

Vikings & World Heritage



The history of the Scandinavian countries, particularly during the millennium from 300 A.D until 1300 A.D, is very much a tale of Viking society, Viking campaigns of colonization and sagas of heroism. Later archaeological finds have proved that the Vikings were not just a race of blond, warring giants but that they, in fact, established a well-organized and - in many respects - advanced civilization. In particular, the seafaring traditions of the Vikings have had a strong and lasting influence on Danish development over many centuries. However, they were also a race of agriculturists and their society was an early, albeit primitive, forerunner of the agricultural and seafaring society of 20th century Denmark. The Vikingland Tour will take you westward from Copenhagen, through farming countryside and small villages, some of which were founded by Vikings more than a thousand years ago. Along the way, you will see a number of Viking burial mounds and dolmens. Upon arrival in Roskilde - until 1417, the capital of Denmark – we will board the ship “MS SagaFjord” and sail on Roskilde Fjord while having lunch at sea. Once back on shore in Roskilde you visit the Viking Ship Museum, which contains the remains of 5 Viking vessels which have been salvaged from the bed of Roskilde Fjord, where they were sunk more than a thousand years ago to prevent aggressive intruders gaining access to the town from the sea. After visiting the museum, a short drive to the Town Square, where a visit will be paid to the twin spired Cathedral. Construction of the Cathedral was commenced during the 12th century and additions have been made through the ages, in differing architectural styles. The Cathedral is the traditional burial place of Danish monarchs and contains more than 40 royal graves.

The order of the visit can be reversed.

Date: 4 July 2019

Duration: 7 hours, starts at 10 AM at Mikado House, Rued Langgaardsvej 8, 2300 Copenhagen S

Includes: English speaking guide / private bus / one bottle of water per person

Entrances: Viking Ship Museum, Roskilde Cathedral , sailtrip and lunch onboard SagaFjord

Lunch: Lunch platter onboard MS SagaFjord. Beverages are not included and must be paid directly on the ship.

Price: DKK890 per person (same price for children)

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Kronborg and Louisiana



Explore the beautiful North Sealand, north of Copenhagen. The tour brings us from Copenhagen and up the Danish Riviera to Elsinør, offering a beautiful view of the Oresund Strait with the Swedish coast beyond. During the tour we will visit 2 exceptional gems of Denmark – Louisiana Museum and Kronborg Castle.

First stop is an inside visit at Louisiana Museum which is a leading international museum of modern art. Located on the coast it strikes that rarest of balances between landscape, architecture, and art in a unique interaction that attracts visitors from around the world and makes a visit to Louisiana something special throughout the year.

The tour continues to Kronborg Castle after lunch. Kronborg Castle is one of the most well preserved renaissance castles in Northern Europe. It faces towards Oresund Strait, from where you can see all the way to Sweden. Kronborg Castle is world known from Shakespeare's "Hamlet" - the actual castle that Shakespeare set Hamlet in! For 400 years the castle was the headquarter for the collection of the sound dues. Kronborg was a legend in its heyday in the late 1500s. With its menacing guns pointing directly at the ships in the sound, sailors did not dare to sail past the castle without paying the king his sound dues. On the way back to Copenhagen, we will pass by beautiful churches, castles, exciting architecture and much more.

Date: 4 July 2019

Duration: 7 hours, starts at 9 AM at Mikado House, Rued Langgaardsvej 8, 2300 Copenhagen S

Includes: English speaking guide / private bus / one bottle of water per person

Entrances: Louisiana Museum and Kronborg Castle

Lunch: 2 pieces of open face sandwich (or similar) + 1 soda or beer

Price: DKK960 per person. Book here: <https://www.eiseverywhere.com/slr2019>



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