









PRODUCT MANUAL FOR TRAVEL TRADE

VUOKATTI, FINLAND

Vuokatti in a Nutshell

Situated in the municipality of Sotkamo in Kainuu region **Number of inhabitants:** Sotkamo 10,500 of which 3,000 in

Distances: Sotkamo municipality centre 7 km, Kajaani 34 km,

Helsinki 590 km, Rovaniemi 350 km Number of hotels: 6 | Cottages: 850 Capacity: 8,500 beds | Slopes: 13 Ski tracks: 150 km | Hiking trails: 150 km

Winter activities: cross-country skiing, downhill skiing, skating, husky safaris, snowmobile safaris, snowshoeing, reindeer, fat biking, ice-fishing, gym, tennis, badminton, swimming, ice-bathing Summer activities: hiking/ trekking, cycling, mountain biking, fat biking, fishing, boating, canoeing, huskies in summer, nature tours, gym, tennis, golf, badminton, swimming, wildlife watching

Restaurants specializing to the local culinary:

- Kippo (at Break Sokos Hotel Vuokatti, p. 30)

- Haapala (in connexion of Haapala BnB, p. 29) Ainoa (in connexion of the Hotel Aateli, p. 27) Easy Kitchen (at Holiday Club Katinkulta, p. 31) Nuas (at Hotel Vuokatti & Suites Apartments, p. 26)

Anorak (in Kajaani)

Shopping:

- Local souvenirs and handicraft in Sotkamo: K-Supermarket 2nd floor, Kainuuntie 18
- Local souvenirs and handicraft: Kajaani: Kainuun Pirtti, Linnankatu 18
- Local berry wines & jams: Vuokatin Viini, Vuokatinhovintie 15

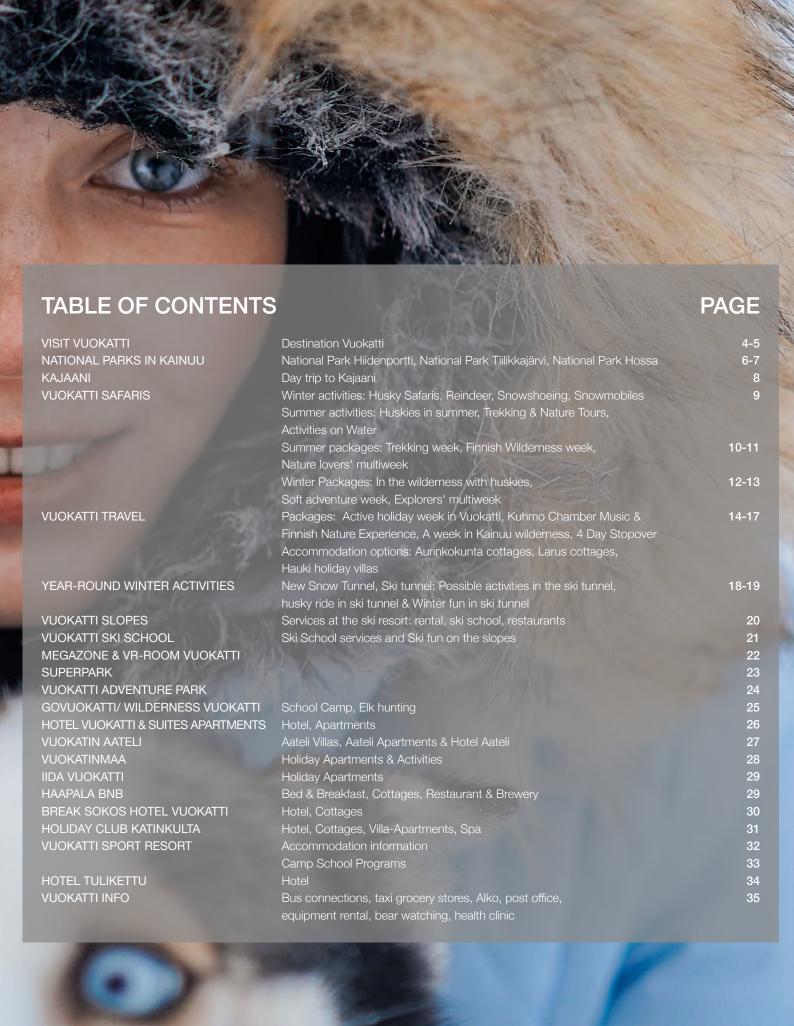




Accessibility

The nearest airport is situated in Kajaani (KAJ) approximately 40 km from Vuokatti. There are 2-4 daily flights in from Helsinki (HEL) to Kajaani operated by the national carrier Finnair. The flight time is 1 h 20 min. There is a shuttle bus service connecting Vuokatti and the airport. The driving time is 40 min. International car rental companies have also their service point at the airport of Kajaani. Airport shuttle A. Kyllönen: www.akyllonen.fi/airbus

The nearest railway station is situated in Kajaani, approximately 35 min. from Vuokatti. There are a few daily trains connecting Kajaani with Helsinki (6 h via Lahti, Kouvola, Mikkeli and Kuopio) and Kajaani with Oulu (2 h). From Kajaani there is a local bus connection to Vuokatti (travel time approximately 1 h). Please note that there are seasonal changes in the bus timetables.









VUOKATTI

VUOKATTI - THE BEST MIXTURE OF THE FINNISH EXPERIENCE

Vuokatti is one of the most popular all year round holiday resorts in Finland and it is especially favoured by those who want to spend an active nature holiday in an authentic Finnish atmosphere. Situated in the Arctic Lakeland, just in the middle of the country at the crossroad of Lapland and the Lakeland district, Vuokatti and the surrounding area in the province of Kainuu offer visitors a mixture of the highlights of the best Finnish experience in one package.

The landscape of Vuokatti is a combination of hills and lakes and vast forest areas. The highest point on the Vuokatinvaara hill is at the level of 326 meters which maybe sounds modest, but the view opening from this point is breathtaking with large lakes and wilderness. It is often quoted as one of the national landscapes of Finland and was earlier depicted also on the 500 FIM banknote.

There is a dense well kept and marked net of skiing and hiking routes (150 km) around the resort of Vuokatti and the Vuokatinvaara hills. These routes are easily accessible from all the accommodation facilities and enable everybody to discover and enjoy the arctic nature. In wintertime 32 km of the the skiing tracks are illuminated. Thanks to the fact that Vuokatti Sport is the Olympic Training Center for the Nordic skiing disciplines the cross-country skiing tracks are always kept in ideal conditions not only for the professionals but equally for the leisure travelers.

DIVERSE OFFER OF ACTIVITIES BOTH IN SUMMER AND WINTER

Vuokatti is the best cross-country skiing resort in Finland and the outdoor skiing season always starts on the 10th of October at 10am no matter what the weather outside is. 50,000m³ snow made by snow-canons during the previous winter and carefully stored during the summer season is the secret to the early opening of the skiing season. Depending on the development of the weather the first skiing tracks grow gradually and reach at the peak season the length of 150 km. The Vuokatti downhill skiing center opens the slopes normally in November.

In wintertime one can easily make all the "must do" Finnish snow activities (i.e. snowmobile and husky safaris, snowshoeing) in Vuokatti area. The aurora season starts in Vuokatti at the same time as everywhere else in Finland, in September when the nights become darker. The probability to see this natural phenomenon in Vuokatti is around 25% which means that if your vacation lasts one week you should see the aurora borealis at least once during your stay.

In summertime Vuokatti and the surrounding area suit ideally for a visitor who looks for the Finnish summer and nature activities such as hiking, fishing, canoeing, boating, wildlife watching or relaxing cottage life with the traditional Finnish sauna.

ALL YEAR ROUND

Vuokatti is the only Finnish resort offering all year round winter activities. The world's first skiing tunnel built in 1998 offers possibility to practice cross-country skiing all-year-round. Besides skiing, this is the place where you can try husky sledding and snowshoeing also in summertime. Check out the newest addition to the slope activities: in the shelter of a tunnel you'll find an all-year-round activity park with snow fun for the whole family, from downhill skiing, snowboarding and tubing to thrilling snow-filled activities for kids.

Families with children will definitely appreciate a visit to an indoor activity park, Superpark situated in Vuokatti or a relaxing time spent in the spa and sauna world in Holiday Club Spa Katinkulta.

CENTRE FOR SPORTS ENTHUSIASTS AND PROFESSIONALS

The development of Vuokatti as a holiday resort dates back to the 1940s when the Vuokatti Sport Institute started to function. Since then Vuokatti has become a favorite place for different sport teams of national and international level to camp and train in the area. The unique facilities, such as the ski tunnel, snow tunnel, ice arena, sport laboratory and other services have since long been recognized as the best place in Finland for the professionals. Therefore Vuokatti Sport has the status to be an official Olympic Training Center for the Nordic Skiing

disciplines. All these facilities are naturally available for leisure travelers who want to get a slightly more professional touch to their activities.

Another special group which Vuokatti suits ideally for is youth camp schools. The large scale of activities and accommodation facilities in the area are undoubtedly a big plus when schools are choosing the place for a study tour. Vuokatti offers interesting programs with emphasis to active nature experience, winter or summer sport or Finnish lifestyle.

LOCAL CULTURE

The unique geographical position of the province of Kainuu at the crossroad of Lapland and Lakeland reflects not only to the shape of the nature but also to the culture of this province. The proximity of the Russian boarder and Karelian culture gives to this combination an extra flavor and offers to the visitor a possibility to feel the Finnish lifestyle as its best.

TAR

Production of tar was one of the main sources of living in the province of Kainuu until the First World War. Kainuu area produced the main part of the tar in whole world. Tar was produced by slowly burning wood and the ready-made tar was transported to export in big barrels (125 liters) by the rivers and lakes which connect Kainuu area with the harbor of Oulu in the Gulf of Bothnia.

In Kajaani you can visit the old castle ruins from the 17th century and see the only functioning tar canal in the world. In summertime "tar rowing performances" take place in the canal. Additionally the Museum of the Kainuu province in Kajaani has a good exhibition unveiling the history of tar industry in Kainuu area. Tar is also an ingredient in the local culinary. Learn more under "Culinary experiences and specialities".

SOTKAMO

Sotkamo is the municipality where the resort of Vuokatti is situated. The Sotkamo center is situated some 7 km from Vuokatti and it only takes 5-10 minutes drive by car. The center is a typical modern Finnish municipality center with a good selection



of shops and other services. Just like everywhere else in Finland the most of the old wooden buildings in Sotkamo were unfortunately replaced modern bv constructions starting from the 1960s and 1970s. A lot of old elegance of the Finnish towns and villages perished that time when the modern architecture was in the main stream. A historical scale model depicting Sotkamo center in 1939 can be seen in the local handicraft shop in Sotkamo center. The shop is situated on the second floor of the local K-Supermarket and it also offers also a large scale of authentic local souvenirs and handicraft.

Sotkamo has – surprisingly enough – one of the best sand beaches in Finland. The Hiukka beach by the Lake Sapsojärvi in the Sotkamo center, often quoted as "the Riviera of Kainuu", is a very popular and crowded place in a sunny summer day. Sunbath and a dip to fresh water on this great beach is a real Finrelax activity. In summertime you can also enjoy the services of the beach restaurant.

Just few steps away from the beach one can also find a large Finnish baseball arena. The local baseball team "Sotkamon Jymy" is one of the best teams in Finland and has won the national championship 18 times. In summertime baseball games of highest national league take place regularly at the local baseball arena.

CULINARY EXPERIENCES & SPECIALTIES

The great history of tar production is reflected also to the local culinary. In Kajaani the famous bakery of Pekka Heikkinen found in 1913 is baking tar flavored bread (tervaleipä in Finnish). The bread is sold in a few local shops, but a visit to the bakery shop and café of Pekka Heikkinen in Kajaani is a "must" when visiting this area.

In Vuokatti, Huuskola farm is manufacturing dairy products such as icecreams and sorbets, cheeses, yogurts etc. One of the most exotic flavors of their home-made ice-creams is tar. You can buy Huuskola farm products in the local shops or visit their farm house café.

NAAPURINVAARA DANCE HALL

Naapurinvaara is one of the best dance halls of Finland —a place located next to the famous tourist centre of Vuokatti.

Open air dance places and dance pavilions

began to appear to the Finnish landscape in towns and villages starting from the second half of the 19th century. The peak of the popularity of open air dance places and dance pavilions in Finland was after the Second World War in the 40s and 50s when there were thousands of temporary and stable dancing places all over the country. Starting from the 60s the popularity and number of the dancing places started to diminish when new modern leisure activities such as television became more popular. However, a certain number of dance pavilions still remain in Finland and during the few past decades the popularity of social dances and dance pavilions is growing again.

