



1 Mt. Tarumae

Enjoy seeing alpine plants, taking in the majestic landscape, or enjoying a brisk mountain climb. It takes about one hour by car from Tomakomai City to the seventh station hut, and a further 50 minutes on foot to the summit. Check in winter for road closures.

Tarumae Tomakomai



6 Midorigaoka Park

Don't miss the observatory, which offers a splendid panorama of the city. You can rent boats, stroll around walking paths around Kintaro's Pond. A favorite for locals.

3 to 1, Shimizu-Chou, Takaoka Tomakomai

7 Hokkaido University Experimental Forest

Close to the city area, views of all the seasons can be enjoyed here. With abundant bird life, the bird watching here is fantastic.

Takaoka Tomakomai

15 Ikor no Mori

Enjoy different garden themes, spread over a vast setting. Enjoy eating at one of the restaurants, or get your gardening goods at one of the shops. If you want, try horse riding around the gardens.

565-1, Uenae, Tomakomai
TEL0144-52-1562

16 Northern Horse Park

A horse themed park suitable for both adults and children. Enjoy horse riding and watching pony shows, then dine on seasonal food in the restaurant.

114-7, Misawa, Tomakomai TEL0144-58-2116

17 Lake Utonai

Lake Utonai is a haven for a menagerie of wild animals and birds, and plants. As such, it provides great opportunities for bird watching and nature walks in any season. Try the local foods of Tomakomai at the market and restaurant.

156-3, Uenae, Tomakomai TEL0144-58-4137

18 Tomato Kashiwabara Observatory

An observatory overlooking the vast industrial estates of Tomato. At the same time, enjoy the beautiful, natural landscape juxtaposed against the man made

Kashiwabara Tomakomai



2 Auto Resort Tomakomai Arten

A superb auto camping facility, abundant in nature. Enjoy golf, canoeing or horse riding, a Genghis Khan bbq, or a nice hot spring bath at Yunomi Spa.

421-4 Tarumae Tomakomai
Camp site/TEL:0144-67-2222
Yunomi Spa/TEL:0144-61-4126
Park golf course/TEL:0144-67-2245

3 Tarumae Garo

Located at the foot of Mt. Tarumae, this gorge runs through a rocky terrain. A highlight is the 100 different species of moss found on the surface of the rocks.

Tarumae Tomakomai

4 Nishiki Onuma Park



A park rich in nature, located in and around a large marsh. Ideal for nature walks, and observing local flora and fauna. Why don't you try canoeing or fishing?

421 Tarumae Tomakomai

5 Tomakomai City Science Center

Look back at the Space Race by viewing 'Mir', the space station built by the Soviet Union (now Russia).

1-12, Asahi-machi 3-choume, Tomakomai
TEL:0144-33-9158



9 Machinaka Koryukan (community center)

Free to use, the foot bath is great for resting feet tired from walking, and hands which enjoy the warmth of a natural hot spring.

1, Omote-machi 3-choume, Tomakomai
TEL:0120-12-0503

10 Tomakomai City Art Museum

This complex houses both a museum and an art gallery. Local culture exhibits, arts and crafts, and other products of Tomakomai are on display. Come and see one of our regular events.

9-7, Suehiro-chou 3-choume, Tomakomai
TEL:0144-35-2550

8 Tomakomai City Office



The observatory on the top floor of the City Hall offers a great view of the cityscape and harbor.

5-6, Asahi-machi 4-choume, Tomakomai
TEL:0144-32-6111

11 Sun Garden

This indoor botanical garden adjoins Tomakomai Public Library. Enjoy natural landscape gardening based on various themes.

1-15, Suehiro-chou 3-choume, Tomakomai
TEL:0144-33-4411



12 Puratto Minato Market

The vendors at this market sell seafood and agricultural products of Tomakomai. Visit the cafeteria to try out the menu, which includes the Tomakomai speciality, Hokki shell.

2-5, Minato-chou 2-choume, Tomakomai
TEL:0144-33-3462



13 COCOTOMA

A cafe where one can enjoy either a quick bite or long lunch. There is also a tourist information counter where you can buy special products representative of Tomakomai. Come to one of the many events held here.

Friend Bldg., 11-5, Omote-machi 5-choume, Tomakomai
TEL:0144-33-1533



14 Kirakira Park

Come and see ships close up here. Take in different views during the day and night, with the darkness seeing the ships illuminated by hundreds of lights.

3-12, Iriune-chou 3-choume, Tomakomai



19 Yufutsu Marina

The hub of marine leisure activity in Tomakomai. Enjoy fishing from the shore, or charter a boat.

