

# SALO

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SaloTaskussa.fi

The SaloTaskussa.fi mobile application shows the nearest bus stops, timetables, bus routes, nature attractions, accommodation, events, restaurants and other destinations.

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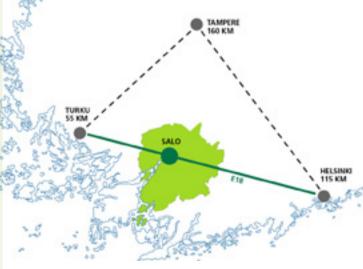
Experiences, activities and accommodation in the Salo region can also be bought online.

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SalonPaikku.fi

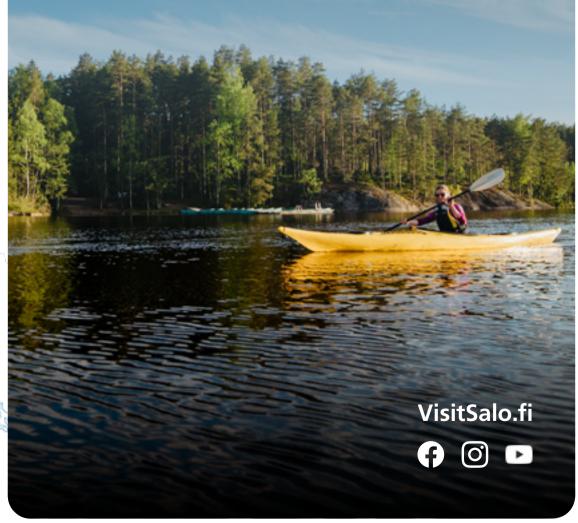


# Let Salo take you on an adventure

In this brochure, we have compiled tips for memorable experiences. Salo's magical events are loved by people of all ages. Experience the Thursday evening summer markets in Salo, fall in love with the Pumpkin Weeks, pop over to the numerous craft markets and enjoy the festive atmosphere of the Christmas market. The amole range of events continues throughout the year. centre of Salo and the best marketplace in Finland are already waiting for you.

Salo's nature enchants visitors. Here you can find the Teijo National Park, the archipelago, the seashore, as well as the countryside with its many lakes. Salo is full of great trails to explore, for example, by bike, hiking and paddling. There are trails for all kinds of travellers from beginners

Salo's versatility offers a pleasant surprise. We heartily welcome you to Salo! For further tips for travelling in Salo, please visit **VisitSalo.fi** and follow us on social media **#VisitSalo @VisitSalo**.



# Experience Salo – a city enveloped by the sea, forests, fertile fields and lakes





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# **Events** in Salo





Salo boasts a delightfully versatile range of events. The city offers people of all ages events and experiences to suit various tastes. Salo Marketplace serves as a meeting and shopping venue and provides a central stage for various themed events. The city's well-established evening markets make high-quality concerts available for all, free of charge.

Events are also organised year-round in the area surrounding Salo city centre. Successful local sports teams and numerous events organised by the active local sports clubs at the Salo Sports Park provide excitement and experiences to sports enthusiasts.

And that's not all – far from it. Lots of popular as well as unforeseen events will be also organised in the idyllic ironworks villages, Halikko and the lovely archipelago landscape of Särkisalo this year.

Enjoy yourself and don't forget to check out the events going on in other parts of Salo. The following pages provide a preview of 2024.

See more events at VisitSalo.fi.

#### 14-16 March: Salo Irish Festival

Come and enjoy joyful Celtic rhythms at the Irish Festival.

# 20 April at 3 p.m. and 6 p.m. The table is set -The 60th anniversary concert of Salon Viihdelaulaiat choir

Theatre Provinssi, Salorankatu 5-7, 24240 Salo.

# 18 May: Salon Seiska

A charity sports event for women at the Salo sports park.

# 27–31 May: MHAW Mental Health Art Week – Mental wellbeing through culture

# 1 June–31 August: Summer Together event series

An opportunity to experience and get involved in the villages of Salo and their local activities.

#### 28-29 June: Genuine Cider Festival in Mathildedal

Genuine drinks, delicious food and live music. Organised by Salo local craft cider manufacturers Lepola Drinks and Hallonmäen Siideripanimo.



# 6 June-8 August: Salo Evening Markets www.iltatori.fi

Every Thursday 6 June-8 August The Salo Evening Market is filled with hundreds of merchants and flea marketers, thousands of visitors, and a cheerful buzz in the market place cafés. Check the Salon Iltatorit Facebook page for the latest information about Salo Evening Markets.

# 6-9 June: Children's Song City Festival www.lastenlaulukaupunki.fi

The stages and event places of the Children's Song City festival are located at the marketplace and city centre, where the performances by children and both Finnish star performers and foreign guests make for a lively festival.

# Events for children and families with children at Ylhäistentie

Children's Saturdays at Cultural Space Näkkäri and Baby Fridays in the Theatre class. Check the programme at: www.salo.fi/nakkari.

# 9–15 June: Powerlifting European Championships at Salohalli

# 21 June: Lifting the Midsummer pole at Särkisalo

Villa Tallbacka from 12:00. A traditional archipelago event with a programme suitable for the whole family.



#### 29 June: Sebfmx FEST

A freestyle motocross event for the whole family. Only a limited number of tickets is available. Finnholmenintie 80, Särkisalo.

# 6–12 July: Raatalan Humpparalli a festival of partner dance music

www.humpparalli.fi

Raatalan Humpparalli is a week-long event with numerous dance orchestras. There's dance music every night between 7 p.m. and 1 a.m.

# 13 July at 3-8 p.m. Vinssi Pop-up in Särkisalo

The pop-up summer market offers a wide range of stalls outside Café Vinssi. With live music in the evening. Irmer Stenbergin tie 20, Förby.

# 19-21 July: Salo Horse Show

National show jumping competition in the middle of the city, at Salo Sports Park.

# 19-21 July: Salo Volley

www.salovolley.fi

Salo Volley brings hundreds of athletes to Salo Sports Park.





# 20 July at 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Särkisalo Day

An event for the whole family in the Meripirtti outdoor area, which traditionally begins with a children's running competition.

# 20 July: Satamaranta dance in Särkisalo

With music provided by Unelmavävyt. The menu includes whole roasted pork served with fresh salad and pancakes. Welcome!

# 25-28 July: Salo Circus Festival

salocircus.com

The Circus Festival, now organised for the sixth time, is a unique performing arts event. The magic of circus, acrobatic mastery and joyful encounters.

# 2-3 August: Antsu's FEST24

Two lively evenings full of fun at the heart of Perniö, in the old marketplace. Market pub, bands, DJs, drinks and food, the best party of the year in Perniö!

# 3 August: Lauri's Market in Perniö

Traditional Lauri's Market in the centre of Perniö. Lots of sales stands, rural products, delicacies, versatile programme and pleasant encounters.

# 5–11 August: Rikalanmäki Culture Week

www.teatteriprovinssi.fi/rikalanmaki

Rikalanmäen Teatterivintti is once again filled with visiting performances and open access events in the first week of August!

# 16-17 August: Salo Friends and Music Festival

Salo Friends and Music Festival ends the holiday season and opens the autumn season. There's another fantastic line-up of performers. The first performers have already been published and they are Kaija Koo, Isac Elliot, Jannika B and Vesterinen Yhtyeineen.

# 24 August: Sports Super Saturday

At Salo Sports Park.

# 29 August: Taiteiden Yä – Night of the Arts www.taiteidenva.net

A communal cultural event open for all organised in the Salo city centre.

# 29 August: Baltic Sea Day

To celebrate our unique sea.





# 31 August: Night of the ancient fires in Särkisalo

A party in the archipelago that marks the end of the summer season. Events around Särkisalo.

# 26-28 September: Salo Autumn Market www.salontori.fi

Traditional Salo Autumn Market at Salo Marketplace and the surrounding area.

# 27-29 September: SaloJazz Festival www.salojazz.fi

SaloJazz organises high-quality SaloJazz Live concerts with a cosy atmosphere, bringing Finland's top artists, rising new talents and international masters of jazz to the city.

# 12 October at 11 a.m.-2 p.m. Baltic Herring Fair in Särkisalo

A traditional market event where you can buy Baltic herring, fish products and crafts. Tiirantori market square, Särkisalo.

#### Also remember the theme months

1–31 March: Children's culture March

1–30 November: Cultural well-being November

# 11-27 October: Pumpkin Weeks

The atmospheric Pumpkin Weeks, which have gained great popularity, provide wonderful experiences. The pumpkin park at the Rannikko garden is the focal point of the event, inviting visitors to admire thousands of hand-carved jack-o'-lanterns and tasty pumpkin-based treats. In addition to this, various events related to the theme are organised around the city.

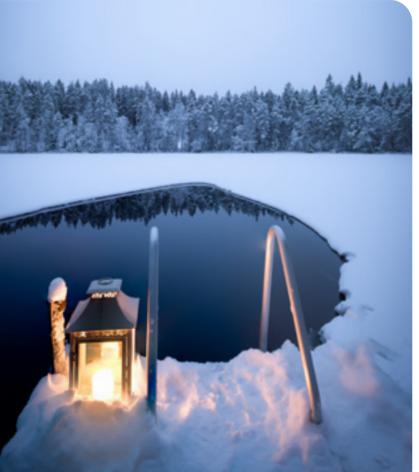
# 1-8 November: Salo Poetry Week

Expel the November blues through the charm and magic of words.

#### Christmas markets across Salo

Including Rikalanmäki and Wiurila Christmas Festivals, Mathildedal Christmas Market and Teijon Masuuni Christmas Market.





# 17–18 February: Ice Swimming Rush Experience Salo through sauna and a cold dip!

Do you like ice swimming or have you always wanted to try it?

In that case, we recommend starting your skiing holiday in Salo, where the Ice Swimming Rush will provide you with unforgettable experiences across the city! The programme includes ice swimming, saunas, fashion shows, winter celebrations and more. Stay tuned when the programme is published at **VisitSalo.fi**.

#### **EVENTS AT THE TEIJO IRONWORKS VILLAGES**

### **Ironworks villages & tours**

Coming in May. Take your family or friends and explore Tejio National Park, as well as the ironworks villages of Mathildedal, Teijo and Kirjakkala. They are packed with programme this year.

#### At Mathildan Marina

5 January–26 April At the Merigalleria -art gallery Jaana Kähönen –

Matildanjärven lumoissa –

Under the Spell of Matildanjärvi -exhibition

30 April–31 August At the Merigalleria -art gallery Leena Nikkanen's

sea-themed art exhibition

First of may & Mathildan Marina 8 years celebrations, 30 April

Capo 2 -duo performing

Mathildan Marina's Boating season opening & 25 May

Vanavedessä -running event

21-22 June Mathildan Marina's Midsummer Festival

26 June–7 August Yoga on the pier on Wednesdays at 9–10.15 a.m.

and a singing bowl meditation at 10:20-10.50 a.m.

Yoga on the pier and singing bowl 7 July, 21 July and

meditation at 9-10.30 4 August 23 July Sunset yoga, at 9-10 p.m.

Mathildan Marina's Venetian Festival 31 August



#### At Mathildedal Ironworks

30 March: Kevään kutsu – Call of Spring event & Easter Market

8 June: Ironworks Dav

12-27 October: Ghost Museum

At the turn of November-December: the Mathildedal Christmas Market

### At Teijon Masuuni

#### 30 March from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. **Easter Market**

Artisanal and local delicacies in the warm indoor spaces and garden area of Teijon Masuuni.

### 25 May from 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. Ruukki kukkii - Ironworks Blooms, traditional old-timey crafts market

Finnish art, crafts and local food.

# 7 September from 11 a.m. to 3 p.m. Harvest Market

Various local food and handicraft products in the Masuuni courtyard and in warm indoor areas, as part of the national Local Food Day.

# 30 November-1 December 11 a.m. to 4 p.m. **Teijon Masuuni Christmas Market**

A traditional two-day crafts Christmas Market at the warm indoor facilities and atmospheric courtvard at Teijon Masuuni, surrounded by the idvllic Teijo ironworks milieu. Artisans and local producers, versatile and high-quality product offerings. For the 13th time! Free access to art exhibitions.

In addition, the Teijo Region Village Association will organise the opening ceremony of the Fitness Steps in Teijo Rukki in March and April, the Teijo Midsummer Festival in June and the Wanhanajan Markkinat -Old-timey Market in August.

# FIRST-RATE EXPERIENCES ON THE SALO PLAYING FIELDS

# Country-best women's volleyball

Come and see female energy in Salohalli! All LP Viesti home games: **www.lpviesti.fi** 

# Top level basketball in Salohalli

Come and enjoy the city's best atmosphere and the most action-packed entertainment in Salohalli. Read about Vilpas home games and side events: **vilpaskoripallo.fi.** See you at the match – wear something red!

# Experience the magic of SalPa's home ground

SalPa has cleared its way to Finland's largest football clubs and, at the same time, increased its interest. Come and experience the magic of SalPa's home ground. Game programme and additional information: www.joutsenlauma.fi





# Top level futsal locally

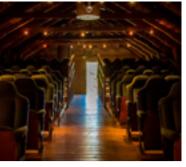
Fast and entertaining futsal in Salohalli. Show up and fall in love! **www.fchalikko.com** 

# Salo Sports Park - an oasis in the heart of the city

- A venue for physical activities and events a hundred sports within a hundred hectares
- Located right next to the city centre with versatile activities that provide a great environment for organising events of all sizes and types.
- Salo Sports Park serves as a venue for the accommodation for national teams, league games, tournaments, and concerts and conferences.

# salo.fi/urheilupuisto







# **SUMMER THEATRES IN SALO**

Salo's summer theatres are offering their best again. Come to the summer theatres and see how the excitement and joy spreads from the stage to the audience.

See the summer theatres' websites for this summer's programme.

#### Kiikalan KiPiNät Theatre

Kiikalan seuratalo Rekijoentie 1380 D, Kiikala www.kipinat.com

#### Kirakka Summer Theatre

Kirakantie 240. Ylönkylä www kirakankesateatteri fi

#### Mathildedal Summer Theatre

Ruukinrannatie 6, Mathildedal www.teatteriprovinssi.fi

#### Rikalanmäki Summer Theatre

Rikalantie 74, Halikko www.teatteriprovinssi.fi

#### Suomusjärvi Summer Theatre

Nävtelmäpiiri Suonäpit rv Jamentie 9, Suomusjärvi www.suonapit.fi

#### **Theatre Puutaivas**

Vaskion Perinnemäki Kavalontie 68, Vaskio www.puutaivas.net

#### **Vuohensaari Summer Theatre**

Satamakatu 102, Salo www.salonteatteri.com

# Rikalanmäki Summer Theatre Comedy classic KVARTETTI

Director: Joonas Suominen

#### Shows

Fri 14 June (premiere) at 6 p.m. Sun 16 June at 5 p.m. Tue 25 June at 6 p.m. Wed 26 June at 6 p.m. Sun 30 June at 5 p.m. Wed 3 July at 6 p.m. Thu 4 July at 6 p.m. Sun 7 July at 5 p.m. Tue 9 July at 6 p.m. Wed 10 July at 6 p.m. Sun 14 July at 5 p.m. Tue 16 July at 6 p.m. Wed 17 July at 6 p.m. Sun 21 July at 5 p.m. Tue 23 July at 6 p.m. Wed 24 July at 6 p.m. Sun 28 July at 5 p.m. Tue 30 July at 6 p.m. Wed 31 July at 6 p.m. Thu 1 August at 6 p.m. Sun 4 August at 5 p.m. Tue 6 August at 6 p.m. Wed 7 August at 6 p.m. Sun 11 August at 5 p.m.

#### **Bookings and inquiries**

Telephone +358 (0)44 052 0260 www.teatteriprovinssi.fi

#### Place

Rikalanmäen Teatterivintti Rikalantie 74, 24800 Salo

# Mathildedal Summer Theatre Cheerful comedy LOMA

Director: Toni Enholm

#### Shows

Wed 28 June (premiere) at 6 p.m. Mon 1 July at 6 p.m. Tue 2 July at 6 p.m. Tue 3 July at 6 p.m. Sun 7 July at 5 p.m. Mon 8 July at 6 p.m. Tue 9 July at 6 p.m. Wed 10 July at 6 p.m. Sun 14 July at 5 p.m. Mon 15 July at 6 p.m. Tue 16 July at 6 p.m. Wed 17 July at 6 p.m. Sun 21 July at 5 p.m. Mon 22 July at 6 p.m. Tue 23 July at 6 p.m. Wed 24 July at 6 p.m. Sun 28 July at 5 p.m. Mon 29 July at 6 p.m. Tue 30 July at 6 p.m. Wed 31 July at 6 p.m. Sun 4 August at 5 p.m. Mon 5 August at 6 p.m. Tue 6 August at 6 p.m. Wed 7 August at 6 p.m. Sun 11 August at 5 p.m.

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Mathildedal Summer Theatre Ruukinrannantie 6. 25660 Mathildedal



# Culture & Experiences

See changing exhibitions and fascinating historical phenomena at the museums in Salo, feel the atmosphere at jazz concerts, enjoy the magic of theatre, get astonished by circus performances, fall in love with cultural films and get carried away in a singalong! Salo is a vibrant and attractive cultural city that offers something to do all year round, in the city centre, villages and neighbourhoods.

#### **SALO ART MUSEUM**

Come and join us from near and far!



Chen Jiagang, Cold Forest, 2008, detail. Courtesy Contemporary by Angela Li.

# 27.1.-28.4.2024 Chen Jiagang

Photographer and architect **Chen Jiagang's** images combine hypnotic depictions of the Chinese countryside, the factories and marketplaces of megacities, industrial architecture and still-life human figures. The large photographs open up vast landscapes, revealing the immense proportions of a special kind of nature and, at the same time, the human handprint left there. Chen's work conveys a reflection on the relationship between history and the present and, through this, a concern for the future.

