

Kamui-Kotan is revived here.  
God's Village



### 1 First Farm

Get in the cage and feel the force of brown bears. Can you tell who's the boss?

### 2 Second Farm

Females are active and clever, just as you can see.

### 3 Cubs Farm

Cubs just like those teddy bears you have.



Farm area consists of two separate farms, with groups of male and female bears respectively. You can feed them with the "bear snacks" sold here, take a closer look from the "human cage" and see their cute babies at the "cubs farm."



Second Farm (females only)

When they ask for food, they don't just ask; they stand up, wave at you, and make you just want to give.

Brown bears are the largest species of animals in Hokkaido and were worshiped by Ainu, the native Hokkaido people, as the God. There are approximately 2,000 brown bears in Hokkaido and the number is reported to be on the decline.

Noboribetsu Bear Park is located atop "Bear Mountain" that sits in the deep forest of the Lake Kuttara area. Farming, observing and studying of brown bears started in October 1958 and recorded a major success. The numbers of bears are now over a hundred, from only eight at the beginning, and happily ever after is the way they live now.

## TRANSPORTATION

### From Sapporo

**JR** 70 minutes aboard limited express, then 13 minutes by bus from Noboribetsu Station.

**Car** 60 minutes from Sapporo-Kita to Noboribetsu-Higashi on expressway, then drive 10 minutes in the direction of Noboribetsu Hot Springs.

### From New Chitose Airport

**JR** 47 minutes aboard limited express, then 13 minutes by bus from Noboribetsu Station.

**Bus** 70 minutes aboard Donan Bus

**Car** 40 minutes from Tomakomai-Higashi to Noboribetsu-Higashi on expressway, then drive 10 minutes in the direction of Noboribetsu Hot Springs.



Parking spaces available for 30 buses and 200 cars.

## BUSINESS HOURS

Season	4/21~7/20	7/21~8/31	9/1~10/20	10/21~4/20
Ticket Office Opening	8:00	6:00	8:00	8:30
Closing Time	18:00	18:30	18:00	16:30

\* Please be reminded that ticket office closes 40 minutes prior to the closing time.

**OPEN ALL YEAR** (Except for maintenance days in late November / early December)

Shikotsu-Toya National Park

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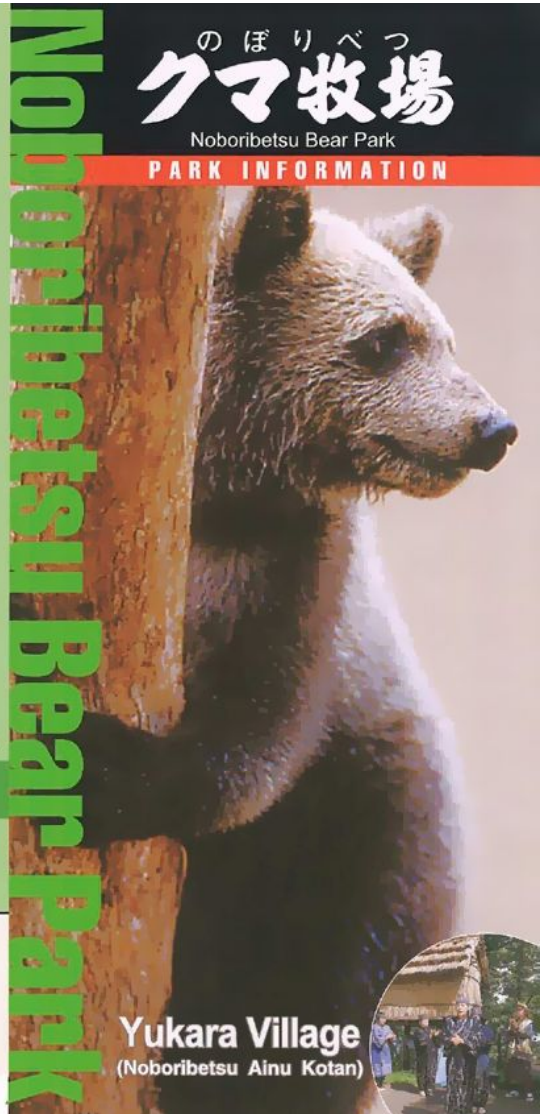
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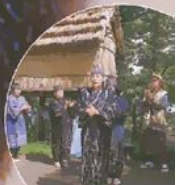
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Noboribetsu Bear Park

## PARK INFORMATION



Yukara Village  
(Noboribetsu Ainu Kotan)



Noboribetsu Bear Park

### 4 Bear Show

Shows are held several times a day at the indoor stage throughout the year. Stage performances include soccer, basketball and mathematics.



### 5 Duck Race

Pretty duck racers with colorful ribbons will show you heated side-by-side battles.



### 6 Brown Bear Museum

The only bear specialist museum in the world. 500 pieces of themed exhibitions, varying from specimens to explanatory panels, cover various sides of bears' biological, historical and societal backgrounds and stories.



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COME MEET THE BEARS.

### 9 Gondola

As the sole means to get to the Park, 1300 meters long gondola connects the Park at the top station with the bottom station located in the hot spring town of Noboribetsu.



### 10 Lake Kuttara Observation Deck

Enjoy the panoramic view of the surrounding area, especially Lake Kuttara, one of the clearest lakes in the country.



### 11 Stores

Each end of the gondola has a souvenir store that carries a wide variety of goods for your shopping enjoyment.

### 3 Bear Mountain Restaurant

Genghis Khan barbecue and other snacks are available.



### 7 Yukara Village (May-October)

This mock Ainu village revives the lifestyle of Ainu (native Hokkaido) people in the late 19th century. Traditional Ainu dance is demonstrated where you can drop in and take part. You can also get snap shots wearing Ainu clothes.

Base Station  
② Store, Restrooms (with wheelchair access), Parking Lot





## Japanese Black Bear

The Japanese Black Bear is a bear native to the south of Honshu (the main island of Japan) that is facing extinction. In addition to Brown Bears we also wanted to inform and excite visitors to our park about the Black Bear, so we created the 'Japanese Black Bear Attraction'.

## Japanese Black Bear Attraction      Coming end of April 2009!

- ① Shows the high learning capabilities of the Japanese Black Bear
- ② Introduces the ecology of the Japanese Black Bear
- ③ Demonstrates one of the amazing abilities of the Japanese Black Bear

The Japanese Black Bear is adept at utilizing trees for many purposes such as making a platform in the branches to sleep on, hibernating in hollow trees and it is better at climbing trees than the Brown Bear. The entire back of the stage is made from toughened glass, and along with the 580m high vantage point and giant katsura trees you can get a great view of the bear's dexterity and balance whilst log crossing and searching for food. You can also see the amazing swinging ability of the bears. This is also the first time in Japan contactless training has been employed to further demonstrate the bear's learning capabilities.

Come, learn and enjoy!

# The Human Cage

Observe bears from inside a human cage

Renewed 2008, April 26<sup>th</sup>



Located next to the first farm, this is the best place to watch the bears from. It is designed as if people are in a cage so they can experience the feeling of an animal being targeted by bears surrounding it. You can also observe the eyes, ears, nose, fur and even experience feeding from up close.