376 Yufutsu Tomakomai TEL:0144-56-4771



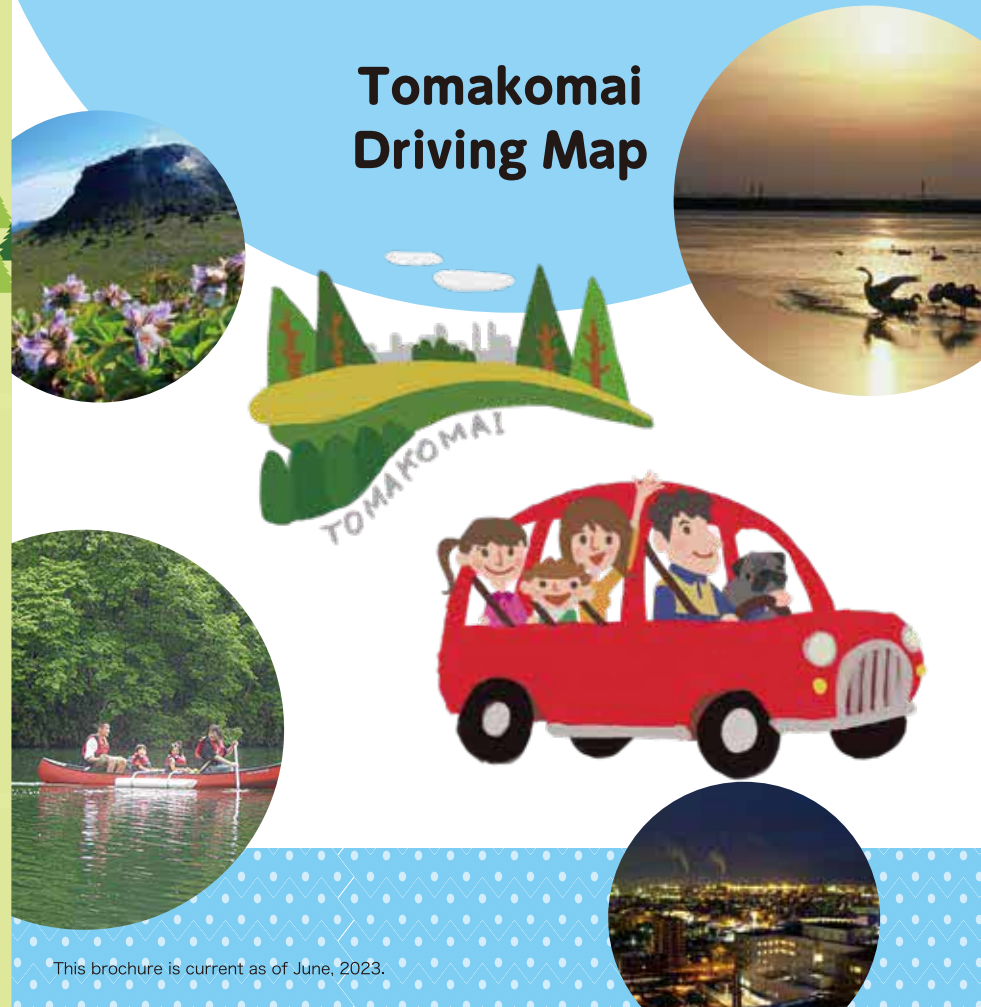
20 Harumi Park

Another spot for taking in the ghostly view of the night factories. The shimmering reflection of the lights on the harbor is spectacular.

17 Harumi-chou, Tomakomai



Tomakomai Driving Map



This brochure is current as of June, 2023.

Center of Tomakomai



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[Contact address] Tourism Promotion Section Tomakomai City ☎0144-32-6448

Tomakomai's Original Toma-chop merchandise.

Souvenirs

Get something to remind you of your visit to Tomakomai.

Toma-chop Merchandise

Original Toma-chop merchandise, including many cute souvenirs, including soft toys, food, and stationery.

Tomakomai Tourist Information Office.
(Friend Bldg 1F, 11-5 Omote-machi 5-choume)

F Dried Smoked Salmon Chips (40g/80g)

The fragrant tastiness of the highest quality, autumn caught salmon.

Oji-Salmon Hokkaido Factory
(8-15 Ariake-chou 2-choume)

G Only at Prejir, Lake Utonai Michi-no-eki (Road Station). Try Buta-man made using famous B1 Ton-Chan pork

Try these fantastic Buta-man, made using the renowned B1 Ton-Chan pork recipe. Enjoy the rich taste of coarsely ground pork mince, bamboo shoots, and shitake mushrooms.

