Excursion on June 21 (Fri)

※Departure time changed

The Bus will leave the **BUS TERMINAL at NORTH ENTRANCE** of JR Sapporo station at 8:30.

 \rightarrow Please gather at 8:20 (10 mins before the departure)





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- 8:20 Meet at the Bus terminal
- 8:30 Departure from Bus terminal via Highway (15 mins rest at Tarumae service area)
- 10:00 Arrival at Noboribetsu
- 12:00 Departure from Noboribetsu
- 12:30 Arrival at Wakasaimo (Lunch)
- 13:30 Departure from Wakasaimo
- 14:00 Cape Chikyu
- 14:30 Departure from Chikyu via Highway (15 mins rest at Tarumae service area)
- 16:30 JR Sapporo station

Two hours at Noboribetsu

One hour lunchtime and shopping

30 mins Cape Chikyu

Notice!

- Volanic sulfur smell at Noboribetsu Jigokudani
- Select one of two parties at Noboribetsu
 - Bus No.1 Gentlepersons' trail

 $(12345) \rightarrow \text{free time until } 12:00$

• Bus No.2

Adventure trail

(6)784231 → free time until 12:00 Total 1600m walk including Mountain trail 700m



Noboribetsu

 Noboribetsu Jigokudani, a hot spring area in Hokkaido, was formed by volcanic activity thousands of years ago and has been utilized by the Ainu people (indigenous people) since ancient times. In Meiji era, it was widely known throughout Japan, leading to its development as a tourist destination. Geologically, it was shaped by volcanic activity and crustal movements over thousands of years, resulting in its distinctive landscape with hot springs and sulfur deposits.



Jigokudani(地獄谷)



Enma shrine(閻魔堂) ※performance at 11:00



Tessen-ike(鉄泉池, Hot spring)



Prayer demon shrine (念仏鬼祠)



Oku-no-yu(奥の湯, Pond over crater)



Prosperity demon (繁盛の鬼)

Cape Chikyu (地球岬)

 The name "Chikyu Misaki" comes from the Ainu (indigenous people) word "chikepu" which means "cliff". Funkawan bay, where Cape Chikyu is located, is surrounded by volcanos. Because of its convenience as a natural port, it has prospered as an important point for trade and shipping since ancient times, and even today it is used as an important base for steel and petrochemical industries. From the cape, on clear days you can see the landscape of the Shimokita Peninsula (Japan main island), and if you are lucky, you can see migrating dolphins and whales.



Observatory deck



Happy bell



Light house