

Attractions in Hartola

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1 Itä-Häme Museum and Koskipää Manor Koskipääntie 2, Hartola

This local heritage museum covers seven civil parishes and introduces visitors to local manor culture, a chimneyless hut and local agricultural heritage. In addition, there are rooms dedicated to the famous Finnish writers Maila Talvio, Mika Waltari and Uuno Kailas. In the summertime, various temporary exhibitions are arranged.

MORE INFORMATION: www.ihmuseo.fi

2 Maila Talvio Salon Koskipääntie 4, Hartola

Art exhibition arranged every summer in honour of the life and career of author Maila Talvio.

MORE INFORMATION: www.facebook.com/mailatalviosalonki

3 Hartola Church Keskustie 55, Hartola

A roadside church in the centre of Hartola, completed in 1913. The church is made from granite and represents a combination of romantic nationalism, gothic revival and art nouveau architecture.

MORE INFORMATION: www.hartolanseurakunta.fi

4 Taitajien Tupa Keskustie 59, Hartola

The arts and crafts centre run by the local association Itä-Hämeen Taitajat sells crafting supplies, souvenirs and warps and offers advice and courses.

MORE INFORMATION: www.facebook.com/taitajientupa

5 Harju Heritage Landscape Farm Vuorenkyläntie 2249, Putkijärvi

The Harju Farm features a heritage landscape that has been elected the Finnish Heritage Landscape of the Year. Farm animals have been grazing the farm's pastures for hundreds of years and, therefore, the flora of the pastures has become very diverse. Guided farm tours are arranged.

MORE INFORMATION: www.mattlar.fi/harju

6 Eko Manor Kaikulantie 90, Hartola

The oldest buildings in this peaceful area surrounded by forest and river landscapes date back to the 18th century. The cozy Hotel Linna and 18-hole Hartola golf course are also in the area, and the Kuninkaanpolku Trail (see page 11) passes it.

MORE INFORMATION: www.ihop.fi, www.linnahotelli.fi and www.hartolagolf.fi

7 Purnu Ski Tohtaantie 68, Putkijärvi

A ski resort for the entire family. Varied, well-maintained slopes with an elevation of 100 m. This nice ski resort is located in the middle of peaceful countryside.

MORE INFORMATION: www.purnu.com

8 Marin Tarhat / Viidakon Mari garden farm Juvanharjuntie 355, Pohela

Small groups can reserve a visit to this organic farm. Fresh produce sold directly from the farm.

MORE INFORMATION: www.viidakonmari.fi

9 Tainionvirta recreational fishing area

Tainionvirta in Hartola is one of the most popular rapids fishing destinations in Southern Finland. The bright-watered river offers a magnificent setting for fly and spinning fishing. The water is so bright that you can see trout swimming in it from the bridges crossing the river. A separate fishing permit is required for this area. The river is also an excellent canoeing destination (see p. 16).

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