The current pavilion was first built in 1959. Today the dancing evenings take place on Saturdays from March to November. There is always live music and a guesting popular Finnish artist or orchestra playing during the evening. Up to 2,000 - 4,000 people can visit the pavilion when the performing artist is popular enough. But every dancing evening is a piece of the deepest authentic Finnish culture. You can hear traditional melancholic and modern Finnish dance music, see a mass of people enjoying the rhythm of the dance and of course visiting the "buffet" – the bar offering drinks and small snacks.

From Naapurinvaara hilltop, an amazing view opens over the hill-flanked open lake waters of Southern Kainuu. On a clear day, it is possible to see all the way to the neighbouring provinces of North Karelia and Northern Savonia. Of course, Vuokatinvaara dominates the scenery

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NATIONAL PARKS IN KAINUU REGION

HIIDENPORTTI NATIONAL PARK

The canyons of Hiidenportti are an impressive sight. Along the path leading to the main gorge you can experience a shady spruce forest, a flowery meadow and woodland that used to be cleared periodically by slash-and-burn farmers. The park has many fascinating places and stories for anyone interested in cultural history to discover.

Distance from Vuokatti: 53 km

SERVICES FOR VISITORS

The Palolampi rental hut is available for hire for group meals. A nature information shelter, a cooking shelter, campfire sites and firewood, dry toilets.

HIKING TRAILS

There are almost 30 km of marked and duckboard covered trails in Hiidenportti National Park.

Circle Trails: Hiidenkierros Trail, 3-5 km, Kitulankierros Trail, 10.5 km.

TIILIKKAJÄRVI NATIONAL PARK

The park's lovely lakeshores include the beautiful beach of Venäjänhiekka (Russian Sands), whose name relates to the 1595 Treaty of Teusina which divided these lands between Sweden and Russia. An old border stone in lake Tiilikkajärvi still bears a crown and a cross symbolising the two countries. A sandy esker ridge formation runs through the lake, adding to the varied natural scene. Slow down, relax, and enjoy a refreshing dip in the lake.

Tiilikkajärvi National Park was established to preserve wilderness-like lake, river and esker ecosystems, as well as, the open aapa bogs surrounding lake Tiilikka. The lake is about 4 km² in size. The humus-filled river Itkonjoki flows into lake Tiilikka after having passed through the parks mires. Lake Tiilikka has very few aquatic plants as the water is quite hard when it flows from the mires.

Distance from Vuokatti: 62 km

ACTIVITIES

Hiking: There are approximately 20 km of marked trails.

Skiing: The route is made up of two classic cross-country tracks (7 km and 17 km).

Canoeing

Contact Hiidenportti National Park

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CAMPFIRE SITES

The park's campfire sites are located at Sammakkotammi, at Uiton kämppä rental hut, at Koirakivi rock and at Koseva and Venäjänhiekka camping sites.

Please note that lighting campfires is forbidden if the forest fire warning is in effect.

This prohibition does not apply to cooking shelters or other fireplaces with a flue.

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HOSSA NATIONAL PARK

The magnificent wilderness of Hossa is an excellent destination: the trails running along pine heaths invite you to hike and cycle, and the crystal-clear lakes to go canoeing and fishing. The rock paintings of Julma-Ölkky and Värikallio depict stories of shamanism, dating back thousands of years.

The forests and waters of Hossa are easily accessible to visitors. There are a wide range of hiking and biking trails, and the waters invite you to go canoeing and fishing. On your trip, you will travel along the same routes as the area's first inhabitants did 10,000 years ago.

In the national park, you may also travel outside the trails, but it is advisable to move along the paths in order to avoid eroding the terrain. Please adhere to the national park's rules and the principles of litter-free hiking.

Distance from Vuokatti: 209 km

SERVICES FOR VISITORS

Hossa Visitor Centre (open from March to October), open wilderness huts, lean-to shelters, campfire sites and firewood, camping sites, camping grounds, rental huts, dry toilets.

Services provided by partners are available in the area. There is a café-restaurant at the Hossa Visitor Centre. You can prepare food at cabins, huts and rest spots.



HIKING

The marked trails are mainly easy (90 km) and they are suitable for day trips and for longer hikes. Fairly easy water routes (60 km).

CAMPFIRE SITES

Hossa National Park boasts 14 lean-to shelters and 5 open wilderness huts, next to which there is a campfire site.

Campfires are only allowed at designated campfire sites.

Making an open fire is forbidden when a forest fire warning is in effect.

This prohibition does not apply to cooking shelters or other fireplaces with a flue.

Contact Hossa National Park

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NORDIC MARKETING







KAJAANI

Most visitors of Vuokatti arrive by plane to the airport of Kajaani (KAJ), also the nearest railway station to Vuokatti is situtated in the city of Kajaani. The distance between the Kajaani city center and Vuokatti is only some 34 kilometers. The capital of the province of Kainuu is an ideal day trip destination from Vuokatti and there are a few local buses by day connecting Vuokatti with Kajaani.

Kajaani was founded in 1651 and around half of the whole population of the province of Kainuu now lives in Kajaani. The number of inhabitants is 37,000. The city center is compact and all the main objects of interest are situated in walking distance.

Kajaani has also a good selection of shops, shopping malls, restaurants and bars. In July the stemship Kouta, the northest steamship in Finland and whole Europe, makes regular cruises on the Lake Oulujärvi. Charter cruises on the steamship Kouta are available from June to September.



SIGHTS AND ATTRACTIONS Kajaani Castle Ruins

The northernmost stone castle in the world.

Tar Canal

The only tar canal in the world, built in the 1840's. Situated by the castle ruins.

Churches

Lutheran & Orthodox churches in the city center. Paltaniemi Church (open in summertime).

Old City Hall

The old city hall in the centre is the oldest building in Kaiaani.

Steamship Kouta

The steamship Kouta is the northernmost steamship in Finland and whole Europe. Enjoy the beautiful sceneries of lake Oulujärvi during lakeland cruises in summer. <u>oulujarviristeilyt.fi</u>

Museums

Museum of Kainuu region, Art Museum.

SHOPPING FACILITIES

The main shopping street in the city center is Kauppakatu.

Local handicrafts and design can be purchased at Kainuun Pirtti (Linnankatu 18, by the castle ruins).

CULINARY EXPERIENCES AND RESTAURANT SERVICES

Pekka Heikkinen: Bakery Café and Shop

Pekka Heikkinen offers local bread (including the one with tar flavor), sweet and savory pastries, cakes, chocolates and cookies. The Puu-uunileipä - a rye bread baked in a wood heated oven - is one of the most popular souvenirs.

pekkaheikkinen.fi/eng

Anorak: Restaurant, Café and Bar

Anorak's kitchen prefers local ingredients as Finland and especially the Kainuu region. anorak.fi

More Restaurants & Cafés in Kajaani Full list of restaurants and cafés on

visitkajaani.fi/en

ACTIVITIES AND PROVIDERS Guided Tours

Lakeland Cruises

More Activities

Full list of activities on visitkajaani.fi/en

ACCOMODATION FACILITIES Manor House Hotel Karolineburg karolineburg.fi

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VUOKATTI SAFARIS

HUSKY SAFARIS

Vuokatti Safaris' husky kennel invites you to come and join in the magic of sled dog driving. Welcome to take part to one of our daily husky safaris, duration ranging from 1.5 h to 5 h. Always included introduction to our huskies day to day lives and visit to the husky kennel. Multiday husky packages also available.

Season: 15.11.2019-16.04.2020 **Duration:** 1.5-5 h, also multiday tours Participants: 2-50 pax, depending on the program.

Price: Rates and commission on request. Price per adult/ child (4-14 yrs).

REINDEER, SNOWSHOEING & WINTER **ADVENTURES**

Meet our reindeer and enjoy a memorable sleigh ride! You will also learn about these arctic animals and reindeer herding in Finland on this exciting tour. Snowshoeing is the perfect way to explore Vuokatti's winter landscape authentically. Take part in one of our weekly snowshoeing tours daytime or in the evening where with a bit of luck you might see the amazing show of Aurora borealis. Other winter adventures include ice-bathing in a frozen lake, cross-country skiing adventure, ice-fishing and fatbike tours.

Season: 15.11.2019-15.04.2020, depending on the program. **Duration:** 1.5-4 h

Participants: 4-30 pax, depending on the program.

Price: Rates and commission on request. Price per adult/ child (4-14 yrs).

SNOWMOBILE SAFARIS

Welcome to enjoy the wild nature and beautiful wintry scenery of Vuokatti on snowmobiles. We have several snowmobile safaris suitable from beginners to advanced drivers. You will have an unforgettable winter activity day on one of our daily safaris with the lead of our experienced local guides who will give you instructions for driving and information about snowmobiles before setting off.

Season: 01.12.2019-16.04.2020. Duration: 2-5 h. Participants: 2-24 pax, depending on the program.

Price: Rates and commission on request. Price per driver/ passenger/ child (5-14 yrs).

HUSKIES IN SUMMER

Come and meet our friendly dogs! Learn more about energetic world of the huskies in one of our husky excursions in the summer - tour in the husky arena, ride with a husky mercedes, or spend a day trekking with huskies.

Season: 01.06.-30.10.2020. **Duration:** 1-4 h Participants: 2-50 pax, depending on pro-

Price: Rates and commission on request. Price per adult/ child (4-14 yrs).

TREKKING & NATURE TOURS

Vuokatti Safaris has various trekking and nature tours to offer. In our tours you can admire beautiful views from the hills, pick berries and mushroom or visit Hiidenportti National Park to get in touch with the wilderness. You can also spend a day or a night like Robinson Crusoe on our deserted Island excursion! On a bear watching evening we can promise a truly unforgettable experience to meet Europes' largest carnivore in the nature!

Season: 01.06.-31.10.2020. Duration: 2 h-1 night. Participants: 2-20 pax, depending on the program. Bigger groups on request.

Price: Rates and commission on request. Price per adult/ child (4-14 yrs).

ACTIVITIES ON WATER

In the summertime we have various exciting excursions on water. A relaxing guided canoe & kayak trip, a fun lake safari where you enjoy beautiful views and sceneries of Vuokatti or maybe you can try your luck on a fishing trip on lake Nuas. Another possibility is to try our new speedboat where twists and turns will give you adventurous excursion you'll never forget. For small groups we can also offer church boating which is a fun way to explore our waterways and hear about interesting tar culture.

Season: 01.06.-31.10.2020. Duration: 2-7 h Participants: 1-12 pax, depending on the program. Bigger groups on request.

Price: Rates and commission on request. Price per adult/ child (4-14 yrs).

Services included (valid for all activities):

Transfer from accommodation (except the tour in husky arena). All equipment needed. Meals depending on activity. Guide.

Vuokatti Safaris

For over 10 years, Vuokatti Husky Ltd and Vuokatti Safari have been offering a wide range of all-year-round activity programs in Vuokatti. At the end of the year 2014 these two local family businesses joined together to form a new company named Vuokatti Safaris. With the merger, we're now one of the most versatile safari companies in Finland. We offer an extensive range of options for truly memorable travel experiences available all year round. In the wintertime we focus on husky, snowmobile, snowshoe, reindeer, northern lights and ice-fishing safaris. And in the summertime in trekking and nature tours, bear watching, huskies and excursions on water.

Vuokatti Safaris is also a DMC operating in Vuokatti area. We work with all accommodations and service providers in Vuokatti and are happy to tailor-made adventure packages for your liking. You can find few examples of our adventure packages on this product manual and several more at our website.

Note: Family-run local company

Founded: 2014 Employees: 3-12

Languages: English, German (wintertime)

Season: year-round Week program: available

Types of activities offered: reindeer, husky, snowmobile, snowshoe walking, Christmas/ New Year packages, northern lights tours, animal/bird watching, fishing, hiking, canoeing/kayaking, biking, nordic walking, fatbike, photography tours, floating, adventure packages

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Package: Finnish Wilderness Week Season: 01.06.-30.09.2020 **Duration:** 6 days/ 5 nights Participants: 4-20 pax

Package: Three National Parks and Finnish wildlife by foot

Departures dates 2020: 19.-26.07.2020, 16.-23.08.2020, 13.-20.09.2020

Duration: 8 days / 7 nights Participants: 6-20 pax Minimum age: 12 years

Package: Nature Lovers' Multiweek

Season: 01.06.-30.09.2020 **Duration:** 8 days/ 7 nights Participants: 4-20 pax

Note: Guiding in English.

Services included (valid for all packages) Transfers: Airport transfer from Kajaani

airport and transfers to the activities from accommodation in Vuokatti.

