



TOURIST GUIDE

KRISTINEHAMN

April 2023 - April 2024



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VÄRMLAND

**EXPERIENCE KRISTINEHAMN -
THE ADVENTURE CAN START!**

- THINGS TO DO • EXCURSIONS
- FOOD & WHERE TO STAY



Visit
Kristinehamn
visitkristinehamn.se

Kayaking along Vålösundet.

ART & HISTORY

Welcome to the museums in Kristinehamn

English tours can
be pre-booked.

Kristinehamns
konstmuseum

Summer exhibition:
Marimekko - Modern design
May 13th - September 10th, 2023

Avant:
Light artist **Anthony McCall**
September 22 – 23, 2023

Autumn exhibition:
Harry Moberg – painter, sculptor,
and graphic artist - retrospective
October 7th, 2023 – January 28th, 2024

Permanent exhibition in the nearby
building Kvadraten.
Selected art from the collections.
Open all year.



Kristinehamns konstmuseum
Dr Enwalls väg 13 C
681 84 Kristinehamn
0550-882 00

KRISTINEHAMNS
HISTORISKA

Exhibition for children:
LasseMaja & the Circus mystery

Photographic exhibition:
Summer has no walls
Until April 21st, 2023

The School Picture exhibition
(by school children)
May 3rd - May 31st, 2023

Exhibition for children –
mini format: **Lilla Alfons**
June 13th - August 26th, 2023



Kristinehamns Historiska museum
Södra Hamngatan 1A
681 31 Kristinehamn
0550-885 70

Summer exhibition:
Clothes tell a story
June 17th - August 26th, 2023

Exhibition for children:
Dino Deluxe
September 2nd -
November 5th, 2023

**Peepshow and miniatures by Berith
Bergström from Eastern Värmland**
November 18th 2023 - April 27th, 2024

Permanent exhibition:
The Iron built the city
About the history of Kristinehamn.
Open all year. Ask for a tour in English.

WHAT DO YOU WANT TO DO TODAY?

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- P. 9. Art Museum
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- P. 12. Hiking
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Tourist Office

Södra Torget 3, 681 84 Kristinehamn
0550-88187. turist@kristinehamn.se
visitkristinehamn.se
Information, gift shop, tickets.



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All facts are provided by the Association for Building Perseverance.

SVEAMAGASINET

1 Hovslagareg 1. Built 1893
The house is built according to the fashion of that period. The building codes had just been changed, allowing buildings to cut corners. Today a real estate agent and apartments.

KAVALJEREN

2 Västerlångg 20. Built 1904
This building once housed a restaurant widely known for its exquisite wooden panels designed by artist Eric Rafael Rådberg (see p 7 & 9). Privately owned.

NORDENFELDTSKA

3 N Hamng 8. Built 1771
The original building was a wooden house built by Charles IX before he became king of Sweden in 1604. The current stone house was constructed by Regina Nordenfeldt (see p 8 City Walks) and was the first stone house in the city. Privately owned.

RÅDHUSET

4 Kungsg 25. Built 1805
The Town hall burnt down in 1777 and the new one was built in stone on this site. King Gustaf IV Adolf approved and signed the drawings. Isak Rosén built it. Today this is a temporary office for the new Artillery Regiment A9.

MORABYRÅN

5 Kungsg 32. Built 1895
Originally the office of the railway company Mora-Venerns & Östra Värmlands järnvägar. (one of Sweden's first railway tracks was built there). The inside has a beautiful glass ceiling and many decorations. Today the Swedish Municipal Workers' Union.

TINGSHUSET

6 Kungsgatan 19. Built 1883
Originally the courthouse for regions Ölme, Visnum, and Våse. The painting inside has the device of king Charles XV "Land skall med lag byggas" (Countries are built by law). Privately owned.

GAMLA SPARBANKEN

7 Kungsg 21. Built 1893
A bank built the house and wanted it to be the pride of the city. Today there is a restaurant on the bottom floor and apartments in the rest of the building.

SOCKERSLOTTET

8 N. Staketg 8. Built 1892
Originally this was a church for the Baptist community. The building has been carefully renovated and is now a unique hotel.

WALLNERSKA VILLAN

9 Prästg 28. Built 1893
Jacques Julius Wallner was fascinated by the Swedish pavilion at the World Fair in Paris in 1889. So much so that he decided to rebuild his own home in Kristinehamn to become a copy of the pavilion. Privately owned.

FRÄLSNINGSARMÉN

10 Spelmangsg 23. Built 1896
The Salvation Army building was destroyed in the fire of 1893. The new building was constructed according to the building style that the Salvation Army used in England – a Scottish style inspired by the Middle Ages. This is still owned by the Salvation Army, café.

DISCOVER KRISTINEHAMN ON YOUR OWN

Discover the history of the city on your own, either with the help of information signs, a quest, or by a folder or tips from the staff at the Tourist Office. You can also join a guided tour, see page 8.