Lake Utonai Michi-no-eki (Road Station)
(156-30 Uenae)

E Mitsuboshi Yoitomake

A popular roll-cake that is difficult to eat (very sticky), but definitely worth

Soft, fluffy, and tasty Yoitomake.

Hokki curry - a speciality of Tomakomai

Hokki curry - any time, anywhere.

A rich curry, which draws on the flavor of Tomakomai Hokki shellfish. What better way is there to experience fresh Hokki?

Tomakomai Tourist Information Office
(Friend Bldg 1F, 11-5 Omote-machi 5-choume)

Aji-no-Daioh Ganso Curry Ramen

Curry ramen produced in a style faithful to that of the famous restaurant chain, Aji-no-Daioh. Enjoy the spicy, delicious flavor of Tomakomai Curry Ramen.

Tomakomai Tourist Information Office
(Friend Bldg 1F, 11-5 Omote-machi 5-choume)

And ... Don't forget to try the many types of Haskap sweets.

You can try haskap sweets at a number of locations around Tomakomai. For details, please enquire at the Tomakomai Tourist Information Office.

☎ 0144-34-2000

Curry ramen is popular all over Hokkaido now.

Tomakomai boasts many popular curry ramen restaurants. Sample as many of the different tastes as you can.

Visit our Homepage here:

Tomakomai Curry ramen Promotion Bureau

Search

The four seasons of Tomakomai

Enjoy every season in Tomakomai. Beside taking great photos, visitors can participate in a number of sports and events unique to each season.

Spring

- Evening landscape of Lake Utonai**
Capture the splendor of the swans in the sunset sky.
- Cherry blossoms in Midorigaoka Park**
Enjoy these icons of Japan in the latter half of May every year.
- Northern Horse Park Half Marathon(May.)**
Held every May, this is not only a half marathon, but many shorter distances. The whole family can enjoy.
- Midorigaoka Park Festival (May.)**
Held in May, this festival showcases Tomakomai talent, and shops.

Summer

- Auto Resort Tomakomai Arten**
Enjoy camping, or just visit to enjoy a nice, natural hot spring.
- Northern Horse Park Garden**
An expansive garden you can meander through in summer, taking in the sights and smells of nature.
- Canoeing at Nishiki Onuma Park**
Found in the Tarumae district, this is a lovely spot to experience nature from a canoe.
- Tomakomai Harbor Festival (Aug.)**
Everyone likes a festival, and with over 300,000 people attending every year, this festival is quite the experience.

Autumn

- Nishiki Onuma Park**
Relax and enjoy the golds and browns of the autumn leaves.
- Autumn leaves at the foot of Mt.Tarumae**
Take in a rich autumn landscape of color from the observatory.
- Tarumae Sun Festival(Sep.)**
Relax over a bbq with friends while taking in the show.
- Hokki Festival(Oct.)**
September is for trying Tomakomai hokki in a range of dishes.

Winter

- Northern Horse Park in winter**
Enjoy a range of winter pastimes.
- Swans of Lake Utonai**
Get a close up look at beautiful, graceful swans.
- Wakasagi Fishing**
Enjoy fishing for smelt on the frozen Nishiki Onuma. Please check for times and dates.
- Tomakomai Ice Skating Festival (Feb.)**
Enjoy ice skating on the rink, followed by the main event - Shibare-yaki (Genghis Khan), a traditional Hokkaido bbq.

Suggested travel ideas for a trip to Tomakomai

Tomakomai contains many fantastic hidden sights and experiences that can not be found in your usual guidebook.

ROUTE PLAN TOMAKOMAI

Family time!