Equipment: Depending on activity.

Meals: Depending on activity. Snacks + drinks/ lunch/ dinner.

Accommodation: All overnight stays as described are included.

We have the best alternatives for accommodation whether you prefer to stay in a holiday apartment or in a hotel. Excursions: All excursions are guided.

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ACTIVE SUMMER PACKAGES IN VUOKATTI

FINNISH WILDERNESS WEEK

Perfect holiday for anyone seeking new experiences in astonishing Finnish nature. In this package you will have a guided hike at Vuokatti Hills, experience Europe's largest carnivore in the nature and try Husky sledding in the summer but will also have some time for yourself to explore the destination. Perfect for families and groups!

Day 1: Arrival

Flight from your airport via Helsinki to Kajaani, transfer to your accommodation. Check-in and time to explore the resort.

Day 2: Hiking tour

Today your experience in Finnish wilderness really starts. You will enjoy a relaxing hiking tour via the scenic route across the hills. Your local guide tells you stories about Vuokatti region, while you get to enjoy the Finnish nature at its best - beautiful lake views, hill scenery and fresh forest. Duration of the excursion 2 hrs. Rest of the day you can explore the resort, go swimming or fishing -Vuokatti has plenty of choice.

Day 3: Bear watching

You can sleep in a bit as you won't leave for the bear watching before afternoon. We can promise truly an unforgettable experience and the best opportunity to take the shot of a lifetime from the comfort and safety of our specially designed hides. At 2 pm transfer from Vuokatti, pick up from your accommodation.

You'll be escorted to a wooden hide where you can safely wait for the appearance of the bears. After magical evening accompanied by bears, at 9.30 pm you will be escorted back to our bus and transfer back to Vuokatti. Duration of excursion 8-10 hrs.

Day 4: Dog sledding with "Husky Mercedes" After watching magnificent bears yesterday evening, this day will be spent socializing with huskies. Transfer to Husky Center where you will experience dog sledding in the summer with our "Husky Mercedes"! Ten huskies pull this specially adapted cart on wheels around the circuit. Program includes harnessing the dogs with guide and husky ride about 1.5 km depending on temperature. After the ride you will have a tour in Husky Arena and will learn about huskies' daily lives. Duration of excursion 2 hrs with transfers.

Day 5: Leisure time

The last day in the nature wonderland. Maybe you'll just enjoy the nature, have another husky safari or go hiking- the choice is yours and there will definitely be something for everyone.

Day 6: Departure

Transfer to the airport and flight back home.

Price: Rates and commission on request. Price per adult/ child (4-14 yrs).





THREE NATIONAL PARKS AND FINNISH WILDLIFE BY FOOT

Come and join our unforgettable hiking week in Kainuu wilderness! During these seven days you will get to know not just hiking trails in Vuokatti area but also in three different National Parks nearby. And not to forget once in a lifetime-experience to meet brown bears in the wild on our bear watching evening. Our professional guide will be with you the whole week telling stories of the area and not forgetting tar history and shaman culture that can be still seen in the area.

Day 1: Arrival

Flight Helsinki – Kajaani, transfer from the airport to your accommodation and check-in. Time to explore the resort, go shopping or just have a ride with your bike.

Day 2: Hiking trip

Breakfast. After breakfast pick up to your first hike. A relaxing hiking tour via the scenic route across the hills. Local guide tells you stories about Vuokatti region, while you get to enjoy the Finnish nature at its best – beautiful lake views, hill scenery and fresh forest. Your guide will also tell you about multiple hiking routes we have in Vuokatti area – we have over 100 km of hiking trails for you to choose from. Duration of hike 3 hrs.

Day 3: Hiking in Tiilikkajärvi National Park

Breakfast. After breakfast it is time to head out to the first National Park for this week. Tiilikkajärvi National Park has interesting history as it is one of the borders which divided these lands between Sweden and Russia (1595). An old border stone in Lake Tiilikkajärvi still bear a crown and a cross symbolising the two countries. Today you will hike the park's most popular trail, the Uiton kierto circular trail (7 km) which runs through easy terrain around lakes Sammakkojärvi and Autiojärvi. Duration of hike around 4 hrs and total duration of excursion 6 hrs.

Day 4: Hiking in Hiidenportti National Park

Breakfast. Today you will need your camera, so remember to load up the battery. You will head out to Hiidenportti National Park already in the morning. The canyons of Hiidenportti alone are an impressive sight but you will be also astonished by shady spruce forests and flowery meadows. Route length approximately 3 km and duration of hike around 2 hrs. After the hike drive to Kuhmo for lunch. After lunch

you'll be escorted to a wooden hide where you can safely wait for the appearance of the bears. After magical evening accompanied by bears, at 9.30 pm you will be escorted back to our bus and transfer back to Vuokatti.

Day 5: Leisure time

Breakfast. This day is optional in Vuokatti – maybe you'll have another hike in one of our beautiful trails or book one of the optional activities.

Day 6: Hiking in Hossa National Park

Breakfast. After pick up you have a transfer to the newest National Park of Finland. The magnificent wilderness of Hossa National Park is an excellent destination: the trails running along pine heaths invite you to hike with some ups and downs making this hike a bit demanding. You will be amazed by the rock paintings of Julma-Ölkky and Värikallio depict stories of shamanism, dating back thousands of years. Duration of hike around 4 hrs, length 5 km and total duration of excursion 7 hrs.

Day 7: Leisure time

Breakfast. This day is the last day in our nature paradise – another hike or bike trail is waiting for you, one of our optional activities or why don't you spend the day at Katinkulta Spa relaxing.

Day 8: Departure

Breakfast. Unfortunately it is time to head home. Check-out and transfer to the airport.

Price: Rates and commission on request. Price per adult/ child (4-14 yrs).

NATURE LOVERS' MULTIWEEK

This week you'll explore all the best excursions Vuokatti has to offer – from hiking in the impressive National Park to canoeing in the paradise of paddlers and enjoying the views of Vuokatti at a lake safari. You will also have some time to enjoy the nature and Vuokatti's many activities by yourselves. Perfect for active families!

Day 1: Arrival

Flight from your airport via Helsinki to Kajaani, transfer to your accommodation. Check-in and time to explore the resort.

Day 2: Hiking tour

Today your experience in Finnish wilderness really starts. You will enjoy a relaxing hiking tour via the scenic route across the hills. Your local guide tells you stories about Vuokatti

region, while you get to enjoy the Finnish nature at its best – beautiful lake views, hill scenery and fresh forest. Duration of the excursion 2 hrs. Rest of the day you can explore the resort, go swimming or fishing – Vuokatti has plenty of choice.

Day 3: Lake safari

Take part in a fun lake safari where you will enjoy beautiful views and sceneries of Vuokatti from the water. Guide will show you important sites of Vuokatti from the water and tells stories of the resort. Stop at idyllic Naapurivaara resort for snacks. Possibility also to have a swim or buy an ice cream from the café. Duration of excursion 3 hrs.

Day 4: Hiidenportti National Park

Today you will explore the great nature of Hiidenportti National Park. The canyons of Hiidenportti alone are an impressive sight but you will be also astonished by shady spruce forests and flowery meadows. Route length approximately 3 km. After the hike drive back to Vuokatti. Duration of excursion 4-5 hrs with transfers.

Day 5: Canoe tour

Day five will be enjoyed on the water. A different way to explore nature is by taking a canoeing trip. Finland can be called the Paradise of Paddlers, becse of the clean water, thousands of islands, small rivers, and rich nature. This paddling excursion suits well also for beginners. Duration of excursion 2 hrs.

Day 6: Dog sledding with "Husky Mercedes"

This day will be spent socializing with huskies. Transfer to Husky Center where you will experience dog sledding in the summer with our "Husky Mercedes"! Ten huskies pull this specially adapted cart on wheels around the circuit. Program includes harnessing the dogs with guide and husky ride about 1.5 km depending on temperature. After the ride you will have a tour in Husky Arena. Duration of excursion 2 hrs with transfers.

Day 7: Leisure time

Last day in Vuokatti can be spent by your own wishes. Maybe you will have another hike or just relax and go for a swim in one of our pure lakes

Day 8: Departure

Transfer to the airport and flight back home.

Price: Rates and commission on request. Price per adult/ child (4-14 yrs).



Package: Soft Adventure Week Season: 01.12.2019-16.04.2020 Duration: 6 days/ 5 nights Participants: 2-20 pax, groups on

request

Package: In the Wilderness with Huskies Departure dates 2020:

Three departures: Sun-Fri 12.-17.01., Sun-Fri 19.-24.01., Sun-Fri 08.-13.03.

Duration: 6 days/ 5 nights Participants: 4-10 pax Minimum age: 14 years

Package: Explorers' Multiweek Season: 10.01.-15.04.2020 Duration: 8 days / 7 nights Participants: 2-20 pax, groups on

request

Note: Guiding in English and German.

Services included (valid for all packages) Transfers: Airport transfer from Kajaani airport and transfers to the activities from accommodation in Vuokatti

Equipment: Full winter wear (overalls, boots, baclava, hat, mittens)

Meals: Depending on activity. Snacks + drinks/lunch/dinner.

Accommodation: All overnight stays as described are included.

We have the best alternatives for accommodation whether you prefer to stay in a holiday apartment or in a hotel. **Excursions:** All excursions are guided.

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ACTIVE PACKAGES IN WINTRY VUOKATTI

SOFT ADVENTURE WEEK

Perfect holiday for anyone seeking experiences in winter wonderland. In this package you will have fun driving a husky sled and a snowmobile, spend one afternoon snowshoeing but will also have time for yourself to explore the destination. Perfect for families and groups!

Day 1: Arrival in Vuokatti

Flight from your airport to Kajaani, transfer to your accommodation. Check-in and time to explore the resort.

Day 2: Husky ride on Nuppo & Nallo Trail

Today your experience in Finnish wilderness really starts. Transfer to the Husky Center where you feel the excitement build as the dogs are harnessed and put into their running teams. Vuokatti Safaris' experienced guides will teach you the basics of driving a husky sled, before setting you off on our Nuppu and Nallo winter trail. This trail is 0.5 km long and we'll drive it several rounds. Introduction to our huskies' day to day lives and hot drinks included. Adults and teenagers can safely drive themselves, whilst children sit warmly on board the sled. Duration of program 2 hrs incl. transfers. Rest of the day you can explore the resort, go tobogganing or whatever you feel like - Vuokatti has plenty of choice.

Day 3: Snowmobile safari

This is the day for everyone who loves speed. Transfer to the Safari Center for introduction and gearing up. This two hour snowmobile

safari is a perfect way to enjoy our winter wonderland and its' amazing sceneries. We drive two persons per snowmobile with our new Touring model snowmobiles – due to new technology it's safer and more environmentally friendly as it produces lower emissions. On our way back we'll stop for a break and enjoy hot drinks & snacks. This safari suits well for beginners too. Duration of program 2.5 hrs incl. transfers. Rest of the day you can head to the ski slopes or try out other activities.

Day 4: Snowshoe adventure

Snowshoe adventure is the perfect way to explore Vuokatti's winter landscape authentically. We'll start from the Safari Center where we'll teach you how to use the snowshoes. We'll head up to the Vuokatti hills and enjoy the snowy forest and amazing winter scenery. After the walk we'll enjoy some hot drinks and snacks during the relaxing break. Duration of program 2.5 hrs incl. transfers.

Day 5: Traditional husky safari

The last day in the winter wonderland. Transfer to the Husky Center where you will be swept from the excitement of the arena out into the peaceful and surreal winter forests. Learn how to harness the sled dogs and practice the skill of driving over a long distance. This trail is 6 km long and you'll drive it with traditional Björkis 2 person sled. You will be inspired by the peaceful motion and the beautiful scenery. Hot drinks included. Duration of program 2.5 hrs incl. transfers.



Day 6: Departure

Transfer to the airport and flight back home. **Price:** Rates and commission on request.

Price per adult/ child (4-14 yrs).

IN THE WILDERNESS WITH HUSKIES

Vuokatti Safaris invites you to join us for this unforgettable Husky Adventure for five days! This tour offers more than just the excitement of sled dog driving. It is a discovery of Finland and its unique environment. Come and join us for a once in a lifetime husky adventure!

Day 1: Arrival in Vuokatti

Flight from your airport via Helsinki to Kajaani, transfer to your accommodation. Check-in and time to explore the resort.

Day 2: Traditional husky safari

Be swept from the excitement of the arena out into the peaceful and surreal winter forests. Learn how to harness the sled dogs and practice the skill of driving over a long distance. This trail is 12 km long and you'll drive it with traditional Björkis 2 person sled. You will be inspired by the peaceful motion and the beautiful scenery. Hot drinks included. After safari, transfer back to your accommodation. Duration of excursion 3-4 h incl. transfers.