TAG YOUR
PHOTOS

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14th century

The place called Bro was a meeting point between Sweden/ Norway.

1570´s

Charles IX constructed his ironworks in Bro.

1642

Queen Kristina gives Bro its town privileges and the name Kristinehamn.

1730-1850

The price of iron is set once a year in Kristinehamn, with a huge economic impact in the world.

1850

One of the first railway tracks in Sweden is built between Sjöändan and Kr-hamn.



23 THE OLD TOWN
City Walk on your own with the help of a folder provided by the Tourist Office. Start: Tourist Office, Södra Torget 3.

23 QUEST
Explore life in Kristinehamn during the first



half of the 19th century by taking a walk and answering questions found on signs located around the city centre. During this period Kristinehamn was a busy Iron City and played an important part in world economics. Scan the QR code and answer the questions.

11 TRÄDGÅRDSGATAN
Wooden houses from the late 18th century.

12 KRUKMAKERI HEMJORD
Gamla Kyrkogatan 15
The house was built in 1893 – after a fire on Kungsgatan. Today this is a shop, café, and pottery.

13 DAPHNE
Rådhusparken, Kungsgatan 25
Sculpture made by Eric Rafael Rådberg

14 VÄGBRON
Bridge between Västerlånggatan 20-22
The bridge is from 1875 but there has been a bridge of some kind here since around the 16th century.

15 JÄRNVÄGEN
Vågparken
Old, renovated Iron Scales. The iron was weighed and then stored on the waiting boats ready

to sail across lake Vänern.

16 GALEASEN MATHILDA
Vågparken
A miniature of the first ship owned by Axel Broström (bought in 1865). He started the huge shipping company called Broströmskoncernen which in 1965 owned 1/3 of the Swedish merchant fleet.

17 MASTMAGASINET
Södra Hamngatan 5
A copy of the former building for restoration of the ship's masts. Today it is a restaurant with an outdoor patio.

18 LEV VACKERT
The oldest wooden building in the city is from the 17th century and was moved here from one of the nearby islands. Today an interior design shop.

19 KVARTERET VÅGEN
Södra Hamng, Hovslagaregatan
The area around Södra Hamngatan and Hovslagaregatan is

called Kvarteret Vågen and used to be important for merchants and shipping.

20 KRISTINEHAMNS HISTORISKA

Södra Hamngatan 1A
The old stable building now houses a museum about the history of the city. Ask the staff for information in English.

21 RETROVÅGEN
Hovslagaregatan 2A
Red barn from the 19th century. Now, this is a shop with retro products and local and Swedish delicacies.

22 WAHLUNDSGÅRDEN
Västerlånggatan 22
This manor building is from the early 19th century. Today this is the Picture Archive which has over 500 000 photographs from Kristinehamn.

23 SÖDRA TORGET
The south and north square have played a central part in city life since the 17th century. Markets are still held here.

24 STADSHOTELLET
Kungsgatan 27
The hotel was built in 1878 and the architect was the well-known Axel Kumlien (who also designed famous buildings in Stockholm). The hotel has a beautiful banquet hall.

25 KRISTINEHAMNS KYRKA
Södra Kyrkogatan 3
The church opened in 1858 and has a small museum. Ask for English information.

* Open certain days only, please check in advance.
FB = facebook
IG = instagram



CITY WALKS

Konsult Christina Skan *
Join Regina Nordenfeldt and learn about life in Kristinehamn in the 18th century.
Information and booking:
konsultchristinaskan.se or Tourist Office. +46 708 15 99 62 **FB/IG**



CRAFT BREWERY

Wermlands Brygghus
Visit the brewery and try all types of beer in the pub. No food.
Information and booking:
wermlandsbrygghus.se or Tourist Office. Dalavägen 23 wermlandsbrygghus.se **FB/IG**



FOLK MUSEUM

Kristinehamns hembygdsgård
Wooden houses from the 18th and 19th centuries. The premises are open to the public. A tour of the interior can be booked. Café.
Karlagatan 3. +46 550 825 23



HISTORY MUSEUM

Kristinehamns historiska
Museum about the history of the city. Also temporary exhibitions. See the piggy bank where money for the sailors was collected, p. 7.
Södra Hamngatan 1A. +46 550 885 70
kristinehamn.se **FB**



FOUNTAIN

The Carl Nesjar fountain
Carl Nesjar designed this fountain which changes form and shape depending on the time of year. Carl Nesjar was a well-known Norwegian artist who also built the Picasso sculpture in Kristinehamn 1965, on commission by Pablo Picasso.

RUNESTONE

Järsberg
The runestone is dated back to the 6th century and is quite mysterious since the inscriptions are hard to decipher.

The Picasso sculpture. Photo John Persson

ART MUSEUM

Kristinehamns konstmuseum
Art Museum. Mainly contemporary art and design.

