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## Suggested Charts

A selection of recommended charts is provided for your Baltic cruise. Please note that different charts may cover the same areas of interest, particularly when using a selection of charts from different issuing countries. Be aware that when choosing charts, chartered areas may overlap, especially if using charts from different issuers. Most yachtsmen have personal preferences when using charts. Below are some suggestions from different issuers. Research must be undertaken to ensure you have the correct coverage for your intended passage.

### British Admiralty

Interactive tool: [bookharbour.com/chart-selector/](http://bookharbour.com/chart-selector/)

Downloadable Interactive tool: [ukho.gov.uk/ProductsandServices/ADCatalogue/Pages/Home.aspx](http://ukho.gov.uk/ProductsandServices/ADCatalogue/Pages/Home.aspx)

Gotska Sandon to Hiiumaa.....	<b>BA2222</b>
Entrance to Gulf of Finland.....	<b>BA2241</b>
Gulf of Finland-Western part.....	<b>BA2248</b>
Gulf of Finland-Eastern part.....	<b>BA2264</b>
Tallinn and Approaches .....	<b>BA2227</b>

### German Charts

Coverage Map: [www.bookharbour.com/images/other/coverage/Delius\\_Klasing\\_Coverage.jpg](http://www.bookharbour.com/images/other/coverage/Delius_Klasing_Coverage.jpg)

Kieler Bucht und Rund Fünen 2016.....	<b>Delius Klasing Set 1</b>
Mecklenburger Vorpommern 2016.....	<b>Delius Klasing Set 2</b>
Großer Belt bis Bornholm 2016.....	<b>Delius Klasing Set 4</b>
Ostküste Schweden 1 2015/2016.....	<b>Delius Klasing Set 11</b>
Ostküste - Stockholm to Gotland & Sodertäljekanalen 2016.....	<b>Delius Klasing Set 12</b>

### Finnish Charts

Viipuri-Helsinki/Viborg -Helsingfors.....	<b>Finnish Small Craft Folio A</b>
Helsinki-Parainen/ Helsingfors-Pargas.....	<b>Finnish Small Craft Folio B</b>
Aland/Ahvenanmaa.....	<b>Finnish Small Craft Folio C</b>
Turunmaan Saaristo/ Abolands Skargard .....	<b>Finnish Small Craft Folio D</b>

### Swedish Charts

Online Resources: Swedish Small Craft Charts  
[sjofartsverket.se/en/services/hydrographic-information/nautical-charts/](http://sjofartsverket.se/en/services/hydrographic-information/nautical-charts/)

## Suggested Pilot Books & Guides

### The Baltic Sea

ISBN 9781786795229 by RCC Pilotage Foundation. A useful book that covers a wide area very effectively. Valuable at the planning stages and introduces a general overview of each individual country, followed by specific harbour information.

### Cruising Guide to Germany and Denmark

ISBN 9781846233357 by Brian Navin. Covering the North Sea & Baltic coasts of Germany & Denmark. The combination of text, plans and photographs provides all the essential details of ports that are covered.

### Landsort-Skanor

ISBN 9789189564749 by Catharina Soderbergh. Presents harbour facts and detailed information of some 190 natural harbours and 147 guest harbours from Landsort and the whole southern coast down to Skane.

### Ålands Häfen

By Ben Johans, Peter Bergström & Anders Hellberg. A Harbour Handbook for the Åland Islands including aerial photographs, harbour diagrams, detailed information on 70 marinas and 16 neighbouring harbours in Sweden & Finland. Only available in German.

### Hafenhandbuch Ostsee I

(ISBN 9783884124956)

### Hafenhandbuch Ostsee II

(ISBN 9783884124963)

### Skarerrak - Hamnguiden 7

ISBN: 9788279972433 Port Guide 7, Landsort-Skanör, Öland, Gotland & Bornholm, edition 3  
[lmf.no/se/produkt/havneguiden-7/](http://lmf.no/se/produkt/havneguiden-7/)

### Skarerrak - Hamnguiden 8

ISBN 9788279972389. Harbour Guide 8 Arholma – Landsort [lmf.no/se/produkt/havneguiden-8/](http://lmf.no/se/produkt/havneguiden-8/)

### Havneguiden, Flensburg - Danzig (Gdansk)

ISBN: 9783892257202

## Free Online Publications

### NGA Sailing Directions

Sailing Directions (Enroute) published by the National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency include detailed coastal and port approach information, supplementing the largest scale chart of the area.