Day 3: Northern lights hunt with huskies

Morning at leisure. In the late afternoon transfer to the Husky Kennel as today you will be hunting the Northern lights with huskies. You will embrace the romance and beauty of the Finnish winter wonderland as you set of at night by dog sled. Powerful headlights cut through the darkness of the enchanted winter forest. As the forest gives way to the open frozen lake, on a clear night the heavens open up before your eyes hopefully offering up the spectacular scenery of the Northern Lights. Relax by the warmth of the fire in our traditional Mongolian Yurt as your guide serves up delicious picnic dinner, then step outside for another spectacular view of the night sky. Come and enjoy this unique adventure being driven by your personal guide as you are wrapped in the warmth of reindeer hides, or join in the driving, either way this peaceful relaxing tour will glisten in your memory for a long time to come. We drive 2 persons per sled. After excursion transfer back to your accommodation. Duration of excursion 4-5 hrs incl. transfers.

Day 4: Husky safari - 30 km

Transfer to the Husky kennel from your

accommodation. Today you will have your own sled for the whole 30 km long trail which offers you a true sense of adventure as you enter areas less traveled. Be captivated by the scenic winter wonderland. You will also have the opportunity to enjoy some delicious hot food and drink with your guide as you relax in our traditional Mongolian yurt by the warmth of the fire. After excursion transfer back to your accommodation. Duration of excursion 5-6 hrs incl. transfers.

Day 5: Leisure time

This day is for options. For example you can take a snowmobile safari or snowshoe safari, hit the slopes, go cross country skiing or spend the day at Katinkulta Spa relaxing.

Day 6: Departure

Transfer to the airport and flight back home via Helsinki.

Price: Rates and commission on request. Price per adult.

EXPLORERS' MULTIWEEK

Perfect package for those who want to have the best excursions and also a couple of days for skiing, winter fun with family or just relaxing and enjoying the nature. Make friends with huskies, have fun on snowmobile safari and hike with snowshoes – enjoy the very best of what Vuokatti has to offer for explorers. Perfect for families!

Day 1: Arrival in Vuokatti

Flight to Kajaani, transfer to your accommodation. Check-in and time to explore the resort.

Day 2: Traditional husky safari

Today your experience in Finnish wilderness really starts. Transfer to the Husky Center where you will meet the dogs and will be introduced to our huskies day to day lives. Learn how to harness the sled dogs and practice the skill of driving over a long distance. Be swept from the excitement of the arena out into the peaceful and surreal winter forests. This trail is 6 km long and you'll drive it with traditional Björkis 2 person sled. You will be inspired by the peaceful motion and the beautiful scenery. Hot drinks included. Duration of excursion 2.5 hrs incl. transfers. Rest of the day you can explore the resort.

Day 3: Snowmobile safari

This is the day for everyone who loves speed. Transfer to the Safari Center for introduction and gearing up. This two hour snowmobile safari is a perfect way to enjoy our winter wonderland and its' amazing sceneries. We drive two persons per snowmobile with new Touring model snowmobiles – due to new technology it's safer and more environmentally friendly as it produces lower emissions. On our way back we'll stop for a break and enjoy hot drinks & snacks. This safari suits well for beginners too. Duration of excursion 2.5 hrs incl. transfers. Rest of the day you can head to the ski slopes or try out other activities.

Day 4: Leisure time

This day is for options. For example you can hit the slopes, go cross country skiing or why not spend the day at Superpark?

Day 5: Northern lights hunt with huskies

Morning and day leisure time to do as you please - maybe some tobogganing or relaxing day at Katinkulta Spa – because today is the day to hunt Northern lights with huskies. Truly unique husky adventure on our 12 km trail when the night falls. Come and join us to our beautiful route with a scenery of Vuokatti Hills and with a good luck the amazing show of Aurora Borealis. The trails is 12 km long which takes approximately 1 h (depending on weather). After an hour of husky sledding it is time to get to know our always friendly dogs better on a tour in our husky arena. Plenty of time to take photos and pet the dogs. After meeting the huskies, delicious picnic dinner is waiting at our cozy cafeteria. Duration of excursion 3.5 hrs incl. transfers.

Day 6: Snowshoe adventure

Snowshoe adventure is the perfect way to explore Vuokatti's winter landscape authentically. We'll start from the Safari Center where we'll teach you how to use the snowshoes. We'll head up to the Vuokatti hills and enjoy the snowy forest and amazing winter scenery. After the walk we'll enjoy some hot drinks and snacks during the relaxing break. Duration of excursion 2.5 hrs incl. transfers.

Day 7: Leisure time

The last day in the winter wonderland. Maybe you'll just enjoy the nature, have another husky safari or hit the slopes – the choice is yours and there will definitely be something for everyone.

Day 8: Departure

Transfer to the airport and flight back home.

Price: Rates and commission on request. Price per adult/ child (4-14 yrs).



Vuokatti Travel

Vuokatti Travel is a DMC office operating in Vuokatti and Kainuu region - one of the best destinations that Finland has to offer. Vuokatti Travel is a full-service travel agency. We work locally, know our area throughout and are here to help you with your perfect holiday. Choose from our ready-made packages or give us your own ideas and tell us your wishes - we will create a tailor-made program especially for you. Our company was founded in year 2009, but an overall experience of our highly qualified staff in the tourism industry is more than 30 years. We are based in Vuokatti and mainly tailor our programs to the region. However, we have built an excellent network all across Finland during many years of successful cooperation with our loyal partners and are willing to include other regions in our customized programs. Vuokatti Travel also specializes in arranging the training camps for national, junior and children's biathlon, cross-country skiing, nordic combined and ski jumping, hockey and figure skating teams. We help sports teams from numerous European and Asian countries to arrange their annual training camps in Vuokatti and other regions of Finland.

Spend your unforgettable holiday with us!

Founded: 2009 Employees: 3

Languages: English, Russian

Season: year-round Week program: available

Types of activities offered: husky, snowmobile, alpine sking, cross-country skiing, snowshoe walking, Christmas/ New Year packages, northern lights tours, animal/ bird watching, fishing, hiking, canoeing/ kayaking, horseback riding, biking, nordic walking, fatbike, golf

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VUOKATTI TRAVEL

ACTIVE HOLIDAY WEEK IN VUOKATTI

A speedy husky ride, visiting the exciting SuperPark, relaxing in Holiday Club Katinkulta's bubbling pools... All during one stay! If you want both - to experience all the activities as well as take your time to relax - this is the right package for you. In addition to the activities above, you will be accommodating in a hotel right in the centre of beautiful Vuokatti with all the amenities nearby.

Example holiday program:

Day 1: Arrival; Transfer from Kajaani to Vuokatti (if needed). Check-in at the hotel. Spa day! Start your holiday by relaxing.

Day 2: Breakfast. Finnish nature hiking tour (summer season) or snowmobile safari (winter

Day 3: Breakfast. Whatever your heart desires! Day 4: Breakfast. Husky ride (every season). Optional: Independent visit to the centre of Sotkamo. Make the visit even more fun by renting a bike and cycling your way to Sotkamo (approx. 6 km).

Day 5: Breakfast. Whatever your heart desires! Day 6: Breakfast. Visit at the SuperPark.

Day 7: Breakfast. Last day activity - perhaps golf, paddling (summer), snowshoe adventure (winter) or cross-country skiing (every season). Day 8: Breakfast. Check-out. Departure to

Kajaani airport/ railway station (if needed).

Season: all year round **Duration:** 8 days/ 7 nights Languages: English Participants: min. 1 pax

Services included: Return transfer from Kajaani airport or Kajaani railway station (if needed). 7 nights accommodation in a modern hotel room incl. breakfast.

Spa ticket, SuperPark ticket, husky mercedes ride & Finnish nature hiking tour during summer season, husky Nuppu and Nallo husky ride & snowmobile safari during winter season. Note: Optional chosen activities to be paid separately.

Starting place: Vuokatti Provider: Vuokatti Travel

Prices:

Rates and commission on request. Price per adult/ child (2-12 yrs).

KUHMO CHAMBER MUSIC & FINNISH NATURE EXPERIENCE

Kuhmo Chamber Music is a world-famous festival, that takes place in Kuhmo, Eastern Finland. Fabulous musicians from all over the world perform at the festival. Concerts are held at the modern Kuhmo Arts Centre hall with its excellent acoustics, and also in the traditional Kontio School and Kuhmo's imposing Church. The whole village of Kuhmo is full of music during the festival!







Program highlights:

- Experience the unique atmosphere of Kuhmo Chamber Music Festival
- 2. Get to know the Finnish countryside
- 3. Explore the amazing nature by hiking across Vuokatti hill
- 4. Admire Finnish carnivores in Kuhmo's Visitor Centre Petola
- Sleep well in the comfortable hotel in Vuokatti and enjoy the traditional local food



Season: 18.-21.07.2019, 25.-28.07.2019; July 2020 (dates to be confirmed)

Duration: 4 days/3 nights (Thu.-Sun.) **Languages:** English **Participants:** min. 4 pax

Services included: 3 nights in the hotel of your choice (4 options) incl. half-board (breakfast & dinner). Tickets for 2 concerts (day concert on Friday and evening concert on Saturday), visit to Petola Visitor Centre, hiking tour (including drinks and snacks), bicycle rental for 1 day (Saturday).

Optional services: Transportation from/to the airport by the airbus which stops by the hotel, (price on request), transportation from Kajaani airport/railway station to Vuokatti and back (price on request); transportation to Kuhmo and back on Fri. and Sat. (price on request). Another option is a rental car. It is recommended to make reservations in advance.

Note: Festival program: <u>www.kuhmofestival.fi</u> (The program for 2020 will be published in December 2019).

Starting place: Vuokatti Provider: Vuokatti Travel

Prices:

Rates and commission on request. Price per adult.



A WEEK IN KAINUU WILDERNESS

Experience the best of Kainuu region on this self-driving tour. 5 different destinations in 8 days. Break the everyday stress with the combination of wellbeing treatments, healthy local food and outdoor life.

Itinerary

Day 1 - Arrival (Wed.): Arriving at the chosen airport Kajaani, Oulu or Kuusamo. Checking in at the local hotel.

Day 2 - Ukkohalla (Thu.): Breakfast in the hotel. Drive to Ukkohalla and check-in at the Hotel Ukkohalla Chalets. Mountain biking tour via the scenic route across the hills (3 h). Sauna World and Spa.

Day 3 - Paljakka (Fri.): Breakfast at the hotel. Drive to Paljakka (approx. 30 min.). Visit to the fishing park (max. 3 h) incl. fishing of 1 rainbow trout. Others need to be released. Other fish than rainbow trouts have no quotas. Checkin at the Paljakka Ski Villas. Fishing trip to the nearest lakes with guide (3-5 h). Catching the northern pike and the zander.

Day 4 - Kajaani (Sat.): Drive to Kajaani (approx. 50 min.). Free time to spend in Kajaani. Places to visit: The Kainuu museum, Kajaani Town Theatre, Kajaani Castle Ruins, Tar Canal, Kajaani Evangelical Lutheran Church and Kajaani Orthodox Church. Check-in at hotel Karolineburg - accommodation in Manor Room. Picnic in the Manor Garden of Karolineburg. Free time to spend in Kajaani before dinner in the restaurant Anorak.







Day 6 - Vuokatti (Mon.): Breakfast at the hotel. Husky farm visit. Hiking tour via the scenic route across the hills (2 h). Visit Haapala BnB and tour through the brewery. Finnish beer tasting.

Day 7 - Kuhmo (Tue.): Breakfast at the hotel. Free time in Vuokatti and Sotkamo village. Drive to Kuhmo (approx. 55 min.). Checking in at Hotel Kalevala. Bear watching night - start at the hotel at 15 h. Meeting the "Wild Brown Bear" in its natural environment, the wild taiga, is an unforgettable experience and an opportunity to take the picture of a lifetime from the comfort and safety of specially designed bear hides. Early dinner at the bear center before going to the hides.

Day 8 - Kuhmo (Wed.): Back to the hotel in the morning; breakfast. Free time in Kuhmo city. Visit for example the Visitor Centre Petola, Juminkeko - the information center for the Kalevala and Karelian Culture, Winter War Museum and Tuupala Museum. Paddling tour on lake Lammasjärvi. Peat sauna.

Day 9 - Departure (Thu.): Breakfast at the hotel. Drive to the airport.

