



# Fujino-fuji

藤野富士

Showshoeing Map 1:25000



0 250 500 750 1,000 m

1cm on the map equals 250m on the ground

Magnetic declination: 9° 44' W

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## Symbol Key (some may not be present)

	Route (time between points)		Contour lines (100m, 10m)
	National Highway		Power transmission lines
	Prefectural Road		Trees/shrubs
	Municipal Road		Rocks/cliffs
	Minor Municipal Road		Onsen (hot spring)
	Walkway		Fumerole
	Bus route (bus stop)		Highway number
	Designated campsite		Water
	Hut		



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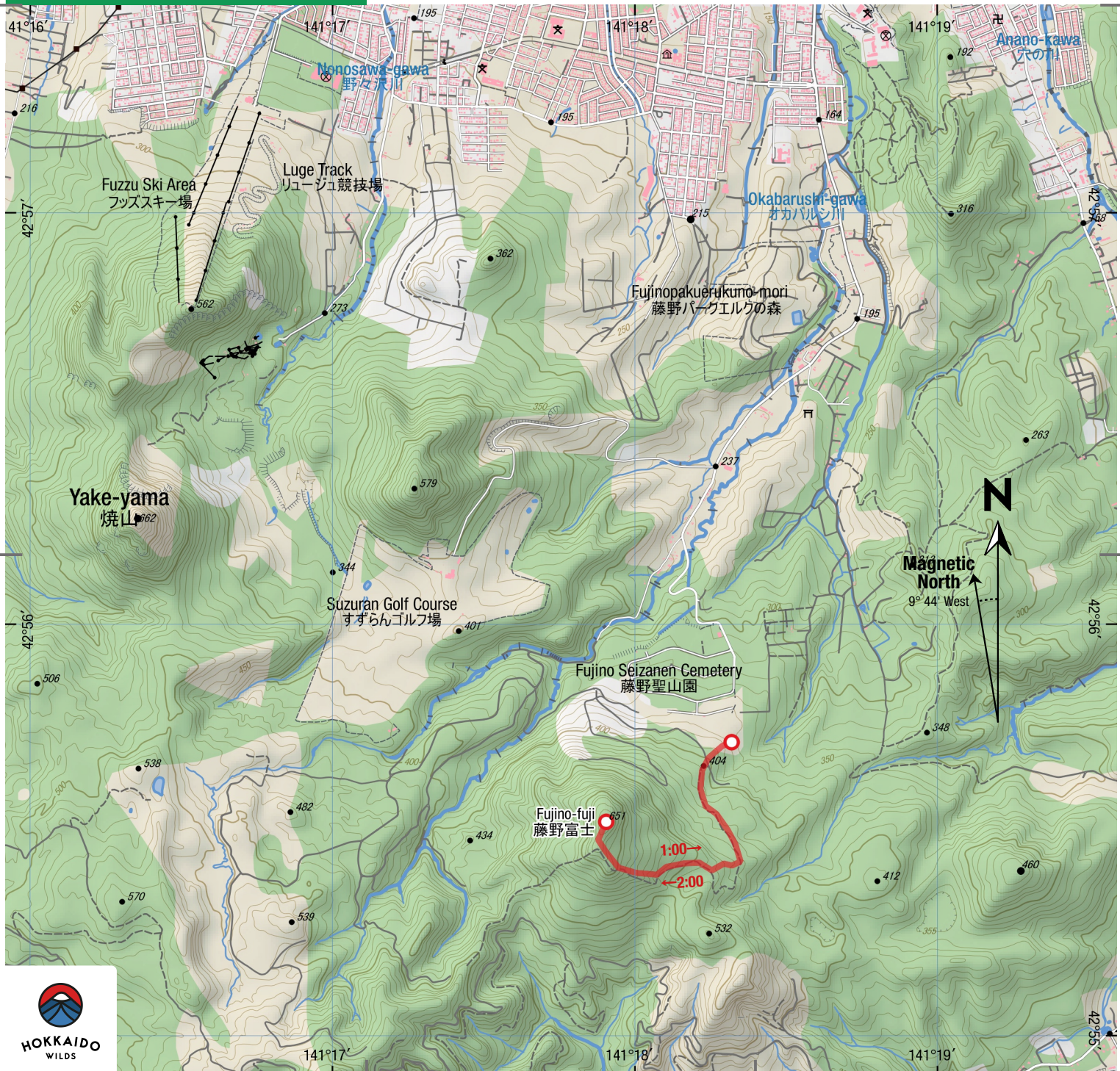


