

Walking Tour in Yoichi

Explore Central Yoichi on foot!

Distance **6km** / Duration **7 hours**

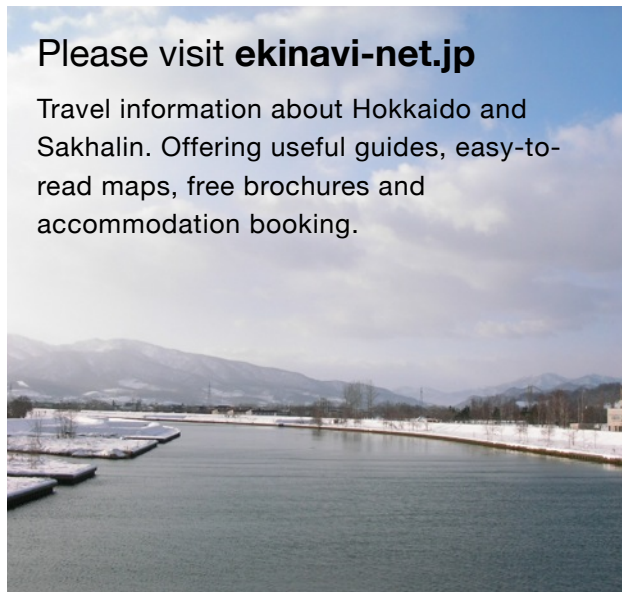
- **YOICHI STATION**
3-minute walk
- **NIKKA WHISKY YOICHI BREWERY**
3-minute walk
- **YOICHI SPACE MUSEUM**
18-minute walk
- **FORMER SHIMOYOICHI CUSTOMS RESIDENCE**
10-minute walk / lunch or tea time
- **FORMER FUKUHARA FISHERS RESIDENCE**
18-minute walk
- **YOICHI FISHERIES MUSEUM**
13-minute walk
- **YOICHIGAWA ONSEN**
15-minute walk / Getting into hot water
- **YOICHI STATION**
GOAL!

Information

YOICHI STATION & ELRA PLAZA

Gateway station to Shakotan Peninsula, there are lockers. Ticket window 6:45 - 17:40. Elra Plaza Tourist Information Center (9:00 - 17:00) has local souvenirs. Offers bicycle rental from Late April to Late October.

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THINGS TO DO & AREA MAP

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AREA MAP



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Sights



NIKKA WHISKY YOICHI BREWERY

ニッカウヰスキー余市蒸留所

Japan's most famous whisky brewery located in front of Yoichi Station. Mr. Masataka Taketsuru learned the preparation of whisky in Scotland, established a Dainihon Kaju Corporation in 1934 with his wife Rita. Souvenir shop sells a large selection of tasteful whiskies. Try the tasting at Nikka Hall 2nd floor.
10:00 - 17:00 (free guide tour 9:00 - 15:30 every half hour except 12:30) / Closed 25 Dec - 7 Jan / Free



FORMER FUKUHARA FISHERS RESIDENCE

旧余市福原漁場

This herring palace residence was prosperity from 1850s to 1900s. Welcome atmosphere, staff is very friendly.
9:00 - 16:30, Early Apr to Early Dec / Closed Mon except holiday, day after the holiday / 300 yen



YOICHI SPACE MUSEUM

余市宇宙記念館

This Town is know as the hometown of Mr. Mamoru Mori, first Japanese astronaut to go in space in 1992. Learn about the history and technology of Japanese space development. Museum shop selling a lot of space-related products of JAXA and NASA, comparable to Tsukuba Space Center official shop.
9:00 - 17:00, 3rd Sat of Apr to 30 Nov / Closed Mon (public holiday: the next day) except Golden Week / 500 yen



YOICHI FISHERIES MUSEUM

よいち水産博物館

Located on the Mount Moire, go up the narrow road from police station intersection. Features the museum of history and folklore.
9:00 - 16:30, Early Apr to Early Dec / Closed Mon except holiday, day after the holiday / 300 yen

Getting into hot water after walking, this onsen is located in Mr. Mamoru Mori (First Japanese Astronaut)'s former residence. Provides open-air baths and tavern. 5 minutes on foot from Space Museum.
9:30 - 22:00 year round / 420 yen



FORMER SHIMOYOICHI CUSTOMS RESIDENCE

旧下ヨイチ運上屋

The only Edo Period's exiting customs residence in Hokkaido, built in 1853. Right opposite the Japanese tea room serves traditional cuisine and green tea.
9:00 - 16:30, Early Apr to Early Dec / Closed Mon except holiday, day after the holiday / 300 yen