Season: 29.05.-11.09.2019 (except 19.06-26.06.2019) & 27.05.-16.09.2020 (except: 17.06-24.06.2020)

Duration: 9 days / 8 nights



Languages: English
Participants: min. 2 pax

Services included: 8 nights, 7 breakfasts, 2 dinners, 1 picnic basket.

Mountain biking tour, fishing tour, husky farm visit, brewery tour, beer tasting, bear watching night, paddling tour, peat sauna, access to 2 different spas

Note: This is a self-guided tour so there is no guide or operator accompanying the whole time

Starting placs & distances from Ukkohalla: Oulu (178 km), Kajaani (95 km) or Kuusamo airport (188 km).

Provider: Vuokatti Travel

Prices:

Rates and commission on request. Price per adult.



Our most flexible holiday package includes comfortable accommodation and a wide range of activities to choose from*. If you are restricted in time but would still like to enjoy the most of what Vuokatti has to offer, this package is meant for you. You can pick as many exciting things to do as you wish from the list of activities presented in our seasonal 7-day program. You can make your selection upon arrival or pre-book in advance.



Wide range of activities presented in Vuokatti Safaris' weekly schedule (summer/ winter).
*Chosen activities to be paid separately

Season: all year round Duration: 4 days/ 3 nights Languages: English Participants: min. 1 pax

Services included: 3 nights incl. breakfast. Return transfer from Kajaani airport or Kajaani railway station (if needed). Spa & SuperPark tickets.

Optional services: Activities from a 7-day program (summer/ winter), chosen activities to be paid separately: husky ride, canoe & kayak trip, fishing, hiking tour, bear watching evening, snowmobile safari, northern lights adventures, ice-fishing, snowshoe tour, reindeer sleigh ride.

Note: It is possible to extend the package with one or more nights.

Starting place: Vuokatti Provider: Vuokatti Travel

Prices

Rates and commission on request.

Price per person.





ACCOMMODATION OPTIONS

Aurinkokunta Cottages

Aurinkokunta cottages consist of six two story units built in 2012. Cottages are located in close proximity to the Vuokatti ski slopes, ski tracks and hiking trails are also right around the corner. Here you can enjoy a nice and calming holiday but you are still close to everything in Vuokatti.

Each cottage is 120 m², has a fully equipped kitchen and a cozy living room with a fireplace. Downstairs, there is one bedroom with a double bed, sauna, bathroom and separate toilet. Upstairs, there are three bedrooms; two with separate beds for 2 persons and one with two beds that can be either separated or made as double bed. Upstairs is a second toilet.

Availability: year-round

Number & type of cottages: Six two story cottages with four bedrooms each.

Cottage facilities: Air conditioning, WiFi internet, ceramic stove, coffee maker, dishwasher, drying cupboard, DVD, electric kettle, electric outlet for car, fireplace, flat screen TV, floor heating, freezer, fridge, hair dryer, microwave, outdoor grill, oven, electric sauna, tableware, toaster, washing machine, wood for fireplace, child facilities (chair and baby cot, if requested).

Note: dogs are allowed; parking places available; next supermarket in 4 km

Accessibility: Kajaani Airport (42 km), train station (35 km), transfer for additional charge



HAUKI Holiday Villas

High-class HAUKI holiday villas are located in a peaceful and close to nature environment in a 2.5 ha area on the waterfront of Lake Iso-Sapsojärvi. There is an unbelievable view from the villas over the lake all the way to the famous Hiukka sand dunes. Villas have their own 200 metres shoreline and in addition holiday villas have rowing boats, a shared pier and a grilling place at the waterfront.

HAUKI-holiday villas have 3 bedrooms, living room, fireplace, fully equipped kitchen, sauna, bathroom, utility room, 2 toilets and a terrace. One bedroom has a double bed, second bedroom has two separate beds and the third bedroom a sofa bed. In addition there is also a sofa bed in the loft.

Availability: year-round

Number & type of cottages: Two villas with three bedrooms each.

Cottage facilities: Air conditioning, WiFi internet. child facilities, coffee maker, dishwasher, drying cupboard, DVD, electric kettle, electric outlet for car, fireplace, flat screen TV, floor heating, freeze rbox, fridge, microwave, outdoor grill, oven, rowboat, electric sauna, tableware, toaster, vacuum cleaner, washing machine, wood for fireplace, child facilities (chair and baby cot, if requested).

Note: dogs are not allowed; parking places available; next supermarket in 5 km

Accessibility: Kajaani Airport (42 km), train station (35 km), transfer for additional charge

Accommodation Options / Packages



LARUS Cottages

LARUS-cottages are situated in a beautiful lakeside lot by lake Nuasjärvi, opposite of Holiday Club Katinkulta. Guests have the opportunity to enjoy the own grilling place by the lake which has spectacular views over the lake. Cozy cottages give the possibility to spend a relaxing and effortless holiday in a peaceful environment. Cottages have a fully equipped kitchen, living room, 2 or 3 bedrooms, bathroom, sauna and terrace.

Availability: year-round

Number & type of cottages: Five cottages in total: Three with three bedrooms and two with two bedrooms.

Cottage facilities: WiFi internet, child facilities (chair and baby cot, if requested), coffee maker, dish washer, drying cupboard, DVD, electric kettle, electric outlet for car, fireplace, flat screen TV, floor heating, freezerbox, fridge, hair dryer, microwave, outdoor grill, oven, room for ski maintenance, rowboat, electric sauna, tableware, toaster, washing machine, wood for fireplace

Note: dogs are allowed; parking places available; next supermarket in 1.8 km

Accessibility: Kajaani Airport (42 km), train station (35 km), transfer for additional charge

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ALL YEAR-ROUND WINTER ACTIVITIES

NEW SNOW TUNNEL

The unique snowboarding tunnel of Vuokatti will go to reconstruction during the summer 2019. The new tunnel will offer all year-round winter experiences and snow fun for the whole family with a total of more than 30 different elements and activities - from downhill skiing, snowboarding and tubing to thrilling snow-filled activities for kids. It's a perfect place for young and old which makes winter sports a modern and entertaining experience 365 days a year.

Opening: Opening mid-July 2019 **Provider:** Vuokatinrinteet



SKI TUNNEL

Vuokatti has the World's first indoor ski tunnel which was built in 1997. The Ski Tunnel is Vuokatti's one of the craziest innovations, which gained recognition all around the world. The aim of the ski tunnel is to create perfect conditions for the professional athlete's trainings on the natural snow in the summertime. Nowadays Vuokatti Sport Resort also uses it for amazing activities such as husky safari, kicksled, skiing, group games and fun olympics in addition to one of its most important purposes as the main training venues.

High-standard conditions inside the tunnel allow skiing all year round. Air and snow conditions in the Ski Tunnel are maintained by using the latest computer technology. The temperature is maintained at -5 - -9 degrees, but if needed, it can be dropped to -18 degrees. The air renovation cycle is 4 hours and all the tracks are groomed by machines. The snow machines inside the Tunnel can also make new snow if needed.

There is one classical track on site for each skiing direction. The height difference (18 m) makes the terrain variable and enjoyable to ski - there are easy downhills as well as uphills during the 2.4 km round. Because of the temperature inside the Tunnel (-5 to -9 degree Celsius) it is preferable to wear proper clothing.







Additional advantage of the Ski Tunnel is that it also allows you the entrance to longer outdoor tracks from 10th October on and during coldest winter days makes it possible to enjoy skiing on comfortable circumstances.

Facts

- 1.2 km long (one round 2.4 km)
- 8 m wide
- 18 m vertical drop
- 51 m total ascending
- temperature between -5 and -9 °C

POSSIBLE ACTIVITIES AT SKI TUNNEL

Cross-country skiing possibility through all the year, skiing lessons, races, kicksled activities, husky-rides, walk through the Tunnel or custom made activities.

Season: all year-round

Duration: depending on the activity **Languages:** English, German

Participants: 1-5 pax cross-country skiing/ kicksled activities, 1-20 pax ski lessons, all the other activities minimum 10 pax Services included: kicksled included in

entrance fee, ski waxing

Optional: rental of skis, ski boots, lessons,

group games

Starting place: Ski Tunnel Starting time: by request Provider: Vuokatti Sport Resort

Prices:

Single entrance ticket for ski tunnel, rates on request: Price per person/child. Group prices for other activities upon request.

HUSKY RIDE IN SNOWY SKI TUNNEL

Any day of the year – we have snow in Vuokatti! Ski tunnel is Vuokatti's crazy innovation, which, however, gained recognition all around the world. High-standard conditions inside the tunnel allow skiing and other activities all year round. Feel the excitement build as the dogs are harnessed and when they see the snow. After that, hop in the sled and join in the magic of sled dog ride. This is the excursion to do – husky sled ride in the summertime!

Season: all year-round

Duration: 1 h Languages: English Participants: 6-20 pax

Services included: husky ride accompanied by a guide, winter clothing (overalls, shoes, beanies and mittens)

Starting place: Ski tunnel Starting time: by request Provider: Vuokatti Safaris

Price:

Rate and commission on request.

Price per person.

WINTER FUN IN SKI TUNNEL

Any day of the year – we always have snow in Vuokatti! We will provide you full winter clothing, so don't worry about getting cold even though temperature is always between -5 and -9 degrees. Try cross-country skiing and if you're many enough, we can have a playful competition. Take a spin driving a kicksled or put on snowshoes and have a walk in the tunnel. And for the final activity, we will bring in huskies. You will feel the excitement build as the dogs are harnessed and see the snow. Hop in the husky sled and join in the magic of sled dog ride. This is the excursion to do – fun in the snow in the summertime! Hot drinks included.

Season: all year-round Duration: 2 h Languages: English Participants: 6-20 pax

Services included: winter clothing (overalls, shoes, beanies and mittens), hot drinks

Starting place: Ski tunnel Starting time: by request Provider: Vuokatti Safaris

Price:

Rate and commission on request.

Price per person.









Founded: 1981 Employees: 80 Languages: English Season: all year

VUOKATTI SLOPES

A FULL-SERVICE SKI RESORT

13 well-groomed versatile Vuokatti slopes quarantee fun for all the family. For beginners we recommend starting on an easy Tenavarinne trail. Experienced sportsmen can choose Olympiakatti, SuperPipe and SlopeStyle slope that correspond to all international competition standards.

Vuokatti Rental Offices are situated at lower stations of the West slopes and the North Ripa's Kuppila are at you service to make sure slopes. In the same buildings you can you don't get hungry or tired on the slopes. find equipment maintenance services and SportShop with all necessary clothes and equipment of best sport brands are in sale.

VUOKATTI SKI SCHOOL

Experienced professional instructors from Vuokatti Ski School will guide the beginners through their first moves on the slope and share their tips for improving the technique with frequent guests of ski resorts. Vuokatti Ski School also specializes on providing trainings for disabled people.

RESTAURANTS

À la Katti and Pirtti restaurants, Hesburger and

Contact

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VUOKATTI SKI SCHOOL

Vuokatti Ski School is one of the oldest ski schools in Finland. We provide teaching in all ski activities: alpine skiing, snowboarding, telemark skiing, cross-country skiing and adaptive skiing. We have special programs for children and adults.

Vuokatti Ski School has been selected twice ski school of the year in Finland, 2009 and 2013.

SKI FUN AT THE SLOPES

This private lesson for groups, families and friends offers you fun and exciting experiences on the snow. Enjoy, challenge yourself and learn new skills with certified instructors. The lesson introduces you the basic downhill skiing or snowboarding techniques and tricks in the slopes. This private ski school lesson is an easy, fun and a safe way to enjoy snow sports at your level from beginner to expert.

Season: 12.2019 - 04.2020

Duration: 100 min. Languages: English Participants: 2-6 pax Minimum age: 4 years

Services included: ski pass and rental equip-

ment during the lesson

Starting place: Ski Schools Office, Children's

House Hupila, Vuokatti Slopes

Starting time: advance booking, daily be-

tween 10-16 h

Note: Restaurants are nearby. Provider: Vuokatti Ski School

Prices:

Rates for 100 minutes/ group on request.

Price for 2 persons Price for 3 persons Price for 4 persons Price for 5 persons Price for 6 persons Founded: 1958 Employees: 65

Languages: English, German, Russian

Season: winter

Week program: available

Types of activities offered: alpine skiing, cross-country skiing, snowboarding,

telemark skiing, adaptive skiing

Contact

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Founded 2018

Employees

4

Languages

English

Season

open year-round

Opening hours

Mon closed, Tue-Fri 13-19 h, Sat 11-19 h, Sun 11-18 h. On request we arrange games for groups 24/7.

Exceptional opening hours during holidays from 11-19 h.

