

Welcome to close to nature, atmospheric Loiske Ähtäri public indoor swimming pool, opened in May 2024. Loiske is located in the Ähtäri tourist & leisure area at Karhunkierros 147, 63700 Ähtäri.

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**OPENING HOURS** [note: different opening hours summer + week 9 and 42]

***Morning swim***

Wed 7:00 – 10:00

\*Fri 6:00 – 10:00

***Evening swim & sauna***

Mon ----- closed

Tue – Thu 15:00 – 20:00

Fri 14:00 – 20:00

Sat 12:00 – 19:00

Sun 15:00 – 18:00

**Opening hours on public or midweek holidays according to Sunday opening hours.**

\*Entry to *Friday morning* swimming only possible with a previously purchased annual or series ticket. On *Friday mornings* the saunas are out of service and the ticket office is closed.

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**SEASONAL OPENING HOURS** summer + week 9 and 42

***Morning swim & sauna***

Mon - Sun 8:00 – 10:00

***Evening swim & sauna***

Mon – Fri 15:00 – 20:00

Sat 14:00 – 20:00

Sun 15:00 – 18:00

**Opening hours on public or midweek holidays according to Sunday opening hours.**

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Swimming time including dressing is **2h**. Ticket sales closes **1h** and the pool area **0,5h** before closing time.

**Please bring your own shampoo & shower gel and a seat cover for sauna.**

**Shower and wash your body and hair before the pools and sauna.** Wear a swimming/shower cap if you don't wet your hair in shower. Please read the instructions in advance. You can find the Loiske swimming pool rules (Loiske Ähtäri järjestyssäännöt) by clicking on the link on the right side of the webpage.

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**TICKET PRICES** [note: different seasonal prices summer + week 9 and 42]

**Single ticket**

adult 7 €

children 4–15 years old 5 €

pensioner/student 5 €

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**Family ticket**

2 adult + 2 children 20 €

or 1 adult + 3 children

extra children 2 €

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**Groups over 10 person**

adult 6 €/person

children 4-15 years old/pensioner/student 4 €/person

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**Serial ticket (10 pcs)**

adult 58 €

children 4-15 years old 35 €

pensioner/student 40 €

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**Serial ticket (25 pcs)**

adult 135 €

children 4-15 years old 75 €

pensioner/student 95 €

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**Serial ticket (50 pcs)**

adult 245 €

children 4-15 years old 145 €

pensioner/student 170 €

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**Annual ticket 12 months**

adult 355 €

children 4-15 years old 195 €

pensioner/student 240 €

Ähtäri local resident senior over 70 years 100 €

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\* Wristband for serial/annual tickets 10 €. No refund.

\* Serial/annual tickets are valid 12 months beginning from the first time used. No refund.

\* Serial/annual tickets are personal, for use by one person only.

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## SEASONAL TICKET PRICES summer + week 9 and 42

### Single ticket

adult 12 €

children 4–15 years old 8 €

pensioner/student 8 €

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### Family ticket

2 adult + 2 children 35 €

or 1 adult + 3 children

extra children 4 €

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### Groups over 10 person

adult 11 €/person

children 4-15 years old/pensioner/student 7 €/person

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Rental swimwear and towel 2€/pc

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## POOLS AND SAUNAS, WASHROOMS AND LOCKERS

- \* 25 m long fitness pool +27°C (3 lanes, depth 1,2-2,0 m)
- \* Therapy pool +32°C (depth 1,3-1,4 m) massagepoints and a lift seat for the disabled
- \* Jacuzzi +32°C by the windows
- \* Children's pool +32°C (depth 60-90 cm)
- \* The fitness pool has starting stands at the deeper end that you can jump from on the 1. lane
- \* There is a virtual water gym screen at the shallow end of the fitness pool
- \* Cold pool +8°C (depth 1,10 m)
- \* Mildly heated 'swim-suits-on' unisex sauna with a lake view on the pool area
- \* Regular saunas with women's and men's washrooms
- \* Women's and men's dressing rooms have lockers, disabled toilets, a rollator and wheelchair for the pool area, a sauna and showers, a potty for small children
- \* You can ask the ticket office for a dressing room for **people with special needs** (e.g. those who need an assistant or those alone with a small baby). The dressing room for people with special needs has lockers, a washroom with a **shower chair** but no disabled toilet or sauna. From the pool area you can enter women's & men's saunas, toilets and get **the rollator & wheelchair for use in the pool area.**
- \* There is a **disabled toilet in the pool area** near the lifeguard booth

\* Our pool water in Loiske stays clean with modern, more environmentally methods than earlier with less chlorine needed. Chlorine is still needed, especially to clean human-caused dirt. Help us keep our pool waters clean and the air pleasant to breathe, by showering well before entering the pools, thank you!

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## **WASHING YOURSELF AND HYGIENE**

Wash well in the shower before swimming, sauna and after using the toilet. Take off your swimsuit for the regular sauna and wash without a swimsuit in the washroom. If you feel uncomfortable in a regular sauna without a swimsuit, you can wrap yourself in a towel.

Wet your hair or cover dry hair with a swimming/shower cap or other clean, swimming-pool appropriate cap/scarf before entering the pool area. Keep long hair tied back.

Wear a clean swimsuit made of swimsuit fabric. Do not wear underwear as swimsuit or in a sauna.

Use only swimwear for babies, not a swim diaper.

Do not dye your hair or shave your body hair or beard in the toilet, washroom or dressing room.

Use indoor slippers that have been used only in indoor swimming pool or go barefoot in the wash- and pool areas.

Please avoid using strong perfumes.

People with infectious diseases should avoid visiting swimming pool until they are healthy.

## **SAFETY**

Lifeguard/swimming supervisor is responsible for the general order and safety. Guardians/parents are always responsible for their children. Staff supervision doesn't replace guardians/parents responsibility to supervise their children. Lifeguard cannot focus on supervising just one person/group.

Deep pools are not suitable for little children or people who cannot swim. Don't leave little children alone in the pool area. Children's floats, swimming aids or floating swimsuits are not a substitute for swimming skills and don't guarantee children's safety.

**Jumping into the pool is only allowed at the deep end of the fitness pool.** Follow the instructions of the lifeguard and ask for advice or swimming equipment.

The swimming pool area has a recording camera surveillance.

## **TAKING PHOTOS OR VIDEOS**

Taking photos or videos is illegal and prohibited in the sauna, washing and dressing rooms and toilets. Taking photos or filming in other areas only with the permission of the staff and lifeguard.