Dr Enwalls väg 13. +46 550 882 00
kristinehamn.se **FB/IG**



GERANIUM MUSEUM

Niklasdam Pelargonmuseum *
Geranium museum with around 400 different geraniums. Closes for the season: July 16th, 2023.
Niklasdamm. +46 706 07 70 63
niklasdam.se **FB/IG**



MUSEUM AND CRAFTS

Ölmeljus diversehandel *
Reconstructed store from early 20th century. Also, a shop with homemade candles, local craft and food.
Vänersviksvägen 1
+46 703 39 98 94 **FB/IG**



MUSEUM

Österviks kapell *
The Gothic chapel from 1872, park and sculptural museum (Eric Rafael Rådberg, p. 7, 9) is open in summer.
Östervik. +46 708 80 16 13
osterviks-kapell.se



SCULPTURE

Picassoskulpturen
Around the Picasso Sculpture there's an area with cafés, restaurants, tour boats, beaches, playgrounds, and viewpoints. Popular all year round.
visitvarmland.com/kristinehamn/tips-och-guider/picassoskulpturen





BOAT ACCESSORIES

Elvina-Marin
Shop with boat accessories.
Marine fuel station.
Båtbyggarev 3. elvina-marin.se
+46 762 75 88 64 FB



BOOKS

Minervabokhandeln
Books, games, puzzles,
maps and arts and crafts.
Kungsgatan 37. +46 550 104 37
minervabokhandeln.se FB/IG



POTTERY & CRAFTS

Krukmakeri hemjord
Pottery and café. Crafts & interior design. Dogs allowed.
Gamla Kyrkogatan 16
+46 550 144 37 FB/IG



CRAFTS

Ölmeljus diversehandel *
Handmade candles, local crafts and a museum.
Vänersviksv 1. +46 703 39 98 94
olmeljus@gmail.com FB/IG



CRAFTS

Ölme Prästgård *
Hotel shop with local produce and crafts.
Ölme Prästgård 1
+46 550 333 33
olmeprestgard.se FB/IG



MOTOR HOMES

Husbilslandet
Sales of new and second-hand motor homes/caravans.
Workshop and repairs.
+46 550 293 85. Bäckhems gård

INTERIOR DESIGN

Lev Vackert
Well-known interior design shop.
Östra Lötgatan 5
+46 706 41 05 80 FB/IG



INTERIOR DESIGN

Shop at Picassos veranda*
Gifts, clothes, and interior design.
Vålösundsv 161. +46 722 40 64 35
Picassosveranda.se FB/IG



INTERIOR DESIGN

Roser & plåt
Gifts, flowers, and interior design.
Närkevägen 4
+46 735 43 42 77 FB



LOCALLY PRODUCED FOOD

Gårdsbutiken Karaby *
Farm shop with products from their own farm and the region of Värmland.
Karaby 1. +46 736 37 14 10
Karaby.se FB/IG



LOCALLY PRODUCED FOOD

Hygns Vilt *
Farm shop with local wild game meat, charcuteries, delicacies. [Hygns Vilt](http://hygnsvilt.se)
+46 551 420 42. hygnsvilt.se FB



LOCALLY PRODUCED FOOD

Retrovågen
Local and Swedish delicacies. Also, retro products, and loppis. Hovslagareg 2A
+46 702 19 92 71 FB/IG



LOPPIS & SECOND-HAND

Antikt och Diverse *
Second-hand store and loppis.
Karlskogavägen 16
+46 702 53 19 27



LOPPIS & SECOND-HAND

Djurskyddet *
A second-hand store operated by the Animal Care Centre. Södra Hamngatan 1B
+46 550 151 55 FB



LOPPIS & SECOND-HAND

Fyndboa
The largest second-hand store in Värmland. Open daily.
Bodalsv 5. +46 550 150 04 FB/IG



LOPPIS & SECOND-HAND

KFUM och Lions loppis *
Traditional second-hand store with good bargains.
N Staketg 18. e-clubhouse.org/LionsKristinehamn



LOPPIS & SECOND-HAND

Nancys Hobby-Loppis *
Products for reuse.
Vänersviksvägen 9
+46 707 48 11 68



LOPPIS & SECOND-HAND

Niklasdam loppis *
Flowerpots and crockery. Closes July 16th, 2023.
Niklasdamm. Niklasdam.se
+46 706 07 70 63 FB/IG



FOOD STORE

Panncentralen Italienskt
Shop with products used at the Italian restaurant.
Dr Enwalls väg 13E
+46 550 125 25 FB/IG



MARKET

Marknadsdag *
Food, delicacies and second-hand etc. **Open 10-15:**
29/4, 27/5, 1/7, 29/7, 26/8, 30/9, 1/10, 28/10, 25/11, 16/12.
2024: 24/2, 30/3, 27/4.
Södra Hamngatan 1A FB



