Shabu-shabu of octopus

By Public Transport

† Dining

Wakkanai is Japan's premier spot for North Pacific giant octopus fishing. Fresh octopus leg, sliced thinly through the fibers, are submerged in a pot of boiling "dashi" (broth) and stirred. Eat them with vegetables, cooked in the same way. This is the speciality dish of Wakkanai. It's popular among tourists as a famous souvenir and authorized as "Wakkanai brand".

Location/View	
Access	
Season	Year-round Year-round
Related links	



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Soya-kuroushi beef





The cattle graze on the lush pastures of rolling hills – in the northernmost farm of Japan. Based on basic policy on product safety, we give them locally produced roughage, and raise and care them from baby calves. Soya-kuroushi beef has lean meat with rich taste and flavor, and no excess fat. Aside from being served in local restaurants, Wakkanai beef is also popular as a souvenir and authorized as "Wakkanai brand".

Location/View	
Access	
Season	Year-round Year-round
Related links	



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Yuchi-imo potato

By Public Transport



In the "yuchi" area of Wakkanai, Yuchi-imo potato is cultivated in safely and high quality agriculture system. Therefore it is registered "Yes! Clean". Especially, potatoes, which are stored in storage "ice house" during the winter, are changed to special taste with a high sugar content in spring, so restaurants or confectionary are interested in it. Yuchi-imo potato is authorized as "Wakkanai brand".

Location/View	
Access	
Season	Year-round Year-round
Related links	Wakkanai Brand Official Website http://www.wakkanai-brand.jp/index.html



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Around JR Wakkanai Station

By Foot

Around JR Wakkanai Station, you can buy local products exclusive to Wakkanai.

Location/View			
Access	About 15 min. walk from port(Ab	out 1km)	
Season	Year-round	Parking for tour buses	5 buses
Related links			

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Soya hill prospects rest area Guesthouse Armeria





After sightseeing on Soya, you can buy souvenirs at Guest House Almelia. On clear days you can visit the observation and rest facilities on the neighboring Soya Hills for a view of the Sakhalin.

Location/View	098-6758 ² MAP		
Access	Travel by tour:About 50 min. via car from berth(About 30km)		
Season	July~September Parking for tour buses 5 buses		
Related links			

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Soya hill foot path course white way

By Public Transport



The Shiroimichi Soya Hills Footpath Course is part of the footpath course on Soya Hills periglacial lands, which was designated as a heritage of Hokkaido. Footpaths, which originated in England, are paths created for people to enjoy scenes unspoiled since ancient times.

Location/View	098-6758(<u>2</u> MAP)	
Access	Travel by tour:About 50 min. via car from berth(About 30km) Individual travel:About 50 min.(About 30km from port)	
Season	July~September	
Related links		

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Monument of the Japanese northernmost ground

By Public Transport

Main Attractions

A monument marking the northernmost point of Japan is located on the tip of Cape Soya at north latitude 45°31'22". It was built exactly at the farthest northern end of Japan.

The monument was designed as a triangular pyramid shaped like one ridge of the North Star, a symbol of the northern area. The "N" at the center of the tower represents "north," while the circular pedestal represents peace and cooperation.

Location/View	098-6758 AMAP		
Access	Travel by tour:About 50 min. via car from berth(About 30km) Individual travel:About 50 min.(About 30km from port)		
Season	Year-round Parking for tour buses 20 buses		
Related links			

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Wakkanai Park





In Wakkanai Park, with courses that are a must for tourists to take in, you'll find Hyosetsu-no-Mon gate, a symbol of this tourist town, as well as many monuments about the Sakhalin dotting the grounds. There are also other facilities, such as the 100th Year Memorial Tower that combines an observation deck and a local museum.

Location/View	097-0000 ^{®MAP}		
Access	About 15 min. via car from port(About 3km)		
Season	July~September Parking for tour buses 18 buses		
Related links			

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Cape Noshappu

By Public Transport



Right in front of you, you can see beautiful Mt. Rishiri, Rebunto Island (looking like a floating island of flowers), and the silhouette of the Sakhalin. The sun setting on the horizon creates a breathtaking view. You can witness Rishiri kelp harvesting, a summer tradition, at the nearby seaside on early mornings of July and August.

Location/View	097-0026 AMAP		
Access	Travel by tour:About 20 min. via car from berth(About 5km) Individual travel:About 20 min.(About 5km from port)		
Season	Year-round Parking for tour buses 4 buses		
Related links			

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Wakkanai Port North Breakwater Dome

By Foot

Main Attractions

A symbolic part of Wakkanai architecture, the semiarch design that resembles "kamaboko" (fish cake) cut lengthwise showing its combined inner arch and dome, helps buildings overcome the strong winds and high waves of Wakkanai. The Northern Breakwater Dome is a symbol of livelier times when people could cross over to the Sakhalin. Reminiscent of ancient Roman architecture, it attracts a great deal of attention as a building whose design is unparalleled in the world.

Location/View	098-6758(<u>&</u> MAP)	
Access	About 15 min. walk from port(About 1km)	
Season	Year-round	
Related links		



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All the Wakkanai and South Pole festival

By Foot



The Wakkanai Minato Antarctic Festival is a major event showcasing Wakkanai's short summer. Activities include Wakkanai Antarctic dance and Hokkai Teppen Odori dance, as well as big fireworks display, and other fun activities.

Location/View	097-0022 ^{®MAP}		
Access	Travel by tour:About 15 min. via car from berth(About 1km) Individual travel:(About 5km from port)		
Season	Parking for tour buses 6 buses		
Related links			



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JAPAN CUP Nationwide Dog Sledding Competition

By Foot



Powerful and fascinating dog sledding race will be held in late February, every year. You can experience yourself operating dog sled, and joining it with your pet dog. And it will be held the tourism and products exhibition of Wakkanai there at the same time.

Location/View	097-0022 ^{®MAP}			
Access	Travel by tour : About 25 min. via car from berth (About 15 km)			
Season	From mid Februry to mid March Parking for tour buses 4 buses			
Related links				

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