

Eat

FISHERMAN'S WHARF MOO

釧路フィッシャーマンズワーフMOO

MOO is the best place to eat the local seafood. **Ganpeki Robata** (Mid May to Late October) is facing on the wharf, you can enjoy the fresh seafood cooked on a charcoal grill. Indoor food village "**Harbor booth**" (Minato-no-yatai) on the 2nd floor, serves sashimi, fireside-cooking, sushi and yakitori. Particularly **Boo** is the most popular seafood booth, often crowded.

12:00 - 16:00 & 17:00 - 22:00 Ganpeki Robata (Mid May to Late Oct), 17:00 - 24:00 Harbor Booth

NAGOYAKATEI

なごやか亭

Eastern Hokkaido's top conveyor belt sushi restaurant located on the east bank of Lake Harutori. Clean and spacious dining hall serves more than 100 kinds of tasty sushi. Take bus 3 / 17 / 30 from Kushiro Station to Harutori Ice Arena.

11:00 - 22:00

ROBATA

炉ばた

This archaic tavern is the birthplace of fireside-cooking (robata yaki) in Japan, feel free to enjoy the tasteful grilled fishes and shellfishes with alcohol. Located in Suehirocho nightlife district.

17:00 - 23:00 / Closed Sun (except Late Apr and Early May & August to October)

WASHO MARKET

和祥市場

Easy access from Kushiro Station, just 3-minute walk to the right hand. You can choose and eat the fresh seafood with bowl of rice.

8:00 - 18:00 (to 16:00 Sun) between Apr and Dec, 8:00 - 17:00 (to 16:00 Sun) between Jan and Mar

Transportation

KUSHIRO BUS TAKUBOKU CIRCLE LINE

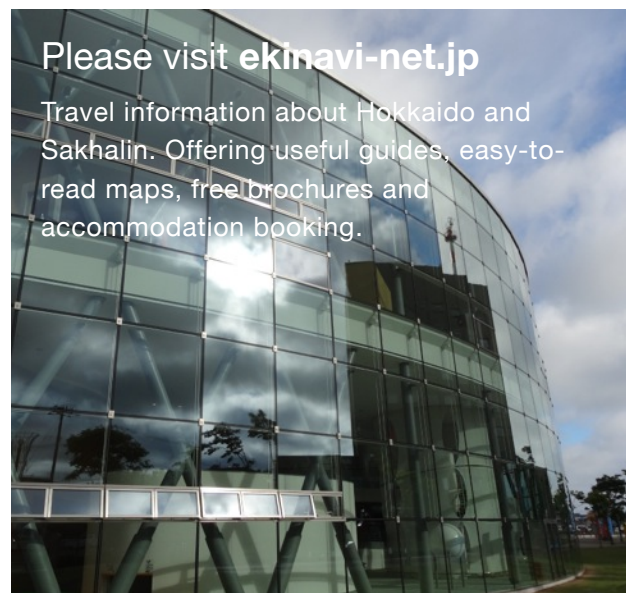
くしろバスたくぼく循環線

Depart and arrive at Kushiro Station Terminal (in front of Super Hotel), this route is the most useful for tourist. Route: Kushiro Station - Shamotora dori - Yonemachi Park - MOO - Children's Museum - Washo Market - Kushiro Station (every 40 minutes between 7:20 and 20:00)

KUSHIRO SHITSUGEN NOROKKO GO

くしろ湿原ノロッコ号

Senmo Line's most popular sightseeing train between Kushiro and Toro (2 daily, Late April to October), runs through the Kushiro Wetland and calm riverside. If you want to watch the stunning views, get off the train at Kushiro Shitsugen Station and walk to the Hosooka Observatory.



