Carson City Chamber of Commerce presents...

Spectacular Scandinavia

with Optional 3-Night Iceland Post Tour Extension ${\bf May} \ 17-30, \ 2025$



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14 Days • 20 Meals: 12 Breakfasts, 8 Dinners

HIGHLIGHTS... Copenhagen, Frederiksborg Castle, Granna, IKEA Museum, Stockholm, Choice on Tour: Vasa Museum or ABBA Museum, Oslo, Fram Museum, Stave Church, Flåm Railway, Geirangerfjord Cruise, Bergen

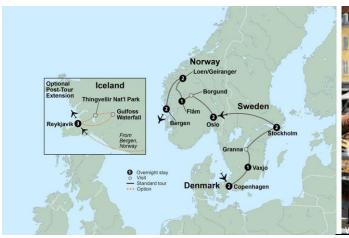
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Overnight Flight

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Days 2, 3	Scandic Spectrum , Copenhagen
Day 4	PM & Vanner Hotel, Vaxjo
Days 5, 6	Scandic Grand Central , Stockholm
Days 7, 8	Hotel Bristol Oslo, Oslo
Day 9	Fretheim Hotel, Flam
Days 10, 11	Alexandra Hotel, Loen
Days 12, 13	Scandic Ornen, Bergen
	On some dates alternate hotels may be used.

- Day 1: Saturday, May 17, 2025 Overnight Flight Set out to explore Scandinavia by land and experience one of the world's most incredible regions.
- Day 2: Sunday, May 18, 2025 Copenhagen, Denmark Tour Begins Your tour opens in the beautiful city of Copenhagen. Take some time to venture out on your own and come to know this cosmopolitan capital, dubbed the "gastro capital of Scandinavia." Tonight, meet your fellow travelers for dinner. (D)
- Day 3: Monday, May 19, 2025 Copenhagen Join a local expert and set off on an engaging tour of Denmark's capital city. Explore Nyhavn, the picturesque harbor lined with colorful facades and charming cafes, as well as Amalienborg Palace, the residence of the Danish royal family. Visit the Little Mermaid Statue, a 1913 sculpture honoring Hans Christian Andersen's famous fictional character. See Christiansborg Palace, home to the Danish parliament, before enjoying some free time to explore Copenhagen on your own. (B)
- Day 4: Tuesday, May 20, 2025 Copenhagen Castle Visit Vaxjo Bid farewell to Copenhagen and travel to Frederiksborg Castle, beautifully situated on three small islets of Castle Lake in Hillerod, and home to the Museum of National History. Continue on to Helsingor, home of Kronborg Castle, and board a local ferry for a short ride across the famous Oresund to Sweden. See where Sweden's iconic export got its start at the world's only IKEA Museum. Later this afternoon, arrive in Vaxjo, known locally as "the greenest city in Europe." (B, D)
- Day 5: Wednesday, May 21, 2025 Vaxjo Granna Stockholm This morning, travel to Granna, a town situated on the shores of Lake Vättern and famous for its charming wooden houses, cobblestone streets and delectable candy shops. Continue north to Stockholm, Sweden's capital city, stopping along the way at the Söormalands Museum. Full of local history and craftmanship, this museum presents the lives and influence is the province's people. Tonight, enjoy a twist on modern dishes from Swedish and European cuisine at a local restaurant. (B, D)
- Day 6: Thursday, May 22, 2025 Stockholm View Stockholm's greatest vistas and attractions, including Gamla Stan (Old Town), Riddarholm Church, the Royal Palace and the Parliament. Enjoy a visit inside Stockholm's stunning City Hall, which displays towering brick walls paired with an opulent interior. This afternoon it's your choice! Explore the Vasa Ship Museum and learn about the vessel's shocking maiden voyage, when it sank in a single nautical mile (the perfectly preserved ship, commissioned in the 1600s by King Vasa, was raised from the bottom of the harbor 334 years later) -OR- visit the ABBA Museum, an interactive exhibition about the Swedish pop sensation. The remainder of the day is yours to explore Stockholm independently. Discover its strikingly colorful architecture and sample its innovative cuisine. (B)
- Day 7: Friday, May 23, 2025 Stockholm Oslo, Norway Take a quick flight to Oslo, one of Europe's fastest-growing cities. As Norway's capital since 1814, Oslo is the center of the country's government and the home to the royal family. Here, you'll find a vibrant, cosmopolitan hub with an abundance of world-class museums, restaurants and art. This evening, enjoy traditional Norwegian fare in one of Oslo's oldest buildings. (*B*, *D*)
- Day 8: Saturday, May 24, 2025 Oslo A tour of Oslo begins at the remarkable Fram Museum, dedicated to telling the story of Norwegian polar exploration. Continue along Karl Johan Street and view the Royal Palace and city hall in quaint downtown Oslo. Visit Vigeland Park, home to the collection of statues and sculptures that comprise Gustav Vigeland's life's work. Later this afternoon, enjoy some free time to relax or explore Oslo independently. (B)
- **Day 9: Sunday, May 25, 2025 Oslo Flåm** Travel north from Norway's capital to the majestic fjord region. Visit the Borgund Stave