FASHION

Jon & Jonna
Clothes store, all ages, male and female.
Kungsgatan 42
+46 550 173 30 FB/IG



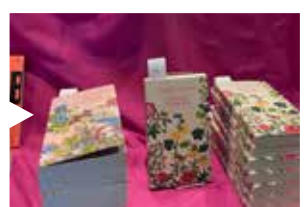
MUSEUM SHOP

Kristinehamns historiska
Giftshop.
Södra Hamng 1A. +46 550 885 70 kristinehamn.se FB



MUSEUM SHOP

Kristinehamns konstmuseum
Giftshop and art supplies.
Dr Enwalls v 13. +46 550 882 00
kristinehamn.se FB/IG



SECOND HAND

Röda korset secondhand *
Second-hand store operated by the Red Cross.
Spelmansgatan 47 +46 550 159 59 FB



HIKING

The area has many varied hiking trails. Choose between lake hikes, country hikes, or historic hikes.
A brochure with 20 hiking trails. *



BIKING

Choose to cruise slowly or speed down a forest track, both are available.
A biking brochure with mountain bike trails and Vänerleden *



LAKE VIEWS

Great spots for good lake views.

25 Excursions with a view of the L Vänern. All you need to bring is a picnic.



Spring excursions. Try the bike trail Vänerleden. The abundant flowering of anemones around Österviks kapell is well worth the ride. Another beautiful spot in Spring is the nature reserve at Kummelön. You can also rent a boat or kayak and look for birds. (Rental companies on p 14-15.)
Autumn excursion. Look for berries and chantarelles in the colourful autumn forests.

WANT TO GO FOR A SWIM?

Beaches, rocks, lake Vänern, swimming pool, winter dips or small forest lakes. Choose your favourite.



Families can have lots of fun. Pages 13-15 list things to do like driving a go-kart, bowling, riding a horse, and much more. You can also try writing your name in runic symbols or discover educational peepshows at the history museum, Kristinehamns Historiska, see p 8.



KIDS QUEST PIRATE ADVENTURE

Explore the area around the lake in this family challenge. The pirates have stolen the ship and the crew needs your help to get it back.

Digital quest. Vålösundsvägen 83

INDOOR FUN

Kristinehamn Arena

The arena has a public swimming pool, padel, a gym, and an inflatable playground.
+46 550 131 30. Arenavägen 3. Kristinehamnarena.se FB/IG



TROLLEY BIKE

Ride along the old railway lines through forests and along pastureland and lakes.
Konsterud. Book online or at the Tourist Office.





PUBLIC LIBRARY

Kristinehamns bibliotek

Borrow magazines, books, computer or tablets.

Tullportsgatan 13. +46 550 880 80 FB/IG

BOAT / BOWTER

Kristinehamns gästhamn Ekmans hotels

Electrical boat that you rent online.
Hamnvägen 9. +46 730 - 40 64 75
bowter.com



GOLF

Kristinehamns golfklubb

18-hole park- and woodland golf course. Also outdoor padel.

Ämbetsägorna. +46 550 823 10
kristinehamnsgk.se FB/IG



ICELANDIC HORSES

Ölme Islandshästar

Riding tours and private lessons on Icelandic horses. Preebook.

Ölme Berg. +46 706 44 64 74
olmeislandshastar.se FB/IG

MINI CITY FARM

Meet sheep, alpacas, and other farm animals at the animal farm.

Jump in the hay or have an ice cream in the café. Östervik
+46 550 881 25 FB/IG



ADVENTURE MINIATURE GOLF

Kristinehamns gästhamn

18-hole miniature golf course with a marine theme.

Hamnvägen 9. +46 730 - 40 64 75
kristinehamnsgasthamn.se FB/IG



BOWLING

Bowlingen

Bowling alleys, food, and drink in the city centre.

Kungsgatan 47
+46 550 77 96 00 FB/IG

BIKE

Stadshotellet

There are many biking trails in Kristinehamn. Rent a bike and enjoy, see brochure p. 12.

Kungsgatan 27, +46 550 122 00 FB



RIDE A GO-KART

Värmlands gokartcenter

Rent a go-kart and race with friends or family. Go-karts for children and double karts.

E18, Kroksvik. +46 705 90 50 64
varmlandsgokartcenter.se FB



KAYAK

Kayakomat

Rent your kayak online. The kayaks are picked up at a location along Vålösundet. Opens may 2023.

+46 737 77 32 95. Information and booking: kayakomat.se FB/IG

TROLLING FISHING

Hökens Trollingcharter

Trolling tours. Salmon, pike, trout, and pikeperch. Handicap accessible.

+46 706 61 13 88
trollingcharter.se



ADVENTURE GOLF

Skymningens mat & golf

12-hole miniature golf course with buildings from Kristinehamn as a theme.

