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Luxury Retreat at Lake Saimaa: The Ultimate Finnish Escape

Escape to a luxurious oasis in the heart of the Lake Saimaa region with our exclusive travel itinerary. Experience the breathtaking beauty of the Finnish Lakeland as you indulge in the ultimate luxury at two world-class resorts, PihlasResort and Sahanlahti Resort.

Day 1: Helsinki (Arrival Day)

As soon as you step off the plane, a luxurious private minibus will be waiting to take you directly to PihlasResort, a stunning eco-resort in the heart of the Lake Saimaa region. Check-in to your Garden Villa and enjoy a private tour of the breathtaking premises. Sip on welco-



me drinks in the Winter Garden before indulging in a full-course dinner at Restaurant Siimes, designed by Pihlas' head chef to showcase the natural beauty of the region.

Day 2: Pihlas Resort

Wake up to a personalized breakfast at Restaurant Siimes, tailored to your individual tastes. Spend the day exploring the natural wonders of the region, with activities ranging from forest meditation to tennis, and pamper yourself with spa treatments and lakeside saunas. Take in the stunning vistas from the outdoor Jacuzzi and pool before enjoying a private dinner at Koto Clubhouse by the lake.

Day 3: Sahanlahti Resort

Savor your personalized breakfast before checking out and traveling to Mikkeli, the city of headquarters, where you'll enjoy a private garden tour at Terti Manor with rosé petal sparkling. Savor a grand buffet at the manor house before exploring the history of Mikkeli at the Muisti Centre of War and Peace and the local market. Transfer to Sahanlahti Resort, the newest addition to the speciality accommodation, and check-in to your Elsanranta Villa, complete with unparalleled views of Lake Saimaa.

Day 4: Saimaa Geopark

Start your day with a breakfast of local, seasonal products at

Restaurant Koskivahti before setting off on a private boat tour to Rokansaari Island with LakelandGTE. Observe the rare Saimaa ringed seals and ospreys before taking in the island's stunning geology and enjoying outdoor coffee with your guide. Return to Sahanlahti for a relaxing evening and dinner at Restaurant Koskivahti.



Day 5: Astuvansalmi

Experience the mystic Lake Saimaa during a guided wild food experience on the charming fishing boat Juno. Sample the region's finest cuisine on the lakeside cliffs and explore the Astuvansalmi Rock Paintings. Your lunch will be prepared on open fire by our residential chef, using only the freshest, seasonal ingredients from the surrounding nature. Return to Elsanranta Villas for a final dinner at Restaurant Koskivahti.

Day 6: Departure

Enjoy a delicious breakfast at Restaurant Koskivahti before checking out and departing to Helsinki, with unforgettable memories of your luxury getaway to the stunning Saimaa region.

On the way back to Helsinki:

- Take in breathtaking views from the top of Naisvuori tower, located in the heart of Mikkelin city centre.
- Stop by the Kenkävero Shop to find authentic D.O. Saimaa products and unique souvenirs to commemorate your journey.
- Immerse yourself in the art world at Art Center Salmela in Mäntyhärju, where you can admire works from local and international artists.

Don't miss the chance to make your trip even more memorable with these unforgettable experiences. Plan your route back to Helsinki today and add these optional destinations to your itinerary!

Premium services:

Elevate your travel experience with the luxury of a private helicopter flight from Helsinki to Pihlas Resort. Indulge in a breathtaking aerial view as you soar to your destination in style. Contact us to learn more about our additional services and associated costs.

With our private helicopter flights, you can avoid the hassles of ground transportation and reach your destination quickly and comfortably. Let us enhance your journey and take your travel to new heights with our exclusive services. Get in touch with us today to plan your unforgettable adventure!



TRAVEL ITINERARY

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Valid: 01.06.-30.08.2023 (request alternate departure dates)

Group size: from 2 pax

Rates: 7555 EUR / person / DBL

Your tour organizer: **DMC Helsinki**

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Itinerary summary

The following is a summary of the proposed itinerary and what is included in the package:

SERVICE	VOL	TYPE	ADDITIONAL
Day 1. Transfers	1 x	Minibus	Minibus transfer to Pihlas resort
Day 1. Meals	1 x	Pihlas resort	Full-course dinner at Pihlas resort
Day 1. Accommodation	2 x nights	Pihlas resort	Garden Villa
Day 2. Meals	1 x	Pihlas resort	Dinner at Koto club-house
Day 3. Transfers	1 x	Minibus	Pihlas Resort-Mikkeli-Sahanlahti
Day 3. Meals	1 x	Tertti manor	Lunch at Tertti manor + private tour
Day 3. Activity	1 x	Muisti centre	Entrance tickets + guidance
Day 3. Accommodation	3 x nights	Sahanlahti resort	Elsanranta Villa
Day 3. Meals	1 x	Sahanlahti resort	Dinner at Sahanlahti resort
Day 4. Activity	1 x	Lakeland GTE	Private boat tour to Rokansaari
Day 4. Meals	1 x	Sahanlahti resort	Dinner at Sahanlahti resort
Day 5. Activity	1 x	Astuvansalmi	Day trip to Astuvansalmi rock paintings + lunch
Day 5. Meals	1 x	Dinner	Farewell dinner at Sahanlahti resort

NOTE: Please note that this offer is subject to availability and is only valid for a specific period. The rates and services included in the package may vary depending on the dates selected. Please contact us for more information and to confirm availability for your preferred travel dates.

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