Each publication is subdivided into geographic regions, called sectors, which contain information about the coastal weather, currents, ice, dangers, features and ports, as well as a graphic key to the charts available for the area. Relevant publications are listed below:

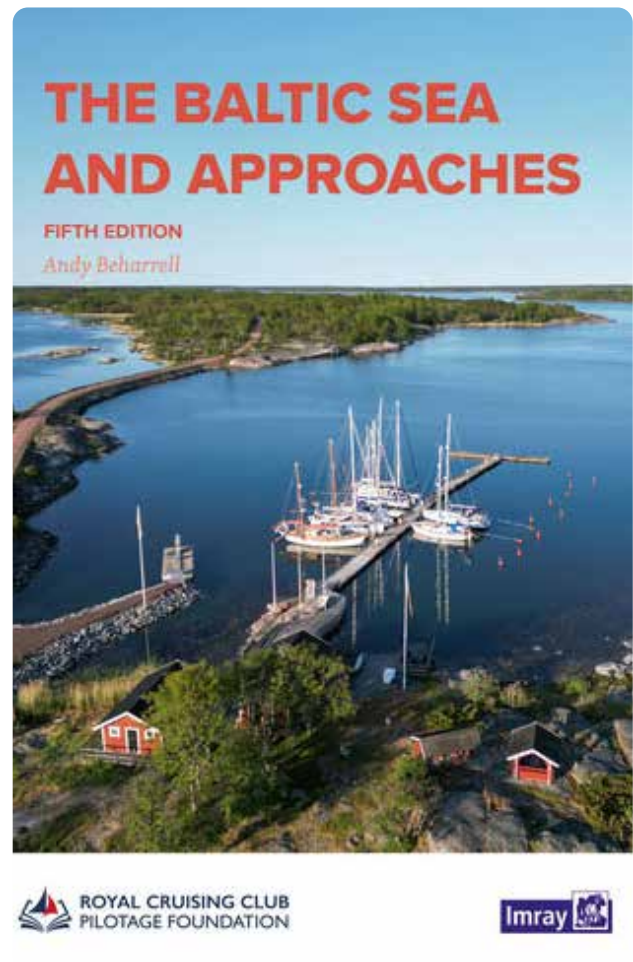
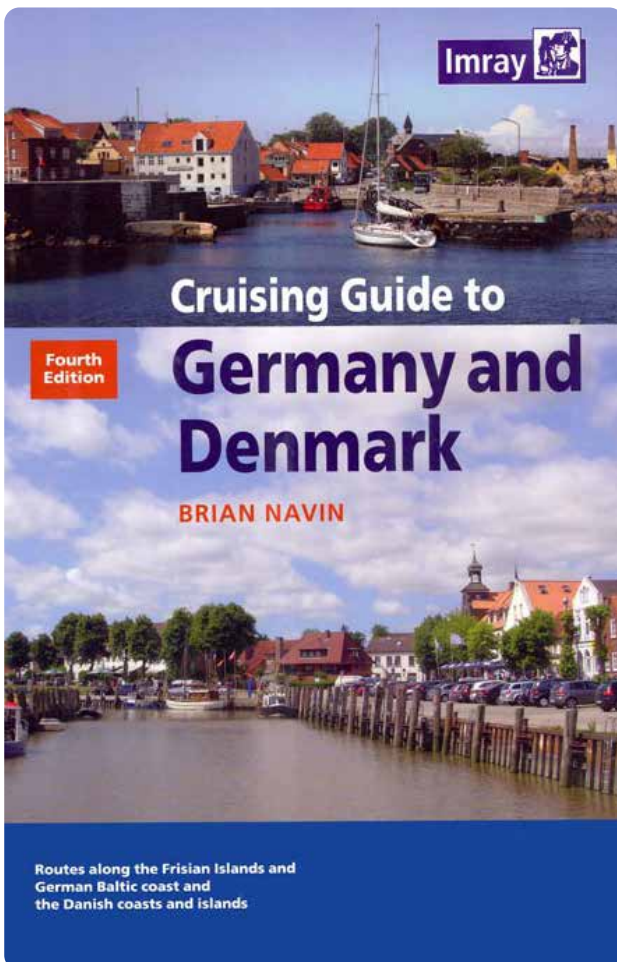
**Pub 193** – Sailing Directions – Skagerrak and Kattegat - [msi.nga.mil/MSISiteContent/StaticFiles/NAV\\_PUBS/SD/Pub193/Pub193bk.pdf](https://msi.nga.mil/MSISiteContent/StaticFiles/NAV_PUBS/SD/Pub193/Pub193bk.pdf)