Skymningsvägen 9. +46 700 91 58 15
skymningen@bowlingen.nu FB/IG



BIKE/ELECTRIC BIKE

Team Sportia Rent standard or electric bikes. Also bike gear and service. Wintertime Nordic Ice skates.

Albinvägen. 2. +46 550 107 01
kristinehamn@teamsportia.se FB/IG



MOTOR HOMES

Rent and Travel

Rental of motor homes. Dogs are allowed inside.
Bergholm. +46 550 341 90
Information and booking:
rentandtravel.se FB

CREATIVE ARTS

Skaparverkstaden Konstasken

Try different art materials and let your creativity flow. Primarily for kids. Kristinehamns konstmuseum
Dr Enwalls väg 13. +46 550 882 00
kristinehamn.se FB/IG



24 SEK WILL TAKE YOU TO A VÄNER ISLAND
Pack your picnic basket, the tent and start your summer adventure.

Three days a week (30 June to 27 August) Boat bus 96 will take you to the islands of Alvön or Långön, a trip of about an hour. The boat leave from Vålösundsbyggnan four times a day.

Stöten, Boat bus 97, go daily (25 June to 13 August) to Kristinehamn's largest island, Vålön. The boat ride takes about 10 minutes. Hike via bridges to the islands Kalvön and Sibberön. The boat leave from Vålösundsbyggnan once an hour. More trips go, when prebooked, according to the timetable. Stöten runs twice a day to Kalvön. In addition, Stöten, Båtbuss 97, runs the last two weekends in August.

| Alvön / Långön (Boat bus nr 96) Friday - Sunday June 30th - Aug 27th | | | | |
|---|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| * = Coordinated with the bus schedule. | | | | |
| Vålösundsbyggnan | 10:30* | 12:30* | 15:00 | 16:45 |
| Alvön | 11:15 | 13:15 | 15:45 | 17:30 |
| Långön | 11:30 | 13:30 | 16:00 | 17:45 |
| Vålösundsbyggnan | 12:15 | 14:15 | 16:45* | 18:30* |

ALVÖN *



One of the most beautiful of the rock islands with many smoothly moulded rocks facing west. A trail takes you from the boat stop to the west side. A shelter and organized barbeque sites make it excellent for a longer stay. This is the place to be if you want to see a sunset on the lake.

LÅNGÖN *



This island has plenty of rocks and you can easily find your own. Pitch your tent in a flat area or use the shelter if you want to stay the night.

GUEST HARBOURS

Kristinehamns gästhamn
Hamnvägen. 9. +46 730 - 40 64 75

Gattet restaurang & gästhamn
Vålösundsv. 117. gattet.se
Gattet will open in the summer of 2023.

Good to know when visiting the islands:
There are no shops or restaurants. Pack a picnic or buy something at the cafés and restaurants along Vålösundsvägen. See p 20-21.

KRISTINEHAMNS CITY CENTRE
SKYMNINGEN

VÅLÖSUNDS-BRYGGAN **P**

JUTVIKEN

SANDVIKARNA

KUNGENS RASTPLATS UTKIKSPLATS
Approx. 4,5 km from the Picaso sculpture

SIBBERÖN

ÖSTRA & VÄSTRA LAKHOLMSUDDARNA

ALVÖN

LÅNGÖN

VÅLÖN

DISCOVER ALL SEASONS!
There are lots of things to do along the coast even when the tour boats don't operate. Try Nordic ice skates, rent a kayak, go fishing, take a winter dip, search the sky for a white-tailed eagle or pick mushrooms.

Right of Public Access

Book Boatbus

| Vålön / Kalvön (Stöten, Boat bus 97) All days June 25th - Aug 13th + 18, 19, 20, 26 & 27 Aug | | | | | | | |
|---|--------|---------|---------|--------|--------|---------|---------|
| * = Coordinated with the bus schedule. ** = depart when pre-booked | | | | | | | |
| Morning | | | | | | | |
| Vålösundsbyggnan | 10:30* | 10:50** | 11:10** | 11:30* | 12:30* | 12:50** | 13:10** |
| Vålön | 10:40 | 11:00** | 11:20** | 11:40 | 12:40 | 13:00** | 13:20** |
| Kalvön | --- | --- | --- | 12:05 | --- | --- | --- |
| Vålösundsbyggnan | 10:50 | 11:10 | 11:30* | 12:30* | 12:50 | 13:10 | 13:30* |
| * = Coordinated with the bus schedule. ** = depart when pre-booked | | | | | | | |
| Afternoon | | | | | | | |
| Vålösundsbyggnan | 14:30* | 14:50** | 15:10** | 15:30* | 16:30* | 16:50** | 17:10** |
| Vålön | 14:40 | 15:00** | 15:20** | 15:40 | 16:40 | 17:00** | 17:20** |
| Kalvön | --- | --- | --- | 16:05 | --- | --- | --- |
| Vålösundsbyggnan | 14:50 | 15:10 | 15:30* | 16:30* | 16:50 | 17:10 | 17:30* |
| Departures marked in bold = mandatory tours. Times marked with ** (italic style) = depart when pre-booking. Do you wish to travel from Vålön with one of these departures? Book in advance, notify the captain upon departure or call well in advance. Phone 0705 - 53 37 31 | | | | | | | |

VÅLÖN



Take a break and explore the island. Search for beaches, blueberries, plants, or signs of animal life in the forest along the hiking trail that leads to Kalvön and Sibberön (4 km one way). The island is well worth a visit even on a cloudy day.

