

Act like a real Finn: go rug washing on piers!

Finnish people have their original habits and oddities. They like hot saunas, have summer cottages far away from other people, and used to wash their rugs in rivers and on sea. Have an empirical experience on a pier with a brush, and wash a rag rug! The rug washing session includes brushes, environmentally friendly soaps, and thirty rugs to clean up. With an immemorial thrill, you will also have all used objects as a souvenir. You may also donate the cleaned rug for needy persons. The trip of 2 h provided in town Kotka in summer time.



Location: Kotka, South-East Finland	Duration: 2 h
Theme: Finnish culture, Experience	Availability: summer
Price: EUR 75 per person	Clothing: leisure time clothes
Pax: 5-9 persons	Booking: www.kotkaguides.fi , soksa8@gmail.com, Kotkan Matkailuoppaat ry, +358 40 586 6223

In summer time, Finnish women and men populate the banks of river Kymi in order to enjoy the sun after dark winter. By the Finnish nature, people relax by doing useful chore such as rug washing or worm-fishing. So experience Finnish traditional summer job: wash your own rug or have an every boy's summer hobby: fish with worm-fishing rod! The 2 hours' trip includes all the equipment and a possibility to help needy people donating the cleaned rug for the charity.