Services

Laser tag game, Virtual Reality room, Robson's restaurant

Contact

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MEGAZONE & VR-ROOM VUOKATTI

LASER TAG GAME MEGAZONE

Super thrilling and sporty laser tag game is suitable for children and adults, which makes it a perfect activity for families. The idea of the game is to fight against other players with harmless laser guns. Player has to collect points by tagging enemy's game vest and also destroying enemies' game bases. Players won't drop off during the game but if a player gets tagged the vest will shut off for a few seconds and then turn on again. When it turns on again the player can continue the game normally. A computer will count players' points and total tags and in the end it will tell who was the winning team/player.

Prices: Rate and commission on request. Prices for groups or individuals.

Combined tickets for Megazone and Super-Park, prices on request.

VR-ROOM VIRTUAL REALITY

In the VR-room you can try different game types from horror to sports. Do you dare to step into a narrow plank in the high altitudes? Are you able to complete the game using your rhythm perception or do you dare to enter into a horror mansion? Very wide game selection will offer fun activities for children and adults. In the VR-room one game can be played at a time. Others can follow up the game from the screen. If there is multiple players at the same time we suggest to book the room for a longer time.

Prices: Rate and commission on request. Prices for groups or individuals.

NEW ESCAPE ROOM IN VUOKATTI

Escape room is an adventurous game where players solve series of puzzles and riddles by using clues, hints and strategy to complete the objectives at hand. Players have to solve all the riddles in order to get out of the room successfully before the given rime runs out. Every escape room has its own theme. In Vuokatti, the theme is "Mission SuperPark".

Opening: 15th June 2019









SUPERPARK VUOKATTI

SUPERPARK

SuperPark is the friendliest indoor activity park in the world!

SuperPark is an entertainer. We deliver a unique experience of joyful play that excites and unites people all over the world – no matter their age or fitness level.

SUPERPARK VUOKATTI

SuperPark Vuokatti provides an exciting experience for the whole family! Located in Kainuu, our Vuokatti branch offers irresistible activities every day, whatever the weather - no matter their age or fitness level.

The indoor activity park's Freestyle Hall boasts a skate and scooting park, our extremely popular AirTrack tumble track, and a range of ramps and trampolines. The Game Arena features a hockey radar, disc golf and basketball for those with a competitive streak. The Adventure Area has climbing walls, exhilarating slides, and a pedal car track.

SuperPark Vuokatti also has a Golf Arena that includes indoor golf practice facilities and a mini golf course. The Forge gym caters to fitness and toning exercises. Come and explore, try out different sports, test your skills, and move with joy throughout our whole park! You won't regret coming to SuperPark Vuokatti and no doubt, you will be coming back for more!

RESTAURANT SERVICES

Robson's restaurant serves fresh food and tasty snacks daily. A great place to stop and re-fuel after a round of sparking. For parents. our restaurant is also a great place to take a breather while your kid burns off their endless energy.

Rates for entrance tickets, on request. Tickets are valid all day.

Price per person.

Kids 0-3-years-old have a free entrance.

Founded 2012

Employees

Languages

English

Season

year-round

Opening hours

SuperPark is open daily. Please, check opening hours from the web sites due to possible exceptions.

Services

Gym, Restaurant Robson's

Contact

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Founded 2016

Employees

Languages

English Season

05.2020 - 10.2020

Opening hours

May (11.-31.5.): Mon-Sat 13-17 h (park closes at 19 h), Sunday closed June-August: Mon-Sat 10-17 h (park closes at 19 h), Sun 10-14 h (park closes at 16h)

Services

Climbing tickets, gift cards, gloves

Meals/ Catering

Ice cream, water

Contact

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VUOKATTI ADVENTURE PARK

Vuokatti Adventure Park consists of 9 Prices: different trails of which 2 trails stay close to the ground and are more suited for 2-6 year-olds. The park offers something for everyone from beginners till advanced level. One of the trails is the most demanding in Finland. The park is situated in a beautiful pine forest close to two lakes. The park is open from May till October but also for groups throughout the year.

Attraction / Adventure Park

Rates on request.

Price per adult - all 7 trails

Price per adult - first 4 trails

Price per person under 18 yrs - all 7 trails

Price per person under 18 yrs - first 4 trails Price for kids park

Note: Discount for groups with 6 people or more on request.











GOVUOKATTI/ WILDERNESS VUOKATTI

CAMP SCHOOL

Camp School in the middle of wilderness.

Season: 1.12.2019-31.4.2020 Duration: 7 days/ 6 nights Languages: English Participants: 10-20 pax Minimum age: 10 years

Services included: 6 nights incl. full board. Camp Puikkokoski is a renovated forest lodge with separate wood heated sauna by the river. Distance to the city of Kajaani 25 km and to the tourism center of Vuokatti 35 km. Six bed rooms in the main building, all of them with bunk beds for three. You can sit by the fire in the cabin, where even 80 persons fit to dine at the same time. Camp Puikkokoski is also excellent venue for different kinds; daily activities; transfers Kajaani - Puikkokoski - Kajaani

Starting place: Kajaani Airport

Provider: GoVuokatti/ Wilderness Vuokatti

Prices:

Rates available on request.

Price per person, group size 10-12 pax Price per person, group size 13-16 pax Price per person, group size 17-19 pax

ELK HUNTING

Camp Puikkokoski is popular destination for hunters and outdoor people situated 25 km north of Kaiaani.

We organize real exciting elk and forest bird hunting experiences. Hunting area of 5,000

hectares is privately in our use.

Season: 13.10.-15.12.2020

Duration: 3-5 days **Languages:** English **Participants:** 4-20 pax

Services included: 2-4 nights incl. full board, hunting guides, transfers Kajaani - Puikkokoski

Kajaan

Starting place: Kajaani Airport

Provider: GoVuokatti/ Wilderness Vuokatti

Prices:

Rates for a 3 days package on request. Price per person, group size 4-5 pax Price per person/ additional day Price per person, group size 6-8 pax Price per person/ additional day

Price per person, group size more than 9 pax

Price per person/ additional day

GoVuokatti/ Wilderness Vuokatti

GoVuokatti/ Wilderness Vuokatti has a wide range of group programs of which you can find a suitable alternative for each occasion, be it a company recreational day or a bachelor party. The programs include the right amount of action, fresh air, adventure, excitement, and of enjoying the company of the laid-back crowd, all according to your wishes. Combine an active outing day with an evening get-together. We welcome you to experience something new, exhilarating, and different.

Founded: 2013 Employees: 1-4 Languages: English Season: year-round

Types of activities offered: cross-country skiing, snowshoe walking ski trekking, Christmas/ New Year packages, fishing, hiking, biking, nordic walking, hunting

Contact

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Founded: 2004. **Built:** Suite 1 built 2014, Suite 2 built 2015. **Renovations:** Hotel was last renovated in 2008.

Employees: 3-6. Season: year-round. Languages: English, French, Russian Note: dogs allowed; next supermarket in 500 m; free parking places available

Special services for children: minigolf course, beach, outdoor pool (not heated), bikes. Sleds, outdoor pool with ice hole Winter activities: skiing tracks on site, sleds, ice swimming

Summer activities: hiking routes on site, minigolf, basketball & floor ball course, beach, bikes

Year-round activities: gym, outdoor pool (not heated), nordic walking sticks

Packages: adventure packages in cooperation with partners including husky safaris, snowmobiling, snowshoeing, bear watching, hiking etc.

Accessibility: Kajaani airport (35 km), railway station (30 km), transfer on request.

Contact

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HOTEL VUOKATTI & SUITES APARTMENTS

Idyllic and modern Hotel Vuokatti & Suites Apartments is located by Lake Nuas. Hotel Vuokatti offers a peaceful, high-quality and pleasant environment for spending your holidays. This privately owned resort guarantees high-standard holiday for the whole family whether you want to accommodate in a hotel room or in a luxurious apartment offering a view to the lake or the forest.

The Hotel offers a wide range of free on site activities both winter and summer. Also the outdoor routes starts right from the doorstep.

HOTEL ROOMS

Hotel Vuokatti has total of 16 rooms which of 11 are double rooms, 3 family rooms (2+2), 1 Junior suite (2+2) and 1 Suite with own sauna (2). 3 double rooms are with separated beds, 8 double rooms with double beds. Family rooms have double beds and two single beds in a separate room or at the loft.

Facilities: an ensuite bathroom, LCD TV set (in family rooms there is also extra TV set at the loft), WiFi, ironing board, iron, mini fridge, hairdryer, safe deposit box.

APARTMENTS

The Hotel has luxurious two bedroom apartments, Vuokatti Suites 1&2, which were finished 2014 and have been loved by all looking for a high-standard accommodation in Vuokatti. Lake view apartments (58 m²), include a terrace with lake views and hill view apartments (49.5 m²) include a terrace with forest view.

New apartments: The brand new apartment house Suite 3 will be ready in December 2019. It offers 3 bedroom apartments with lake or hills view.

Facilities Suite 1&2: a kitchen with modern appliances (dishwasher, oven, microwave, coffeemaker), living room, two bedrooms, bathroom and sauna, WiFi

Facilities Suite 3: a kitchen with modern appliances (dishwasher, oven, microwave, coffeemaker), living room, three bedrooms, bathroom, WiFi

SPA & WELLNESS FACILITIES

Hotel Vuokatti can assure you a relaxing sauna experience with one of its' three saunas. At least one of the saunas is heated every day. In summer, guests can enjoy relaxing sauna and swim in the lake. Saunas can also be booked for private use and we also offer a special sauna menu. Our specialty is a unique panoramic sauna Honkalinna with amazing lake-view. While bathing you can enjoy the view to the lake and sky, and if you are lucky maybe even catch the Northern Lights! During your sauna time, you can cool down in an outdoor pool. In winter, outdoor pool offers a real Finnish experience: ice swimming!

RESTAURANT

Enjoy your breakfast in the restaurant Nuas with a view of the lake. Lobby bar serves along with the reception. We offer pre-booked half board and also group dinners. Á la carte is available on seasonal basis.







VUOKATIN AATELI

Vuokatin Aateli offers a dash of luxury to the vacation. By the slopes and beautiful hiking forest small boutique Hotel Aateli opened in December 2017. Vuokatin Aateli offers also high-class, comfortable holiday apartments and villas in the heart of Vuokatti. Our 23 high-level furnished accommodations range from two-person suites to 22-person luxury villas.

AATELI VILLAS & AATELI APARTMENTS **Prinssi and Prinsessa:** Suite apartments full of feeling for 2 pax.

Kreivi and Herttuatar: Classy, very well equipped three-bedroom holiday apartments. **Markiisitar and Paroni:** Expertly equipped three-bedroom apartments in a semidetached house.

Amiraali: Four stylish two-bedroom apartments in a superb location.

Lady and Ritari: Classy three-bedroom apartments in a semidetached house.

Marsalkka: A villa with four bedrooms in the best possible location by the ski slopes.

Ruhtinatar: A luxurious 170 m² villa in a beautiful location for 10+6 pax.

Tsaari: A superbly furbished 200 m² villa for 8+4 pax.

Keisari: A luxurious, seven-bedroom villa with high class equipment for 14+8 pax.

Aateli Castle: 6 luxurious, unique holiday apartments, 2 x two-bedroom apartments, 4 x three-bedroom apartments.

Facilities of apartments and villas:

All: sauna, well equipped kitchen with all modern devices, complimentary high-speed internet (WiFi), flat-screen TVs, forced ventilation, 24 h janitor service, free parking. All except Prinssi and Prinsessa: fire place and firewood free of charge, washing machine, drying cabinet, outdoor grill

About half of apartments & villas: Air conditioning, tumble dryer, ski maintenance room, glazed-in terrace, jacuzzi, pets allowed The Aateli Island: A private island on lake Nuasjärvi with villa Fregatti for 6 pax.

HOTEL AATELI

Slope side hotel and first ski-in/ ski-out hotel in Vuokatti. There are 15 premium rooms, Zen Spa, restaurant and the lounge bar. From the tower with a glass ceiling you can admire the scenery and with a bit of luck also nature's fantastic show of Aurora borealis. Peaceful atmosphere of Zen Spa is perfect to relax after an active day outside. Our Zen Spa has the log sauna with the northern lights ceiling. Spa can be reserved also for private occasions. The cosy atmosphere of the lounge bar is ideal for "after ski" evenings. While enjoying a glass of wine by the fireplace guests feel the true spirit of Vuokatti. Number & type of rooms: 12 x premium dbl/ twin rooms and 3 x suites with a sauna

Facilities: ensuite bathroom, flat-screen TV, free WIFI, glazed-in terrace, electric water kettle, hairdryer, drying cabinet, safe deposit box.

Founded: 1999. Built: 1999-2017.