KALVÖN *



Kalvön is also connected to the next island called Sibberön. Kalvön is an ideal site to pitch a tent, please use designated areas.

SIBBERÖN *



A simple wooden cottage can be used to spend the night, but you cannot book it in advance. The views are breath-taking, especially from the southernmost points of the island. Look for the white-tailed eagle.



For kids

Dogs allowed
indors

Wheelchair ramp



Elevator



Restaurant

FB = facebook

IG = instagram

Close to Lake
Vänern

Group friendly

Bookable
online

Charging station

• WHERE TO STAY •

* Distans citycentre



Fyrhuset



7 km *

Stay in an old lighthouse 100 me-
ters from lake Vänern.
Fyrvägen 7. +46 722 40 64 35
picassosveranda.se

FB/IG



Hotell Bro



0 km *

New, centrally located hotel. Large
rooms, large, shared balcony.
Spelmansgatan 20. +46 550 173 40
hotellbro.se

FB/IG

Bo hos Nancy i Ölme



11 km *

B&B in an apartment.
In the countryside.
Vänerviksvägen 7. Ölme. FB
+46 707 48 11 68 post@nancyedlund.se



Herrgårdscampingen



2,5 km *

Spacious campsites and modern
cabins right on the shore of lake
Vänern. Suitable for families.
Presterudsallén 2 +46 550 102 80
Herrgardsliv.se

FB/IG



Britz Hostel



0 km *

Modern hostel with a central loca-
tion. Max 2 beds/room. N Staketg 19.
Opens summer 2023.
+46 550 74 07 52. britz@gfhem.se FB/IG



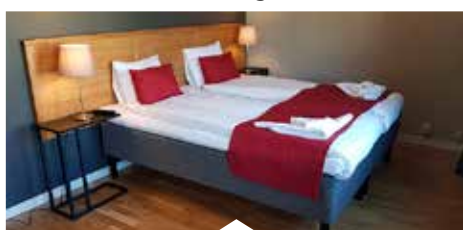
Hotell Marieberg



2 km *

Family friendly. Located just outsi-
de the city centre in a quiet area.
Mariebergsvägen 2. Hotellmarieberg.se
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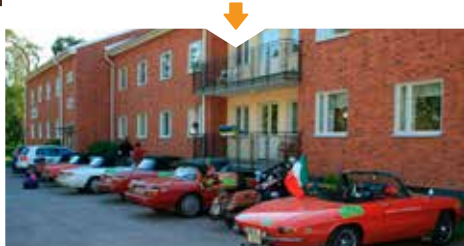


City Hotel



0 km *

City centre. Reception, service and
restaurant at Stadshotellet,
Kungsg 27. City hotel - Kungsgatan 44
+46 550 122 00



Hotell Svedjegården



25 km *

Hostel close to nature, south of
Kristinehamn.

Säbyallén 4. +46 739 48 51 25

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Karaby gård



3 km *

Stay on a farm. Suitable for fami-
lies. Guests can visit the animals.

Karaby Gård 1
Karaby.se +46 702 68 60 34

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Kristinehamns golfklubb



4,5 km *

Hostel and motor home parking
spaces close to the golf course.
Rent a room or a whole house.
Ämbetsägorna. +46 550 823 10
kristinehamnsgk.se

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Kr-hamns gh & ställplats



0,7 km *

Motor home parking spaces and
boat harbour in a central location.
Hamnvägen. 9. +46 730 - 40 64 75
kristinehamnsgasthamn.se

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Krongården



3 km *

Hostel close to a recreational areas.

Kasernvägen 7. +46 550 21 38 13
Krongarden.com

Park hotell



0 km *

Centrally located 1930's hotel.
Friendly service.
Floragatan 2 +46 550 150 60.
Park-hotell.nu

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Stadshotellet



0 km *

Hotel in a building from 1878.
Centrally located.

Stadshotellet -Kungsg 27, +46 550 122 00
Stattkristinehamn.se FB/IG



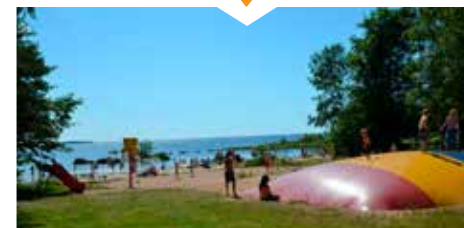
Revsands familjecamping



12 km *

A campsite suitable for families.
South of Kristinehamn on the sho-
re of lake Vänern. Sandy beach.
Revsandsv 12. +46 706 95 25 08,
+46 705 30 36 63

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Strandgården



4 km *

Family-owned B&B just outside of
Kristinehamn. Lake view.