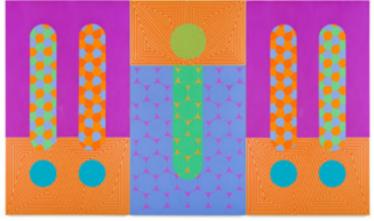
The landscapes and interiors Chen depicts are reminiscent of large, scenery-laden stages. The artist's works are delicate in tone and still in movement, creating a roman-

tic and dreamlike atmosphere. The attention is drawn to women dressed in traditional Chinese costumes. They are carefully positioned and many of them look directly at the camera. But the seemingly still moment has actually not stood still at all, as people, seasons and times of day move and change. The multi-layered images are like modern China in miniature.

Chen Jiagang, born in 1962 in Chongqing, was originally trained as an architect. Since 1999, Chen has become known as a photographer in both private and group exhibitions around the world in Asia, Europe and the United States. Chen Jiagang currently lives and works in Beijing.

#### 18.5.-1.9.2024 Mari Rantanen

In summer, the halls of Salo Art Museum Veturitalli will be filled with the glowingly colourful works of Stockholm-based visual artist, Professor Mari Rantanen (born 1956). Helsinki, Tammela, New York and Stockholm have all been important bases for the international artist. Rantanen's work has not been exhibited in Finland for ten years. Her latest paintings and prints from the last few years will be on display in Salo. Both the Renaissance church ornamentals and the phenomena of contemporary art act as sources of inspiration for Rantanen, who has had a long career in visual art.



Mari Rantanen, It is Now or Never, 2019.

Mari Rantanen, There is a crack in everything that is how light comes in, 2017-2019.

# **Gallery Sivuraide**

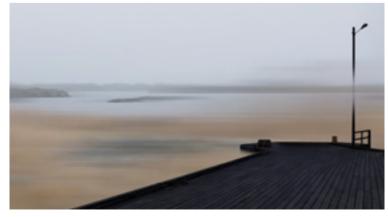
# 27.1.–28.4.2024 Nuutti Koskinen: Primary Succession

Visual artist **Nuutti Koskinen's** (born 1975) two-channel video installation Primary Succession (2023), tells the story of the relationship between archipelago nature and humans. The work deals with the infrastructure of representing, experiencing and shaping nature.

#### 18.5.-1.9.2024 Eevi Rutanen

In her work, visual artist **Eevi Rutanen** (born 1992) explores the relationship between home and technology. In her kinetic installations, objects familiar from everyday chores become strange as they are brought to life in unexpected ways. The artist aims to challenge assumptions about technology and the role of the home using playfulness and humour.

Nuutti Koskinen, Primary Succession, 2023.



# Salo Art Museum Veturitalli

#### salontaidemuseo.fi

Mariankatu 14 telephone: +358 (0)2 778 4892.

# Open

Tuesday-Friday 10 a.m.-6 p.m., weekends 11 a.m.-5 p.m.

#### **Entrance ticket**

EUR 10 / 7, museum card, free admission to children under 18 Free admission on the first Friday of each month Guided tours in Finnish on Sundays at 2 p.m.

#### Customer service and museum shop

telephone: +358 (0)2 778 4892 veturitalli@salo fi



# Salo Historical Museum **SAMU**

# **SALO ELECTRONICS MUSEUM**

#### Open:

In winter 2024 the museum is closed.

Opening hours in spring 4 April-1 May and autumn 1 September-22 December Thu-Fri 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Sat 11 a.m.-3 p.m.

Summer season 2 May-31 August 2024 Wed-Fri 11 a.m.-5 p.m. Sat-Sun 11 a.m.-3 p.m.

Special opening hours are listed on our website

#### Admission fees

Adults EUR 6 Pensioners, unemployed people and students EUR 5 Free admission for visitors under 18 years of age.

You can pay with the Museum Card, Epassi and Smartum.

Free admission on the first Friday of each month.

# **Salo Electronics Museum**

Astrum Centre Salorankatu 5-7. Door 3 24240 Salo +358 (0)2 778 4896 +358 (0)2 778 4885

www.salomus.fi/en/ salo-electronics-museum/

#### Made in Salo Exhibition

See a vast number of old telephones, radios and televisions in one place!

The Made in Salo exhibition of the Salo Electronics Museum sheds light on the development and transformation of communications, the related devices and the electronics industry from the end of the 1920s to the modern day. The exhibition particularly showcases radios, televisions, radiophones and mobile phones and monitors designed and manufactured in Salo. The museum displays products designed and manufactured by Salora, Mobira, Nokia and Benefon, as well as production equipment from over the course of more than 90 years. In the museum, you can also get to know devices manufactured by newer electronics companies from Salo.

The Salo Electronics Museum is a visiting destination for the whole family, with interesting content for people of all ages. In the museum, you can watch clips of old television programmes and listen to radio programmes from the late 1920s onwards. You can use a landline phone and order a call through a manual switchboard. You can try your hand at old video games. See if you can find your first Nokia telephone from among the exhibition.

See the latest events at the salomus.fi website and the Facebook and Instagram accounts of the Salo Historical Museum.





#### **LOCAL MUSEUMS**

### Halikko Museum, Kirkkorinne 7, Halikko

Halikko Museum is located near Halikko Church, in a sturdy stone granary completed in 1849. This former granary illustrates the history of Halikko region on three floors through farming and craft occupations. The museum also displays the Count Armfelt weapons collection and has an exhibition depicting life and history at the Halikko district mental hospital.

### Kiikala Local History Museum, Porvarinpolku 10, Kiikala

The museum grounds have seven buildings that have been moved there from around Kiikala. The museum has an extensive collection of traditional peasant artefacts, items from the Kiikala pharmacy and products from the Johannislund glass factory.

# Kreivinmäki Outdoor Museum, Viurilantie 34, 24910 Halikko

On top of a high hill, a smock mill dating back to the 1800s still stands on its original location. The mill was originally the property of the Vuorentaka Manor. The area also includes loft storehouse and granary as well as a miller's croft from the 1700s. The croft is private property. The museum area can be freely explored all year round.

### Meritalo Museum, Moisionkatu 18, Salo

Meritalo has been serving as a museum for 50 years. The museum is located in the centre of the old Salo, in the Moisio neighbourhood. The atmospheric former school building showcases a classroom as well as an apartment of a teacher family from the late 19th, early 20th century. Refresh yourself in the lush museum garden and familiarise yourself with old, traditional plants. You can also visit the garden outside the museum's opening hours. The joyful Entten tentten ("Eeny, meeny") exhibition takes visitors to the happy world of play and toys.

#### Perniö Museum, Museotie 9, Perniö

The exhibition in the museum completed in 1930 showcases the rich history of Perniö region and life in the area. A new changing exhibition, Perniöön ia takaisin – sukumme naiskohtaloita ("To Perniö and Back Again – the fates of women in our family"), is open at the museum, telling the interesting story of visual artist Aurora Reinhart and her mother, ceramic artist Catharina Kajander.

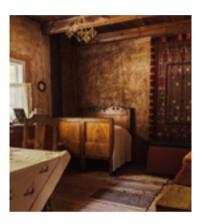
# Suomusjärvi Local History Museum, Karjalohjantie 161-2, Suomusjärvi

An atmospheric wooden granary located next to the Suomusjärvi Church exhibits local peasant culture, tools of craftsmen, church artefacts and prehistorical discoveries as well as a special curiosity, a miraculous perpetual motion machine.

### Trömperi Inn, Vanha Turuntie 1326, Hajala

The idyllic Trömperi is located along the Kuninkaantie road and has attracted many a traveller to come and rest within its walls over the years. According to legend, counts and royalty used to visit the Trömperi inn on their hunting and fishing trips. The building was owned by the same family all the way until 1971, at which point the buildings and all their items were bequeathed to museum use. Trömperi is protected under the Act on the Protection of the Built Heritage. A cosy summer café operates in the museum during its opening hours and the museum organises lots of events during the summer.





# Local Museums of the Salo Historical Museum SAMU

In addition to Salo Electronics Museum, Salo Historical Museum SAMU comprises seven local museums in the greater Salo region.

The local museums are primarily open in the summer and at other times upon agreement. All local museums have free entry during the opening hours.

The museums have theme days and events. Find information about them and the opening hours at www salomus fi

Welcome to visit our museums!

#### Salo history museum (SAMU) PO Box 77, 24101 Salo

More information about SAMU local museums: www.salomus.fi/front-page/

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# The studio and home of artist Vilio Hurme

Painter Viljo Hurme's studio home is a unique and diverse attraction in Muurla, on the shore of lake Ylisjärvi.

The interior of the building, which was completed in 1946, is mostly in its original condition. The house contains an extensive collection of Hurme's artwork. In the studio upstairs, there is an art exhibition that changes every year.

Open Sundays 30 June-25 August 2024, noon-4 p.m. Open for groups also at other times

Muurlantie 309 25130 Muurla Enquiries: +358 (0)2 728 1100 hanna-maija.saarimaa@ muurla.salonseutu.fi www muurla fi



# Teijon Masuuni

Gallery Teijon Masuuni located in the historical Teijo Ironworks Village with great natural beauty houses high-quality changing exhibitions around the year. Free entrance. The exhibition calendar and opening hours can be found on our website. Welcome to visit our exhibitions! Telakkatie 17, 25570 Teijo +358 (0)40 482 2224 galleria@teijonmasuuni.fi www.teijonmasuuni.fi





# **Lehmiranta Holiday Centre**

The Lehmiranta Holiday Centre offers a wide range of recreational courses specifically designed for pensioners. During the courses, you can learn new skills, make new friends and enjoy the leisurely everyday life of the holiday centre.

Holiday options are available for groups from day trips to longer mini vacations. We also offer various opportunities to go on guided excursions to explore cultural and nature sites in the surrounding areas.

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Located in the centre of Salo. Bio-Salo is a three-screen cinema with a long history but fully modern equipment with the latest technology and the newest audio equipment. See the programme at biosalo.fi.

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At Vuohensaari Summer Theatre in summer 2024, the Kellokosken prinsessa. A fun and touching musical play about humanity, hope and community spirit.

### Theatre of Salo

Ticket sales: Annankatu 10, 24240 Salo +358 (0)44 031 6055 myynti@salonteatteri.com www.salonteatteri.com









### Theatre PROvinssi

Theatre PROvinssi is a theatre and event producer in Salo. The theatre's 350seat main stage is located in the Astrum Centre in Salo. During the winter season, we also collaborate with the event restaurant Musine and conduct major events in Salohalli.

Our new co-operation and event venue in 2024 will be the programme we produce for Billnäs. There are three summer theatres: Mustio Castle, Rikalanmäki and Mathildedal summer theatres. The theatre has more than 200 performances per year, which includes versatile own productions and event productions.

Get tickets at ticket.fi or Astrum Centre

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# Salo region – windows to various landscapes on excursions with Salo guides

Reservations and customised tours: Salo Guides' Association - Salo & Kemiönsaari +358 (0)44 331 2044 saloguides@gmail.com www.salonoppaat.yhdistysavain.fi/

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The Salo guides' tours will provide you with interesting and entertaining details of the Salo region.

# Walking tours (in Finnish only)

6 June Salo's strong-willed women and renowned men

15 June Kultalähde spring in Kiikala 20 June Parks along the Salo river

22 June Ilolan Arboretum

Walking tours for groups: Rikalanmäki ancient trail for children or adults The past and present of the center of Salo Made In Finland, trailing the mobile phone

#### Bus tours (in Finnish only)

8 June On the footsteps of the Horn family 13 June Nature and art meet in Ilolan Arboretum 27 June Mystery tour of maritime landscapes Kärkelä Ironworks excursion 4 July 11 July Mystery tour of the Salo region

New insights into the antiquity of Uskela and Pertteli 20 July

1 August Sagalund – outdoor museum in Kemiönsaari

For groups:

Salo city tour 1 or 2 hours.

More detailed information on excursions, prices, booking instructions and our entire summer programme on our website, also check the event calendar at www.visitsalo.fi/tapahtumakalenteri!







# Interesting group tourist destinations in Salo

Read more about the offerings and ready-made tour programmes on the website.

# Mathildedal Ironworks Village

The idyllic ironworks village by the sea next to Teijo National Park boasts a pleasant village atmosphere: renovated ironworks buildings, history and culture, small shops. Guided ironworks tour.

www.visitmathildedal.fi

# Wiurila Manor

The Manor – a piece of Finnish history. Guided manor tour and museum visits, group meals and coffee breaks. www.wiurila.fi

# Rikalanmäki Hill in Halikko

Iron Age historical site with an atmospheric open fire restaurant and great traditional landscapes. www.rikalanmaki.fi

# **Design Hill**

Excellent group rest stop along the E18 motorway, with an extensive shop, Design Hill Cafe, PetriS Chocolate chocolate factory and Bringhall Sparkling cider house. www.designhill.fi

# Teijo Ironworks Village

Teijo ironworks, Teijon Masuuni and Finland's smallest stone church full of interesting stories. Guided ironworks history tours for groups all year round.

www.teijonmasuuni.fi

#### Salo Art Museum Veturitalli (Locomotive shed)

A wonderful art museum has been built in the more than 100-year-old engine depot, with changing art exhibitions throughout the year.

www.salontaidemuseo.fi

### Salo Marketplace

Marketplace voted as Finland's best marketplace in Finland's largest rural city. Renowned Salo Evening Markets on summer Thursdays.

www.salontori.fi











# Nature & Hiking Destinations





In addition to Teijo National Park, Salo has many excellent hiking destinations where you can explore our cultural history and nature. The ancient and cultural trails tell the history of the early settlers in the area. Explore the life of birds and plants and the landscape, formed by the Ice Age, on our nature paths and around rapids. The hiking paths and nature surroundings are constantly developed, and accessibility has also been improved.

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# **Teijo National Park**

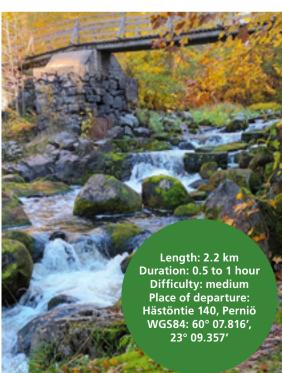
Located right next to the Teijo ironworks villages, Teijo National Park provides an opportunity to experience the diverse Finnish nature. The landscapes range from peaty forests to mires, groves and cliffs. The mosaic of lakes and proximity to the sea are also part of Teijo's atmosphere. The dammed lakes and coal pits found in the terrain reflect the history of the ironworks villages.

Teijo offers up to 50 kilometres of well-marked hiking trails. Some of the trails have been built to be accessible for wheelchair users and pedestrians with prams.

The most popular trail in the national park runs around Matildanjärvi lake (5.5 kilometres). The specialities of the Sahajärvi trail (8.8 kilometres) are its two manually pulled ferries. Totti nature trail (1.3 kilometres) and Muurahaispolku trail (1.3 kilometres) are well-suited, comfortable nature trails for families with children.

We recommend starting the excursion from the Teijo Visitor Centre south of Lake Matildanjärvi. At the Visitor Centre, you can get tips and maps for your trip. The entrepreneur-led Visitor Centre also has a café and an equipment rental company. Matildanjärvi lake is a recreational and fishing destination. Rent a canoe, kayak, rowing boat or SUP board and experience Matildanjärvi lake from a new perspective. The area also has trails for mountain bikers.

More information on Teijo National Park and Teijo ironworks villages from page 26 onwards.



# Latokartanonkoski Rapids

Surging rapids, lush shore groves and interesting history. Latokartanonkoski is an excellent hiking destination for the whole family.

The history of the Latokartano mill extends to the Middle Ages, and is part of a significant built cultural environment. The current mill ceased its operations in the 1960s.

The spectacular rapids also attract rare birds to fish on its shores. Spot the white-throated dipper or a kingfisher. For humans, the rapids are a recreational fishing destination run by the Finnish Forest and Park Service, which means that fishing is subject to a permit.

The nature trail consists of the basic trail marked in yellow, and green dead ends. Although the nature trail is demanding in places and contains stairs, the trail is also suitable for walking with a pram up to the ruins of the



#### Halikonlahti Bay

#### Bird trail

The Halikonlahti Bay is an important bird wetland during the migration of birds. As many as 110 species of birds can be found in the bay, including rarities. The waders found in the area include the wood sandpiper and the ruddy turnstone.

The Halikonlahti Bay has two birdwatching towers: Timalitorni and Staijitorni, an accessible birdwatching platform and hides. There are two routes in the area: an accessible trail and a bird trail. The accessible trail is suitable for use with assisted wheelchairs or prams.

Accessible route

Length: 1.9 km **Duration: 0.5 hours** Difficulty: demanding accessible Place of departure: Satamakatu 49. Salo WGS84: 60° 22.066', 23° 05.432′



Length: 0.6 to 2 km Duration: 0.5 to 1 hour Difficulty: medium Place of departure: Satamakatu 100, Salo WGS84: 60° 21.816'. 23° 03.937′

#### Vuohensaari

Four kilometres from the centre of Salo is the rugged Vuohensaari Island, which is populated by primeval forests. On the island, you can experience nature, physical activity and culture.

Wiurila Manor donated Vuohesaari as a recreation area for the Salo residents in 1933. Since then, Midsummer festivals and dances have been held on the island

Vuohensaari nature trails lead hikers to primeval forests, groves, coastal cliffs and historical sites. The nature trail consists of the Kreivi trail (0.9 kilometres) and the related Kippari trail and Torppari trail, the latter of which is suitable for prams.

The island's services also include a camping area, café, summer theatre, swimming place, mini golf course and playground.

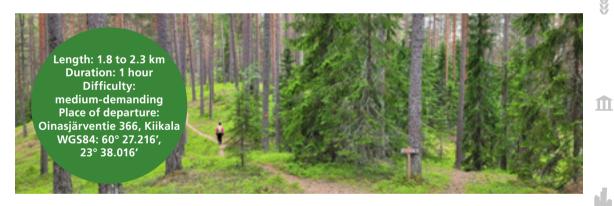


#### Viitankruunu

The Viitankruunu trail around the Viitannummi residential area surprises hikers with its versatility. The trail, located four kilometres from the market square, contains lush forests, seaside landscapes, duckboards and a sense of timelessness.

