

Lakselva Rotation Fly Fishing – Fishmaster/ Arctic Ilo

The private beats are located in Lakselva Zone 1: Skjørtenes Nord, Skjørtenes Sør, Niittykurru & Sammusari, Holmen and in Zone 2: Soldatholmen Öst, Soldatholmen Vest and in several weeks Gjökenes or Matarakenttä. The private beats are put into a fishing rotation with 2-3 rods per group. The groups rotate with beats 4 times in 24 hours. Rotation goes 9:00-14:00, 15:00-20:00, 21:00-02:00, 03:00-08:00. Borders of the beats are marked with "Private Fishing" signs provided by Lakselva. "Arctic Ilo, Private beat" signs are placed by the road to show where to drive.

Lakselva Zone 1 – Beats

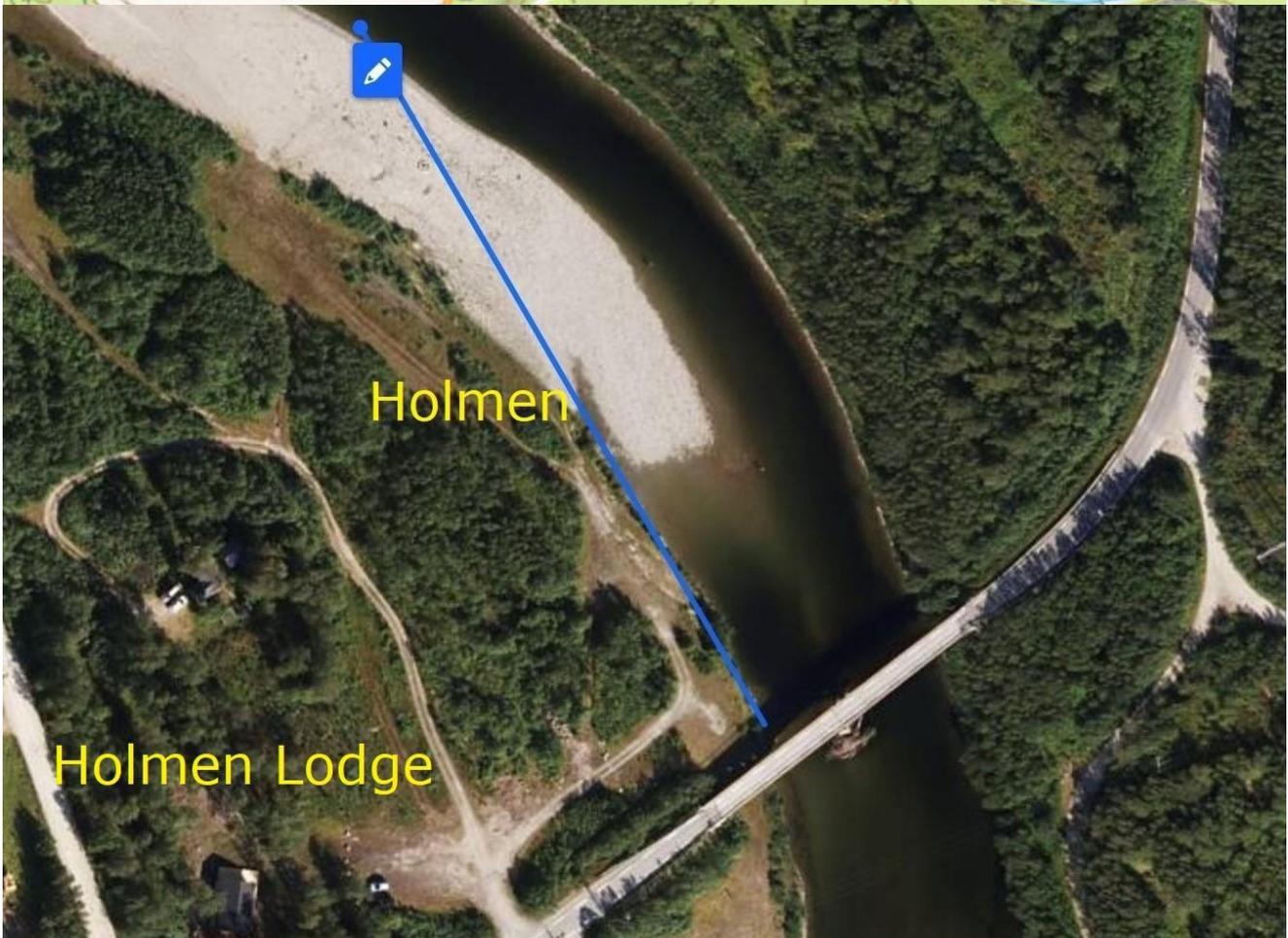
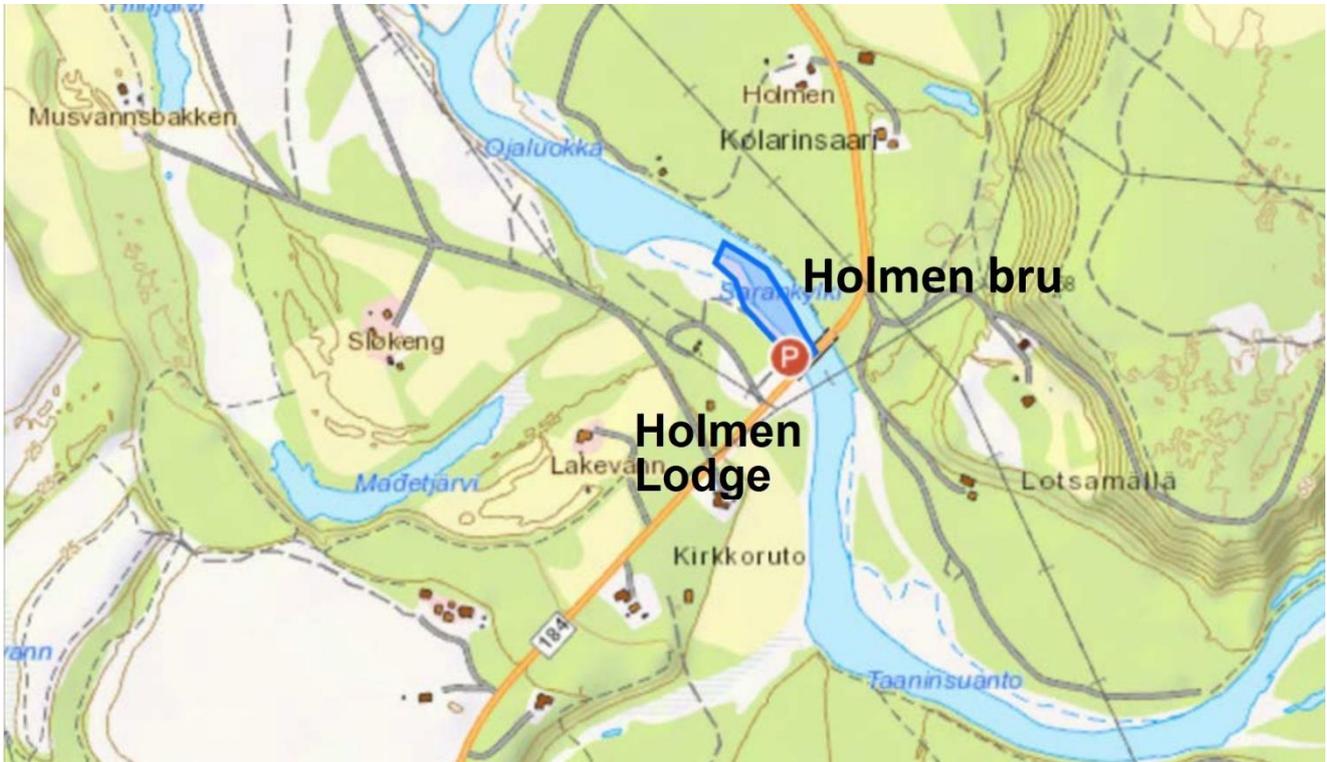
Skjørtenes Nord: Skjørtenes Nord beat is located in the middle part of the Zone 1 in Lakselva. West/Left bank beat is about 500 meters long. Skjørtenes Nord beat consists of deep slow pool in the beginning and after that a nice long inside curve. Running salmon like to stop here. Sarpolla Lodge is located about 1 km North from the Skjørtenes Nord beat. The address for the Sarpolla Lodge is: Sagveien 9, Lakselv 9700.

