

Attractions in Heinola

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1 Heinola Bird Sanctuary A. F. Airon katu 3, Heinola

Here, you can see different birds, from familiar birds common in Finland to tropical species. The Sanctuary is open all year round free of charge. The idea behind the Heinola Bird Sanctuary is to take care of injured wild birds and return them back to the wild.

MORE INFORMATION: www.heinolanlintutarha.fi

2 National Urban Park

Heinola National Urban Park features picturesque landscapes, diverse nature and significant objects of cultural history, all within an easy reach. See page 20 for a more detailed description.

MORE INFORMATION: www.heinola.fi/kansallinen-kaupunkipuisto

3 Lakeside park and harbour

The Lakeside park (Rantapuisto) next to the Heinola harbour represents this town at its most beautiful. The park area reminds us of the early 1900s and includes many rare plants, as well as Finland's biggest trees, black poplars with a circumference of nearly 9 metres. The comfortably lit park is welcoming even on dark autumn nights. There are the RantaCasino restaurant and summer café Tyrpuuri close to the lake.

MORE INFORMATION: www.heinola.fi/puistot-ja-viheralueet

4 Beach and water slide

Maaherrankatu 1, Heinola

An oasis in the heart of the town and a great place to enjoy a beach day: the 60-metre water slide, volleyball field, diving platforms, comfortable lawn and a kiosk selling refreshments guarantee a pleasant visit. In the winter, the beach serves winter swimmers.

MORE INFORMATION: www.heinola.fi/ulkoliikuntapaikat

5 Maaherranpuisto park

Maaherrankatu 9, Heinola

Between Maaherrankatu and Kymenkartanonkatu there is a unique, boulevard-like urban park in the 18th century spirit. Maaherranpuisto also has a playground, and exercise equipment.

MORE INFORMATION: www.heinola.fi/maaherranpuisto

6 Dorkin puisto park Ratakatu 20, Heinola

A park area featuring art made entirely from recycled materials.

7 Tourist information

Vanhatie 34, Heinola kk

The village living room comprises a souvenir shop, coffee shop, tourist information, art exhibition and flea market.

MORE INFORMATION: www.kylapirtti.fi

8 Heinola Local Museum

Kauppakatu 14, Heinola

Heinola Local Museum features the multi-faceted history of the town, as well as temporary exhibitions. The museum is in a house built for merchant U. Lindholm in 1872, representing the late Empire style of design.

MORE INFORMATION: www.heinola.fi/heinolan-kaupunginmuseo

9 Heinola Art Museum Kauppakatu 4, Heinola

The art museum has different temporary exhibitions throughout the year. It is located in a house built in 1830 for merchant Alexander Toropoff. This beautiful Empire-style building decorated with rose and bayleaf ornaments has a rich history itself.

MORE INFORMATION: www.heinola.fi/heinolan-taidemuseo

10 Aschan's House Kauppakatu 3, Heinola

This kind of a house was very rare in inland Finland in the 18th century. Visitors can also see the lovely garden designed in the 18th century style including typical utility and decorative plants of that era.

MORE INFORMATION: www.heinola.fi/laaninkivalteri-aschanin-talo

11 Heinola Church and Belltower

Siltakatu 18, Heinola

The wooden Heinola Church stands on a small hill in the centre of the town. The octagonal church building was completed in 1811. The classicistic bell tower next to the church was designed by architect Carl Ludvig Engel and completed in 1842.

MORE INFORMATION: www.heinolanseurakunta.fi

12 Heinola Parochial Church Kirkkotie 1, Heinola

The oldest church in Heinola, the Parochial Church, which represents typical eastern Finnish church architecture, was completed in 1755. The separate bell tower was built in 1834 and designed by Carl Ludvig Engel

MORE INFORMATION: www.heinolanseurakunta.fi

13 Heinola Summer Theatre Kauppakatu 4, Heinola

Located in the lakeside park Rantapuisto right next to the harbour, the Heinola Summer Theatre is very popular.

MORE INFORMATION: www.heinola.net

14 Heila local food market Työmiehentie 35, Heinola

The Heila market offers a wide range of high-quality, pure and clean produce from local small producers.

MORE INFORMATION: www.heilan.fi