Renovations: Most of the apartments and villas were renovated at least once.

Note: Owner-/ family run

Employees: 7. **Languages:** English, German, Russian, Chinese

Season: Apartments & villas all yearround. Hotel Aateli is closed two weeks in May. Restaurant Ainoa is closed on May. Note: next supermarket 100-400 m; parking places for free, dogs partly allowed

Special service for children: A crib, a high chair and a potty can be ordered in all apartments/ rooms. Child gates in all stairs.

Restaurant Restaurant Ainoa is located at Hotel Aateli. You can enjoy the tastes of the local delicacies. Seating for 60 people. The heart of the kitchen is a charcoal oven, in which tasty a la carte dishes of the season are cooked. The lounge area with the majestic fire place invites you to enjoy a glass of wine and finger food. Vuokatin Aateli provides catering service for our guests in villas and apartments.

Spa & wellness facilities: Electric traditional Finnish sauna in all apartments and villas. Zen Spa with log sauna in Hotel

Winter activities: From the door step: downhill/ cross-country skiing, snowshoeing and indoor activities e.g. Hotel Aateli Zen Spa and wellness department.

Summer activities: From the door step: hiking, cycling, picking forest berries and mushrooms, trail running, mountain biking.

Accessibility: Kajaani airport (40 km), train station (30 km), transfer on request.

Contact

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Founded: 1988

Built: Apartements were built in 1998,

2011 and 2015.

Renovation: 2019

Note: Owner-run company

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Employees: 6

Languages: English, German, Russian,

Estonian
Season: all year
Week program: yes

Note: dogs are allowed; distance to next supermarket 1 km; parking places available **Special service for children:** children playground, sledding hill and sleds, kicksleds, beach, trampoline, bikes, minigolf course, rowing boats

Other services: ski maintenance room,

laundry room by reception

Accessibility: Kajaani airport (35 km), airport transfer offered on request

Contact

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VUOKATINMAA HOLIDAY APARTMENTS

Vuokatinmaa Holiday Apartments were built keeping in mind pleasurable stay for the holiday-maker. Apartments are located by Lake Nuas, right at the foot of Vuokatinvaara hills. Holiday apartments are spaciously located and enables you to spend your holiday enjoying peace and quiet. Despite the peaceful location all the activities in Vuokatti are well within an easy reach. This family-run resort is known for its' quality service and spacious high-standard apartments which come in five different sizes, so whether you come with the whole family or with your significant other, Vuokatinmaa is perfect solution.

HOLIDAY APARTMENTS

The top-quality holiday apartments offer luxury and effortlessness in your holiday with many activities to offer. In the wintertime you can enjoy skiing tracks on site, kicksleds and sleds free of charge as well as playground for children. In the summertime spend time boating, start a hike on site or play a round of minigolf. In Vuokatinmaa you can order your meals in or dine in the nearby restaurants or why don'tyouenjoy our sheltered barbecue area with roasting planks and iron griddle pan.

Number & type of apartments: 22 apartments in 5 different sizes. 132 beds in total: 42 m² for 2-5 pax, 58 m² for 2-5 pax, 82 m² for max. 8 pax, 92 m² for max. 8 pax, 99 m² for max. 10 pax

Facilities: complete kitchens with full dinner sets and appliances, saunas and bathrooms in every holiday apartment, fire place with fire wood in every holiday apartment, drying cupboards and TV sets, the 58 m², 82 m², 92 m² and 99 m² apartments also have their own washing machines, free WiFi

ACTIVITIES

on site, campfire place with firewood, kicksleds, ice-skating track (skates for rent) **Summer:** hiking routes on site, campfire place with firewood, big pier and swimming area in the beach, rowing boats for clients to use, for rent e.g. bicycles, SUP-boards, minigolf equipment for the area's courses, a motorboat PACKAGES

Winter: sledding hill and sleds, skiing tracks

Adventure packages incl. snowmobiling, bear watching, huskies, snowshoeing, hiking etc.









IIDA VUOKATTI & HAAPALA BNB

IIDA VUOKATTI

IIDA Vuokatti apartments are located in the heart of the Vuokatti ski centre secluded in the Finnish forest and surrounded by cross-country ski tracks. You are guaranteed to have a convenient holiday weather you choose to ski or relax.

HOLIDAY APARTMENTS

The apartments are beautifully designed with modern Scandinavian interiors, allowing a luxurious stay. Choose from 1-4 bedroom apartments each with its own private sauna and bathroom. The apartments also feature own kitchen, a lounge area with fireplace and their own private balcony or terrace. Ski maintenance room in a separate building (free use).

Number & type of apartments: 23 apartments, 4 different sizes: 2 x one-bedroom apartments (2+2 pax, 46-48 m²), 16 x two-bedroom apartments (4+2 pax, 60-65 m²), 4 x three-bedroom apartments (6+2 pax, 77-82 m²), 1x four-bedroom apartment (8+2 pax, 128 m²) Facilities: Bed linen and towels included in price, free wireless Wi-Fi, digital TV with DVD-home theatre, air conditioning, fireplace, fully equipped kitchen including dishwasher,

fully equipped kitchen including dishwasher, fridge freezer, toaster, coffee maker, hot water kettle, oven and hob. Sauna, bathroom, clothes dryer, hair dryer, vacuum cleaner, ironing equipment, Weber Q-barbeque (summertime), washing machine, cabinet for skis and equipment outside of the apartment.

HAAPALA BNB

Bed and breakfast type accommodation, restaurant serving lunch, a la carte and brunches from foraged and local ingredients.

ACCOMMODATION

Number & type of accommodation: 4x refurbished rooms in the main building built in 1868 by local cantor. 6 x new cottages built in 2018. Facilities: Twin rooms in main building: 4 different colour rooms - red, yellow, green and blue with bed linen and towels included. 2x shared toilets with hair dryer and 2x shared showers. 2 living rooms = log cabin style "pirtti" and fancier "sali". TV 50" in log cabin pirtti and free wifi. Small kitchen with microwave, fridge and electric kettle. Heating with environmentally friendly ground heating.

6x cottage rooms with twin bed, tv, electric kettle, terrace, bed linen and towels. Bathroom with floor heating and shower. Hair dryer included. Air conditioning with heat pump.

RESTAURANT & BREWERY

One restaurant with space for max 120 people with an indoor view to the small brewery next to the restaurant.

SAUNA & WELLBEING

Two traditional log saunas with wood ovens and water heated with firewood. Built in 2019. **Note:** Sauna and wellbeing packages coming later 2019. Please ask our staff.

IIDA VUOKATTI

Founded: 2006. Built: 2007-2009.

Last renovation: 2017.

Note: Family run. Employees: 3 Languages: English. Season: all year Note: dogs are allowed; next supermarket in 200 m; parking places available

Special service for children: children's outdoor play area on site, travel cot and bedding (0-3 year-old) and a high chair Winter activities: 200 m from the slopes,

and husky activities for hire in the area. **Summer activities:** hiking canoeing, downhill carting, mountain biking on Vuokatti outdoors centre

cross country skiing also nearby. Ski-doo

Accessibility: Kajaani airport and railway station (40 km), transfer can be reserved by customer when arriving to Kajaani.

HAAPALA BNB

Founded: 2018. Built: 1868, 2018. Last renovation: 2018. Employees: 12 Languages: English. Season: all year Note: dogs are allowed; next supermarket in 3 km; parking places available

Special service for children: Baby cots free of charge, baby chairs in the restaurant Winter activities: cross-country skiing, ice fishing, skidoo safaris, snowshoe walking, northern lights viewing and photography, bread & Karelian pie making with our chefs in main building old oven. Summer activities: hiking, canoeing, bicycle trips, fishing, wildlife viewing trips. Accessibility: Kajaani airport (42 km), railway station (37 km), guests can take a shuttle bus.

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Founded: Main company Osuuskauppa Maakunta is founded in 1917.

Built: 2007. **Last renovation:** 2019. **Employees:** 50. **Languages:** English, German. **Season:** all year

Note: dogs allowed; 1 km to next supermarket, free parking places available Spa & wellness facilities: 2 customer saunas (included in the room price) and 2 private saunas; one in the hotel building and one by the lake with a beautiful view over the Vuokatti slopes. Sauna menu available

Other services: Gym, wellness services as massage, ski maintenance room, frisbee golf track and cross-country ski tracks just beside our hotel.

Accessibility: Kajaani airport (38 km), train station (35 km), airport transfer not offered

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BREAK SOKOS HOTEL VUOKATTI

Break Sokos Hotel Vuokatti is located in the heart of Vuokatti International holiday resort. We offer spacious hotel rooms and cosy cottages for enjoyable visits. Comfortable rooms are beautifully decorated with natural color tones taken from the surrounding nature. The cottages are well-equipped and have a peaceful location next to a beautiful lake with views to the Vuokatti hills. In addition to accommodation and restaurant services our hotel offers a wide range of interesting year-round in- and outdoor activities.

HOTEL ROOMS

In total 143 hotel rooms: standard rooms, superior rooms, family rooms, connected rooms, junior suites and suites

Standard rooms: size 25 m², French balcony, shower or bathtub, hardwood floor, 32 "flat-screen, plenty of storage space. High-quality twin beds and air conditioning, extra beds (divan sofa) for two children possible.

Superior rooms: shower, balcony, 32 "flat-screen TV, high quality double bed, air conditioning. Ergonomic adjustable office chair. Extra beds (divan sofa) for two children possible.

Junior suite: Suitable up to five persons, 55 m², balcony, two 32 "flat-screen TVs, leather sofa group, hardwood floor. King Size double bed and separate bedroom with two twin beds, air conditioning, two bathrooms with shower and own sauna.

COTTAGES

In total 36 cottages, two sizes. 600 m from the main building in a peaceful location. Linen and final cleaning are included in the rental price. Possible to book with or without breakfast.

One bedroom cottage: Well-equipped holiday apartment (47 m²) with sauna, fully equipped kitchen, terrace, oven, micro-oven, dishwasher.

Two bedroom cottage: Well-equipped holiday apartment (73 m²) with sauna, fully equipped kitchen, terrace, oven, microoven, dishwasher.

RESTAURANTS

Four restaurants and one café: Tex-mex restaurant Amarillo, Restaurant Hella, Restaurant Kippo, Restaurant Kammi and the Lobby Cafe. Restaurant Kippo is a traditional Kainuu restaurant, serving local food in a warm and friendly atmosphere. Bountiful treats from the lakes, fields and forests of kainuu and the neighboring regions. Restaurant Kammi is a unique restaurant for groups up to 60 persons. Kammi is situated in a peaceful surroundings near a beatiful lake and with a stunning view to the slopes.

CHRISTMAS PACKAGE

3 nights package including accommodation in a twin room, 2 dinners and Christmas program. **Season:** 23.-26.12.









HOLIDAY CLUB KATINKULTA

The most versatile holiday resort in the Nordic Countries, Holiday Club Katinkulta provides you with the opportunities to enjoy practically any kind of recreation, from golf to fitness training or bowling. The resort offers a wealth of activities throughout the year. Summer is golf season, and the three golf courses are sure to please players of all skill levels. Meanwhile, the diverse selection of other services ensure that those not as interested in the sport never have a dull moment.

HOTEL ROOMS

Superior: 112 spacious rooms, 28 m². Two separate beds or a double bed, pull-out sofa for 1-2 children or 1 adult (width 120 cm), balcony in most of the rooms

Suite: 4 spacious suites, 56 m². Two singles or a double bed in a separate bed room, pull-out sofa for 1-2 children or 1 adult (width 120 cm), sauna and jacuzzi, balcony

Facilities: All hotel rooms with toilet + shower, bathrobes, radio, TV, WiFi internet access free of charge, centrally regulated air conditioning, drying cabinet, ironing equipment, all non-smoking

HOLIDAY HOUSES

426 holiday houses in the area with either one, two or three bedroom(s).

Facilities: Kitchen with home appliances, kitchenware, fire place, TV, DVD, radio, bathroom with sauna, drying cabinet, Internet access, rates incl. linen, towels, after-departure cleaning

VILLAS-APARTMENTS

90 Villas-apartments in the main building, 45 Villas-apartments very close to main building. **Facilities:** Kitchen with home appliances, kitchenware TV, DVD, radio, bathroom with sauna, Internet access, rates incl. linen, towels, after-departure cleaning

RESTAURANTS

O'Learys: Boston-style sports bar with burgers, ribs and other Boston specialities Classic Pizza: a chain of Finnish family business founded 15 years ago

Easy Kitchen: Breakfast restaurant serving also lunches and dinners

Night Club: Tue.-Sat. evenings karaoke / dancing

Katinkulta Areena: for bigger events & concerts SPA & WELLNESS FACILITIES

The spa has more than 20 pools: an outdoor pool, Jacuzzis, counter-currents, massaging showers, a fountain and a waterslide.