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Church, the intricate structure built in dedication to the Apostle Andrew in 1180. Arrive in the quaint village of Flåm, nestled at the entrance to the stunning Aurlandsfjord. (B, D)

Day 10: Monday, May 26, 2025 Flåm - Flåm Railway - Loen Embark on the renowned Flåm Railway, one of the world's steepest train rides, and ascend 3,000 feet past mighty waterfalls, towering mountains and amazing valleys. Journey to the mountain plateau of Myrdal and cascade down to the fjord of Flåm, taking in the breathtaking views each way. Continue onto the village of Loen, for a relaxing stay in the heart for Norway's fjord region. (B, D)

Day 11: Tuesday, May 27, 2025 Loen - Fjord Cruise - Loen An enchanting day in Norway's fjord region begins. In Geiranger, a

UNESCO World Heritage site, embark on an exhilarating Geirangerfjord cruise, soaking in some of Norway's most beautiful scenery along the way. One of the most famous fjords in the world, Geirangerfjord is where you'll find Norway's mightiest waterfalls: the Seven Sisters, the Bridal Veil, and the Suitor. Marvel at homesteads along the steep sides of the mountains, where farms have been kept for centuries. (B, D)

Day 12: Wednesday, May 28, 2025 Loen - Bergen Be inspired by Norway's most impressive landscapes en route to Bergen – the gateway to the fjords. Founded with Viking roots, the Bergen of today is known for its old-world charm and scenic landscapes. (B)

Experience It! Norwegian Fjords

The evolution of the fjords began some three million years ago, when Norway was covered by an ice cap thinner along the coast than inland. With the arrival of a milder climate, the ice began to melt and produce great waterfalls that logged the soil and descended to the sea. Valleys were filled in by the ocean, creating the fjords. Surrounded now by steep rocky mountains, dissected by cascading waterfalls, and decorated with thriving fruit trees, the fjords are among Earth's most inspiring landscapes. You'll often find the Fjords of western Norway at the top of annual must-see lists alongside the Pyramids of Egypt and the Grand Canyon. This dramatic masterpiece of nature is a true wonder of the world; where the air is pure, the water is clear, and nature is unspoiled. No photograph can ever do justice to the Norwegian Fjords; it is a place that must be seen to be believed.

EXTEND YOUR VACATION WITH

Optional 4 Days 3-Night Iceland Post Tour Extension

Per Person Rates: \$1,699.00 USD double, \$2,199.00 USD single, land & air inclusive

For more information on extensions and options for this tour visit https://gateway.gocollette.com/link/1252819

Day 13: Thursday, May 29, 2025 Bergen Join a guided walking tour of Bergen and stroll along the historic and iconic harbor front, known as the Bryggen (UNESCO). Enjoy the afternoon at leisure, before reuniting with your fellow passengers for an atmospheric farewell dinner in the historic Bryggen neighborhood. *(B, D)*

Day 14: Friday, May 30, 2025 Bergen - Tour Ends Depart for home today with incredible memories of your Scandinavian journey. (B)

PLEASE NOTE:

Book Now rates valid until Nov 18, 2024, valid on air inclusive packages only. The overall activity level of this tour is a level 3. This means you're an on-the-go traveler. You don't want to miss a thing, so walking and standing for longer periods of time (2-3 hours) isn't a big deal. A moderately paced two-and-a-half-hour walking tour, covering several miles, hills, and uneven surfaces, is no problem for you. Walking four miles over the course of a day is very doable, as is climbing into and out of various modes of transportation (tuk-tuk, cable car, zodiac, etc.). You can climb three flights of stairs easily and handle altitudes between 6,000 and 9,000 feet. Expect some longer days with early mornings or late nights balanced with free time to recharge or set out on your own adventure. This level is not a fit for travelers who require mobility assistance devices.

If you require any special assistance while on tour, please make us aware at time of reservation so the necessary request form can be sent to your attention.

Museums may close unexpectedly or for the observance of holidays.

To complete your tour, we <u>include</u> roundtrip airport-to-hotel transfers when purchasing our airfare with your tour. If you have arranged for your <u>own air</u>, we are pleased to provide you the option of *purchasing* these transfers. Please note that all transfers will leave at pre-scheduled times.

For air-inclusive reservations, the name provided at time of booking must match your government-issued ID that will be used during travel. Name changes are subject to penalties.

Please be advised many airlines do not provide advance seat assignments until check-in at the airport. Advance seating will be subject to the airline's terms and conditions.

An internal flight is required in order to participate on this tour and is included in the final price, quoted at time of booking.