The main attraction of the trail is the three impressive, bronze-age burial stones of Viitankruunu. For bird watchers, there is a birdwatching platform on the shore, with a good view of the significant bird bay of Halikonlahti Bay. The lean-to shelter in the area offers a magnificent view of the bay. Please note that if you want to make a fire, you should always check the warnings and bring your own firewood with you.

The Omenalaakso trail (1.6 kilometres) marked in blue tours the easy terrain of the local nature and cycling roads. The Viitanpolku trail section (0.7 kilometres) along the shore of Viitankruunu is also suitable for prams.



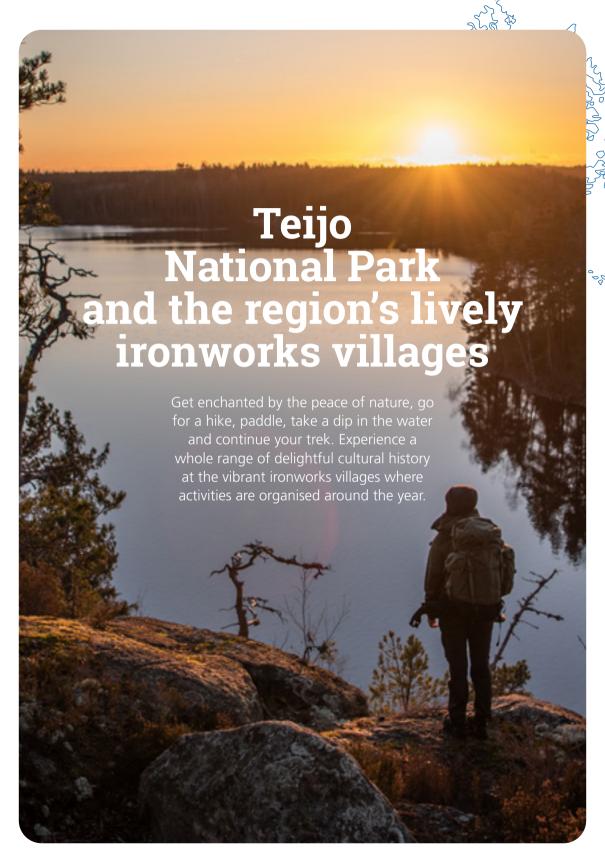
# Hyyppärä

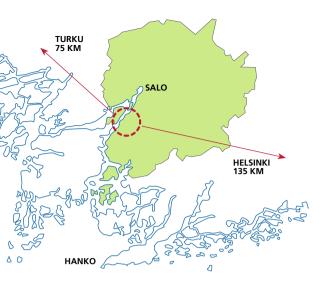
The traces of the Ice Age are strongly visible in Hyyppärä. Hyyppäränharju, part of Salpausselkä, offers hikers plenty to see, as well as plenty of height differences. The enormous kettle holes and the mysterious Kultalähde spring fascinate hikers. In the tranquil wildernesses, hikers can experience perfect peace and quiet.

Kultalähde spring, found along the trails, is one of the most important springs in southern Finland. The spring, surrounded by endangered plants, must not be circled and fishing is prohibited there.

The beautiful needle paths in the area are the most challenging trails in Salo due to their vast height differences. Hikers can choose between the shorter Pikkukierros and a the slightly longer Isokierros.

**See more destinations:** www.visitsalo.fi/retkeily





ature lovers should definitely visit Teijo National Park. The national park area has in total around 50 kilometres of marked trails. Even on a short trek, you can see stark rocks, lake scenery, peat and forest. The area also has campfire sites, lean-tos and fishing spots.

Three ironworks, Mathildedal, Teijo and Kirjakkala, once operated right next to the Teijo National Park, by the sea. Densely populated village communities formed around the ironworks in the 1600s and 1800s. Today, the villages are a major culturehistorical destination combining history, art and craft. The unique atmosphere, versatile leisure time activities and rich culture of the villages draw in visitors from near and far.

### Immerse yourself in the history of the ironworks villages at captivating events

In the spring, as nature starts to bloom, Teijon Masuuni will organise the Ruukki Kukkii old-timey handicrafts market on 25 May. This is a great day for getting to know the history of the Teijo ironworks milieu. See vendor booths for craft items and local food as well as summer flowers. saplings and herbs and pop up foods. Teijo Masuuni's high-quality art exhibitions, café and shops are also open. The Teijo Church, Finland's smallest stone-built church, also has an open day.

Get to know the cultural heritage of the Mathildedal Ironworks on the Ironworks Day 8 June. Already held for the fourteenth time, the event offers guided ironworks tours, lectures, music, traditional games for children and artisans' market where you can buy local crafts. In the autumn, the historical museum of the Mathildedal Ironworks is turned into the Ghost Museum for a little over two weeks. The scary Ghost Museum includes activities for the whole family and is open every day from 12 to 27 October, Lights, music and props are used to create a special atmosphere to the museum.

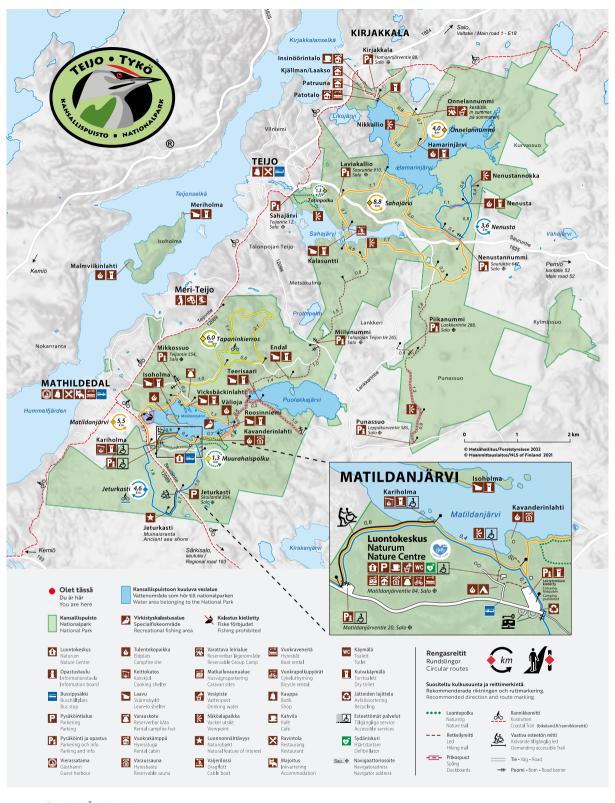
#### Hustle and bustle meets the peace of nature

There is plenty to see and experience at the ironworks villages. Its cafés, restaurants, shops and museums welcome all visitors. The art exhibitions at Teijon Masuuni are open year-round with the exception of midwinter. Free admission. See summer theatre performances and experience live music at the Mathildedal Ironworks Village, for example in the Mathildan Marina and village restaurant Terho. There is yoga on the pier and singing bowl relaxation exercises at Mathildan Marina every Wednesday from 26 June to 7 August. Read more about the event offering in ironworks villages in this brochure.

### Ironwork villages prepare for Christmas

Get a head start on Christmas at the ironworks village Christmas market. Try tasty treats and buy high-quality crafts and food products from local producers. The Mathildedal Christmas Market will take place between November-December. During the event, the whole Mathildedal village is decorated for Christmas and all the shops, cafés and restaurants are open. Come over to shop, enjoy a Christmas meal or try traditional rise porridge. Christmas-themed activities are organised for children. You can also get Belgian hot chocolate, which has become a huge hit, at the market. You'll find enough things to spend the whole day at the outdoor event so you better dress warmly.

You can also experience enchanted Christmas at the artisans' Christmas market organised by Teijon Masuuni. The two-day **Teijon Masuuni Christmas** Market is held on 30 November-1 December at 11 a.m.-4 p.m. The market is organised in heated indoor spaces and an atmospheric yard of the idyllic Teijo ironworks milieu. Artisans and their products play the main role at the market. The Christmas Market provides a great way to support Finnish crafts and local production by buying high-quality hand-made products to give as Christmas presents and decorate your home with straight from the makers. The art exhibitions, café, art and crafts shop and other shops of Teijon Masuuni are also open during the event.



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# **Teijo National Park**

In Teijo National Park, the tranquillity of nature meets the modern world and crafts traditions of the historic ironworks villages. The villages offer direct access to hiking, canoeing, and fishing in the varying sea, lake and marshland landscapes of the national park.

You can enjoy Tejjo on a day visit or top off the experience by spending an unforgettable night sleeping under the stars in the national park or by choosing one of the charming accommodation options in the ironworks villages.

#### **Teijo Nature Centre Customer Service**

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#### **Finnish National Parks**

Finnish Nature Centre Haltia telephone: +358 (0)40 163 6200 info@haltia.com





# **Tips for Teijo National Park**

#### Forest adventures for families with children

A trip to a forest is always an exciting adventure for children! The marked routes and well-maintained resting areas in Teijo National Park make hiking with children easy.

Lake Matildanjärvi trail 5.5 km 2.5-5 hours Nenusta trail 3.6 km 2–3 hours 1 3 km 1-2 hours Totti nature trail Beginning of lake Sahajärvi trail 1.5 km 1-3 hours



### Forest adventures for adults

8.8 km 2.5-4 hours Lake Sahaiärvi trail Nenustannokka trail 3.6 km 1-2 hours 8.0 km 2-3 hours Punassuo trail Jeturkasti trail 4 6 km 1-2 hours Onnelannummi trail 4.0 km 1.5-2.5 hours



# Head into the forest with a map and a compass

In Teijo National Park, you do not have to be an expert in orienteering to enter the forest. The park grounds hold dozens of kilometres of marked routes. However, if you want to learn the basics of orienteering or improve your skills, there are two tracks with fixed control points.



If luck is on your side, you can catch a salmon fish at lake Matildanjärvi, as catch-sized rainbow trout are regularly released into the lake.



Are you longing for a boat trip? Enjoy boating in an easy and safe way at lake Matildanjärvi in Teijo National Park.

# Winter's frost – outdoor activities and hiking in Teijo

Snowshoeing – Nordic skating – ice-fishing – downhill skiing – landscapes.

# Explore Teijo on a bike

Jeturkasti trail, 4.6 km in the southern part of the park or the mountain biking track, 7.3 km.

More inspiration is available at visitsalo.fi/teijon-kansallispuisto Accessible routes and services: www.nationalparks.fi/teijo/accessible



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# Mathildedal **Ironworks** Village





The ironworks village of Mathildedal next to Teijo National Park radiates an upbeat village atmosphere: red ochre houses, ironworks buildings, history, shops, unique delicacies, artisan products unlike any other, as well as spectacular nature.

The village is located right by the clear lake Matildanjärvi and the sea. The charismatic 19th century ironworks milieu houses a modern village community with 130 residents, many of whom are entrepreneurs. In the summertime, the number of inhabitants is multiplied when the holiday residents arrive in the area.

The vibrant village hosts numerous concerts, gigs, art exhibitions, theatre performances, events and a range of festivities throughout the year.

In Mathildedal, you can choose your accommodation from a variety of options, including a cosy bed and breakfast, cabins and hotel luxury.

The old factory buildings, sincere and heartfelt service and the lush green surroundings offer experiences, tranquillity and rustic beauty for all senses.



# Hotel & Café Mathildedal nature and everyday luxury

#### Hotel

Our idyllic boutique hotel takes you on a little journey to the past. The serene. picturesque rooms provide a rustic and luxurious setting for the guest.

#### Shipping container accommodation experience

Our accommodation experience provides a novel hotel experience with all the amenities. The containers display a wonderful scenery to the ironworks and surrounding nature.

#### Café

The unique atmosphere at the café is created by a laid-back atmosphere, cordial service and charming ironworks milieu. Sweet and savoury delicacies created with local ingredients and handmade pasta will transport you into a world of lovely flavours. A cup coffee carefully brewed in a cup and a piece of delicious cake - it doesn't get any better than that!

#### **Conferences & Banquets**

Perfect times spent together with friends and colleagues. Our rustic luxury facilities suit a variety of events from small meetings to larger celebrations. The nature of the Teijo National Park, the sea and the ironworks surroundings provide opportunities for additional activities according to the seasons.

#### Welcome to visit us!

Krista and Sami

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#### Mathildan Marina

# - maritime experiences around the year

Welcome to the guest harbour with cheerful service along the Koillisväylä route! You can find us at the heart of the historic ironworks village right next to Teijo National Park.

#### Restaurant-Café

The seasonally changing menu of our relaxed and stylish à la carte restaurant brings local and domestic ingredients on your plate, and you'll find specialty coffees and delicious pastries at the café. Enjoy your meal indoors, or on covered sunroom or on spacious outside terrace.

#### Hotel

Relax in the modern and comfortable six-room hotel by the sea.

#### Sauna and conference facilities

In our sauna facilities, you can enjoy the heat of the sauna or luxuriate in the outdoor hot tub. Book a session of sauna yoga or an arts course for your group!

# Harbour

The full-service and eco-friendly Roope harbour invites visitors from the Koillisväylä route. Visitors have access to showers and bathroom facilities. They can also empty their septic tanks and refuel (diesel and 98E), and use the boat ramp. Seasonal bookings for boats: www.satamapaikka.com. Souvenirs and groceries from the **Kipparin puoti -shop** in the Marina.

Eat, go to the sauna, and relax – spend the night and enjoy yourself! Welcome to the seaside of Mathildedal!



#### Come and have a good time!

Mathildan Marina is open every day from May to the end of September. At other times open on weekends and for groups by special appointment.

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The entire beer selection of the Village Brewery is available only in the brewery's beer shop.

# Mathildedal Village Brewery -Beer Brewed in the Village

Mathildedal Ironworks Village has an artisan brewery with its own beer shop. Explore Kyläpanimo's entire beer selection and buy village beers to take home. Our selection also includes stronger beers.

Kyläpanimo's philosophy is simple and traditional – the aim is to brew the best beers in the world with a unique village twist. The labels tell stories about the village, and the names of the beers and the illustrations on the bottles are also inspired by the area. This way, a part of our village is always present in our beers.

# Come and enjoy local beer in the village.

#### Contact us!

Mathildedal Village Brewery and Shop Matildan puistotie 4 25660 Mathildedal www.kylapanimo.fi +358 (0)50 364 4300 See our opening hours at kylapanimo.fi



The beers brewed in our village can be enjoyed as such or with food, and we take the natural beer seasons into account.





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# Mathildedal's Keskuspuisto Park

Mathildedal's Keskuspuisto park is a place for the whole family in the middle of the idvllic Mathildedal Ironworks Village. Keskuspuisto has a unique Adventure mini-golf course. Adventure MiniGolf is suitable for people of all ages and offers a unique experience for everyone. The various ascents, descents, inclinations and spirals – not to mention the water elements – make playing a fun experience.

Keskuspuisto also has padel and tennis courts. Padel has become extremely popular in Europe, and its popularity is also soaring in Finland. It is perfect for people of all ages, regardless of your level of physical fitness. It is easy to learn, and the rules are fairly simple. Keskuspuisto's two tennis courts are made of high-quality materials and have the latest features. The surface is a new kind of sand-filled field that gets you closer to the experience of a clay court than any other artificial grass surface. After a game, you can enjoy beverages and ice cream at the Keskuspuisto kiosk and café!



See more at www.mathildedalinkeskuspuisto.fi We hope to see you soon!

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# Handicraft Workshop Kaarnalaiva

Handicraft Workshop Kaarnalaiva has been making natural-fibre brushes by hand since 1997. We moved to the beautiful Muuntaja building in Mathildedal in 2019. You can also see how the brushes are made in our workshop.

In addition to our own product range, we sell high-quality wicker baskets, wood products, Fair Trade hanging baskets and more.

"For sustainable development, naturally"

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# Lepola Drinks - craft ciders and drinks

Lepola ciders are handcrafted using traditional methods and apples grown at local apple orchards in Ylönkylä. In the shop, you can find delicious treats to take home with you.

Lepola's cider shop and terrace are located in an idyllic rural setting right by the cider house, less than ten minutes from Mathildedal's charming ironworks village and Teijo National Park. In addition to Lepola's genuine craft ciders, the shop sells delicious soft drinks, honey produced by Lepola's own bees, and juices and jams from Meritalo.

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### Matilda Villas

Cottages for 4-6 people available for rent from €120/dav/cottage.

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# Meri-Ruukki Holiday Village

The comfortable and well-equipped 6-person holiday cabins and seaside sauna are available for rent all year round. Come and have a good time!

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# **Second Chance**

A lovely clothing boutique, where the main attraction is the owner Maija Nuppula's own Second Chance products, which include women's clothes, accessories and bed linen 100 % made in Finland. In addition, carefully selected products from small Finnish brands, such as handmade jewellery.

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# Viettelysten Vaunu Kiosk Ice cream kiosk in the heart of sum-

mery Mathildedal. We offer refreshments and cooling ice cream and beverages.

Opening hours of the Viettelysten Vaunu Kiosk are available on its Facebook and Instagram pages.

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# Teijo **Ironworks** Village



The idyllic Teijo Ironworks Village brilliantly combines diverse natural beauty with cultural heritage and a vibrant village community.

The immediate proximity of the sea, the 18th century manor milieu, the rolling, forested landscape of Teijo National Park with its rocks, lakes and rapids, and the versatile range of services, culture and events provided by the village all come together to make Teijo a unique destination.

Culturally and historically, the most significant regional sights are found right in the middle of the village: Teijo stone church, the rococo-style Teijo Manor with its outbuildings, and the old blast furnace of the ironworks. Just a stone's throw away lies the fairytale-like Sahajärvi Nature Reserve that consists of the former parks and forests of the manor and is known as the pearl of the national park.

