

FISHING RULES FOR THE KERMANKOSKI-VIHOVUONNE LICENCE AREA

Licence fees: - 24-hour licence €30 - One-week licence (7 days) €150 - Annual licence €250
 - Group licence €50/2 days per angler, with a minimum of 6 anglers - Rowing boat hire €10/24 hrs

Fishing area: River Saunavirta, Kermankoski Rapids, River Kermavirta and Vihovuonne Strait. **Fishing is prohibited on the Kissakoski and Haapakoski Rapids. Fishing from the bridges is also prohibited!**

Fishing is permitted between 1st December and 31st August, but **wading and the wearing of waders are strictly forbidden between 1st December and 31st May.**

The smallest permitted catch size is 60 cm for brown trout and landlocked salmon and 40 cm for grayling. All brown trout and landlocked salmon with their adipose fins intact are fully protected and must be released back into the water immediately, regardless of size!

Fishing is permitted with a lure or a fly. Only barbless hooks are allowed for fly-fishing. For lure-fishing, it is recommended to use only one treble hook or three single hooks to avoid damage to fish eyes, etc.

To prevent breaking fishing lines, the line diameter should be at least 0.25 mm.

Each angler may take one grayling and one adipose fin-clipped brown trout or landlocked salmon per 24-hour period.

It is prohibited to use an outboard motor or anchor the boat when lure-fishing in rapids areas.

All anglers are obliged to submit a catch report.

A breach of these fishing rules will constitute grounds to revoke the perpetrator's licence with immediate effect and to ban them from purchasing fishing licences on subsequent occasions.

We reserve the right to prohibit fishing on rapids if the water temperature in the rapids is 21 degrees Celsius or above.

Please do not cause any harm or disturbance to the environment, wildlife or other people. Please do not leave any litter behind.




IN CASE OF EMERGENCY, CALL 112

Licence sales:

Restaurant Kermankeidas, petrol station Neste Heinävesi, Kermankoski kiosk (summertime), Lake Kermajärvi Fisheries Region

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[MERKKIEN SELITYKSET – MAP SYMBOLS]

-  Closed area
-  Moving about prohibited
-  Boat launch site

[KARTAN TEKSTIT – MAP TEXTS]

Vihovuonne Canal
Licence area border
Vihovuonteenkoski Rapids
River Kermanvirta
Kermankoski Rapids
River Saunavirta
Haapakoski Rapids, closed area
Kissakoski Rapids