## Japanese Map Glossary

Romaji	Kanji	English
bunki	分岐	junction
cho	町	town
dake/mine	岳/峯	peak
eki	駅	station
goya/koya	小屋	hut
hinangoya	避難小屋	shelter
ike	池	pond
kawa/gawa	川	river
kako	火口	crater
ko/mizumi	湖	lake
kyo	峡	gorge
numa	沼	pond
onsen	温泉	hot spring
sawa	沢	stream
taira/daira	平	plateau
tani/dani	谷	valley
taki	滝	waterfall
toge	峠	pass
yama/san/zan	山	mountain

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# Fujino-fuji Snowshoe Hike



**3hrs**  
Time



**256m**  
Total Climb



**598m**  
Highest point



**3.3km**  
Distance



**2/10**  
Difficulty



**Jun-Nov**  
Best season

The first snows of winter transform Sapporo's forested suburbs into ideal terrain for snowshoe hiking. Fujinofuji (藤野富士, 651m) is one of a number of small hills in the south of the city that provide a short day out for those needing an early or quick fix of winter action. Round the back of the hill towards the south it feels surprisingly wild under winter conditions with views on a clear day all the way to the mountains around Lake Shikotsu.

## LOCATION

Fujinofuji is located in Sapporo City in the southern suburb of Fujino (藤野) that straddles Route 230 as it turns west towards Jozankei (定山溪).

## GENERAL NOTES

This route guide is for a winter ascent, but in fact this hike can be done all year round as there is a signed summer trail. This route follows the trail which is still relatively easy to make out even under the snow, but in good snow conditions you can take a more direct line up and



down the hill. Early in the winter the snow may not be deep enough to require snowshoes.

The trailhead is at a large cemetery, and although it has been virtually deserted on our visits please act respectfully. It usually opens at 6.30am and closes at 4.00pm. If the management office with its friendly staff is open there is a log book in which you can enter your details before climbing.

## ROUTE NOTES

At a leisurely pace, snowshoers can complete this full route in about 3 hours. The route follows the summer trail, so though it is covered in snow there are occasional signs and marker tape on trees. After entering the imposing cemetery go past the management office straight up the hill and make your way to the highest part of the grounds at about 380m elevation, here. The trail starts beyond the perimeter fence in the top corner though it is possible to enter the trees at other points in this area. Either way, after a few hundred meters you should reach a cleared track and head left on a fairly level trail that contours around the mountain. There are occasional signs indicating a hiking trail and after twenty minutes to half an hour the trail branches off up the hillside to the right more steeply. Climb up a final steep pitch to reach an open shoulder at 610m elevation in 45 minutes. In heavy snow conditions this section can be laborious and there may be a small cornice. From here it is a few hundred metres more along the ridge to the summit clearing and marker. Unfortunately there are no views here due to the trees. Return the same way or if confident about your

navigation skills take a direct line back down the steep and thickly forested northern slopes of the hill to the cemetery.

## TRANSPORT

**By car:** From Route 230 turn left (south) in Fujino towards the Fujino Seizanen cemetery (藤野聖山園). Park next to the management office (管理事務所). The Japanese guidebook mentions that their permission is necessary. It has always been very quiet on our visits.

**Public transport:** From Sapporo Station or Makomanai subway station (真駒内駅) take a Jotetsu Bus (じょうてつバス) heading for Jozankei 定山溪 or Toyotaki 豊滝 and get off at the Fujino 3-jo 2-chome (藤野3条2丁目) bus stop, here. From here it's a 3.7 km walk to the Fujino Seizanen (藤野聖山園) cemetery so a taxi is probably advisable. Arrange a taxi for the return or be prepared to walk back down the road for a few km.

## SAFETY NOTES

Although this is a simple winter hike close to the city, it will require better equipment and navigational skills than a summer ramble, so make sure you have plenty of warm layers, food and a hot drink, and allow plenty of time. In full winter conditions snowshoes will be necessary.

## ONSEN NEARBY

If you have your own transport it is not too far to return to Route 230 and then head out of town for 10km or so to Koganeyu Onsen (小金湯温泉, 800yen). ■

## ONLINE ROUTE GUIDE

Please visit the full route guide for GPS file, interactive map, and extra safety notes: <https://hokw.jp/fnofuji>



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### STEP 1

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### STEP 2

Open the print window by clicking on File > Print (or hitting Ctrl + P on your keyboard).

### STEP 3

Make sure "Actual Size" is selected.

### STEP 4

For double-sided printing, select "Print on both sides of paper".

### STEP 5

For best results, select the highest quality print option available on your printer (settings will vary).

### STEP 6

You won't need this instructions page, so just select the pages that don't include this instruction sheet.

### STEP 7

Click "Print".

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The 1:25,000 scale used in the map is accurate if the PDF is printed without scaling (i.e., ACTUAL SIZE). Follow the instructions on this page to ensure an accurate rendering of the scale.



Figure 1. Ensure "Actual Size", and Pages 1-4 are selected (Windows).

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