All year round, there is much to see and experience for the entire family, such as art exhibitions at Gallery Teijon Masuuni, handicrafts and Christmas markets, Teijo's Midsummer festivities, and an old time market. Read more about Teijo Church on page 81.









# Teijon Masuuni – art, history and delicacies

The centre of art and handicrafts in the heart of an old ironworks village with a blast furnace founded in 1686 Location in the historical and maritime milieu right by the Teijo Manor and church and next to the Teijo National Park.

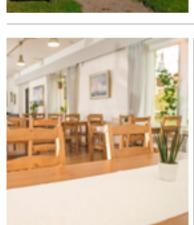
Art gallery, café, art and handicraft shop. Changing art exhibitions and events. Sweet and savoury pastries baked at the café by the stone wall of the old furnace. Office spaces for rent for entrepreneurs from various industries. Simple hostel type accommodation at the Masuunin Majatalo Inn. We also welcome groups!

# Teijon Masuuni

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# Lunch, bakery shop and catering service

A tasty variety of lunch dishes all year round. Our bakery shop is adjoined to the restaurant. You can order delicious buffets, cakes, pastries or a menu with a table-service from our catering service.

Come and have a good time! Telakkatie 25, 25570 Teijo

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# Village House Punaportti

The Teijo Region Village Association's Village House Punaportti is located on the seaside between Teijo and Mathildedal. During the summer season, there's sauna and swimming at the Village House on Mondays.

The building can also be rented for private parties.

Punaportintie 163 25660 Mathildedal www.teijo.fi/kylatalo



# Teijo Village Sauna

Maintained by the Teijo Region Village Association and open to all. the village sauna offers a gentle heat radiating from its thick stone walls. You can swim in the still water all year round. The sauna is also available for hire.

The village sauna is open on Wednesdays, Fridays and Sundays.

> Telakkatie 31,25770 Teijo www.teijo.fi/kylasauna

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# Kirjakkala Ironworks Village





Kirjakkala is located by the trail networks of Teijo National Park, and by two lakes and the sea.

The log buildings in Kirjakkala Ironworks Village are from the 19th century and they have been restored to their original appearance. They are located in the middle of a stunning grove. The old, tall oak and linden trees provide shade on hot summer days, and the river flowing through the yard area creates a peaceful, rustic atmosphere. While strolling in the ironworks manor's hazel garden, you can almost smell the old ironmaster's cigar.

Teijo National Park offers a fantastic setting with its trails, mushrooms and berries, beaches and campfire sites.



# Kirjakkala Ironworks Village / Extreme Fun

Have an active holiday or simply relax in the 18th and 19th century idyllic Kirjakkala Ironworks Village in Teijo National Park. Accommodation, conference and sauna services, an outdoor and canoe centre.

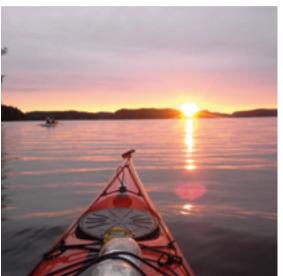
# We are located right by lake Hamarijärvi, next to hiking paths.

Hamarijärventie 62, 25570 Teijo +358 (0)40 522 6325 schneiderkai9@gmail.com asiakaspalvelu@ruukkikyla.fi www.ruukkikyla.fi











# Hiking tip for the Teijo National Park

# Onnelannummi trail 4 kilometres / 1.5-2.5 hours

The trail starts near Kirjakkala village. After walking for less than one kilometre, you will reach the Onnelannummi pine heath with its reservable camping area available for groups.

Signs then lead you on from Onnelannummi to the Hamarijärvi campfire site, which is a perfect place to take a break and admire the peace and quiet of Lake Hamarinjärvi.

The beautiful trail goes close to the water, but the most spectacular scenery opens up from the viewpoint of Nikkakallio rock.

For more hiking tips, see visitsalo.fi/retkeily

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Kirjakkalan Ruukkikylä - Extreme Fun Kirjakkala Ironworks Village - Extreme Fun

www.ruukkikyla fi

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Ruukin hautausmaa

Ruukki Gravevard

Ravintola Teijon Arkki

+358 (0)45 239 6414 www.ravintolateijonarkki.fi Lounasravintola, leipomomyymälä, pitopalvelu. Lunch, bakery shop, catering services.

(5) Teijon Paja

+358 (0)45 310 4251 www.teijonpaja.fi

(6) Teijon kyläsauna

+358 (0)2 736 6160 www.teiio.fi

Teijon Alueen Kyläyhdistyksen kaikille avoin kyläsauna • Village sauna is open to all visitors.

Teijon Masuuni

+358 (0)40 482 2224 www.teijonmasuuni.fi

Taidegalleria, taide- ja käsityöputiikki, kahvila, käsityöläisten työhuoneita ja puoteja. • Art gallery, art & handicraft shop, café, artisans' studios and shops.

(8) Masuunin Majatalo

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Goldsmith's Workshop +358 (0)40 098 8269 www.paiakulta.fi Kultasepän paja ja myymälä, käsityönä valmistettuja koruja • Goldsmith's workshop and store, handmade jewellery

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Teijo Ski & Action Park. Meri-Teijo Bike park

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Kylätalo Punaportti

Village House Punaportti +358 (0)40 361 5336 | www.teijo.fi

Meri-Ruukin lomakylä

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Ravintola, kahvila, kauppa, vierassatama, majoitusja kokoustilat, tilaussaunat, terassi, polttoainemyynti. • Restaurant, café, shop, guest harbour, accommodation and meeting facilities, reservable saunas, terrace, fuel station.

Ravintola Ruukin Krouvi

Restaurant Ruuki Krouvi +358 (0)2 735 0220 www.ruukinkrouvi.fi

À la carte ravintola & pizzat. • À la carte & pizzas.

(23) Hotel & Café Mathildedal

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Hotelli, kahvila, kokouskeskus, kulttuuri- ja luonto-ohjelmapalvelut. • Hotel, café, conference centre, culture and nature programme services.

Mathildedalin kesäteatteri

Mathildedal Summer Theatre +358 (0)44 052 0260 www.teatteriprovinssi.fi

Mathildedalin Ruukkitehtaat

Mathildedal Ironworks www.mathildedal.fi Hotelli, kahvila, puodit, ravintola, näyttelyt, tapahtumat, kesäteatteri. • Hotel, café, shops, restaurant, exhibitions, events, summer theatre.

Ruukin Kehräämö ja Puoti

+358 (0)44 372 1813 www.ruukinkehraamo.fi

Alpakkaneuleiden ja -lankojen erikoismyymälä, lifestyle myymälä, erikoiskehräämöpalvelut. Shop specialising in alpaca knitwear and yarns, lifestyle shop, specialty spinning services.

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Second Chance

+358 (0)40 754 5177 www.secondchance.fi

Kotimaiset naisten- ja lastenvaatteet sekä asusteet. Women's and children's clothing and accessories.

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Mathildedalin Kyläpanimo

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Käsityöläisoluita. Tutustu valikoimaan ja osta Kyläoluita viereisestä Kyläpuodista. Craft beers. Check out our selection and buy our village beer from the village shop located next to us.

Matildankartanon leipomo & leipomoravintola

Mathildedal Manor Bakery & Restaurant +358 (0)50 465 0090 www.matildankartano.fi

Hapanjuurileipää ja -pullaa, lähiruokaa ihanassa puutarhassa · Sourdough bread and coffee bread, local dishes in the charming garden.

Kyläravintola & Kyläpaahtimo Terho Village Restaurant & Village Roastery Terho

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Ratsutalon yksiöt

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36 Matilda Villas

info@matildavillas fi +358 (0)46 810 5208 Matildavillas.fi

Mökkimaioitusta, kalastusmahdollisuus. Cottage accommodation, fishing.

Matilda-Talo • Matilda House

+358 (0)40 582 8882 www.matilda-talo.fi Juhlatalo, tanssilava. • Venue for events.

PetriS Chocolate

+358 (0)40 685 5111 www.petris.fi

Kahvila ja suklaapuoti. • Café and chocolate shop.

Teijon luontokeskus – Natura Viva

Teijo Nature Centre - Natura Viva +358 (0)10 292 4032 www.naturaviva.fi

Kahvila, caravanalue, tentsilemajoitus. Vuokralle eräkämpät, sauna, kajakit, kanootit, soutuveneet, SUP-laudat ja fatbiket. • Café, caravan area, tentsile accommodation. We rent out cabins, a sauna, kayaks, canoes, rowing boats, SUP boards and fatbikes.

Mathildedalin Keskuspuisto

Mathildedalin Keskuspuisto Park +358 (0)44 231 2241 www.mathildedalinkeskuspuisto.fi Adventure minigolfrata & padel- ja tenniskentät. Adventure minigolf & padel and tennis courts.

(41) VINO'sti bistro

bistro@vinosti.fi Kontillinen hyvää ruokaa ja juomaa. • A container full of good food and drinks.

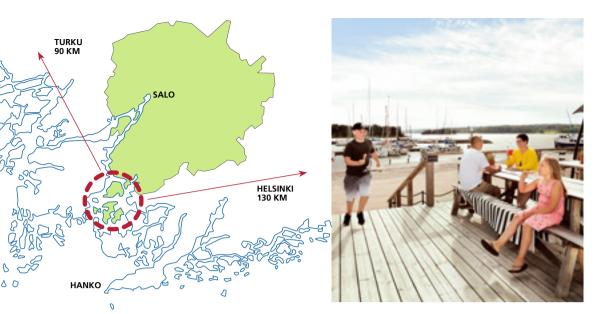
Päntsdrunk Lifestyle

www.pantsdrunklifestyle.com Laadukkaat Hamam-pyyhkeet, asut ja tuotteet kodinsisustukseen. • High-quality Hammam towels, clothing and interior design items.

# Easy archipelago life in Särkisalo

The sea, beaches, guest harbours and cliffs with gorgeous views and idyllic summer cafés and restaurants make Särkisalo the perfect holiday destination for anyone who loves to spend time in the archipelago. There is plenty to do and see until late autumn, when the traditional Baltic Herring Festival takes place.





ummer is a vibrant time in Särkisalo, the southernmost point of Salo. This is when the area's number of inhabitants grows four-fold as those with summer cottages come to spend time in their holiday dwellings. The harbors are also filled with boats. Visitors can enjoy local delicacies on the terraces of summer cafés and restaurants in a beautiful nature scenery. Särkisalo is surrounded by the sea and the area has diverse tree species. Buildings painted with red ochre peeking out here and there are sure to catch your eye. The authentic archipelago atmosphere is perfect for enjoying a summer's day.

## Get to know Särkisalo on a day trip

Särkisalo consists of a small strip of land and numerous islands. There are places worth visiting on all the bigger islands. Go on a day trip by car, boar, kayak or even bicycle. Indeed, the road from the mainland to Pettu is part of the Coastal Route. When you leave from the mainland, you will first arrive at Isoluoto, from where the road will take you through the Niksaari and Ulkoluoto islands to the Pettu island. You also get to enjoy a short trip on the sea along the route, as a ferry operates between Pettu and Ulkoluoto.

You can also explore Särkisalo by foot. The Liars' Benches located along nature trails in Särkisalo are great for taking a break and stopping for a chat. The benches are the result of the villagers' joint effort and will be placed outside in May. The rumour is that a tall tale or two may have been told on the benches now and then. Many of the benches are located by the sea. Sit down to look what the birds are doing or watch the boats passing by. Tourists are pampered in Särkisalo: there is lots to do, including charter

cruises, canoeing trips, kayaking rentals and tailored fishing trips as well as instructed yoga classes on the beach and saunas for rent.

There are many places for getting a meal and a cup of coffee, and you can watch the sunset at the end of the day from the terraces or a rock with great views to the surrounding nature. If you want to experience more, you can rent a cabin.

# Summer season culminates with the Night of the Ancient Bonfires

The atmospheric Night of the Ancient Bonfires brings together cottage dwellers and island inhabitants on Saturday 31 August. Events are organised around Särkisalo, including in the village centre area, Förby, and Niksaari. Just like in previous years, many of the summer restaurants in Särkisalo offer live music, fire shows and fireworks. The celebration dates back to a time when seafarers were guided to land using beacon fires lit on the shore.

# Delicacies and a great atmosphere at the **Baltic Herring Festival**

Särkisalo, once known as a fishing village, is naturally also known for its great fishing waters. Fishing continues to be popular in the area. The Baltic Herring Festival organised at the Tiirantori square is centred around locally fished herrings that are guaranteed to be fresh and fished by the local Meripirtti club, which also organises the event. At the Baltic Herring Festival, both locals and visitors get to exchange pleasantries in a joyful market atmosphere. Pastries, crafts and farmers' products are also sold at the event. Everyone is welcome to visit the Baltic Herring Festival on 12 October at 11 a.m.–2 p.m.



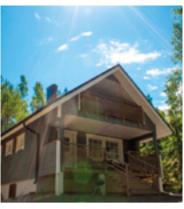
# **Archipelago Restaurant Nixor**

The decades-old ferry kiosk is nowadays a cosy full-service summer restaurant in the archipelago of Särkisalo. Enjoy the restaurant on the small unique island, surrounded by the sea, Discover delicious foods, cold drinks, beautiful views and good company on the lovely terrace.

Nixor is known for its exquisite salads, generous burgers and spicy wings. Nixor has two SUP boards for rent, as well as a small minigolf course for the whole family. On Saturday evenings, you can enjoy live music at the atmospheric Nixor.

Niksaarentie 340 25640 Förby +358 (0)44 551 5555 www.nixor.fi





#### Ylöstalo Farm

Ylöstalo's cottages offer you a genuine archipelago experience right by the sea. Each cottage is equipped with a private, wood-heated sauna. Enjoy the beautiful archipelago nature, sea and gorgeous sunsets from the terrace. Ylöstalo's cabins are an excellent destination for both holiday-makers and fishing enthusiasts. Rental boats available.

Norrbyntie 135, 25630 Särkisalo +358 (0)40 568 6929 info@ylostalo.fi, www.ylostalo.fi





# Förby Marina

N60°05,7'/E22°51,8' Förby Marina is a sheltered and environmentally friendly Roope marina. Located along the Koillisväylä route, the harbour has, for example, a guest dock, a fuel station, toilets/shower, a summer café, water and waste management and a swimming area.

Irmer Stenbergin tie 25640 Förby +358 (0)40 828 3721 www.forbymarina.fi







# Café Vinssi

N60°5'47.04"N/E22°51'54" An inviting summer café and seaside terrace. Spend a summer's day enjoying the café's selection of hand-made sweet and savoury pastries, fresh salads and specialty coffees. Licensed.

#### Welcome to the archipelago!

Irmer Stenbergin tie 20 25640 Förby +358 (0)50 516 4434 www.cafevinssi.fi





Villa Signell

A charming 1950s villa with a sea view in a peaceful location. The villa has spacious common areas. and 4 bedrooms for a total of 7 people. There is a beach, marina and summer café nearby.

Särkisalontie 1300-2 25640 Förby +358 (0)40 828 3721 www.villasignell.fi











#### Lönnviken

An archipelago idyll on the island of Pettu. A short ferry trip is a comfortable way to detach yourself from daily routines. Connected by road. Villa Lönnviken has a beach sauna, in front of which is a natural sandy beach. Lilla Lönnviken has an indoor sauna, a large terrace and a hangout area on the shore. Our cottages are suitable for telecommuters and families, as well as groups of friends and fishing groups. There is a gravel-covered boat ramp, deck and buoy berth for boats. Reservations through Nettimökki.

Eteläkärjentie 150 25640 Förby +358 (0)40 074 4312 lonnviken@lonnviken.com www.lonnviken.com



A small log cabin for 1-2 people with a private beach and rowing boat on the island of Pettu. Connected by road. The freshly decorated cottage has everything you need. The cottage has a fireplace. an indoor sauna and toilet. Reservations through Nettimökki.

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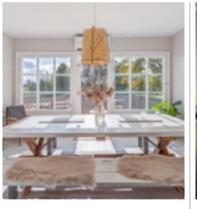


# Kruuva cottages

The comprehensively equipped 8-person Villa Kruuva offers a great setting for holidays and relaxation all year round. Enjoy the gentle heat of the saunas, as well as the breathtaking views of the gulf. Come and experience unforgettable moments!

Contact us: +358 (0)40 840 8012 myynti@kruuvanmokit.fi www.kruuvanmokit.fi





# Saunamäki Guesthouse

Accommodation facilities for up to 12 people. The interior is cosy and warm. The large terrace provides a great setting for eating and relaxing. Saunamäki offers versatile activities in a maritime environment. The unforgettable Cave Sauna experience crowns a unique overnight stay.

Saunamäentie 9 Q 25630 Särkisalo +358 (0)44 574 3702 marjaana@saunamakiguesthouse.fi



## **Finnholm**

Strandbo, a rental cabin for 6 people with a private beach, jetty and rowing boat on the west coast of Ulkoluoto. Connected by road. Year-round rentals. The farm sells vegetables from June to September.

Finnholmenintie 80 25640 Förby +358 (0)50 542 2558 fam.west@hotmail.com www.finnholm.net







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## **Tiiranta**

Tiiranta is the only restaurant in Särkisalo that is open all year round! The extensively renovated, beautiful wooden house stands in the charming surroundings of the guest harbour. A glazed terrace ensures comfort on rainy days. A fire table generates both atmosphere and heat. Delicious food, small savoury and sweet dishes, a fully licensed bar and a versatile programme make Tiiranta a maritime pearl for guests of all ages, and pets are also welcome here. Tiiranta also has a village shop. Veikkaus gambling and Posti post office services, a washing machine, shower, gas sales, and a water tap for tourists.

+358 (0)40 663 8344 info@tiiranta.fi www.tiiranta.fi







#### Villa Nennebo

Located on the island of Pettu in Särkisalo, in Turku's eastern archipelago, Nennebo has two villas: the main building Villa Nennebo and guesthouse/ cabin Lilla Nennebo. The farm has 14 + 2-4 spare beds.