IDENTIFICATION

Passports are required for this tour at your expense. Certain countries require that your passport be valid at least 6 months beyond the dates of your travel. You are strongly urged to contact the appropriate consulate for details. Visit www.travel.state.gov for the U.S. State Department for the latest details about passports and visa requirements.

IMPORTANT: We recommend that travelers take a photocopy of their passport and applicable visas. It should be packed separately from your actual passport and visa. We also recommend leaving a copy at home with your emergency contact.

Effective for travel in May 2025, all visitors who do not need a visa to enter Europe will be expected to apply for an ETIAS visa waiver, for a fee, when visiting a



Schengen Area Country. To identify Schengen Area Countries and to complete the ETIAS application, please visit https://www.etiasvisa.com/

Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first come, first served basis. Triple accommodations are not available on this tour.

Some of the older properties and attractions in Scandinavia may not have elevators. $\label{eq:Scandinavia}$

Economy air rate and schedule are applicable for groups of 10 or more traveling on the same flights and dates.

A deposit of \$698 per person is due upon reservation. Reservations are made on a first come, first served basis. Reservations made after the deposit due date of November 11, 2024 are based upon availability. Final payment due by February 18, 2025. Deposits are refundable up until November 18, 2024.

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If paying by credit card, please complete this form and return to Carson City Chamber of Commerce. We can only charge your credit card for the amount noted if the signature, address and phone number are listed below. Thank you!

CREDIT CARD AUTHORIZATION FORM

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YOUR INFORMATION: Clearly print your full name (first/middle/last) as it appears on your government issued travel documentation.

IMPORTANT: In order to avoid any unnecessary change fees, it is imperative that all guest names are entered correctly from the start. The information below must be the legal name and be 100% identical to the ID being used to travel passport/driver's license> including middle names or suffixes <Jr, Sr>.

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Per Person Rates: \$1,699.00 USD double, \$2,199.00 USD single, land & air inclusive

4 Meals: 3 Breakfasts, 1 Dinner

Day 14: Bergen - Fly to Reykjavík, Iceland

Discover Iceland, a land and culture forged by fire and ice. Steaming lava fields reflect a volcanic nature. Massive glaciers sculpt mountains and valleys, leaving thundering waterfalls and breathtaking landscapes. After having the day to yourself, gather with your fellow travelers for an included Icelandic dinner at a local restaurant. *Today dinner will be included*.

Day 15: Reykjavík

This morning, join a local expert for a walking tour of the city's old section featuring Hallgrimskirkja church, city hall, the harbor, and Reykjavík's oldest building – home of the Kraum Icelandic design center. Enjoy the remainder of your day at leisure. Perhaps you will choose to relax on a scenic whale watching cruise; venture out on a horseback riding excursion; or travel out to the Reykjanes peninsula to spend quality time relaxing in the geo-thermal waters of the famed Blue Lagoon. *Today breakfast will be included.*

Day 16: Reykjavík - Golden Circle - Reykjavík

Travel the incredible Golden Circle, a route that encompasses many of Iceland's most renowned natural wonders. Marvel at the beauty of the Gullfoss (Golden Falls) waterfall, a stunning 100-foot double cascade. Journey to Thingvellir National Park, the nation's most historic area. Here, Icelanders gathered in A.D. 930 and established what is considered to be one of the world's first parliaments. Find yourself standing upon one of the globe's most geologically significant landscapes, Thingvellir's rugged rift valley (UNESCO) that marks the crest of the Mid-Atlantic Ridge, the point where the North American and Eurasian tectonic plates meet. Return to Reykjavík and have time to explore the city on your own. *Today breakfast will be included*.

Day 17: Reykjavík - Tour Ends

Your tour ends today. Today breakfast will be included.

Please Note:

The overall activity level of this extension is a level 2. This means you can partake in a two-hour walking tour covering up to 2 miles (including breaks), over a variety of terrains. You can climb two flights of stairs with ease and handle altitudes up to 6,000 feet. While this level is appropriate for travelers that require mobility assistance devices, there could be times when you may have to sit out on some of the included activities.

We reserve the right to cancel this extension if a minimum of 4 passengers is not met to operate.

If you require any special assistance while on tour, please make us aware at time of reservation so the necessary request form can be sent to your attention.

Single accommodations are limited and are available on a first-come, first-served basis. Single rate subject to change based on availability.

For air-inclusive reservations, the name provided at time of booking must match your government-issued ID that will be used during travel. Name changes are subject to penalties.

Due to flight schedules, a post night may be required in some Icelandair gateway cities (at an additional cost). Please inquire at time of reservation.

The purchase of an additional air segment is required. Please inquire for air rate at time of booking.

During this extension, you can expect to have a **hosted** experience or two, with a local representative revealing more of what this destination has to offer. Enjoy a mix of independent exploration and guided sightseeing and experiences. A meet-and-greet service will be available at the airport upon arrival in Reykjavik.