**Pub 194** - Sailing Directions – Baltic Sea (Southern Part) - [msi.nga.mil/MSISiteContent/StaticFiles/NAV\\_PUBS/SD/Pub194/Pub194bk.pdf](https://msi.nga.mil/MSISiteContent/StaticFiles/NAV_PUBS/SD/Pub194/Pub194bk.pdf)

**Pub 195** – Sailing Directions – Gulf of Finland and Gulf of Bothnia - [msi.nga.mil/MSISiteContent/StaticFiles/NAV\\_PUBS/SD/Pub195/Pub195bk.pdf](https://msi.nga.mil/MSISiteContent/StaticFiles/NAV_PUBS/SD/Pub195/Pub195bk.pdf)

## Courtesy Flags

- Denmark
- Estonia
- Finland
- Germany
- Sweden
- Åland
- Extended Baltic Sailing



## Summary of ARC Baltic Boat Services

	<b>Electricity</b>	<b>Gas</b>	<b>Water</b>	<b>Fuel</b>	<b>Laundry</b>	<b>WiFi</b>	<b>Chandlery</b>	<b>Sail Repair</b>	<b>Mechanical Repair</b>	<b>Shopping</b>
<b>Kiel, Germany</b>	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
<b>Stralsund, Germany</b>	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
<b>Bornholm, Denmark</b>	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	15 min. walk
<b>Visby, Sweden</b>	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
<b>Gotska Sandön, Sweden</b>	No	No	No	No	No	Limited Coverage	No	No	No	No
<b>Tallinn, Estonia</b>	Yes	European unlikely	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
<b>Helsinki, Finland</b>	Yes	Finnish bottles	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
<b>Mariehamn, Finland</b>	Yes	No camping gas	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes
<b>Bullandö, Sweden</b>	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes

## Kiel, Germany

Dialling Code: +49 431

Time zone: UTC +1 (Standard) / UTC +2 (Daylight Saving)

Currency: Euro (EUR)

Emergency: 112

Police: 110

## Düsterbrook Marina

Location: 54°20.0'N 10°09.4'E

T: +49 431 26 04 84 26

Email: [duesternbrook@sporthafen-kiel.de](mailto:duesternbrook@sporthafen-kiel.de)

Website: [sporthafen-kiel.de/sporthafen/sporthafen-duesternbrook](http://sporthafen-kiel.de/sporthafen/sporthafen-duesternbrook)

Mailing Address: Kiellinie 65, 24105 Kiel, Germany

Water: Potable

Power: Available at berths



## Entry Formalities

On arrival the Q flag must be flown unless arriving from an EU or Scandinavian country. For arrivals from outside the EU passports and 2 crew lists must be produced. One crew list will be stamped and has to be shown when signing out of Germany at your last port. Duty free stores must be declared to Customs. Immigration must be cleared on arrival and departure.

## Visas

Information on countries whose nationals need a visa for Germany can be found at: [auswaertiges-amt.de/en/visa-service/visabestimmungen-node](http://auswaertiges-amt.de/en/visa-service/visabestimmungen-node)

## A to Z of Boat Services

### Boat Vendors

#### Aquamarin Segelsport GmbH

[aquashop.de/](http://aquashop.de/) +49 431 395860  
Boat accessories and marine gear supplier

#### BMH Boot & Maschinenwerkstatt Heikendorf

[boot-maschine.jimdo.com](http://boot-maschine.jimdo.com) +49 431 888191  
Boat repair and parts

#### MARITIM Bootszubehör GmbH

[maritim-bootszubehoer-kiel.de/](http://maritim-bootszubehoer-kiel.de/) +49 431 371204  
Marine parts and accessories

#### HMS Hanseatic Marine Services, Kiel

[hms-services.com/](http://hms-services.com/) +49 431 30170  
Ship provisions, catering and bonded stores

## Chandleries

#### Shipstores Kiel-Canal GmbH

[shipstores.de/about/](http://shipstores.de/about/) +49 431 981193  
Marine supplies & logistics. Maklerstraße 10, Kiel

#### SVB branch Kiel

[svb.de/](http://svb.de/) +49 431 974170  
Boat supplies & accessories

## Mechanical

#### BMH Boot & Maschinenwerkstatt Heikendorf

[boot-maschine.jimdoweb.com/](http://boot-maschine.jimdoweb.com/) +49 431 8881919

## A to Z of What's On Shore

### Accommodation

#### Hotel Berliner Hof

[berlinerhof-kiel.de](http://berlinerhof-kiel.de)

+49 431 66340

Central hotel

#### Hotel Birke

[hotel-birke.de](http://hotel-birke.de)

+49 431 5331

Quiet guesthouse.