Pettu island is known for its greenery and its clean and abundant fishing waters. In Villa Nennebo, you can experience the old archipelago atmosphere. Enjoy the outstanding sea views from your own terrace, try the traditional sauna, and dip in the pure waters of the Baltic Sea from your private beach. The Nennebo beach has a 1.5-metre draught for a boat. The boathouse has space for two boats and even larger vessels.

Eteläkärjentie 461, 25640 Förby villa.nennebo@gmail.com, www.villanennebo.fi







# Pettu Manor

A beautiful, licensed manor café on the island of Pettu. Serves soup, sourdough pizza and pastries from the café's own kitchen. We also have cabins for rent. You can access us by car or boat.

Petuntie 396 25640 Förby +358 (0)40 080 5243 www.petunkartano.fi



# Förby beach

Enjoy the warm summer day in the swimming spot next to the marina and summer café. and take a dip in the sea either from a sandy or a rocky beach, a pier or a diving platform.

Särkisalontie 1359



# Meripirtti beach

A sandy beach with shallow water along the waterline, also suitable for children. There are dressing booths and an outdoor toilet on the beach. The swimming area is located, when arriving in Särkisalo, near the embankment bridge on the left, on the mainland side.

Särkisalontie 590







# Valla Outdoors

You can hire kayaks for independent use from us at Särkisalo on the shore of Meripirtti, and also for your cottage for the weekend. You can also rent kayaks for use elsewhere in the Salo area. We will transport the kayaks to your selected location.

We organise paddling trips in the Särkisalo archipelago and in the Kiskonjoki River. In summer 2024, we will also organise overnight excursions. We recommend hiring a private guide for your independent excursions. The guide will plan the excursion and ensure the safety of the participants. Also ask us about business events. We organise versatile team and recreation days in Särkisalo and Teijo National Park.

+358 (0)41 534 6742

info@vallaoutdoors.com, www.vallaoutdoors.com Online store: https://vallaoutdoors.johku.com/fi\_FI



## Hoitola Kukkuvilla

# Maritime summer yoga classes 26 June-7 August 2024

Come and relax by the sea. Jetty yoga and singing bowls in Mathildedal on Wednesdays, Gentle Beach Yoga in Förby on Tuesdays and Terrace Yoga in Angelniemi on Fridays. For more information, see Kukkuvilla's website.

Katja Toivonen +358 (0)40 756 4700 info@hoitolakukkuvilla.com www.hoitolakukkuvilla.com





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# Cycle to Särkisalo

The guided side trail of the Coastal Route Cycling Trail leads to Särkisalo, where you can enjoy the atmosphere of several idyllic summer cafés. You can also hire a bike.

# Rest on benches

So-called Liars' Break Benches. i.e. benches for taking a break or exchanging ideas, have been placed along the popular outdoor routes in Särkisalo in May-October.



# Kraila farm Experience genuine maritime Salo!

Our 12-person vessel offers memorable and tailor-made trips with incredible scenery. Everything is ready on the boat, all you have to do is show up and enjoy the sea and culinary experiences.

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# **Welcome to Särkisalo!**



#### Finnari Resort

A large holiday apartment and sauna for rent right by the sea. Accommodation for up to 30 people. Finnariresort.fi

#### Meripirtti Sea Cottage

The banquet hall with its extensive courtvard is perfect for various parties. sarkisalo.fi/meripirtti



#### **Wonderful Kiosk** on the Beach

Ice cream, coffee and refreshments from the old-fashioned kiosk by Meripirtti beach.





#### Caunamäki Guesthouse

The cosy Saunamäki Guesthouse offers accommodation for up

#### to 12 people. amakiguesthouse.fi

Saunamäki Guesthouse saunamakiguesthouse

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#### Särkisalo Marina

Marina with moorings for approximately 120 boats. www.merihuolto.fi



#### Restaurant & Shop Tiiranta

Everyday purchases and a café-restaurant with services, open all year round.

tiiranta.fi

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# Villa Tallbacka

The building, completed in the 1940s. offers an idvllic setting for special occasions.

sarkisalo.fi/villa-tallhacka



#### Ylöstalon Cottages & Villa Meri

Seaside cottages. boats for rent, and the stylish Villa Meri for organising parties and events.

ylostalo.fi

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#### Café Vinssi

Cosy summer café and terrace by the sea in Förbv.

cafevinssi.fi

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# Förby Marina

Guest marina and home marina for boats of various sizes. forbymarina.fi

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# Villa Signell

A charming 1950s villa with a sea view located in a quiet area. Accommodation for 7 people. villasignell.fi

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A cozy and clean sauna cottage near the sea. Cabin and kayak rental and kayaking instruction. aavaadventures.fi

aava adventures



Armonlaakso Holiday cottages for rent in an idyllic fishing village. armonlaakso.net

Armonlaakso-Niksaaren-Kalastajakylä-Förby



#### Archipelago Restaurant Nixor

Salads, hamburgers and wings in a friendly full-service summer restaurant. nixor.fi

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#### Finnholm

Vegetable farm shop (June-September) and a seaside villa available for rent. finnholm.net

Finnholm innholm\_farm



#### Lönnviken

Rental cabins by the sea: Villa Lönnviken, Lilla Lönnviken and Meri-Veikko lonnviken.com

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#### Nennebo

The authentic holiday atmosphere of a naturally beautiful island farm with modern comforts. villanenneho.fi

Nennebo villa\_nennebo



#### Pettu Manor

Soup lunch, pizzas, pastries and a feast for the eyes in an atmospheric setting. petunkartano.fi

f petunkartanokahvila



# Villa Solhaga

Cosy and comfortable course centre. villasolhaga.fi

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# Hästö Farm

Clean, tasty and guaranteed fresh berries and vegetables

hastonmaatila.fi

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# Kruuva Cottages

Rental cabins by the sea in Hästö, Särkisalo. kruuvanmokit.fi

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# M/S Sabrina Charter

Memorable charter cruises in Särkisalo and nearby waters. krailantila.fi

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#### Valla Outdoors Paddling trips and

kayak rental in Särkisalo. vallaoutdoors.com

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# Katiskanmäki/ **Firapeli**

Accommodation, cottage, estaurant and catering services as well as a local food kiosk and camping area. katiskanmaki.com

katiskanmäki, lähiruokakioskiPikantti

#### **Lepola Drinks**

Cider shop and terrace genuine and local cider. Kemiöntie 1008 lepoladrinks.fi

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#### Valehtelijan taukopenkit - Liars' Benches

Benches located along popular trails in Särkisalo. Perfect for taking a break or holding court.

For the exact locations of the benches, see: vhres.fi

# sarkisalo.fi

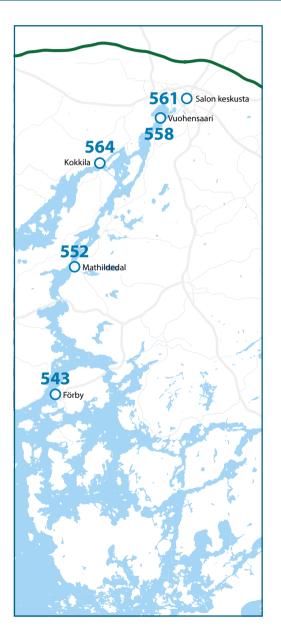
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# Maritime Salo

Did you know that Salo is situated right at the gate of the Archipelago Sea and you can visit us by boat?

Here, you can find the marina services around Salo. There are boat ramps at the end of Kaninkolantie in Halikko's Vartsala, next to the boat dock in Teijo, on Algrundet in Särkisalo and in Finby marina.

Next time, set course for seaside Salo!



# 60°05.7'. 22°51.8' 543 – Förby Marina, Särkisalo

Guest dock for day visits and overnight stays. Seasonal berths. Boat ramp. Fuel pump open 24 h, septic tank emptying, waste collection, toilet, shower, water, electricity, swimming. Summer café Café Vinssi.

www.forbymarina.fi

# 60°13.3'. 22°54.1' 552 - Mathildan Marina, Mathildedal

Guest marina and dock for day visits and overnight stays. Seasonal berths also available. Boat ramp. Fuel pump open 24 h, septic tank emptying, waste collection, toilet, shower, sauna, water, electricity. Restaurant/terrace, hotel, rental bikes, outdoor sports area and the services of the Mathildedal Ironworks Village are located just 100 metres away.

www.mathildanmarina.fi

# 60°21.7'. 23°04.1' 558 - Vuohensaari, Salo

Guest dock for day visits and overnight stays. Seasonal berths, boat ramp at a one-kilometre distance. Waste collection, toilet, water, electricity, sauna. Camping site, café, Bed & Breakfast, summer theatre, minigolf, nature trail and the services of the Salo city centre are located at a 5-kilometre distance.

www.vuohensaari.fi

# 60°23.3'. 23°07.7' 561 – Salo city centre

Salonioki river has guest boat slips for day visitors right by Salo marketplace. 1 kilometre to the boat ramp. The services of Salo city centre and Salo marketplace are just a stone's throw away.

# 60°19,1', 22°56,7' 564 – Kokkila, Halikko

Guest dock for day visitors. Seasonal berths. Boat ramp, Ferry, Waste collection, water, toilet, shower and sauna at the beach. Summer café/terrace.



# Koillisväylä Route

Koillisväylä is a more relaxed route of calmer winds and smaller waves between Hanko and Airisto.

The fairway travels along the eastern side of Kemiönsaari island and passes the idyllic marinas of Bromary, Taalintehdas, Förby, Mathildedal and Villa Wolax.

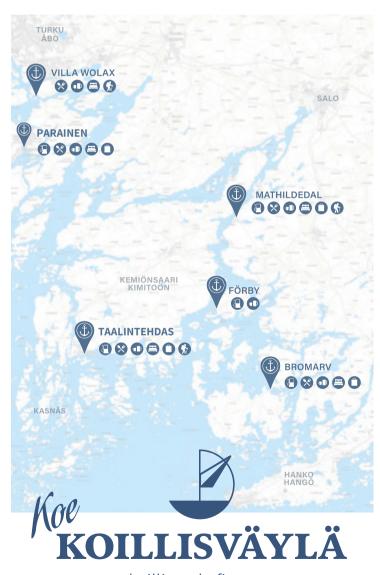
The guest marina network has plenty of space throughout the boating season, and going ashore is easy. The versatile services of the marinas and nearby areas invite boaters to stop and stay for a day or two - maybe even longer.

You can find more information about the services in Mathildedal and Förby Marinas on the next page.

# www.koillisvayla.fi #koillisväylä

# Distances along the fairways

Hanko – Bromarv	around 30 nm
Bromarv – Taalintehdas	around 22 nm
Taalintehdas – Förby	around 18 nm
Förby – Mathildedal	around 10 nm
Mathildedal – Parainen	around 38 nm
Parainen – Wolax	around 12 nm



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Lake-Salo & the Countryside



Lake-Salo and the countryside in Salo offer holiday-makers plenty of genuine experiences.

The clean nature and lively villages attract more and more summer residents and visitors to become permanent villagers.

# Lehmijärvi beach

The beach in Lehmijärvi has two piers and a shallow sandy beach for children. The public saunas are open during the opening hours when the weather is warm. In addition, there are showers, changing rooms and toilets.

There are two beach volleyball courts in the area free for all visitors to use, and a children's playground built in 2020. The sauna and kiosk are open and a lifeguard is present during the opening hours.

Lehmirannantie 121, 25170 Perniö www.salo.fi/uimarannat







# **Lehmiranta Holiday Centre**

Lehmiranta is a cosy hotel and spa destination by lake Lehmijärvi, between Teijo National Park and central Salo. The naturally beautiful setting allows holidaymakers to enjoy swimming in both the spa resort, and the clear Lake Lehmijärvi. After swimming, visitors can enjoy the gentle heat of the sauna.

The holiday centre organises recreational programmed vacations and hobby courses for pensioners, groups and individuals alike. Travellers can participate in the hotel's versatile holiday programme.

In addition, the hotel-quality double rooms offer comfortable accommodation for summer guests and other travellers visiting the Salo region.

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# **Ilolan Arboretum**

The 35-year-old privately owned arboretum, forest garden and landscape park in Kiikala, is 20 hectares in size. The trail network is approximately 3 kilometres, and part of the route is accessible. There is a diverse variety of things to see from early spring to late autumn. The busiest time is when the thousands of rhododendrons and azaleas bloom in June. There is also a plant nursery shop. Read more about Ilolan Arboretum on the Visitsalo.fi website. Guided tours ilolanarboretum.opastukset@gmail.com or +358 (0)44 977 2491.

#### Open:

May and autumn 10 a.m.-7 p.m. June-July 10 a.m.-10 p.m. Admission fee 2 € / person.

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#### Varikattilanmäki nature trail

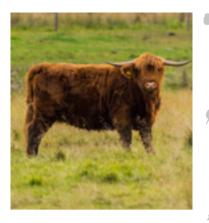
Established in 1982, Varikattilanmäki Nature Reserve offers plenty to see: the rocky nature of Southwest Finland, its views and the historical "Russki Oven". The Ice Age has left its marks on the landscape, such as shingle ridges and erratic boulders.

The trail leading to Varikattilanmäki (3.2 km) is medium-level. In addition to cliffs, the diverse nature also includes peaty forests and mire woodlands. The Eero Trail (2.6 km) is a much easier outdoor trail than Varikattilankierros. Kuukallio, which is part of the Arttu Nature Reserve, is not as diverse, but is beautiful nonetheless.

Both trails start from the Lehmiranta Holiday Centre, where you can have a cup of coffee after your excursion. The nearby Lehmijärvi beach is a nice place for a refreshing swim on a hot day.







# **Delicacies directly from farms**

Salo is a treasure trove of local food for anyone who enjoys good food. Locally produced food can be purchased directly from the farms, where visitors can get a taste of honest work with a touch of rural idyll. In many local cafés and restaurants, you can enjoy tasty local food that utilises fine ingredients produced in the region.

alo is one of Finland's largest food producers. A significant proportion of Finnish bread grain is grown in large fields in the area. The grain farms produce wheat, turnip rape and rve. Outdoor gardens grow outdoor cucumbers, pumpkins and berries. Glasshouses grow tomatoes and cucumber. Many farmers in Salo also grow special plants such as broad beans, sugar beet, spelt and caraway. The residents of Salo have also become enthusiastic about pumkins, and today, Salo is Finland's largest grower of pumpkins. The pumpkin season peaks at harvest time, when Salo celebrates the Pumpkin Weeks.

The Finnish food culture and old traditions can still be sensed in the Salo area. At the beginning of the time, the proximity of the sea brought with it lively connections to the west. The rich food culture of noble manors and vicarages spread to farms and peasants' kitchens. This led to long traditions and numerous recipes that have been reformed and adapted over the centuries with modern twists.

# Genuine cider and outdoor cucumbers

Fruit is also grown in Salo. Local apple groves produce jams, juices and particularly cider from their crops. Four out of the fourteen Finnish farms producing genuine cider are located in Salo. The Finnish genuine cider is made of unpasteurised 100% juice with natural fermentation methods, avoiding additives. Finnish genuine cider can be identified by the SASS marking on the label.

In Finland, the cultivation of the outdoor cucumber is concentrated in the Salo region. The season runs from June to September, and

cucumbers are at their most delicious when fresh. served for example on top of bread, as garnishes, or grated. Outdoor cucumbers are also ideal for storing. You can try pickling cucumbers yourself, for example, by fermenting. Cucumber products from Salo are delivered processed throughout Finland.

# Superior animal products

Salo has several animal farms where you can buy beef, as well as organic and wild pasture beef. Poultry farms sell responsibly produced turkey meat, duck meat, duck eggs and hen eggs. Together with Somero, Salo is Finland's largest producer of mutton, sheep's wool and sheepskins.

# Why local food?

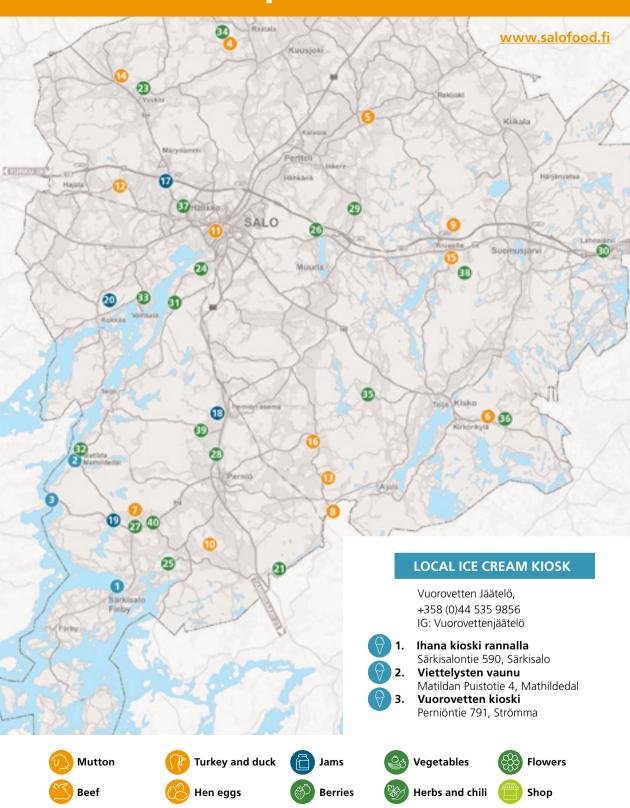
Choosing Finnish food on your plate is now more important than ever, in order to ensure that Finnish food production and its self-sufficiency can be preserved. Food grown in Finland is not only pure, it is also particularly fresh and nutrient-rich when bought from a local farm. By buying local food, you will skip unnecessary intermediaries, and the producer receives better compensation for their work

When you arrive in Salo, take a look at the local food map on the following page and see what treats are available for purchase! In addition to the farms, other good places to buy local food include market squares, fairs and the REKO local food rings near you.

