courses

You can find several excellent courses for disc golf around Oulu!

► See courses: frisbeegolfradat.fi/radat/Oulu

MOVING AROUND IN OULU

Biketaxi – Experience Oulu Summer Riding a Rickshaw! | biketaxi.fi
No transport in summery Oulu is quite as fun and ecological as a rickshaw taxi. Hop on the rickshaw to ride to your destination or take a sightseeing tour. Book your own biketaxi by phone or hop on one at the biketaxi stand.

Electric Scooters for Carefree Rides!

You can get around by renting an electric scooter. Please remember to mind your own and other people's safety by complying with the service providers' instructions.

Take a Ride with City Train

You can get to Vauhti puisto amusement park and Nallikari beach from Oulu city centre smoothly with city train Potnappeikka. Train operates daily between June 29 and August 1. In the city centre, the ride starts across the street from City Hall (next to Snellman Park) and in Nallikari the stop is next to Vauhti puisto. The train ride is included in the price of a Vauhti puisto wristband or season ticket. Single fares: 8 €, 4 € for 5-14 year-olds, and 0-4 year-olds free of charge.

WATER ACTIVITIES

Sea Cruises for Groups

HERITAGE VESSEL OULU SHIP: merellinenoulu.com/see-oulu-from-the-sea-on-our-ship/

M/S ALEXANDRA: oulines.fi (for big groups)

PRIVATE CHARTER CRUISES: theview.fi (for small groups)

Get Wild in the Waterpark! | Linnansaari 1 | vesipuistot.fi
Oulu Waterpark is a must for every water adventurer to experience for testing their limits. Spend the most exciting summer day on the ninja-type course set on water. Floatation vests as well as wetsuits to keep you warm are available at the Waterpark.

Behind the City Hall, you'll find a small boy named Martti and his companions – part of the Ajankulku sculpture (2005) by Sanna Koivisto.



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SUP Boarding and Paddling

In the Oulu River estuary, you can enjoy laid-back summer days by SUP boarding or paddling. Adventure activity agencies will guide you to these sports and the environment safely under instruction. More experienced enthusiasts can rent a SUP board, a kayak, or a canoe and head out to the estuary on their own for a refreshing day.

Five routes of different lengths have been designed for paddling or SUP boarding in the river estuary and on the sea in front of Nallikari Beach. There is a good selection of skill levels from beginners to experienced paddlers with varying scenery and detailed route descriptions on the paddling map. When paddling along these routes, please remember to mind your own safety as well as that of others.

► ouka.fi/melontareitit

Paddling Services and Tours

OULU PADDLING CENTER: lappis.fi

NALLIKARI SAFARIS: nallikarisafaris.fi

BACKWOOD ACTION: backwoodaction.fi

GO ARCTIC: goarctic.fi

FISHING

Let's Catch Some Fish!

By acquiring a fishing license, you can fish on the sea or on the river right next to Oulu city centre either independently or with a guide. Buy a fishing license conveniently from the Kalapassi online store: kalapassi.fi. Licenses for rod fishing are also sold at Oulu10 service desk at Torikatu 10.

► ouka.fi/en/fishing

Fishing Tours

ATTESON FISHING: atteson.fi

BACKWOOD ACTION: backwoodaction.fi

NALLIKARI SAFARIS: nallikarisafaris.fi

SILVERY GOLD FISHING: silverygoldfishing.fi

WILDFISH GUIDING: wildfishguiding.com

UNFORGETTABLE DAYTRIPS IN AND AROUND OULU

Take a Refreshing Hike in the Oulu Nature!

► ouka.fi/outdoors
► We urge hikers to abide by good outdoor etiquette: nationalparks.fi

Oulu offers fantastic opportunities for outdoor activities every season of the year. There are plenty of marked nature trails for hiking, with bird-watching towers and campfire sites along the way. Oulu Tourist Information can provide you with recent maps of the nature destinations. You can also find the maps at the website marked above.

There are numerous grilling spots in the city area that are free to use. Bring your own firewood!

GUIDED TRIPS FOR SMALL GROUPS

Guided nature tours in the Oulu region, including Hailuoto Island, Nallikari seaside and Sanginjoki Nature Reserve. Activities are tailored to all ages, providing unique experiences in the Finnish outdoors.

TONTTU TÄRMÖN PAJAJA: tonttutarmonpaja.fi

MAJAKKA OUTDOORS: majakkaoutdoors.fi

WINDLAND: windland.fi

DAYTRIP DESTINATIONS

Pohjola Route: A New Way to Discover Finland!

The ideal summer road trip destination. Get to know the shores and the fells, wetlands and forests, lakes, rivers, the Bothnian Bay and national park sceneries. Plan your summer road trip online: pohjolaroute.fi

Botanical Garden | University of Oulu, Kaitoväylä 5 | 1, 2, 3, 5, 6, 52, 52K
oulu.fi/en/university/botanical-garden

The botanical garden is a wonderful place to visit and learn about the diversity of the plant world. The pyramid-shaped greenhouses provide tropical heat around the year, and the outdoor gardens showcase a variety of trees and bushes as well as useful and ornamental plants. There is a voluntary entrance fee to the greenhouses.

Pilpasuo | Miehonseläntie 219 | visitoulu.fi/en/pilpasuo

A diverse forest and wetland nature area awaits you with little task checkpoints and campfire sites. Lystireitti (Fun Trail), a shorter trail with a length of 1 km suits families in particular. Aistireitti (Sensory Trail), the longer trail of 7 km goes around the whole area. The wetlands are part of ancient coast that rose from the sea after the Ice Age and are nowadays inhabited by many bird species.

Sanginjoki | Sanginjoentie 1101 | luontoon.fi/en/destinations/sanginjoki

The Sanginjoki Nature Reserve is located about 20 km from Oulu city centre. This diverse area offers over 40 km of hiking trails. A new accessible trail and campfire spots are available for visitors. The Loppula Nature Café is a great starting point for circular routes.

Koiteli Rapids | Koitelinkoskentie 420 | visitoulu.fi/en/koiteli

A day trip destination for the whole family in Kiiminki, 25 km from Oulu. In the scenic surroundings of Koiteli, you can stroll by the rapids, fish, try white water rafting or just sit on the riverbank cliffs and enjoy

the sound of water. If you get hungry, you can prepare a picnic at the campfire sites or grab a bite from the café or ice cream kiosk.

Liminka Bay Visitor Centre | Rantakurvi 61 | 52A, 53, 53A

visitliminka.fi/en/liminganlahi

The resting, feeding