There is also a 25-meter pool for swimming. Sauna World has got several saunas. Smoke sauna is located next to the outdoor pool.

ACTIVITIES

Winter: cross-country skiing, downhill skiing, snowmobiles

Summer: swimming, fishing trips, canoeing, frisbee golf, hiking, horse-back riding, cycling Holiday Club Katinkulta Golf (courses with 18/9 holes)

Year-round: badminton, bowling, gym, tennis, spa/ treatments

Built: main building 1989, hotel extension 1999.

Languages: English. Season: all year Note: dogs allowed; nearest shops in 1.5 km; parking places available

Special service for children: The Children's World is a holiday day care centre offering a variety of games and handicraft activities. Children under the age of one are also welcome. The Children's World organises supervised activities for children of all ages during weekdays.

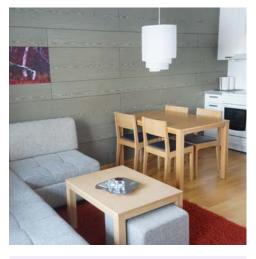
Accessibility: Kajaani airport (45 km), train station (38 km)

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Employees: more than 80

Languages: English. Season: all year Note: dogs allowed upon request; next supermarket in 1.4 km; parking places available. Week program: yes

Special service for children: numerous playgrounds and areas for fun activities around Vuokatti Sport Resort; playhouse for children called "Mesta" (ball pool, Wii-games, different board games and crafts, open during high season); Adventure Park and Wake Park (200 m away

from main building)

Winter activities: snowboarding, downhill skiing, XC skiing, snowshoeing, ice sculpture making, sledding, husky (husky rides are provided by Vuokatti Safaris)

Summer activities: Adventure Park. wakeboarding, SUP-boarding, hiking, running, swimming, orienteering, frisbeegolf, ski tunnel skiing

Accessibility: Kajaani airport (40 km), transfer on request.

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VUOKATTI SPORT RESORT

Vuokatti Sport Resort is the number one TV and Internet to wine glasses. You will be Scandinavian holiday destination where active high-intensity training, meets leisure and relaxation. Lodged in the midst of the beautiful Nordic nature and within one of the most well known ski-resort towns in Finland, Vuokatti Sport Resort introduces a new range of active holiday options for you who want to experience the life of the champions in your own conditions.

When it comes to cross-country skiing, ski jumping, Nordic combined, biathlon and snowboarding, Vuokatti Sport has been Finland's polestar for Olympic training and coaching for decades. Today our facilities include versatile holiday accommodations, and a professional level sports complex focused on winter sports and surrounded by the enchanting atmosphere of the Vuokatti area.

HOTEL ROOMS

Hotel grade rooms have single beds for up to 3 persons. Each room includes a bathroom with a shower, a television and fridge as well as a working desk. The hotel rooms are located in the main building. All rooms have been renovated in summer 2017.

Type of hotel rooms: for 2-4 pax

Facilities: 1-4 beds (single), TV, refrigerator, wc and shower

CHALETS

Chalets condominium suites are wellequipped and have all required facilities - from able to enjoy the friendly services of our hotel and at the same time feel the comfort of your home place. All the central buildings and sport facilities are located nearby, the chalets building is connected with the main building.

Number & type of chalets: 10 x chalets suites (2-5 pax), 55 x Vuokatti-chalet suites (2-6 pax) Facilities: 1-4 beds (twin & single), combined living room & kitchen, sauna, WC, drying cabinet

RESTAURANT

Restaurant O'las in the main building of the hotel serves breakfast, lunch and dinner (buffet); lounge area in the main hotel offering coffee, tea and other beverages. Another café is located in Vuokattihalli sports hall building near the swimming pool.

SPA & WELLNESS FACILITIES

Vuokatti Sport Institute has three places with saunas: lakeside saunas, classic Finnish sauna in Vuokattihalli sport complex, as well as a traditional smoke sauna on the lakeside providing you the true sauna experience. All the chalets include a sauna as well.

CUSTOMIZED SPORT HOLIDAYS

We offer exclusive packages with full-board accommodation for individuals as well as smaller groups and teams providing Olympic level training facilities, professional coaching and multiple physical testing services. We customize the package for each customer for them to meet their personal goals to balance leisure and workout.









THE FINNISH EXPERIENCE CAMPS

EXPLORING FINNISH EDUCATION, CULTURE & WILDLIFE

Vuokatti Sport has hosted camps and tours for decades. Annually, more than a hundred Finnish school groups visit the facilities a year.

Every "The Finnish Experience" camp offers experiential lessons and exciting activities, providing a memorable trip for international students. Licensed teachers teach the lessons while physical education instructors and nature guides run the activities. Our official school partners come from Sotkamo. Timothy Walker, a teacher in Helsinki and the author of Teach Like Finland has designed "The Finnish Experience" camps together with Vuokatti Sport to take your learning to the next level.

POSSIBLE LESSONS AND ACTIVITIES FOR PACKAGE DEALS

ACADEMIC LESSONS

- Finnish history
- Finnish culture popular rituals and traditions
- Geography orienteering lesson, exploring wildlife
- Biology Finland's incredible biodiversity
- Cooking traditional Finnish dishes
- Handicrafts creating own handicrafts

SUMMER ACTIVITIES

- Group games
- Fun games at SuperPark
- Escape forest interactive mystery game
- Cross-country skiing lesson in the Ski Tunnel
- Hiking trip through the forest
- Husky safari dog sled rides year-round possible
- Fishing and cooking in the wilderness
- Berry picking and the berry pie workshop
- The midnight sun survival course
- Day trip to Hiidenportti national park
- Visit to Vuokatti's Adventure Park
- Traditional Finnish sauna smoke sauna
- Sauna treatments

WINTER ACTIVITIES

- Group games
- Escape forest interactive mystery game
- Cross-country skiing lesson in the ski tunnel
- Cross-country skiing lesson and traditional sausage-roasting over a bonfire
- Snowshoe safari in the forest
- Downhill skiing class
- Winter adventure day
- Snow sculpture making
- Traditional Finnish sauna smoke sauna
- Sauna treatments

Season: year-round Duration: 2-6 days Languages: English Participants: 10-20 pax Minimum age: 7 years

Services included: rental equipment included in the price, e.g. ski equipment (according to the package deal), meals and overnight stay in either chalets or hotel rooms included in package deals, selected activities (e.g. husky safari, SuperPark)

Optional services: transfers

Accommodation options: chalet (suites) or hotel-grade rooms at Vuokatti Sport Resort

Starting place: Vuokatti Sport

Starting time: 2pm

Provider: Vuokatti Sport Resort Oy

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Languages: English Season: all year

Other services: The hotel cooperates with many Vuokatti area service providers and almost any type of leisure activity can be arranged with short notice.

Winter activities: During the winter season visitors can enjoy the well managed ski trails and slopes of the Vuokatti ski resort.

Summer activities: Hiukka beach. There are activities also for more adventurous guests such as downhill motoring or cycling. Indoor skiing and snowboarding tunnels offer snowy activities also during the summer season. Vuokatti also has a large spa and many indoor activity centres (e.g. a large indoor fun park for children) that are open around the year.

Note: dogs are allowed; next supermarket in 1 km, parking places available

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HOTEL TULIKETTU

Hotel Tulikettu is situated in a naturally beautiful area of Sotkamo, Finland only a few kilometres from the famous Vuokatti holiday resort! A scenic view of the sandy beach of Lake Sapso and the hills of Vuokatti opens before your eyes from the hotel rooms and our restaurant.

Hotel Tulikettu is a family-owned hotel with a traditional, homelike atmosphere and comfortable rooms. Tulikettu stands at the top of a forested ridge, close to sandy Hiukka beaches and clean waters of Lake Sapso. Small shops and other services of Sotkamo municipal centre are just a few hundred meters walk away from the hotel.

Hotel Tulikettu is situated near versatile outdoor exercise facilities of Sotkamo and Vuokatti. Large network of Nordic skiing trails goes 200 m from the hotel. We have also facilities for our guests to maintenance their skiing equipment.

HOTEL ROOMS

Hotel Tulikettu has 82 homey non-smoking rooms. Some rooms have entrance to the backyard. There are also rooms where pets are allowed. Hotel has two suites with private saunas. Most of the rooms are for two persons but some of the larger rooms are fitted with extra beds for 3-4 persons.

Facilities: All rooms include basic hotel equipment (beds, TV, shower, restroom, minibar, etc.).

RESTAURANT

The hotel restaurant has over hundred customer places and a cocktail bar. The restaurant serves breakfast, lunch and à la carte dinner for its guests. Dishes with game meat and dishes with traditional Finnish ingredients (e.g. berries, mushrooms) delivered by local farms and retailers are the chef's specialties. The restaurant has a long history of arranging Women's Dance Nights on Tuesdays when the restaurant turns into a dance floor with orchestra. During weekends the restaurant often offers live music.

SPA & WELLNESS FACILITIES

Hotel Tulikettu has two large saunas, one for women and one for men. The saunas are heated daily between 7 pm and 9 pm. Saunas can be reserved for private use on other times. There is a small swimming pool with a beautiful lake-side view next to the sauna area. A gym and a comfortable joint living room with a large fireplace are also located close to the sauna area.

VUOKATTI - INFO

BUS

During the winter season you can use the Vuokatti Ski-Bus free of charge. The timetable is available in the Slope info brochure. Among the Ski Bus destinations are e.g. Vuokatti Slopes, Katinkulta Spa, Superpark and Sotkamo city center.

TAXI

The Kajaanin Tila-autot Oy offer a taxi service in Vuokatti, as well as the chance to pre-book a taxi for the airport. Reservations can be made at this number:

+358 40 660 8000.

GROCERY STORES

Vuokatti's K-Supermarket is located at Heikintie 1, 88610 Vuokatti and S-Market Vuokatti is situated at Katinkullantie 1, 88610 Vuokatti. At both stores, you will find a comprehensive range of groceries, as well as products from local producers. More grocery stores can be found 7 kilometres from Vuokatti, in the city of Sotkamo.

VUOKATTI PHARMACY

Everything you need for self-care can be found in the pharmacy, located in the same building as Vuokatti S-Market (Katinkullantie 1, 88610 Vuokatti), and open on weekdays. In Sotkamo, 7 kilometres from Vuokatti, you can find a pharmacy which is open also on weekends.

ALKO

The nearest Alko (the national alcohol beverage retailer) is located 7 kilometres from Vuokatti in the city of Sotkamo, in connection with the Sotkamo K-Supermarket (Kainuuntie 18, 88600 Vuokatti).

POST OFFICE

The Sotkamo post office serves customers in connection with the R-Kioski corner store chain in Sotkamo, 7 kilometres from Vuokatti (Kainuuntie 15, 88600 Sotkamo). Postage stamps can also be found in grocery stores and post boxes for sending mail are found throughout Vuokatti. You can often send post cards and letters also via the hotel reception.

EQUIPMENT RENTAL

You can rent skis or snowshoes from the cross country ski specialist Vuokatti Ski Service. The professional staff will help you choose proper equipment: suited for your skill level, and always properly maintained and waxed according to the weather conditions. You can also rent Fatbike bicycles all year round from Ski Service. (Opistontie 9c, 88610 Vuokatti). GoVuokatti's cross-country skiing equipment are available for rent at Vuokatti Bowling (Katinkullantie 11, 88610 Vuokatti) and from Vuokatti Slope Rental Shop you can rent equipment for cross country skiing, downhill skiing and snowboarding (Veikontie 3, 88610 Vuokatti).

BEAR WATCHING

Meet the Finnish national animal, the bear, in Kuhmo with Vuokatti Safaris and its Bear Watching Evening tour. Bears are Europe's biggest predators and the male bear can weigh up to 300 kg. Transport from Vuokatti to the bear hideout leaves in the afternoon and returns to Vuokatti in the evening, with the magical evening lasting about nine hours.

HEALTH CLINIC

Vuokatti's health clinic is located at Keskuskatu 9. The health clinic is open Monday-Thursday from 8am to 4pm, while on Fridays, holiday eves, December 23 and the day before mid-summer eve it is open from 8am to 3pm. At other times, urgent care is handled at Kainuu Central Hospital, Sotkamontie 13, 87300 Kajaani, Tel. +358 (0)8 6156 2300.

Health clinic nurse on duty (call back during same day): Tel. +358 (0)8 6156

Nurse's around-the-clock phone reception at Kainuu Central Hospital: Tel. +358 (0)8 6156 6000.





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