Skjørtenes Sør: Skjørtenes Sør beat is located in the middle part of the Zone 1 in Lakselva. West/Left bank beat is about 400 meters long. Skjørtenes Sør beat consists of the main pool of the Skjørtenes beat. Salmon like to stop in this beat even for longer periods. There is a fireplace by the beat. Skjørtenes Sør and Holmen beats are fished together as one double beat in our rotation fishing.

Niittykuru & Sammunsari: Niittykuru & Sammunsari beat is located in the middle part of the Zone 1 in Lakselva. West/Left bank is about 500 meters long. East/Right bank is about 700 meters long. Here we can fish both sides of the Lakselva River. Niittykuru is quite slow moving water and it suits well for fly fishing. Running salmon like to stop in this beat, which is easy to wade and cast. There is a fireplace by the beat. Sammunsari is the name of island located lower part of the beat. Lower part of the island is a famous spot that usually holds good number of salmon.

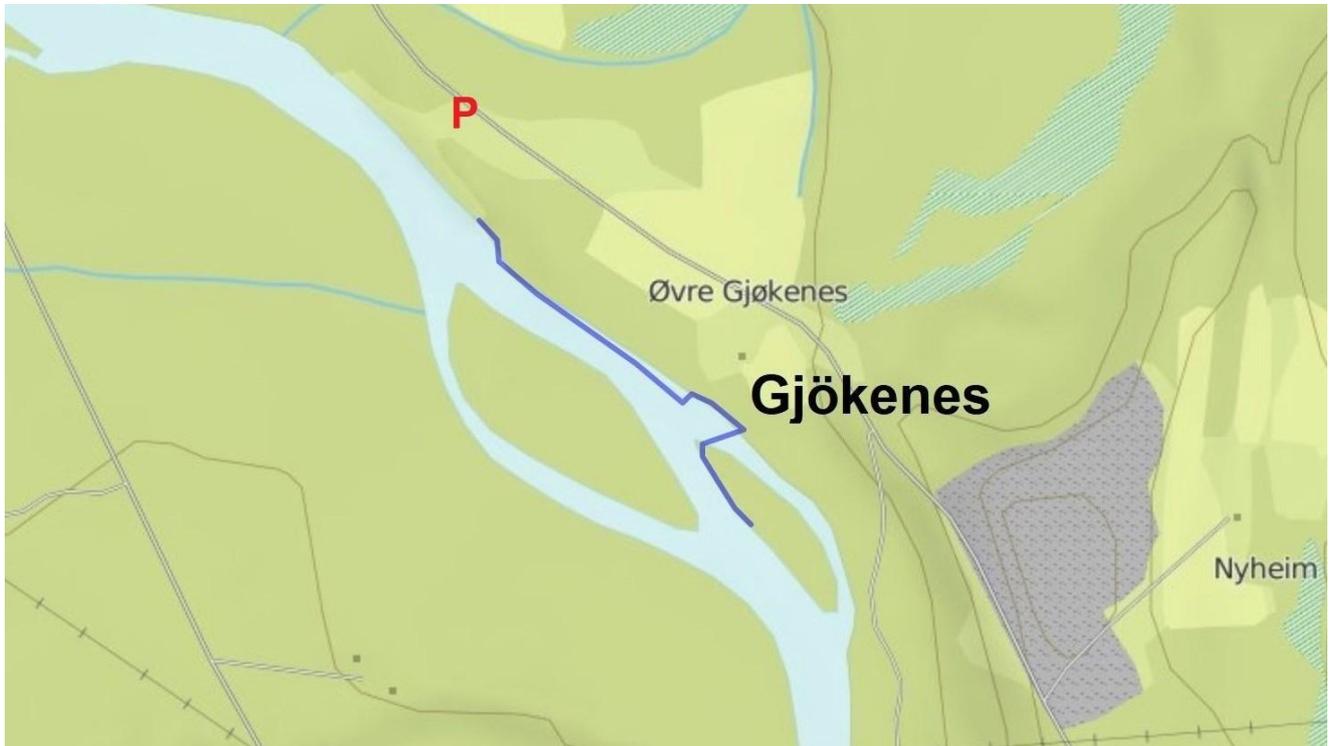


Holmen bru: Holmen bru beat is located in the upper part of the Zone 1 in Lakselva. The beat is West/Left bank and is about 200 meters long. The pool starts from the Holmen bridge and curves in to a deep and slow pool where big salmon often like to stop and show. Normally Holmen holds salmon all through the pool. Nice gravel bank is on our side of the river. Holmen bru and Skjørtenes Sør beats are fished together as one double beat in our rotation fishing. There is a fireplace by the beat. Parking is by the river, close to the bridge. Holmen Lodge is located right behind the Holmen beat about 100 meters from the river. The address for the Holmen Lodge is: Holmen Bru.



Lakselva Zone 2 - Beats

Gjøkenes: Gjøkenes beat is located in the middle part of the Zone 2 in Lakselva. Right bank beat is about 400 meters long. Gjøkenes beat has faster flowing water. There is a deep part in the middle all the way thru where salmon often tend to stay. There is a nice shelter with a fireplace. Parking is by the main road about 100 m from the river and about 100 meter downstream from the lower border of beat. Gjøkenes beat is available for the weeks 26, 27, 28, 33, 34, 35.



Matarakenttä: Matarakenttä beat is located in the middle part of the Zone 2 in Lakselva. West/Left bank beat is about 400 meters long. Matarakenttä has more calm water. Salmon tend to stay all the way, but a hot spot of the beat is above the island. There is a nice shelter with a fireplace. Parking is at the end of small road by the Lakselva river, close to the upper border of beat. Matarakenttä beat is available for the weeks 29, 32.



Soldatholmen Øst: Soldatholmen Øst beat is located in the upper part of the Zone 2 in Lakselva. East bank of the island, length of the beat is about 800 meters. Soldatholmen is a large island that divides the Lakselva River in two streams. The River can be fished from both sides of the island. Soldatholmen Øst beat consists of fishing from the East side of the island. There is a small bridge from Stuenes Lodge to the Soldatholmen island. Parking is by the Stuenes Lodge.

Soldatholmen Vest: Soldatholmen Vest beat is located in the upper part of the Zone 2 in Lakselva. West bank of the island, length of the beat is about 900 meters. Soldatholmen is a large island that divides the Lakselva River in two streams. The River can be fished from both sides of the island. Soldatholmen Vest beat consists of fishing from the West side of the island. There is a small bridge from Stuenes Lodge to the Soldatholmen island. Parking is by the Stuenes Lodge.