#### Hotel am Schwedenkai

[hotel-am-schwedenkai.de/](http://hotel-am-schwedenkai.de/)

+49 431 986420

Near waterfront

#### Lüneburg-Haus

[lueneburghaus.com](http://lueneburghaus.com)

+49 431 982600

Historic inn & restaurant.

#### Ghotel

[3.ghotel.de/](http://3.ghotel.de/)

+49 431 32000

Budget hotel in Kronshagen.

### Couriers / Shipping Agents

#### DHL

[dhl.com/de-en/home.html](http://dhl.com/de-en/home.html)

#### FedEx

[fedex.com/en-de/home.html](http://fedex.com/en-de/home.html)

### Doctors / Hospitals

#### Emergency ambulance:

112

#### University Medical Center Schleswig-Holstein (UKSH), Campus Kiel

[uksh.de/](http://uksh.de/)

+49 431 500-0

Arnold-Heller-Straße 3, 24105 Kiel

#### Städtisches Krankenhaus Kiel GmbH

Chemnitzstraße 33, 24116 Kie

+49 431 1697-0

### Money

ATMs and banks available throughout the city centre.

### Pharmacy

#### Apotheke im UKSH

+49 431 2604133

Arnold-Heller-Str. 3, 24105 Kiel.

### Post Office

Deutsche Post branches across Kiel centre.

### Rubbish

Available at the marina

### Sightseeing

#### Kiel Maritime Museum

Historic exhibits on shipping and naval history in an old fish auction hall.

#### Botanic Garden Kiel

[botanischer-garten.uni-kiel.de/en](http://botanischer-garten.uni-kiel.de/en)

A serene green space with diverse plant collections.

#### Kiellinie Promenade & Fjord Views

[kiel-sailing-city.de/en/explore-the-kiel-fjord/sightseeing/kiellinie](http://kiel-sailing-city.de/en/explore-the-kiel-fjord/sightseeing/kiellinie)

Waterfront walks with cafés and views of the Baltic.

#### Walking & Harbour Tours

Guided city and port tours are widely available year-round.

## Travel Information

### Airport

#### Kiel Airport

[airport-kiel.de/home-airport-en.html](http://airport-kiel.de/home-airport-en.html)

### Buses

#### KVG Kieler

#### Verkehrsgesellschaft

+49 431 22030.

Main local bus operator (city network), including daytime and night lines. Routes, schedules and fare info available on their website

#### Kielius Airportbus

+49 431 666222

Intercity bus service connecting Hamburg Airport with Kiel central bus station.

Flixbus Station Kiel Hauptbahnhof – Long-distance coach services connecting Kiel with other German cities and Europe.

#### Kiel central bus station / Kiel ZOB

Central bus terminal/stops where many regional and intercity buses depart.

#### Kiel Hbf and Kiel Central Station

Railway station hubs with connected bus stops and services.

### Car Rental

#### SIXT Autovermietung

[sixt.de](http://sixt.de)

Tonberg 15, 24113 Kiel

+49 431 65953321

#### Europcar Kiel

[europcar.de](http://europcar.de)

Stormarnstraße 41, 24113 Kiel

+49 431 661770

#### Enterprise

[enterprise.de](http://enterprise.de)

Kaistraße 54–56, 24114 Kiel

+49 431 667430

### Ferry

#### The Fjord Ferry

[sfk-kiel.de/en/ferries/fjord](http://sfk-kiel.de/en/ferries/fjord)

Route F1 goes between Kiel and Sckliksee:

### Taxis

#### Mare Taxi Kiel GmbH

[maretaxikiel.de](http://maretaxikiel.de)

+49 431 77070

#### Taxi Girgin Kiel

+49 176 32253204

#### Taxi Kiel - Kieler Funk Taxi Zentrale eG

[taxikiel.de/](http://taxikiel.de/)

+49 431 680101

#### Taxi Service Kiel

+49 431 7068068

#### Airport-Service Hamburg

Fuhlsbüttel Inh. Rüdiger Goebel

Airport shuttle service

+49 431 544545



*Welcome dinner in Kiel*

## Stralsund, Germany

Dialling Code: +49

Time zone: UTC +1 (Standard) / UTC +2 (Daylight Saving)