Strandvägen 1D, +46 550 800 60
strangardenswardshus.se

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Sockerslottet Hotell



0 km *

Unique hotel in a carefully reno-
vated former Baptist church.

Norra Staketgatan 8. +46 550 105 50
Sockerslottet.com

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Ölme Prästgård

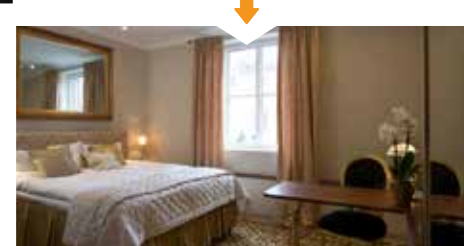


14 km *

Small hotel in a renovated building
from 1792. Restaurang and café.

Ölme Prästgård 1 +46 550 333 33
olmepratsgard.se

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Bakeri Höghuset



Café and bakery with an interior from 1950.
Västerlångg 40. +46 550 823 48
Bagerihoghuset.se FB/IG



Bio & Bistro



Movie and bistro. Eat while you watch a movie.
Västerlångg 21. +46 550 77 78
88 Kristinehamnsbio.se FB/IG



Bowlingen



Bowling, food, and drink in the city centre.
Kungsgatan 47 +46 550 77 96 00
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Brödernas



Freshly made hamburgers.
Albinvägen 2. +46 550 - 122 44
brodernas.nu FB/IG



Café Drevsta



Homemade buns, icecream, and lunch buffet.
Västgötag 43. +46 550 - 79 09 90
cafedrevsta.se FB/IG



Café Pärnan



Swedish fika and sandwiches with a view of the lake.
Vålösundsvägen 156 +46 550 879 20
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China Garden



Asian food, centrally located.
Kungsgatan 21 +46 550 168 22
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Gattet Restaurang



Soon the best water-side restaurant on the lake. Local produce. **Opens summer 2023.**
Vålösundsv 117. gattet.se



Gretas i Vintergatan



Café and lunch in the mall of Vintergatan. Catering.
N. Kyrkog 19. +46 703 37 75 54



Gårdsbutik Karaby



Summer café with home-baked bread and local produce. **Karaby gård.**
+46 702 68 60 34. karaby.se FB



Jacobs Pizzeria



Wood-fired pizza and à la carte.
Sannag 29. +46 550 - 177 30
FB



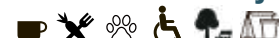
Kristinehamn Arena



Café and light lunches.
Arenavägen 3. +46 550 - 131 30
kristinehamnarena.se FB/IG



Krukmakeri hemjord



Café, pottery, and delicacies in a unique environment.
G:a Kyrkog 16, +46 550 - 144 37
krukmakerihemjord.se FB/IG



Mastmagasinet



Enjoy food and entertainment. Local produce.
Södra Hamng 5, +46 550 - 803 40
mastmagasinet.se FB/IG



Norrgårdens café



Café in the folk museum which has a surrounding park. **Karlag 3A; +46 550 825 23**



Oliveriet



Genuine Italian pizza, handmade pasta, and deli.
Kungsgatan 48, +46 550-50 15 00
oliveriet.se FB/IG



O'tortilla



Mexican wraps and salads in the city centre.
S. Torget 1. +46 550 21 71 81
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Panncentralen



Discover the Italian kitchen.
Dr Enwalls väg 13E +46 550 125 25
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Perrongen 222



Hamburgers and hotmat.se. Located at the train station.
Stationsg 2. +46 550 100 12. FB



Picassos Veranda



Bistro & café with a view of the lake.
Vålösundsv 161. +46 722 40 64 35
Picassosveranda.se FB/IG



Restaurang Axel



Modern food in a classic environment. **Stadshotellet, Kungsgatan 27, +46 550 122 00**
statstkristinehamn.se FB/IG

Retrovågen



Coffee and ice cream in a retro environment.
Hovslagaregatan 2A +46 702 19 92 71
FB/IG



Skymningens café



Homemade food and fika close to the lake.
Skymningsvägen 9 +46 00 91 58 15
FB/IG



Stadsbondgården



Café and ice cream at the animal farm.
Östervik +46 550 881 25
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Steakhouse 1895



Meat restaurant. Lunch and à la carte.
Kungsgatan 37. +46 550 101 06
steakhouse1895.com FB/IG



Thanh Thai Palace



Thai food, Mongolian barbecue, and lunch buffet.
Hamnvägen 7. +46 550 152 80
thanhthaipalace.se FB