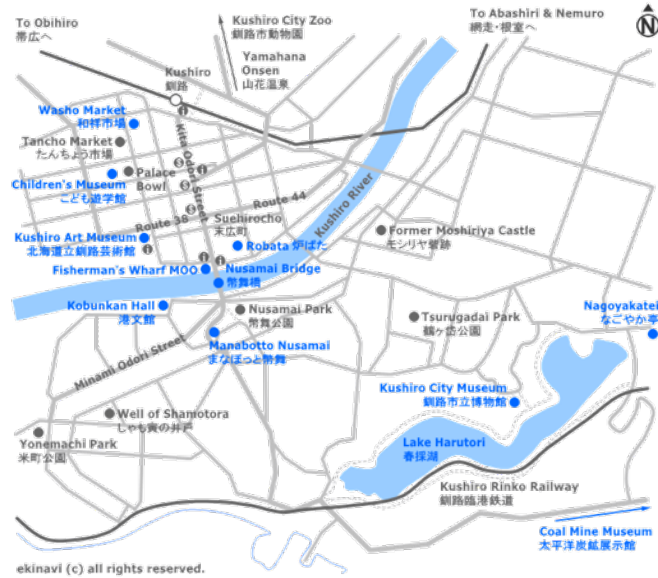
CENTRAL KUSHIRO

THINGS TO DO & AREA MAP

The smart travel guide



AREA MAP

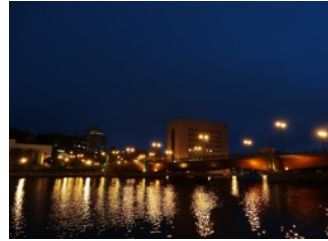


Sights & Museums

NUSAMAI BRIDGE

幣舞橋

One of Hokkaido's most famous bridges across the Kushiro River, close to Fisherman's Wharf and Suehirocho. Watch the sunset on the bridge. Free open-air foot bath behind the La Vista Kushirogawa, take a break after drinking.



Nusamai Bridge at evening



Bronze statue and MOO

LAKE HARUTORI

春採湖

This natural lake is spread on the south side of city central, it's specified as a Japan's natural monument. Walk around the calm lake, rowing boat is also good idea. Coal mine freight line pass through the lakeside.



Overlooking the natural lake

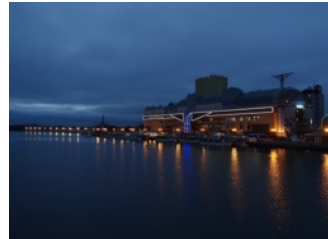


View from Kushiro City Museum

KUSHIRO FISHERMAN'S WHARF MOO

釧路フィッシャーマンズワープMOO

Kushiro's massive landmark located on the riverside, features unique restaurants, harbor booth, fireside-cooking and free wi-fi. 10:00 - 19:00, to 24:00 harbor booth / free



Facing Kushiro River



Fireside-cooking

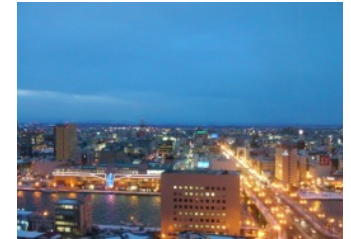
MANABOTTO NUSAMAI

まなぼと幣舞

Lifelong learning center on the south side of Nusamai Bridge. Enjoy the night view from observatory or restaurant. 9:00 - 22:00 observatory, 11:00 - 21:00 restaurant



Manabotto Nusamai



Night view from the observatory

KUSHIRO CITY MUSEUM

釧路市博物館

Eastern Hokkaido's top museum on the lakeside hills, designed by Kiko Mozuna. 9:00 - 17:00 / Closed Mon (public holiday: the next day), Year-end & New Year / 400 yen

KUSHIRO ART MUSEUM

北海道立釧路芸術館

Great art collection and exhibition near Kushiro River. 9:30 - 17:00 / Closed Mon (public holiday: the next weekday), 29 Dec - 3 Jan / free except exhibition

CHILDREN'S MUSEUM

こども遊学館

Hyper modern architecture, learn science through play with children. 9:30 - 17:00 / Closed Mon (public holiday: the next day), Year-end & New Year / 580 yen

KOBUNKAN LITERATURE MUSEUM

港文館

Learn about local port history and Takuboku Ishikawa, facing Kushiro River estuary. 9:00 - 18:00 (10:00 - 17:00 Nov to Mar) / free