



Reine in Lofoten. Photo: Alex Conu

LOFOTEN

The most beautiful islands in the world

Voted by National Geographic as one of the most appealing destinations in the world, Lofoten is an Arctic island group that has been a cruise destination since 1889. There are two main ports, Leknes and Svolvær, only separated by 1-hour drive. This rare wilderness offers a landscape of majestic mountains, deep fjords, and beautiful beaches. Due to this diversity, Lofoten is perfect for nature-based activities. You find hiking at all levels, as well as kayaking, surfing or golfing. In the wintertime, you can experience the magical Aurora Borealis, go skiing or snowshoeing. Horseback riding under the Arctic light is a must. You will also encounter long rich fishing traditions, Viking history and a rich art and handcraft culture.

ATTRACTIONS/EXCURSIONS

Magic Ice in Svolvær is the world's first ice gallery and bar. Ice sculptures representing different aspects of Arctic life are dramatically lit and sound-tracked.

Lofotpils is Lofoten's first & only microbrewery. A guided tour takes visitors around the brewery where they will learn all about the beer making process, finishing with a beer tasting.

RIB-Lofoten can for example take you from Svolvær to the famous Trollfjord, the island of Skrova, Kabelvåg or maybe Henningsvær with guides who have local knowledge of our culture and history. From Leknes Port, they can take you to Ballstad, where the fishing industry is still of great importance for the people living there.

Brim Explorer provides ocean excursions without noise or pollution on board their silent hybrid-electric ship. This can be a very comfortable and enjoyable alternative when visiting Trollfjord, Skrova, Henningsvær or whatever suits your guests the best.

Skrova Cultural Walk enables you to discover the picturesque island of Skrova on a short walking trip, focusing on the island's culture and stories shared by the locals.

The SKREI Experience Centre is a complete experience for the whole family, located at Storvågan, Kabelvåg. The Lofoten Aquarium presents the northern Norwegian sea life. The Lofoten Museum tells the history of the Lofoten fisheries from the Middle Ages up until modern times, and Gallery Espolin shows paintings with captivating scenes from Lofoten.

Galleri Lofoten is located in the charming fishing village of Henningsvær and is described as Northern Norway's answer to the National Gallery. Norway's biggest collection of North Norwegian paintings from the period around the turn of the last century.

Lofoten Links at Hov offers a quality 18-hole championship golf course in a spectacular setting beside the sea, facing north and the Midnight Sun. Next to the golf course is **Hov Gård** which offers riding trips on Icelandic horses both summer and winter. Lunch available at **Låven Restaurant**.

Aalan Gård welcomes you to their farm and the authentic and natural Lofoten feeling with their cheese production, herb garden and farm shop. Home dining is also a popular experience here.



Lofotr Viking Museum. Photo: Kjell Ove Storvik

Meet the Vikings! The biggest house in the world of the Vikings was found in Lofoten and reconstructed in full size. At Lofotr Viking Museum at Borg you can travel 1,000 years back in time and see the Vikings demonstrating handcrafts, and study art and crafts. Film and exhibition hails with unique artefacts. Viking-style food and drinks.

Vestvågøy Museum is located in the old schoolhouse and displays items from many areas of daily life in Lofoten's past. There is also a fisherman's cabin on the grounds.

Lofoten Gaver & Brukskunst offers the widest selection of souvenirs and gifts in Leknes, ranging from traditional souvenirs to locally produced marmalade and knitted products. The shop accepts foreign currency and all major credit cards. The store is a Global Blue retailer, which offers tax free shopping.



Horse riding at Hov. Photo: Kristin Folsland Olsen

Lofoten Seafood Centre offers a variety of experiences; get acquainted with a salmon farm, visit our Stockfish house with thousands of stockfish and learn about the world greatest cod fisheries. Enjoy the sea view from our restaurant while experiencing the delicious taste of our locally produced seafood prepared by our Chef.

Flakstad Church is the second oldest church in Lofoten. This picturesque red church with its distinctive onion dome is set idyllically by the sea.

The Blacksmith in Sund is famous for his sculptures of cormorants, as well as a fishing boat engine museum.

Norwegian Fishing Village Museum at Å boasts the oldest working cod liver oil refinery in the world. The historic buildings house displays focused on Lofoten's fishing history.



On the way to Trollfjord - Brim Explorer, Destination Lofoten

At Glasshytta, Vikten, you will find magnificent scenery - but also glassblowers. The guests can bring home beautiful local artefacts from the place in Norway where glassblowing started.

Lofoten Cuisine is famous for its award-winning lamb, the Barents cod (skrei) and a wide variety of excellent seafood available all year round. Many of the local restaurants specialize in cuisine based on produce sourced locally and from the Arctic region in general.

PORT OF LEKNES (L) AND SVOLVÆR (S) IN LOFOTEN

Position L: N68°12,7 E13°34 / S: N68°13,29 E14°33,93
 Visiting address: L: Leknes havn, NO-8370 Leknes / S: Fiskergata 23, NO-8300 Svolvær
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 Phone L: +47 416 55 920 / S: +47 76067990/ 91661990
 VHF L & S: 12/16
 Berths for cruise L: 1 quay and 1 tenderdock / S: 2
 Distance to town centre L: 3 km / S: 0.2 km/ 1 km

DOCKING INFORMATION

Landing largest ship L: at quay max 230m, at anchor N/L / S: West 214 m , East 140 m, at anchor N/L
 Air draft L and S: N/L
 Tidal movement L: 2-2.2 m / S: 1.86 m
 Terminal contact L: Kjell Jakobsen, Harbour master, +47 416 55 920, Kjell.jakobsen@vestvagoy.kommune.no / S: Ole Osland, Harbour Master. +47 91661990. ole.osland@vagan.kommune.no

TERMINAL FACILITIES

Restrooms
 Wi-Fi
 Taxi
 Shuttle bus
 Distance to airport: L: 4 km / S: West 6.4 km, East 6 km



Quay	Water depth	Length	Height	Fenders	Grey Water	Max Ship size
Leknes	Min. 7.5-14 m	190 m	3 m	Dumper tyres	Yes	230 m
Dampskipskai (Svolvær)	5.5 m	214 m	3 m	Dumper tyres	Yes	140 m
Osan industrikkai (Svolvær)	9 m	124 m	3 m	Dumper tyres	Yes	200 m

TRANSIT AND T/A EQUIPMENT

Forklifts

PORT SERVICES

Fresh water bunkering
 Waste landing
 Sludge landing
 Grey water landing
 Special waste
 VAT refund

SECURITY & ENVIRONMENT

Fenced terminals (ISPS)
 Security service
 ESI
 Max pax per day: 4,000
 Max ships per day: 3

ANCHORAGE

Max GT L & S: N/L
 Type of bottom: Sand
 Minimum depth L: 7.5 m - 14m / S: 36 m
 Distance from anchorage to tender pier
 L: aprx. 0.75 nautical miles/ S: 0.7 nautical miles

TOURIST INFORMATION

Visiting address: L: Storgata 25, NO-8370 Leknes / S: Torget 18, Svolvær
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 Distance from port: L: 3 km / S: West 1.7km, East 200 M