Currency: Euro (EUR)

Emergency: 112

Police: 110

## Stralsund Marina

Location: 54.2960 N, 13.0972 E

T: +49 3831 123456

Email: [info@stralsundmarina.de](mailto:info@stralsundmarina.de)

Website: [stralsundmarina.de](http://stralsundmarina.de)

Harbour Master: Michael Bergmann

T: +49 3831 654321

Email: [michael.bergmann@stralsundmarina.de](mailto:michael.bergmann@stralsundmarina.de)

Harbour Office:

T: +49 3831 123457

Email: [office@stralsundmarina.de](mailto:office@stralsundmarina.de)

Mailing Address: Hafenstraße 10, 18439 Stralsund, Germany

Water: Potable

Power: Shore power (charges/amp limits vary; typically available)

## Entry Formalities

Germany is part of the EU and Schengen Area. When arriving from outside the Schengen Area, immigration and customs formalities must be completed. Ensure you carry valid travel documents and vessel registration paperwork. German border authorities may request passports, crew lists, and vessel documents upon arrival. All yachts entering from outside must complete entry procedures at an official point of entry, and Stralsund's port authorities can guide you on the appropriate check-in locations.



## Introduction

Stralsund, a historic port city on Germany's Baltic Sea coast. It is renowned for its stunning medieval architecture and vibrant maritime heritage. Often referred to as the "Gateway to the Baltic Sea," Stralsund has long been a significant trade hub. It is known for its beautiful old town, which is a UNESCO World Heritage site, and its picturesque waterfront overlooking the Stralsund Strait. Founded in the 13th century, Stralsund grew prosperous through its membership in the Hanseatic League, which facilitated trade throughout Northern Europe. Today, Stralsund is a blend of history and modernity, offering visitors everything from scenic views and historic buildings to modern attractions like the Ozeaneum, a world-class aquarium. The city serves as an excellent base for exploring the nearby islands of Rügen and Hiddensee.

## A to Z of Boat Services

### Boatyard and Haulout

#### Stralsund Marine Yard

[info@stralsundmarineyard.de](mailto:info@stralsundmarineyard.de)  
Hafenstraße 12, 18439 Stralsund

### Chandleries

#### Stralsund Chandlery

[info@stralsundchandlery.de](mailto:info@stralsundchandlery.de) +49 3831 234567  
Open: Mon-Fri 09:00-18:00, Sat 09:00-13:00, Sun closed. Hafenstraße 18, Stralsund

### Fuel (Diesel)

Fuel dock available at the marina

### Gas (Cooking)

German standard bottles available.

### Mechanical Repairs

#### Nordic Marine Repair

[info@nordicmarine.de](mailto:info@nordicmarine.de) +49 3831 678901  
Stralsund West Hafen, 18435 Stralsund

### Rigging

#### Baltic Rigging

[info@balticrigging.de](mailto:info@balticrigging.de) +49 3831 456789  
18436 Stralsund, West Hafen

### Visas

Schengen visa rules apply. You can find more information on visa requirements here: [deutsche-allianz.de/en/](https://deutsche-allianz.de/en/)

### Crew arriving by air

Crew members should carry valid travel documents and visas if required. A letter from the skipper confirming their travel aboard is also recommended.

### Arriving with Pets

An EU pet passport is required; pets must be microchipped, vaccinated, and meet German/EU veterinary entry conditions.

### Marina Facilities

Showers: Available at the marina

Laundry: Available at the marina

Power: 230V / 50Hz, shore power available at berths. Adaptors for European sockets recommended.

Water: Potable water available at guest berths; extension hoses are often useful.



## Sail Repairs

### Sails & More

[info@sailsmore.de](mailto:info@sailsmore.de)

+49 3831 234890

[www.sailsmore.de](http://www.sailsmore.de)

Hafenstraße 6, Stralsund. Open weekdays: 09:00 - 17:00

## Black Water

Pump-out available at the marina

## A to Z of What's On Shore

### Accommodation

#### B&B Hotel Stralsund

[stralsund@hotelbb.com](mailto:stralsund@hotelbb.com)

+49 3831 3031340

Neue Ziegelstraße 5, 18439 Stralsund, Germany

#### Hotel Haus Wullfcrona

[haus-wullfcrona.de/](http://haus-wullfcrona.de/)

03831 - 303970

#### Hotel Stralsund Schweriner Hof

[schweriner-hof.de/](http://schweriner-hof.de/)

03831 288 480

## Banks & ATMs

ATMs are available throughout the city. There is one located near the Marina.