Träslottet



Lunch, à la carte, pizza, catering and outdoor patio.
Tullportsg 11. +46 550 102 10
restaurangtraslottet.se FB/IG



Ölme Prästgård



A sustainable guesthouse. Local produce. **Ölme Prästgård 1. +46 550 333 33**
Olmeprastgard.se FB/IG



TRAVEL BY BUS



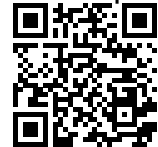
Sustainable travel

The map shows how you get to different sights with the bus:

- **Kristinehamns Konstmuseum** (p 9)
Bus 61, bus stop Art Museum.
- **Österviks kapell & the animal farm** (p 9, 15)
Bus 60, bus stop Mini City Farm.
- **Iron trail (Järnleden)** (p 12, 24)
Bus 400, bus stops Spjutbäcken, Hedbotten, Sjöändan & Södra Nässundet.
- **Folk museum** (p 8, 21)
Bus 64, bus stop Hembygdsgården
- **Picasso sculpture, Jacqueline's path** (p 9, 12)
Bus 65, bus stop Picasso sculpture.
- **Runestone** (p 9)
Bus 503 or 505, bus stop Järsberg
- **Vålösundsbron** the hub for boat traffic, see p 16-17. Bus 65, bus stop Vålösundsbron.

Use the bus to travel in a sustainable way. The map shows all the sites you can easily reach by bus. You can also travel to other cities in Värmland and the nearby region from the bus and train station in Kristinehamn.

Public transportation



USE THE BOAT

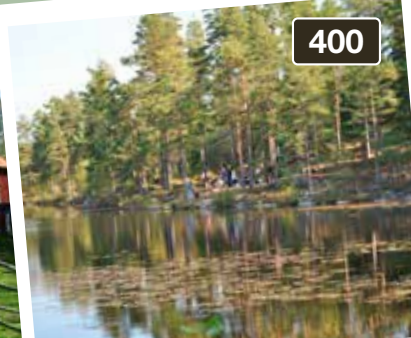
The tour boats on lake Vänern are also part of the public transportation system in Värmland. Timetables are on pages 16-17.



ÖSTERVIKS KAPELL



MINI CITY FARM



IRON TRAIL



ART MUSEUM



FOLK MUSEUM



RUNESTONE



JACQUELINES PATH



PICASSO SCULPTURE

Buy your ticket

- In the app called Värmlandstrafik (English available)
- On the bus with a credit card
- At the Tourist Office in Kristinehamn (sales start in summer 2023).

Stay another night MAKE AN EXCURSION

More details



Hike on the IRON TRAIL
Guide and locally produced picnic included.
Public bus to and from start and end. The hike is 13 km long and along the way, your guide will tell the story of the iron trade and how people lived here in the 18th and 19th centuries. You will also learn about birds, plants, animals seen or heard along the trail and the local produce in the picnic.

Dates: 6/5, 17/6, 12/8, 2/9
Duration: 10-16
Price: 695 kr
Book: ticketmaster.se or Tourist Office

TRAIN TRIP

Catch the train to Arvika (approx. 1 hour). Visit any or all; Rackstadsmuseet (art museum), Arvika Konsthantverk (crafts), Arvika Fordonsmuseum (vehicle museum), and the small-town centre with a city park.

When you're done take the train back to Kristinehamn.

Have a nice trip!

SUMMERTrip BY CAR

Drive to Bjurbäckens slussar (approx. 30 min) and have a Swedish fika at the old docks. Continue north to Filipstad (approx. 20 min) where you can visit the Wasa crispbread museum and shop. Continue to Grythyttan, the home of Swedish culinary arts and meal science (approx. 30 min). Eat lunch at any of the restaurants in the village. Don't miss the shop with homemade ice cream. Head south and drive to Karlskoga (approx. 40 min). Visit Björkborns herrgård, the home of world-renowned Alfred Nobel (founder of the Nobel Prize). Drive back to Kristinehamn (approx. 25 min).

More excursions;

Do you want to join a guided tour, see p 8. This Summer, join a themed boat trip on lake Vänern, more information see the QR-code. Globalrunners.se offer bike package tours around Lake Vänern. If you want more recommendations please don't hesitate to contact the Tourist Office, see p 3.

KRISTINEHAMN ARENA



AN ARENA FOR EVERYONE AND EVERYTHING

Are you longing for an active day? Then you should visit Kristinehamn Arena. We have public pools (both for swimming and playing), a diving tower, a water chute, saunas, a jacuzzi, and relax area. Our arena is 6000 m2 and during school vacations and summer, we turn it into an inflatable playground (Lek & Luft). If you get hungry, we have a café that serves coffee and light lunches. In the building next door, we have five padel tennis courts open daily from 05:30-24:00. Finally, we have a well-equipped gym where you can get instructions from a personal trainer and a broad offering of group training.

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KRISTINEHAMN

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Cabins & camping by lake Vänern



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