- 16 Northern Horse Park**
Enjoy watching the pony shows, or try your hand at horse-riding or other fun activities. Also check out the fantastic bread and sweets too.
Address:114-7,Misawa,Tomakomai
TEL:0144-58-2116
Opening hours:9:00-17:00 (Summer)
#Business hours change in winter.
- 12 Puratto Minato Market LUNCH**
The freshest produce from both land and sea.
Address:2-5,Minato-chou 2-choume, Tomakomai
TEL:0144-33-3462
Opening hours:7:00-16:00
- 6 Midorigaoka Park**
Enjoy walking around the park, having fun in the playground, or taking in the view of Tomakomai from the Observation Deck.
Address:3-1,Shimizu-Chou,Tomakomai
Observatory Opening hours:Apr20-Oct31 9:00-21:00,Nov1-Apr19 10:00-18:00
- 2 Auto Resort Tomakomai Arten**
Enjoy canoeing around Nishiki Marsh, then relax in a nice soothing hot spring
Auto Resort Tomakomai Arten
In addition to enjoying canoeing, hot springs are also recommended.
Address:42-1-4 Tarumae Tomakomai
Camp site/TEL:0144-67-2222(All year)
Yunomi Spa/TEL:0144-61-4126
(Opening hours:10:00-22:00 Closed on the third Wednesday)
Park golf/TEL:0144-67-2245
(Operating period:Apr.-Nov.)
- A Tonkatsu Kitakura DINNER**
Winner of the prestigious local food award - Tomakomai Umaisho Grand Prix.
Address:18,Mihara-Chou3-choume,Tomakomai
TEL:0144-61-6868
Opening hours:11:15-14:00(L.O.) , 17:30-20:15(L.O.)

Fun for the adults!

- 15 Ikor no mori**
Relax in beautiful gardens that change from season to season
Address:565-1 Uenae Tomakomai
TEL:0144-52-1562
Opening hours:Apr21-Oct31 9:00-17:00,Nov1-Apr20 Closed
- 7 Hokkaido University Experimental Forest**
Enjoy a stroll through nature, watching the birds at play.
Address:Takaoaka,To makomai
- D Regalo da J-Farm LUNCH**
A fusion of Tomakomai's fresh local vegetables and Italian cooking. Don't miss the red jewel tomato, Tomakomai's finest specimen of tomato.
Address:9-2,Hokuei-chou 1-choume,Tomakomai
TEL:0144-84-3356
Opening hours:11:30-15:00 (L.O.14:00) ,17:00-21:30(L.O.20:30)
Closed on Tuesday
(Open on public holidays.)
- 9 Machinaka Koryukan (community center)**
Rest your tired feet, and soak your hands in this natural hot spring. And it is completely free!
Address:1-6,Omote-machi 3-choume,Tomakomai
TEL:0120-12-0503
Opening hours:12:00-17:00
Open on Friday,Saturday and Sunday
- C Grandhotel New-oji Gran-view DINNER**
Take in the panoramic view of Tomakomai from the top floor of the hotel. Enjoy the wine list, drawn up by a French sommelier.
Address:3-1,Omote-machi 4-choume,Tomakomai
TEL:0144-31-3167
Opening hours:
Lunch:11:30-14:30(L.O.14:00) ,18:00-23:00
Dinner:18:00~21:30
(appointment only/ need to reserve before3days)

The best pork cutlets in town.

Sharing Tomakomai on social media

My Photogenic Our photos of Tomakomai

Tomakomai consists of the green of nature, water, factories, and a harbor; where nature and the city coexist. Every day throws up opportunities for a special photo, that can take your breath away, or bring you calm and peace. Presenting beautiful photos taken by three residents of Hokkaido - a well-known actress, a model, and a singer.

Hash tag for you all - #tomakomainsta

Add your pictures to those already added by these well-known fans of Tomakomai.

Find us on Instagram! #tomakomainsta

Actress Yui Wakita's favorite

Based in Hokkaido, Yui Wakita is active in a wide range of fields. Active as a lecturer and photographer.

Tomakomai is full of all kinds of cuteness.

A fairytale world can be found inside the shop. The cat parfait is really cute.

Sweets labo Soleil Solaire
Address:26-14,Sanko-chou 5-choume,Tomakomai

Model and Mum Yuko Nanbu's favorite

Yuko Nanbu is a fashion model from Sapporo. She was the star figure of the Sapporo Collection 2009. She presently trains people in healthy walking posture, and is also focusing on nurturing and training children in modeling.

I always look for fun places to take my child.

Yuko Nanbu

Here I am at Northern Horse Park's pony show. The cute little horses made my day.

Oji Paper Factory is my favorite. The lights of the factory and the cars driving along the shore are reflected in the water. The ordinary daytime view gives way to this night splendor.

Tomakomai Power Plant is my favorite, too. I wanted to capture the image of the lights reflecting off the water, so I set up on the opposite shore, and used a low shutter speed.

PHOTO GENIC TOMAKOMAI

I love the free playground near Midorigaoka Park Observatory. Trying out your hula hoop skills is great fun, for both me and my child.

Watana Besta SOCIAL club

Musician Watana Besta SOCIAL club's favorite

This singer/songwriter is from Ebetsu, Hokkaido. Some of his works have been used in TV programs and commercials. He makes, arranges and produces music.

These photos were taken with a single lens reflex camera.