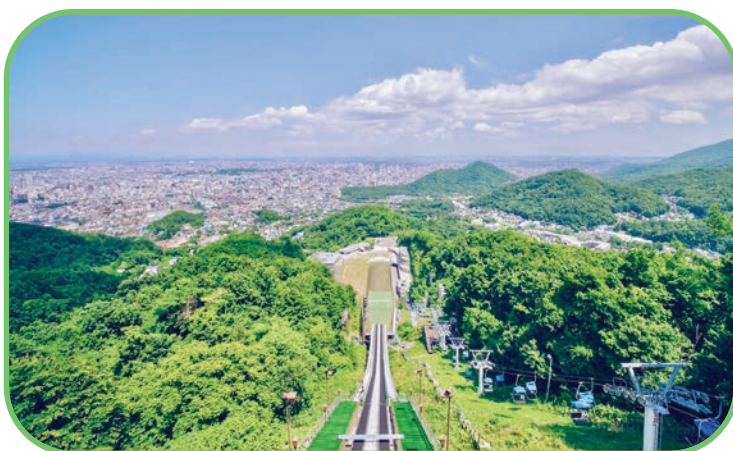


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2025 Sapporo & Otaru Labor Day Getaway

(GP13349)



Aug 27 - Sept 2, 2025

5 Nights/7 Days

Haneda - Sapporo - Noboribetsu - Otaru

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A minimum of 16 participants is
required for the tour to operate

Itinerary

Day 1: (Wed) Aug 27 – Honolulu Depart Honolulu

→ Meet the Panda Travel representative 3 hours prior to departure at the airline's check-in counters.

Day 2: (Thu) Aug 28 – Haneda Airport Haneda Excel Hotel Tokyu (Free Wi-Fi)

→ Upon arrival at Haneda Airport, meet your local English-speaking assistant at the arrival lobby. Our accommodation for tonight is **Haneda Excel Hotel Tokyu**, conveniently located on the airport grounds. Enjoy your evening at leisure.

Day 3: (Fri) Aug 29 – Haneda-Chitose-Sapporo (B/L) Sapporo Stream Hotel (Free Wi-Fi)

→ Breakfast at hotel.

→ 7:00am – Depart Haneda to New Chitose Airport via ANA/All Nippon Airways NH51.

→ 8:30am – Upon arrival at New Chitose Airport, meet your English-speaking local guide at the arrival lobby to start our tour for Sapporo.

→ 10:00am – Get ready for a sweet adventure as we dive into the art of **making nama caramel**, a delightful twist on traditional caramel.

→ 11:30am – Welcome to **Yuni Garden**, a charming British-style garden that showcases a stunning array of flowers blooming throughout the seasons. The garden also boasts a variety of herbs, inviting visitors to engage their senses as they explore. Be sure to stop by the garden shop for some herbal cookies and teas—perfect souvenirs! Afterwards, we'll enjoy a **buffet lunch** on-site.

→ 2:30pm – Now, visit the **Sapporo Beer Museum**, the first and only “beer museum” in Japan since the 1850s. Here, we'll learn about the history and the process of beer-making.

→ 4:00pm – Arrive at **Sapporo Stream Hotel**, opened in Spring 2024. Our hotel is just a short walk from Tanukikoji Shopping Street, where you'll find many shopping and dining options. Enjoy the rest of the day at leisure.

Day 4: (Sat) Aug 30 – Sapporo-Noboribetsu-Sapporo (B) Sapporo Stream Hotel (Free Wi-Fi)

→ Breakfast at hotel.

→ 8:30am – Meet your guide at the hotel lobby for Noboribetsu.

→ 10:00am – The morning begins with a visit to the **Upopoy National Ainu Museum and Park**, Japan's first national museum dedicated to the indigenous Ainu people of northern Japan. At this facility, we'll learn about the rich and vibrant Ainu culture through hundreds of native artifacts, a replica Ainu village, and more!

→ 12:00pm – Now a trip back in time to historic Japan at the **Noboribetsu Date Jidaimura Village**, an Edo Period theme park with replica Edo-era architecture, traditional games and activities, and costumed ninjas, samurais, and geishas strolling the village streets. And at 1:30pm, we'll catch an exhilarating live **Ninja show!** Enjoy lunch on your own and an afternoon of wandering through samurai exhibits and outwitting the tricks and traps of the kid-friendly Ninja Maze.

→ 2:45pm – Afterwards, a visit to **Noboribetsu Jigokudani**, an otherworldly land of bubbling hot waters, steaming pools, and bleached rocks. Beloved by the Hokkaido people and recognized as a “Hokkaido Heritage” site, this productive crater feeds 10,000 tons of natural hot spring waters to onsen hotels and resorts in the area daily.

→ 5:30pm – Return to hotel. Enjoy the evening at leisure.