Further information on Salo farms and food trails is available at www.salofood.fi.

# Salo food map

Please check the opening hours of the farm shop or direct sales location before arriving on site.



Ciders and juices

Fruit

**Bread** 

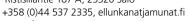
Ice cream

Sausage

# **MEAT FARMS**



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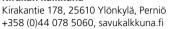
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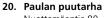




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21. Alaspään maatila

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22. Finnholm

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23. Hagströmin puutarha

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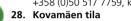
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Halikko provides tourists with a large range of culture and history flavoured with a modern twist. In October, the Pumpkin Weeks bring an atmosphere and fantastic experiences to the region.

alikko offers its visitors everything from culture to manor life and ancient history to contemporary high-quality products. The area has a variety of unique restaurants, idyllic cafés and manors and accommodation surrounded by beautiful nature. Pop into Design Hill for their great range of interior design items and take a trip back in time on the Rikalanmäki Ancient Trail. Visit the Wiurila Manor, where you can find the wonderful manor buildings designed by Engel and a unique carriage museum.

If you're planning an autumn trip to Halikko, you should see it in October, when the Pumpkin Weeks create a great atmosphere and fantastic experiences in the area. The pumpkin park built by Rannikko garden in Halikko is at the centre of the Pumpkin Week activities, inviting visitors to admire thousands of playfully grimacing jack-o'-lanterns.

In just a few years, the Pumpkin Park has become a phenomenon that people flock to admire from around Finland and even abroad. There may be up to tens of thousands of visitors in one day, and more than 100,000 visitors during the two-week event, which is why there are free bus services from the centre of Salo to the event location.

The pumpkin park has grown year after year, and as the area expands, the display of pumpkin lanterns and other accessories has also advanced. Year by year, the pumpkins are carved with increasing skill, and the creations stimulate the visitors' imagination. The pumpkin lanterns also fill and illuminate the railings of Halikko's old museum bridge. In addition to aesthetic experiences and atmosphere, the pumpkin park also offers pumpkin-based flavours, such as pumpkin sausage, pumpkin waffles, pumpkin pizza and various pumpkin pastry.

The aim is to take good care of pumpkin visitors travelling to Salo throughout the city and offer many other things to see and experience during the Pumpkin Weeks. An increasing number of local cafés, restaurants and other partners take part in the Pumpkin Weeks this year, and several tourist attractions, such as the Salo Art Museum Veturitalli and Halikko Museum, have extended opening hours during the event.

The number of additional events has also increased. Among other things, the pumpkin weeks have featured great light art, ghost tours, phantom dinners, harvest markets, and the Melamogulit paddlers bring cheer to people who cross the Halikko old museum bridge. At Mathildedal ironworks, old workers 'come to life' in Halloween spirit and take over the Ironworks Museum, making it the Ghost Museum.

Pumpkin Weeks is a truly cheerful event that offers a great experience for people of all ages. This year, the Pumpkin Weeks will take place on 11–27 October.









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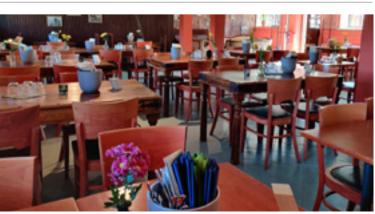


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## Wiurila Manor

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The fascinating home and horse carriage museums of Wiurila Manor are located in the magnificent agricultural building designed by C.L. Engel. Visitors have an opportunity to travel back in time to the history of the museum and learn about the manor life of the Armfelt family, as well as objects from the 19th century onwards. The carriage museum has a collection of carriages collected from manor houses in the region. Some of the carriages date all the way back to the 18th century, and include various carriages from pony carts to large carriages drawn by two or more horses. The museum also contains the old manor workshop and a wood workshop in miniature size.

The museums are open during the summer Mon–Sun 11 a.m.–5 p.m. Admission fee € 8/person. Museum tours are available for groups from April to October. The guided tour takes 45 minutes. The price is € 12/ person, including guidance and admission to museums. Minimum charge € 120/group. Guided languages are Finnish, Swedish and English.

Wiurila's idyllic manor restaurant's services are available daily during the golfing season. The restaurant's atmospheric and comfortable banqueting hall is a great place for celebrations of various sizes. There is a small and pleasant hotel in the courtyard. Gorgeous roses are in bloom in the rose garden and the beautiful horses of the Wiurilan Talli stables graze next to it.

Come and enjoy life!

# Wiurila Manor

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# The Cider Trail

The Salo Cider Trail introduces you to the world of genuine Finnish cider, different cider types, manufacturing methods and foods suitable for consumption with cider. On the trail, you can experience garden seasons from the intoxicating floral bloom of spring to autumnal apples, see different cider production methods at various production facilities, and meet with the people who make the ciders. You can buy cider directly from manufacturers or taste different types of cider during the trail. Along the trail, there are also shops with a good cider selection and restaurants that can recommend foods that are particularly well suited with certain types of ciders.

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## Vaisakko Nature Trail

The Vaisakko grove, one of the most impressive groves in Finland, is an excellent day trip destination for all friends of nature. The nature reserve is at its most beautiful during the spring when the anemones bloom. In the summer, the dense foliage of the trees creates a rainforest-like atmosphere. The colourful autumn foliage of the grove is truly impressive.

Vaisakko's history of crofts is still visible in the heart of the grove. There have been crofting settlements in Vaisakko since the 18th century until 1959.

The Vaisakko Nature Trail consists of an easily accessible gravelled trail, which is also suitable for prams. There is also a spring along this section. The nature reserve starts with narrow duckboards. The grove has a trail that is about 1.5 kilometres long, and which includes stairs and height differences. The Vasaikko cliffs with its impressive seascape offer a perfect place for a picnic.

Length: 4.5 km Duration: 1 to 2 hour Difficulty: easy-to-medium Place of departure: Palttatie 24. Halikko WGS84: 60° 21.828′. 23° 01.839′



# Rikalanmäki ancient trails

Rikalanmäki's ancient trails offer interesting history and diverse plant species. The history of Rikalanmäki extends up to 4,000 years ago, when the current hill was an island in the sea.

Rikalanmäki was an important hub of trade. The Iron Age finds, as well as the finds that indicate the locations of ancient burial grounds and cremation cemeteries, tell of a long history of habitation in the area. Linnamäki, on the other hand, housed an ancient castle that provided a good defensive position in the late Iron Age.

Length: 2.5 km **Duration: 1 hour** Difficulty: mostly easy Place of departure: Rikalantie 77, Halikko WGS84: 60° 23.468′, 23° 03.644′

Rikalanmäki's ancient trails consist of the ancient trails of Rikalanmäki and Linnamäki, and a connecting route between them. The trail is easy, with the exception of the steep trail leading to the top of Linnamäki. Rikala Krouvi offers restaurant and catering services in the area. Rikalanmäki also has the Theatre Provinssi summer theatre.



# Lautatarha Nature Trail

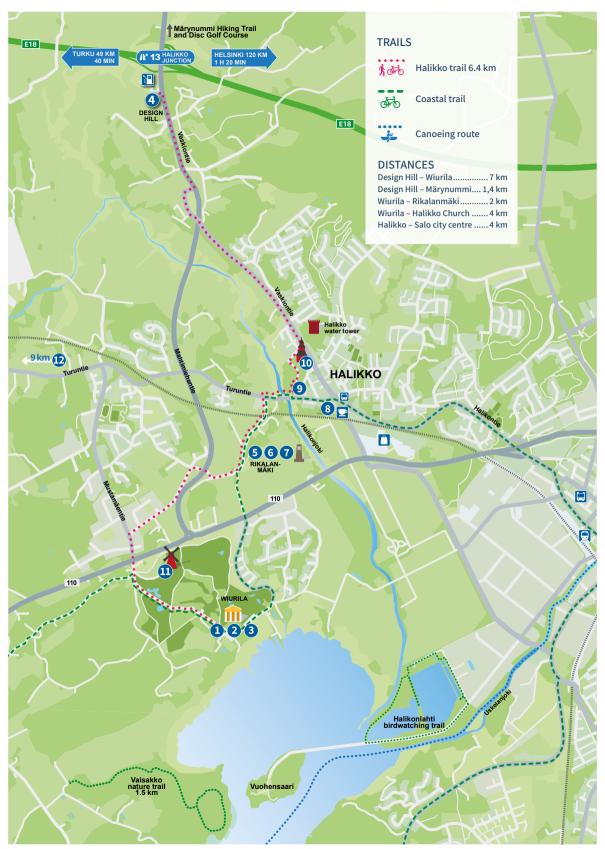
In the middle of Vartsala village idvll is the maritime nature trail of Lautatarha. The naturally lush shoreline area is also historically rich, as a sawmill used to operate in the area.

The golden age of the Vartsala sawmill was the first half of the 20th century. when the maritime location made it easy to transport goods also abroad. The sawmill also participated in Finland's war compensation project with the house manufacturing plant located in the area.

Length: 1 km Duration: 15-30 minutes Difficulty: easy Place of departure: Pelkkakuja and Tukkirannantie, Vartsala WGS84: 60° 17.899', 23° 05.108′

There is a log lean-to shelter with beautiful views and a campfire site on the seashore. Remember to bring your own firewood and check the fire weather forecast before lighting a fire. The lean-to shelter is accessible from the Tukkiranta parking area. The middle trail, which runs further away from the shore, is also easy to navigate and gravelled.

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#### Wiurila Manor

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#### Rikalanmäki

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Ancient burial site and trail Rikalantie 74, Halikko









Halikko Museum Kirkkorinne 7, Halikko

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Kreivinmäki Outdoor Museum

Viurilantie 34, Halikko

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Halikko Church Medieval grey granite church Kirkkorinne 1,

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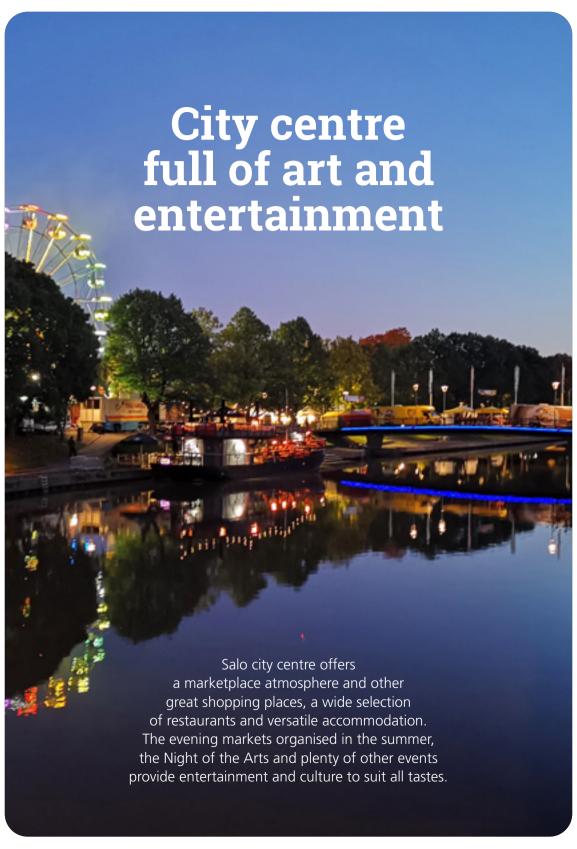
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njoy competent service, great product ranges and a laid-back atmosphere at the Salo marketplace, shopping centres and unique brick-and-mortar shops. You'll get to Salo in no time by train from Turku or Helsinki, and the city provides free parking for drivers. While shopping, you can discover Salo's vibrant restaurant culture that invites you to enjoy pure flavours and locally prepared delicacies. Summer tourists should head to the Salo Marketplace, the city's number one place for encounters during the summer.

The evening markets organised on summer Thursdays let you enjoy a marketplace atmosphere, local delicacies, thrift store finds and of course top performers. In addition to the evening markets. there is also a lot more to see at the marketplace during the summer. Children's Song City entertains the whole family in early summer, and on summer Sundays, there is live music at the marketplace. In July, the Market Square also hosts charming recreational vehicles. At the end of the summer in August, you can enjoy Finnish star artists at the Salo Friends and Music Festival in the centre of Salo.

When the summer starts to turn into autumn. the Salo City Centre turns into an oasis of art and culture. The Night of the Arts event will bring a wide range of culture and different forms of art to Salo. The Night of the Arts is a one-day event open to all that covers the whole art field. The event is created in co-operation with dozens of local associations and the entire cultural field of Salo is represented. An extensive group of organisers produces a versatile selection of programme – for children, adults and the elderly alike.

Traditions and present day cross paths when the autumn market in Salo and SaloJazz Festival both take place at the same time in the city centre, offering experiences for all the senses. High-quality and fresh SaloJazz offer a perfect counterweight after a day of amusement park rides, old-fashioned kringles and the hustle and bustle of a market day. Both unique events take over the Salo market square and its surroundings from Thursday to Saturday at the turn of September and October.

After the autumn, the market place will be decorated for Christmas. In addition to the opening ceremony of the Christmas street and the Hyvänmielentori market, there are Christmas markets at the Salo market square and the city centre, as well as in Rikalanmäki, Wiurila, Perniö and the ironworks villages of Teijo and Mathildedal. In addition, there are many concerts and performances that get you into the Christmas spirit.







# **Original Sokos Hotel Rikala**

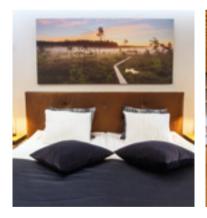
Original Sokos Hotel Rikala is located in the city centre by the river Salonjoki, near the marketplace. The centre of Salo and its services offer fascinating destinations for every taste, and free parking is available for those arriving by car. Rikala Bar & Grill offers genuine flavours in a relaxed atmosphere. Our meals are created with love, and they are handmade from beginning to end. The modern hotel's lobby bar is a handy meeting place and offers a relaxed atmosphere for an evening out. The harmonious atmosphere of the rooms invites you to enjoy yourself, and the Finnish Familon bed offers a relaxing night's sleep.

# Come and check us out!

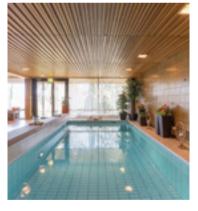
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# **Hotel Fjalar**

Hotel Fjalar is a pleasant surprise! The warm and cosy Hotel Fjalar is located in a quiet neighbourhood next to central Salo. The hotel has 19 comfortable rooms and a delicious and plentiful breakfast. The soft heat of our sauna will help you relax at the end of the day, and a dip in our swimming pool is sure to make you feel refreshed. Wi-Fi and parking are free of charge. Hotel Fjalar also offers its guests a small piece of electronics history in Salo – our friendly staff will be happy to tell you more.

The hotel is also the perfect size for a group of golfers, event guests or a sports team. Why not book the entire hotel?

Rinteentie 5, 24240 Salo +358 (0)2 777 600 info@fjalar.fi www.fjalar.fi









#### Antonio

Antonio is a restaurant with a warm and welcoming atmosphere for everyone who enjoys good food and pleasant company. Our menu is built on Mexican cuisine combined with traditional and fresh Finnish flavours: Fin-Mex at its best!

Juicy dishes from our grill are made according to your taste: soft to melt in your mouth or pleasantly spicy. Our burgers and platters are made with love.

Welcome to the cheerful and casual Antonio at the shopping centre Plaza.

Vilhonkatu 8, 24100 Salo +358 (0)44 320 5701



## Rikala Bar&Grill

Our kitchen serves genuine flavours in a casual, stylish setting in which light and nature are part of the experience. Even though the environment is lovely, our focus is on making straightforward food from the best Finnish ingredients. We do not try to be fancy – the food on our plates highlights genuine flavours and lets them steal the show. Our meals are created with love, and handmade from beginning to end. Our tasty lunch is served on weekdays from 10.30 a.m. to 2 p.m.

Come and enjoy yourself, and stay a bit longer – alone, with a partner or with a group of friends. Service is a matter of honour for us. You might hear some bad jokes, but authenticity is our core value.

Asemakatu 15, 24100 Salo +358 (0)44 770 5008







# **Bizarre & Restaurant Musine**

The colourful and atmospheric Bizarre suits versatile get-together. Bar, Lounge & Club, all under one roof. The MUSINE events restaurant is a stylish choice for a dinner. Our menus include flavours from different international cuisines and create a unique atmosphere together with live music. Bubbles is a atmospheric tapas and drink bar on the street level.



info@musine.fi, www.musine.fi





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# **Kuiro Bakery**

Our bakery is the oldest operating bakery in town, and our products are an inseparable part of the bakery culture in Salo. Our selection includes Kuiro's well-known delicacies, such as different types of rye and white breads, sweet pastries, confectionary and cakes. Visit us for an unrushed lunch hour with a generous and tasty salad! We favour local ingredients and emphasise high quality. You can enjoy the products and atmosphere of our bakery in four cafés or, if you wish, order delicacies from our online store and pick them up at the Helsingintie café.

# Kuiro cafés

Helsingintie 5, Vilhonkatu 14, Sähkökuja 2, New: Café Meeri / hospital canteen www.kuironleipomo.fi





## **Restaurant Hook**

- Ribs
- Wings
- Drinks
- Beer
- Sport

Helsingintie 8 24100 Salo +358 (0)44 493 1121 www.ravintolahook.fi



Ravintola Hook Salo



Ravintola Hook

# Vuohensaari

Vuohensaari serves both tourists and locals.

The seaside landscape contains a camping area, accommodation, a café-restaurant, nature path, playground, beach, minigolf course and much more – well worth a visit!

Read more about the Vuohensaari nature trail and the accessible path in Halikonlahti on page 24.











# Salo's popular marketplace gets busy in the summer

The marketplace is a living room shared by everyone, and people of all ages like to spend time in the market cafés – locals and visitors alike.

