

The Brunstorp path

elcome to this path that takes you to marvelous views over Lake Vättern. Parts of the path are tough and to reach the peak you have to climb some 100 meters of altitude. But you also receive magnificent views beneath the mountain. If you follow the yellow marks, about 3,8 km around, you will pass several sights.

Brunstorpsberget, mountain, is one of the highest points along Vättern. Alternative peaks are Grännaberget, Vista kulle and the mountain with IKHP-stugan, cottage. Brunstorps gård and Brunstorpsleden are parts of Biosfärområdet Östra Vätterbranterna, the East Vättern Scarp Landscape Biosphere Reserve. A bicycle excursion trail Vätterbrantsleden takes you further into the Biosphere Reserve.

Nature reserve

Brunstorps gård and Brunstorpsleden are parts of the Nature

reserve Huskvarnabergen. Nature reserves are the most common form of protected natural areas in Sweden. Reserves can be created to conserve biodiversity, for maintaining and preserving valuable natural environments or to meet the need of areas for outdoor recreation.

How to get here: The path begins and ends at Brunstorps gård.

By bicycle or walking: follow the cycle path between Huskvarna and Kaxholmen and you arrive to Brunstorps gård.

By car: from E4 drive towards Kaxholmen, after 900 meter you find Brunstorps gård at the right side.

By bus to the stop Brunstorps gård.

Find out more

Useful website for planning your trip:

- **JÖNKÖPINGS MUNICIPALITY** jonkoping.se search: friluftsliv
- JÖNKÖPINGS PUBLIC TRANSPORT jlt.se
- COUNTY ADMINISTRATION lansstyrelsen.se/jonkoping
- VÄTTERBRANTERNA ostravatterbranterna.se



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Allemansrätten

The Right of Public Access has been enshrined in Sweden's constitution since 1994. It is best summed up by the phrase "Don't disturb – don't destroy".

The Right of Public Access allows you to walk and cycle almost everywhere. You can camp for a night, and pick flowers, berries and mushrooms. You can light a small fire if you are careful. The best place to light a fire is in a designated place for barbecues. A ban on fires may be introduced in very dry conditions.

The Right of Public Access offers great freedom but this must not be to the detriment of others – everyone must show sound judgement, take responsibility for animals and nature, and show consideration for landowners and people who live in the countryside. You can find out more about the Right of Public Access at jonkoping.se.



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in Jönköping municipality.

Things to see along the trail

O Brunstorps gård, originally a farm, is optimal for cultivating. It has also been a strategic place at wartimes in the 1300s and the 1500s when Sweden and Denmark were fighting to set the border between the countries.

2 The herbs- and fruit garden. Today Brunstorp is a favorite destination for gardeners. Brunstorp hosts old fruit species from Småland and is part of the Swedish national program of protection for genetic bank of cultivated diversity.

⁽²⁾ Varpa skans, forecastle, belonged to the castle Rumlaborg built in the 1360s at the place of Huskvarna. Varpa skans was strategic as a narrow place at the main country road, also called Eriksgatan.

O Rastplats, halting place. Surrounded by bushes of hazel and under a broad leaf canopy you can enjoy a view of Lake Vättern. Outdoor benches and a table are facilities.

³ Brunstorpsberget, the mountain of Brunstorp, has a marvelous view over the landscape.

⁽³⁾ Talludden, the pine cape, also offers a great view. High above and far from the motor highway E4. Paraglider takeoff.

⁷ Ulvadalen, the wolf valley. The tale or fear of wilderness maybe has given the name. Today you can walk safely from wolf and bear through this narrow valley.

The East Vättern Scarp Landscape Biosphere Reserve Association

Biosfärområdet Östra Vätterbranterna, a non-profit association, was founded in 2012 on the initiative of the seven organisations which had participated in the East Vättern Scarp Landscape project.

Our mission is that the East Vättern Scarp Landscape Biosphere Reserve should strive to become a local and international model region for sustainable development, through for broad cooperation between different interest groups.

Our goal is that everyone who lives and works in the Vättern Scarp Landscape should have the opportunity to influence the area around them. The cooperation that takes place in the Vättern Scarp Landscape should fulfil a clear democratic function by encouraging and creating opportunities for people to take an active part in projects and management related to the landscape.

We are all part of the biosphere! For this reason, we cooperate in the Biosfärområde Östra Väterbranterna to preserve, develop and support the vitality, natural and cultural heritage, knowledge and practice of the local community – for us and for future generations!

