



# TANKAR • ARCHIPELAGO DESTINATIONS

## LÅNGSKÄRET • REPSKÄRET



### MAP 3

#### TANKAR NATURE TRAIL

*Accessible trail* – The first section of the nature trail leads along an accessible duckboard trail. The accessible trail reaches Tankar Church and Café Tankar.

Easy trail - The trail around the island follows a narrow but easy path. The nature trail starts at the guest marina.

Along the trail, visitors will see a lighthouse, bird observatory, birdwatching tower and boards with information about the island's nature. There is a campfire shelter, reservable hut and birdwatching tower in the area. Please remember to stay on the marked trail and note the nesting season of birds. Sheep are grazing along the trail, managing the landscape. Tankar is one of the highlight destinations in Kokkola.

#### LÅNGSKÄRET

Långskäret is a charming island in Kokkola archipelago. The landing site is located in a sheltered cove.

The island has a lean-to shelter, barbecue shelter, composting toilet and sauna. Långskäret lean-to shelter is located near the shore in the shade of the shoreline forest. Rocky pine forest predominates on the island, with steep cliffs on the eastern shore and an old spruce forest on the northern shore.

#### REPSKÄRET

This small island offers a barbecue shelter and toilet to visitors. The terrain of the island is mainly rocky. The entire island of Repskäret is part of Kokkola archipelago Natura 2000 site. The island is a highly valuable bird habitat, and visitors should keep this in mind. A lean-to shelter maintained by the Archipelago Council can be found on the western shore of the island near the landing site. Tankar and the other archipelago destinations are part of Kokkola National Urban Park.



- *When hiking, take note of the bird nesting season (from 15 April to 31 July).*
- *Please follow marked trails to avoid damaging the sensitive nature of this area.*
- *We follow the principles of litter-free hiking.*
- *The city does not provide firewood for the area, which is why hikers should bring their own firewood.*

### Access

#### Tankar

Kalastajarannapolku 1

The lighthouse island of Tankar is situated next to the open sea, about 15 kilometres northwest from the port of Kokkola. The island is accessed by water, and Tankar is served by a water bus in the summer months. See the Visit Kokkola website for its timetables. You must buy your tickets online before the crossing as there is no ticket sales in the port.

#### Öja Archipelago Trail

Öjantie 463.

Långö bathing area car park. There is an information board and a map at the trailhead.

#### Långskäret

The landing site on the island is located in a shallow, rocky bay on the western shore. Landing can be difficult in northerly winds.

#### Repskäret

Boats should be fastened to the cliff on the northern shore of the bay. Landing can be difficult when the wind is from the west or north.

### Maintenance

City of Kokkola  
Parks and sports venues  
Monday – Friday  
from 8:00 to 16:00  
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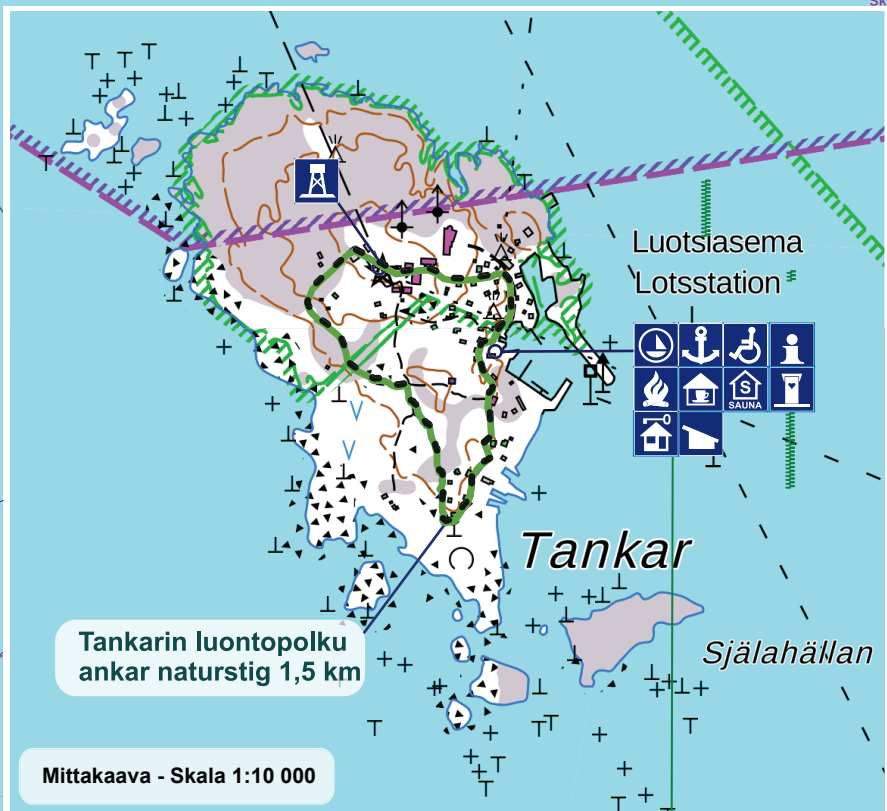
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Tankarin luontopolku Tankar naturstig 1,5 km

Tankar

Norra Hamnskäret

Östra Trutklampen

Remmargrundet

Långskäret

Repskäret

Märaskäret

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|--|----------------------------|--|------------------------|--|---------------------|--|----------------|
|  | Ski track                  |  | Information board      |  | Open wilderness hut |  | Sauna          |
|  | Nature trail               |  | Accessible destination |  | Hut                 |  | Reservable hut |
|  | Hiking trail               |  | Campfire site          |  | Lean-to shelter     |  | Café           |
|  | Natura 2000 site           |  | Outdoor toilet         |  | Guest marina        |  |                |
|  | Valuable bird nesting area |  | Birdwatching tower     |  | Boat launching ramp |  |                |