In addition to the actual market days, the marketplace hosts many events, such as the popular and famous evening markets on summer Thursdays. Every Thursday 6 June-8 August The evening markets feature Finnish performing artists, trade stalls, crepe cafés, second-hand goods and a separate flea market for children.

In the summertime, there is live music from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. every Sunday. Other events organised at the marketplace include the autumn market and the Hyvänmielentori (Feelgood Market).



In the winter, the marketplace parking area becomes a skating rink with atmospheric lighting. The marketplace is developing constantly and offers possibilities for a wide variety of events. Come and enjoy the market atmosphere and events in Salo! See you at the marketplace!

The Salo Marketplace is open on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays from 7 a.m. to 2 p.m. During the summer, from 2 May to 31 August, every weekday from 7 a.m. to 3 p.m.

www.salontori.fi







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# Maripuoti Boutique

We are a store specialising in fashion, interior decoration and gifts, located on the edge of the Salo marketplace. Our company is a family business established in 1964. Which means we're celebrating our 60th anniversary! The anniversary year brings surprises both in the store and in our social media channels. We sell products from high-quality brands such as Marimekko, Marc O'Polo, Falla Finland, Kuusama, Aino, Laurie, O My Bag and the local Theone and Vilikkala. We also have an online shop, from which we deliver everywhere in Finland.

#### Welcome to Maripuoti!

Horninkatu 9, 24100 Salo

Opening hours: weekdays 10 a.m.-5.30 p.m. (until 7 p.m. on market day Thursdays), Saturdays 10 a.m.-2 p.m.

+358 (0)2 731 7083

salo@maripuoti.fi, www.maripuoti.fi









## Salon Silmälasikeskus

Located right in the middle of Salo, Salon Silmälasikeskus is a full-service optician's shop. The company was founded in 1972, which makes it the oldest private optician's shop in Salo.

Decades of experience combined with expertise and modern methods guarantee excellent service in all matters related to your sight.

Come to us when you want to be an eye wear trendsetter. We will help you create a look that suits your personality. When you want to see well and look good, our specialists are at your service!

We are open weekdays 9 a.m.-5.30 p.m. Saturdays 10 a.m.-2 p.m. Turuntie 14 24240 Salo +358 (0)2 727 2800 info@optikkosalo.fi www.optikkosalo.fi





## Leino Design Shop

At our shop, you can find stylish design and handicraft products from Finland, such as candles, ceramic, home textiles, jewellery as well as the stainless lanterns and furniture sold under the Leino Design brand.

Harventajankuja 5 24130 Salo +358 (0)50 505 0879 info@leinodesign.fi www.leinodesign.fi





## Modaliisa

Young, feminine... a touch of something different for an adult woman. Sizes XS-3XL. Affordable quality. You can find us opposite the main library, welcome!

Vilhonkatu 1 24100 Salo +358 (0)40 566 9317 asiakaspalvelu@modaliisa.fi www.modaliisa.fi



## Villa COCO

Women's clothing and accessories in the city centre. Fashionable and unique clothes as well as Finnish Muotitorppa's stylish outfits in imitation leather. Selection includes Colosé Cosmetics products, bags, wallets, laundry vinegar, soap bars and shampoo bars, and Finnish Klipsutin products. Clothing also available in plus sizes. Online shop open 24/7.

Turuntie 3. 24100 Salo +358 (0)45 645 4344 info@cofashion.fi, www.cocofashion.fi



## Salon Turkisateljee (fur goods)

Our new address is Kokkilantie 65, 24800 Salo. Open by appointment, call +358 (0)40 724 3106, Tiina Suokorpi.

## Repairing and remodelling fur is an ecological choice!

www.salonturkisateljee.fi







## Salon Skinlab

A full-service beauty salon and DiegoDallaPalma PRO beauty treatments. RVB LAB The Make Up service and Shop.

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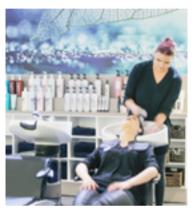




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## **Headline – House of Beauty**

Our beauty centre's team of experts provides you with all services under one roof. Salon Headline offers a full range of hairdressing services as well as high-quality and diverse barber services. Beauty Headline's professional beauticians take care of you uninterruptedly throughout the entire service. Our hair product and cosmetics shop has a wide selection of high-quality products.

We also organise customised events in our facilities. For pampering, bachelorette parties, wedding parties, getting ready for celebrations... We provide you with all party services, from hairdos and nails to gorgeous makeup.

We are here for you. Welcome! More information about our services is available at www.headline.ac.

## **Barbershop and Hairdresser's** Salon Headline +358 (0)2 731 2241

**Beauty Salon** 

**Beauty Headline** +358 (0)2 733 3780

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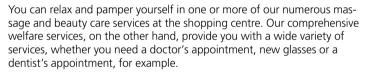


## The Plaza shopping centre is located in the heart of Salo

Plaza is a versatile shopping centre in the centre of Salo. However, Plaza is more than just a shopping centre: it is also events, well-being, culinary experiences and time together.

All this has been a guideline for the Plaza since 1992. We keep up with the times: our captivating events and busy digital channels offer inspiring experiences all year round.

The shopping centre offers experiences and opportunities in a pleasant atmosphere with more than 40 specialist shops, restaurants, cafés and services. Enjoy a tasty and relaxing break in one of Plaza's numerous cafés and restaurants. We cater for every taste every day of the year.

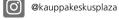


It's easy to come to the Plaza in the way that's best suited to you: public transport, with a bike, by walking or by car. We provide four hours of free parking for customers either in a warm parking garage or in a covered outdoor parking garage, which are accessible from Mariankatu, Annankatu and Asemankatu. The basement parking garage also has electric car charging points and a car wash.













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## Murena – pleasure to your everyday life and special days!

Murena offers a morsel of pleasure in many different forms. Murena's range includes carefully selected foods and ingredients, providing Mediterranean flavours that suit Finnish tastes. With Murena, high quality is guaranteed.

Murena is for everyone with a taste for something a little better. It always offers original quality and a perfect balance between specialities and everyday meals. Murena offers genuine Mediterranean flavours with a touch of the local Salo spirit to Finnish diners. Find the sympathic shop full of delicacies at the heart of Salo, on Hämeentie.

Murena Gourmet and Gift Hämeentie 37, 24100 Salo, www.herkkumurena.fi







## Karkki&Herkku – the sweetest place in Salo

When you step inside the Karkki&Herkku, you'll find more than just sweets - you'll find sweet treats from around the world! This isn't just a sweet shop, it's an atlas of flavours. Whether you're looking for a sweet nostalgic memory of your childhood or something you heard of on TikTok, we have them all. Treats you bought on your holiday from every continent, and the most popular candy from Japan and the United States. Every product tells its own story, and we are proud to bring them to you. When you visit Salo, don't miss the opportunity to dive into the world of sweets. Karkki&Herkku is waiting – come and find your favourite in our range, without forgetting Salo's largest selection of premium pick'n'mix!

Horninkatu 11 B, 24100 Salo karkkijaherkku.fi



# Salo is a paradise for fans of second-hand shops



# Meet & Celebrate





Salo is a great place to organise meetings, parties and large-scale events. Spend time together and sit down to enjoy a meal prepared just for you.

Conference participants can focus on business in manors, ironworks facilities, or in the countryside, close to nature, where it is easy to escape the busy world and focus on your own thoughts. For bigger events, there are modern and practical facilities with good connections. The facilities can be easily modified to suit different needs.

The region's various banqueting facilities, manors, farms and villas ensure that there is always a perfect venue for weddings, large family events and smaller gatherings alike. There are also several churches near the banqueting venues, as well as versatile accommodation options in hotels, farms and cottages, whatever fits the nature of the event.





## Rikalanmäki

Rikalantie 74, Halikko www.rikalanmaki.fi

## **Haukkala Banquet Facilities**

Inkereentie 454, Salo www.haukkalanjuhlatilat.fi



Viurilantie 126, Halikko www. wiurila.fi

Eija: +358 (0)40 832 8275 Mikko: +358 (0)40 074 5234

















Hotel Fjalar is a perfect place to accommodate guests who come to celebrate your important days. It also provides an inspiring and atmospheric surrounding for meetings.

Hotel Fjalar can also be booked in its entirety for private use, providing you with nineteen rooms for your guests at 32 fixed beds and breakfast. We also provide you with atmospheric and pleasant common areas with living rooms, a sauna, fireplace, swimming pool and even a meeting room.

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## Katiskanmäki, Firapeli

Organise an unforgettable party or an event for a larger audience at Firapeli. Stay in our comfortable rooms or book an entire beach cabin and enjoy the smoke sauna and hot tub under the starry sky. You can also just pop in the sauna and take an icy dip after your working day.

Särkisalontie 2, 25610 Ylönkylä telephone: +358 (0)50 517 7759 sumppu@ebaana.net www.katiskanmaki.com









## **Lehmiranta Holiday Centre**

Lehmiranta organises birthday and anniversary holidays with an active programme for more mature adults. Come to have a party or to escape one. The Holiday Centre also offers an excellent setting for various competence and wellbeing improvement days and meetings.

Our accommodation capacity is up to 200 people. Our restaurant, spa, auditorium, dance/banquet hall, outdoor recreation, fire huts and work group facilities can be adapted to various needs.

Lehmirannantie 12, 25170 Salo +358 (0)2 727 5200 lehmiranta@elakeliitto.fi, www.lehmiranta.fi



## **Pukkila Manor Banqueting Facilities**

Special occasions and meetings in Salo! In a beautifully rustic, historical setting with modern comforts.

Villiläntie 276, 24130 Salo +358 (0)50 554 4385 heidi@helmikallio.fi www.pukkilankartano.fi









## **Bizarre & Restaurant Musine**

Fabulous and unique spaces for private parties and events you'll never forget. Meals planned according to your wishes. Contact us to brainstorm an event tailored to your wishes.

Helsingintie 2, 24100 Salo Bizarre: +358 (0)40 550 9105 bizarre@bizarre.fi. www.bizarre.fi **Restaurant Musine:** 

+358 (0)40 187 3878 info@musine.fi www.musine.fi







## Uskela Church

The Uskela Church is located on a high hill. A small stone church belonging to the chapel parish of Salo had been built there in 1440. This chapel of Saint Anna was later demolished and its stones were used to build the new church. The church that stands in the location today was completed in 1832 and was designed by C.L. Engel, who was the most well-known architect of his time.



## The Church of Saint Lawrence

This grey granite church located in Perniö and dedicated to Saint Lawrence was built in the 15th century, during the Middle Ages. The vaults of the three-naved church are covered with paintings dating back

to late 15th century.



## **Angelniemi Church**

Angelniemi Church was built in 1772 on a beautiful headland in the northern end of Kemiö island. The church is also idvllic for weddings, particularly in summertime.



## **Teijo Church**

Located in the Teijo Ironworks, Teijo Church is Finland's smallest stone church. The master of the Teijo Ironworks, the ironmaster Robert Bremer, commissioned this stone church resembling a Chinese pagoda in 1829.



## Halikko Church

The Halikko Church was completed around 1440. The church is dedicated to Bridget of Sweden. In the early 19th century, the two-nave rectangular church was transformed into a cross-shaped church.



## Särkisalo Church

The wooden church of Särkisalo was built in 1760. It has a rectangular base and no towers. The church has seating for around 230 people.



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# Activities in Salo





Salo will make your heart race. Salo is an oasis for sports enthusiasts, a dream come true for nature enthusiasts and a treasure trove for fishermen. For golfers, Salo offers three golf courses that meet international standards and have the longest game season in Finland. The Teijo National Park offers things to do for people of all ages, Särkisalo is known for its waters rich in fish, and the Salo Sports Park is an oasis at the heart of the city.

Our successful local sports teams and various events organised by active sports clubs in high-quality settings offer sport-related excitement and experiences in every season.

You can enjoy sports and nature round the year on a bike, hike, skis, in a canoe, by swimming, riding horses or downhill driving with a mountain cross cart.



## Salo Sports Park is an oasis at the heart of the city

The Sports Park, which is located right off the city centre, offers a wide range of areas for dozens of different sports and fitness activities, both indoors and outdoors. In total, there are nearly 100 hectares reserved for sports and exercising.

Those interested in spectator sports can head to Salohalli (also located in Salo Sports Park) to see top-level games in futsal, basketball and volleyball. In the sports park, you can skateboard on a concrete ramp, swim, ride horses, work out at the outdoor gym, take up athletics, ice skate in the ice hall, ski, golf, bowl, play tennis, padel, basketball or football, do a stair workout and use outdoor gym equipment. Salo has a number of outdoor gyms. Read more at salo.fi/ulkokuntoilulaitteet. The exercise area and Pahkavuori disc golf course at Uskela school are just a short walk from the Sports Park. Salo has 9 disc golf courses, with more on the way.

Salo Sports Park also has a popular playground, Family Park. Out of all the playgrounds in Salo, Family Park offers the most variety. Climb high on Family Park's climbing frames and imagine you are a superhero. Spin yourself dizzy or reach for the sky in the swings. Make music, build a sand castle or have a picnic break. The fenced park area has toilet facilities and an accessible play area designed to suit the needs of persons with disabilities or impaired vision.

Salo Swimming Pool has a 30-metre water slide, a cold pool and diving towers (1, 3 and 5 metres) which attract children and adolescents to the well-lit swimming centre and its wide variety of activities. The youngest members of the family have their own 30-degree kids' pool, where they can play with water toys and slide down a kid-sized water slide. The swimming pool organises kids' activities and water gymnastics which are open to all. There are heated therapeutic and recreational pools with massaging water jet stations, as well as two 25-metre pools. In front of the swimming pool, you can admire an impressive work of art, namely Pekka Jylhä's Joy, a gigantic and colourful beach ball.

- 2. Skatepark, padel courts and dog park
- 3. Hai-park telephone: +358 (0)50 310 0300
- 4. SSO ice hall jaaliikuntahalli.ov . @salo.salonseutu.fi
- 5. Ice hall telephone: +358 (0)2 778 4731
- 6. Family Park, barbecue site and outdoor gyms
- 7. Football fields telephone: +358 (0)2 778 4725
- 8. Tennis centre Salon Tenniskeskus Ov telephone: +358 (0)50 094 6736
- 9. Heated artificial turf field telephone: +358 (0)2 778 4725
- 10. Tennis and basketball courts telephone: +358 (0)2 778 4725
- 11. Central sports field telephone: +358 (0)2 778 4725
- 12. Aninen equestrian area telephone: +358 (0)40 770 7803
- telephone: +358 (0)2 778 4750 Salo bowling alley

13. Salo Hall

telephone: +358 (0)44 733 3071

- 14. Golf centre Salon Golfkeskus Oy telephone: +358 (0)50 053 5063
- 15. Swimming pool telephone: +358 (0)2 778 4720
- 16. Urheilutalo sports centre & sports services office telephone: +358 (0)2 778 4750, +358 (0)2 778 4715
- 17. Salo Upper Secondary School Beach volley and basketball courts
- 18. Uskela stairs
- 19. Information board























# **EXPERIENCE** SALO by bike

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## **Coastal Route – Cycling Trail**

Salo - Teijo Ironworks Villages - Kemiönsaari - Hanko - Raasepori - Salo (over 200 kilometres)

## Hop on a bike and pedal your way from Salo to the archipelago

The Coastal Route starts from Salo and continues to Teijo National Park through three ironworks villages: Kiriakkala, Tejio and Mathildedal. The Coastal Route has been expanded, so you can also stop in the maritime Särkisalo and enjoy the atmosphere of idyllic summer cafés. The route continues via Strömma channel to Kemiönsaari's islands, and all the way to Kasnäs.

From Kasnäs, you can take an inter-island ferry to the villages of Rosala and Hiittinen, or visit the island of Högsåra. You can also continue your journey to the fortress island of Örö, where you can explore the area on your bike. It is also possible to travel by sea from Kasnäs to Hanko and continue your bike ride to Tammisaari. From Tammisaari, you can head north and return to Salo that way. The total length of the route is over 200 km. It is easy to rent a bike along the way. Additional information on bike rentals:

## www.rannikkoreitti.fi





## Bicycle rental network along the Coastal Route

## Get to know Salo conveniently on a rental bike

You can rent a touring bike and the necessary equipment at one rental point and return them to another. The bikes are available for a day, a week or for a longer period – what ever suits you best.

## **Bicycle rental points**

## In Salo

Hotel Fialar www.fjalar.fi

Sokos Hotel Rikala www.sokoshotels.fi

## In Mathildedal

Mathildan Marina www mathildanmarina fi

### In Särkisalo

Café Vinssi www.cafevinssi.fi





## The Little Coastal Route: Cycling Route

Salo – Halikko – Kemiönsaari – Teijo Ironworks Villages – Salo (approx. 90 kilometres)

Have fun while biking along the maritime Little Coastal Route. The highlights of this route are the idyllic ironworks villages, beautiful views and delicious food.

Hop on a bike and get to know Salo on a route that leaves from central Salo and takes you through gorgeous seaside landscapes. Stop for a refreshing swim, feast at the local restaurants, and rest in one of the lodgings along the way.





The ironworks villages offer much to see and do throughout the year. First. you will encounter the lively Mathildedal, followed by scenic Teijo and appealing Kirjakkala. Park your bike and enjoy the warm atmosphere of the villages with some food and beverages. Kirjakkala, located between the sea and lakes, offers access to the trails, activities and nature experiences of Teijo National Park.

## Ironworks Villages and Idyllic Countryside: Bicycle Trail

Explore Salo's diversity on a bike. The journey consists of archipelago views, idyllic villages, and wonderful nature, and it's best enjoyed on a leisurely bike ride.



The journey proceeds slowly, and there is no rush to get to the next destination. Stop for a refreshing break on one of Salo's best beaches at lake Lehmijärvi, or get to know the highland cattle on Leipyöli farm amid Perniö's river views. Leipyöli also offers bike-friendly accommodation and various activities.