Day 5: (Sun) Aug 31 – Sapporo-Free Day at Leisure (B) Sapporo Stream Hotel (Free Wi-Fi)

→ Breakfast at hotel. Enjoy your free day to explore Sapporo!

Day 6: (Mon) Sept 1 – Sapporo-Otaru (B) Grand Park Otaru (Free Wi-Fi)

→ Breakfast at hotel.

→ 8:30am – Meet your guide at the hotel lobby for Otaru.

→ 9:00am – This morning, a visit to **Okurayama Ski Jump Stadium**. Constructed in 1931, the stadium was home to the 90m ski jump competition during the 1972 Sapporo Winter Olympic Games and is still used for competitions today.

Together, we'll **ride a ski lift** to the peak where a viewing lounge will provide us with a spectacular view of Sapporo, the Ishikari Plain, and Ishikari Bay. This is also the ideal location to see the starting line of the ski jump - look below at the steep slope to put yourself in the skiers' boots right before they begin their jumps!

→ 11:15am – Now, a fun **fruit picking experience** at Nitori Fruits Farm.

→ 1:00pm – Our next stop, **Otaru Sakaimachi Street**, an avenue lined with Otaru's famous glassworks, music boxes, and sweet shops. As we explore this charming district, we'll

discover the city's rich cultural heritage and vibrant artisanal scene.

A must visit is the **Kitaichi Glass Shop**, which was once a glass supplier for the Otaru fishing community and is now a store filled with beautiful glassworks. For a sweet time, visit the **Kitakaro confectionery shop** and try the famous multi-layered honey wheeled cakes that have a cult-like following. Delight in a soft serve cone from **Yamanaka Dairy Farm** as you stroll past locally crafted music boxes and glassware or sample fresh local seafood at one of the many restaurants in the area. **LeTAO Plus**, a memorable sweet shop, has 50 varieties of cakes and sweets, a cafe on the 2nd floor, and a free observatory on the 3rd floor.

→ **4:30pm – Arrive at Grand Park Otaru.** After check-in, the remainder of the evening is yours at leisure. The hotel is located inside a shopping mall with restaurants and is also within walking distance from AEON supermarket for quick snack, hot food, and beverage pickups.

Day 7: (Tue) Sept 2 – Otaru-Chitose-Haneda-Honolulu (B)

→ **Breakfast at hotel.**

→ **9:00am – Meet your guide at the hotel lobby.**

→ **10:00am** – This morning, we'll explore **Royce' Cacao & Chocolate Town**. This facility (launched in Nov 2022) takes visitors through an immersive factory experience. We'll learn how cocoa beans transform into chocolate bars, browse through Royce's antique collections, and indulge in the baked sweets, soft serve ice cream, and 200 types of chocolate available at their on-site shop.

→ **12:30pm** – **Transfer to New Chitose Airport. We'll board an ANA/All Nippon Airways flight NH66 from Chitose to Haneda Airport.** Before boarding, round up any last minute shopping at the airport terminal.

→ **4:05pm** – **Upon arrival at Haneda, our local English-speaking escort will greet us at the arrival lobby. We'll then shuttle to Terminal 3 to begin checking in for our flight home.**

→ **Arrive in Honolulu (same day).**

Thank you for traveling with us! 

Need to Know...



Payment Policy

- » Reserve with **\$75 per person deposit. Refundable up to 65 days prior to departure date June 13, 2025.**
- » **Final payment due by June 25, 2025. Package is non-refundable after this date.**

* Fares and Fees (Priced in USD)

- » Are subject to change in light of fuel supplements, taxes, and differences in costs.
- » Air ticket fare is guaranteed, but taxes, fees, and fuel surcharges are subject to change until tickets are issued.
- » We reserve the right to make changes to the itinerary with or without notice.



Special Assistance

- » You must inform us of any disability/impairment that requires special attention at the time of your making the reservation.
- » We reserve the right to cancel the reservation(s) if the disability/impairment is unsuitable for the tour.
- » You are also responsible for any costs and/or accommodations related to your disability/impairment, such as providing your own travel companion.



Travel Insurance

- » We highly recommend the purchase of trip insurance. Please ask our representatives for more information.



Travel Documents

- » A valid passport is required for all U.S. citizens and must be valid and not expire at least 6 months from the return tour date.
- » Non-U.S. passport holders must check with the Japanese Consulate to see if a visa is required.



Land Tour Operator & Costs

- » Land Tour Operator is Nippon Travel Agency.
- » Land Tour costs are based on current currency conversion rates, which are subject to change.



Other remarks

- » Not Included in the tour: Gratuities for local English speaking guide; additional baggage fee charges from the airlines; alcohol and soft drinks with meals.
- » A minimum of 16 participants are required for the tour to operate.
- » You are expected to abide by domestic and international government and accommodation policies related to health, safety, and welfare.