Särkisalo welcomes you with gorgeous nature and a maritime atmosphere. Enjoy the nature experiences, excellent food and gorgeous sunsets. A ferry will take you from Ulkoluoto to Pettu, which is the outermost inhabited island of the archipelago village. Särkisalo is also known for its rich fishing waters, and many of the area's entrepreneurs offer fishing services.

You will also get to experience the charming Teijo ironworks villages which will easily take you a day or two to explore. The villages offer unforgettable experiences, such as local food and spectacular nature

# **EXPERIENCE** SALO by hiking by paddling

Check out the routes at www.visitsalo.fi/reitit

Route map on page 88



## By car

## Salo's Idyllic Villages: Car Tour

On this interesting tour, you will get to know Salo's award-winning, idyllic villages – a combination of the old and new village life, traditional landscapes, and beautiful nature.

The journey starts in the Märynummi village by the motorway. Märynummi is known for its historic hospital milieu and versatile possibilities for outdoor exercise. Next up is the enchanting Hajala village with remarkable landscapes and considerable cultural-historical significance.

After the Kokkila ferry and Strömma channel, you will enter the Teijo ironworks villages. The ironworks villages offer much to see and do throughout the year. The first one to welcome you is the cheery Mathildedal with its culinary treats and unique products. Teijo Ironworks Village offers experiences for those interested in history, culture and exercise. The last stop is the Kirjakkala Ironworks Village, where you have an opportunity to admire the wonderful nature around lake Hamarinjärvi.

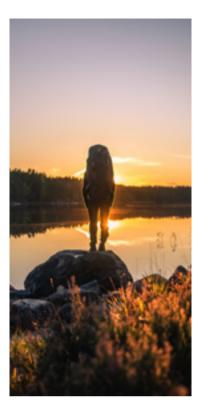


## Journey of Flavours in Salo: Car Tour

Take a trip for the taste buds around the delicious Salo region and fall in love with the region's cafés, restaurants, breweries and bakeries. Foodies can enjoy local foods and drinks throughout the entire route.

Grab snacks from the vast selection available at the Salo marketplace, hop in a car, and start your tour to explore the delicacies available in the Salo region. On this trip, you will enjoy slow days in idyllic cafés and unique restaurants that prepare tasty experiences from local ingredients in season. You will also get to enjoy local food purchased from farm shops, freshly brewed coffee, and locally made apple juice and cider. Beer brewed in Salo's villages and delicacies from our bakeries are excellent souvenirs.

In addition to mouth-watering food, the route contains numerous cute small shops as well as high-quality accommodation and interesting events. Get to know the award-winning villages in Salo or visit Teijo National Park to enjoy nature all year round. After this journey, you will return home with a good mood and locally produced delicacies and souvenirs.



## On a hike

Hiking trail Salo - Teijo National Park Length 21 km one way, 5-8 hours by hiking, 2-4 hours by mountain bike, Difficulty: medium, Several starting points; Salo Sports Park. Pormestarinkatu 2, Salo, WGS84: 60° 22.821', 23° 08.210') or Kirjakkala, Hamarijärventie 62, Teijo, WGS84: 60° 16.366′, 22° 59.544′.

There is a connection directly from the centre of Salo, to Teijo National Park and the ironworks villages. The half-marathon hiking trail is suitable for both hiking and mountain biking. However, the trail is fairly demanding for cyclists, as the trail also includes steep hills and paths with roots.

There are forest, rock, field and lake landscapes along the hiking trail as well as small idyllic villages. The trail runs along small gravel roads, forest roads and paths. The trail follows a bicycle lane all the way to Helisnummi. Alternatively, vou can start the trail from Helisnummi or Viitankruunu.

You can do the trail one-way, or divide it into shorter stages. The several starting points along the trail can be reached conveniently by Paikku. For families with children, we recommend following the trail to the Helisnummi scouts' lean-to shelter, which is easily accessed with a pram from the nearest parking area.

In addition to the lean-to shelter, you can also find the the Lehmiranta Holiday Centre along the trail. The Holilday Centre offers accommodation and restaurant services, as well as the Lehmijärvi beach, which has a kiosk and a water point in the summer. The Kirjakkala Ironworks Village at the end of the trail offers a selection of services and activities.

### In a canoe

## Salo has a lot to offer for anyone who likes to paddle

Salo has peaceful rivers, narrow sea bays and interesting islands. Below are some routes and tips for paddling trips. More paddling routes: www.melamogulit.com

The Kaisaari trail (25 kilometres) is suitable for a day-long paddling trip. The trail departs from the shore of the river Salonjoki, along Satamakatu, and first goes to Kokkila along the Gulf of Halikko, where you can take your first lunch break. Continue from Kokkila to the shunt on Angelansaari Island. Under the wooden bridge you can smell genuine tar. You can make a campfire or stay the night at the Kaisaari lean-to shelter. You can choose via which side of Vartsalansaari vou want to return to Salo.

Purilanjoki canoeing (14 kilometres) starts from the same place as the Kaisaari trail and runs along Rauvolanselkä nearly all the way to Vartsala. Before the village, however, you can find the River Purilanjoki on the right, which you can follow all the way to Revasyuori. Please note that it may be challenging to find the mouth of the river due to the reeds.

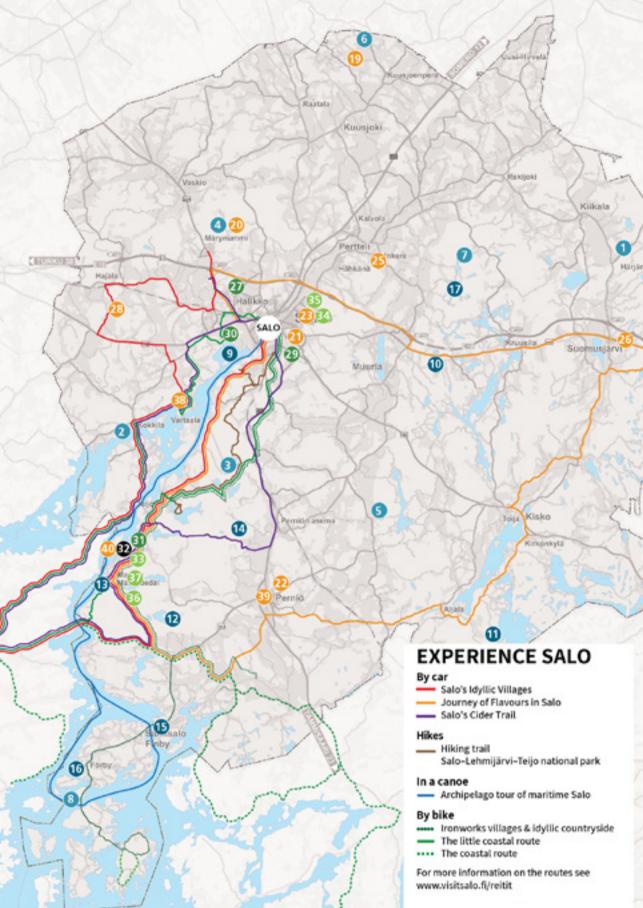
The Halikonjoki river paddling (12–16 kilometres) also begins along the river Salonjoki and passes through Wiurilanlahti to the river Halikonjoki. You can see the Joensuu manor and the Chinese bridge along the river Halikonjoki. On the way back, you can stop for a coffee and a doughnut at the Vuohesaari camping area.

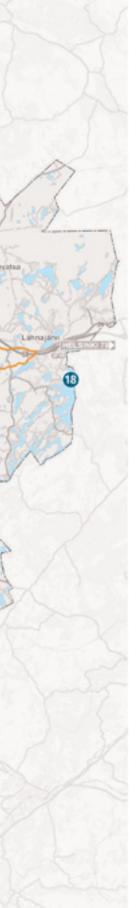
The Merikotka trail (160 kilometres) starts from Vuohensaari in Salo and circles the entire Kimitoön island. Interesting villages and versatile services offered by entrepreneurs such as Matildan Marina and the Förby harbour are along the trail. In addition to paddling, this route is also perfect for boating.



## **EXPERIENCE SALO** BY BOAT

Explore the maritime Salo by boat! You can find information about the Salo harbour services and the Koillisväylä route on pages 48-51





## **BEACHES WITH SAUNAS**

www.salo.fi/uimarannat

Härjanvatsa

Silvantie 2, Kiikala telephone: +358 (0)2 778 4773

Kokkila

Kokkilantie 880, Halikko telephone: +358 (0)2 778 4778

Lake Lehmijärvi

Lehmirannantie 121, Salo telephone: +358 (0)2 778 4777, lifequard

Lake Märynummi

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Uimarannantie 245, Perniö telephone: +358 (0)2 778 4775

Lake Nummijärvi

Järvitie 91, Kuusjoki telephone: +358 (0)2 778 4774 Sauna available for rent.

Lake Varvoiärvi

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Niksaari

Niksaarentie 340, Särkisalo Niksaaren Tiiranta Ov telephone: +358 (0)40 587 0848

## **SWIMMING AREAS**

- Vuohensaari beach Satamakatu 102, Salo.
- 10. Lake Piiljärvi
- Piiljärventie 34, Muurla 11. Iso-Kisko beach
- Kajalanrantatie 334, Kisko 12. Kirakka beach
- Kirakantie 239, Perniö
- 13. Mathildedal beach by the sea Matildan puistotie, Perniö
- 14. Vähäjärvi beach Sauruntie 393, Perniö
- 15. Meripirtti beach Särkisalontie 590, Särkisalo
- 16. Förby beach (Karl Forsström Ab) Särkisalontie 1361. Särkisalo
- 17. Hossus beach Hossuksentie 114, Pertteli
- 18. Sipilä beach Laidikkeentie 127, Suomusjärvi

Check out hiking destinations at www.visitsalo.fi/retkeilv Check out the routes at www.visitsalo.fi/reitit

## DISC GOLF COURSES

- 19. Kuusjoki, 9 holes Järvitie 142, 25340 Salo
- 20. Märynummi, 18 holes Hirvitie 135, 25250 Salo
- 21. Pahkavuori, 12 holes Majavakatu 9, 24100 Salo
- 22. Perniö, 8 holes Erveläntie 16, 25500 Salo
- 23. Tupuri, 18 holes Kalkkimäenrinne 80, 24280 Salo
- 24. Kiikala, 6 holes Suomusjärventie 151, 25390 Salo
- 25. Inkere, 18 holes Tortosmäentie 9. Pertteli
- 26. Suomusjärvi, 12 holes Kitulantie 14, Suomusjärvi
- 27. Halikko, 18 holes Kuruntie 166. Halikko
- 28. Hajala, 9 holes Hajalantie 367, Halikko

## **GOLF COURSES**

- 29. Salo Golf Anistenkatu 1, 24100 Salo
- 30. Wiurila Golf Viurilantie 126, 24910 Salo
- 31. Meri-Teijo Golf, Lanskalantie 56, 25570 Teijo

## DOWNHILL SKIING

32. Teijo Ski & Action Park Teijontie 345, 25570 Teijo

## **CYCLING**

- 33. Teijo Bike Park Teijontie 345, 25570 Teijo
- 34. Tupuri MTB Park Kalkkimäenrinne 80, 24280 Salo
- 35. Pumptrack Kalkkimäenrinne 3, 24280 Salo
- 36. Jeturkasti circular trail 4.6 kilometres
- 37. Mikkosuo circular trail 6.2 kilometres

## New!

- 38. FutisGolf field Tuuppikkalantie 3, Vartsala
- 39. Fitness track in Perniö Leskenkuja, Perniö

### Coming in Spring 2025

40. Workout stairs in Teijo Teijontie 345, Teijo

# Move to Salo



# Swap an expensive life for a rich one

In Salo, you can get everything, time for the family, the close proximity of magnificent nature and an active life full of opportunities.

We have a wide range of functional services. Here you get value for money in square metres, hobby costs and other services. Salo has less traffic and more space.

Everyday life is appreciated here! We live a high-quality, functional and straightforward life where we also have time to enjoy life with our loved ones. You can become part of a warm atmosphere in our village communities.

In Salo, young people have fantastic hobby facilities, working-age people progress in their careers, and seniors spend an active life. Here people greet you when they see you.

See if Salo can change your life – Saloon.fi.



## Job vacancies

- Advance in your career, Salo has plenty of job opportunities in various sectors
- The culture of entrepreneurship is deeprooted in Salo – we offer support when you need it, and keep up with the times



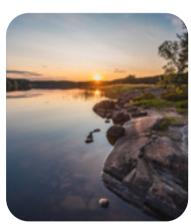
# Valuing everyday life

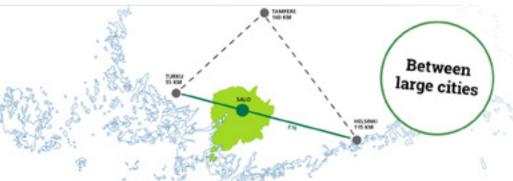
- High-quality, functional and easy everyday life, time with loved ones
- Communal life, idyllic villages and active village communities



# Beauty of nature

- Sea, lakes and rivers magnificent nature is right on your doorstep
- Teijo National Park and several beautiful nature and hiking destinations





Read more on page 22

## Salo of events

- Renowned Salo Evening Markets on summer Thursdays, autumn markets and the **Pumpkin Weeks** attract visitors from near and far
- Exciting sports events and lively cultural activities all year round



 You can engage in dozens of different sports at the Salo Sports Park

• High-quality club and hobby activities light the flame of active life

Read more on page 83

## Salo reflects it values through various free services

- Culture belongs to everyone, plenty of free events for people of all ages
- Free parking all year round, local transport Paikku is free for everyone in the summer







# Relocate to Salo, the heart of the growth triangle





# Salo – unrivalled opportunities for new businesses

In the middle of the triangle of Finland's largest growth centres is Salo, which offers everything that you need to grow your business.

- Smooth and concrete assistance for relocating to the Salo area
- Information and data on the growth opportunities in the region
- Interesting investment opportunities

Salo has international-level active business ecosystems that are constantly developing. Operations are built together with companies and regional operators.

Are you interested in any of these?



# How can we help you?

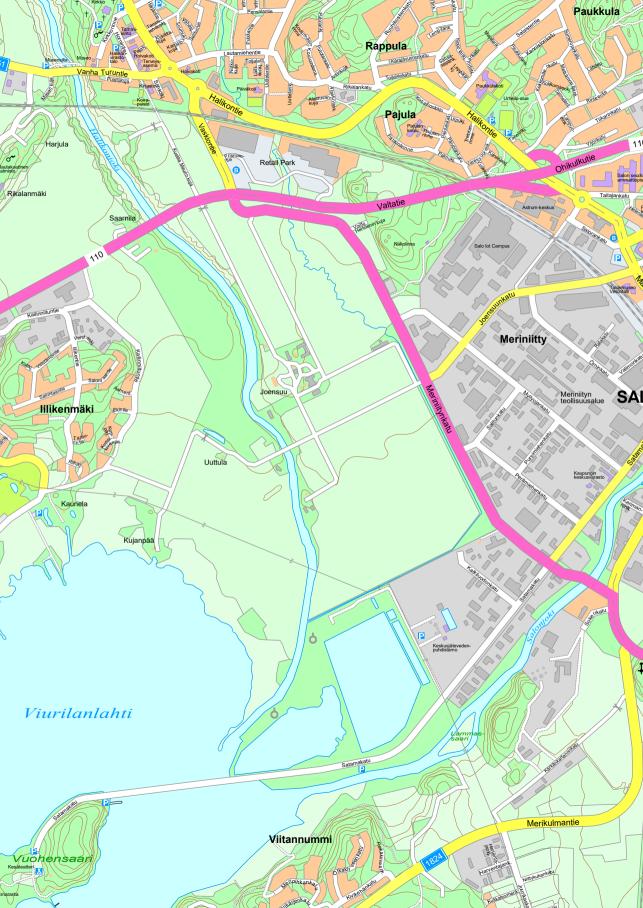
We are eager to hear from you and help you every step of the way from making a decision to finding suitable business premises in Salo.

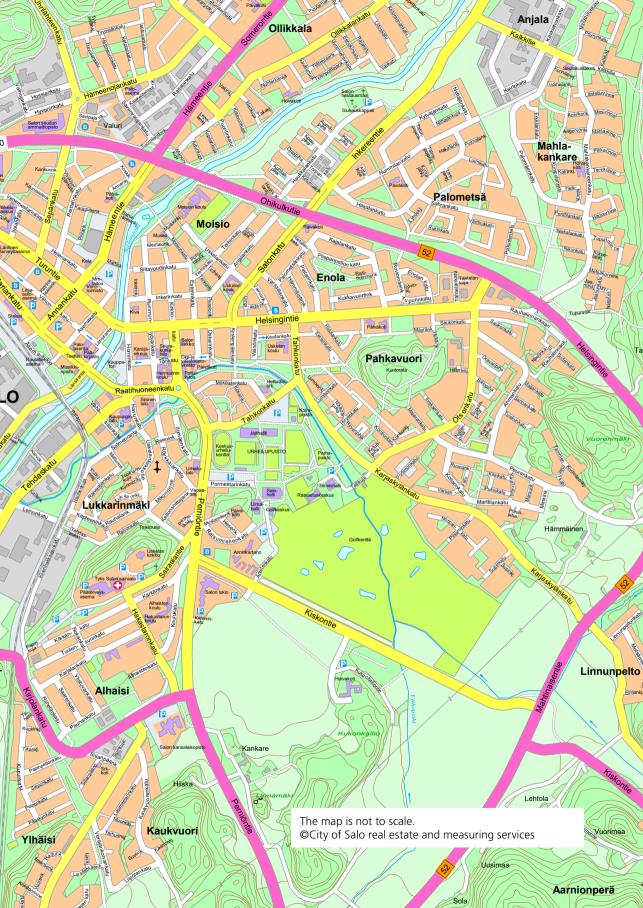
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In the summer, you can find our tourist information point at Salo Marketplace and in Mathildedal Ironworks Village.

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