## Doctors / Hospitals

### Stralsund Hospital

+49 3831 4500

Salinenstraße 60, 18437 Stralsund

## Internet

Free Wi-Fi is available at the marina and in various cafes and restaurants around Stralsund.

## Laundry

Available at the marina.

## Pharmacy

+49 3831 567890

Apotheke am Markt, Altmarkt 1, 18439 Stralsund

## Police

Stralsund Police Station, Marktstraße 5, 18439

## Restaurants

### Restaurant Kranich

+49 38303150

Strandstraße 24, 18586 Baabe

### Fischerhütte

+49 3834839654

An d. Mühle 12, 17493 Greifswald

### Godewind

+49 383006600

Süderende 53, 18565 Insel Hiddensee

## Rubbish

Bins and recycling stations are located at the Marina

## Shopping & Supermarkets

There is a large supermarket, Rewe, 500m from the marina.

## Sightseeing

### Ozeaneum

+49 38312650610

[deutsches-meeresmuseum.de/museumsstandorte/ozeaneum/ihr-besuch](http://deutsches-meeresmuseum.de/museumsstandorte/ozeaneum/ihr-besuch)

An exceptional maritime museum and aquarium.

### Stralsund Old Town

Wander through cobbled streets lined with Gothic buildings.

### St. Mary's Church

A majestic church that dates back to the 14th century. Marienstraße 16, 18439 Stralsund

### Rügen Island

Easily accessible by ferry, Rügen is Germany's largest island, known for its white cliffs and beautiful beaches.

## Travel Information

### Airport

#### Rügen Airport (GTI)

[info@ruegen-airport.de](mailto:info@ruegen-airport.de)

+49 3831 234567

[www.ruegen-airport.de](http://www.ruegen-airport.de)

Approx. 30–35 km from Stralsund.

### Car Rental

Available at Stralsund Bahnhof (train station) and the airport.

#### Avis

+49 3831 123456

#### Hertz

+49 3831 654321

### Public Transport

Frequent buses and trains run between Stralsund and Rügen Island, as well as to Berlin and other cities. Trains to Berlin take around 2.5 hours.

### Taxis

#### Stralsund Taxi

+49 3831 123456

#### Taxi Zentrale Stralsund

+49 3831 789456

Bolt and Uber are also available in Stralsund.

### Bornholm, Denmark

Dialling Code: +45

Time zone: UTC +1 (Standard) / UTC +2 (Daylight Saving)

Currency: Krone (Kr)

Emergency: 112

Police: 114

### Hasle Marina

Location: 55° 11'N 14° 42'E

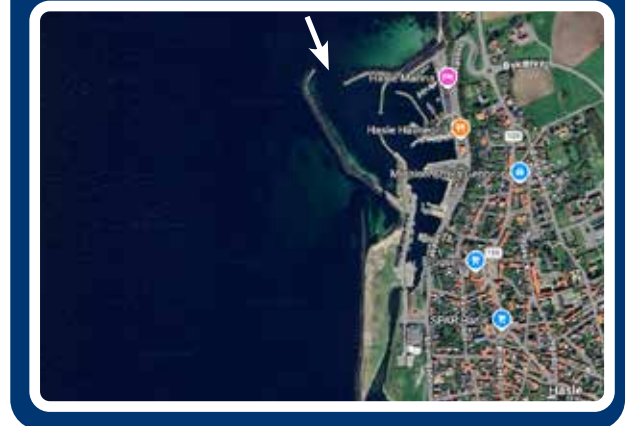
VHF: Ch. 16 / Ch. 12

T: +45 56922322

Email: [haslehavn@brk.dk](mailto:haslehavn@brk.dk)

Website: [marinaguide.dk/hasle-havn/om-havnen](http://marinaguide.dk/hasle-havn/om-havnen)

Mailing Address: Havnen 23, DK-3790 Hasle



Bornholm

### Introduction

Hasle Marina is located in a large harbour with active commercial fishing, and it is safe to approach day and night, in all weather conditions. There is always plenty of space for guest sailors in the harbour, and you are well-protected in bad weather. Hasle offers good shopping opportunities and restaurants, including the new lifestyle café at the harbour and the fascinating museum smokehouse just south of the harbour.

In the town, you will also find the cultural center 'Grønbechs Gård', which has a large exhibition of Bornholm's arts and crafts. The harbour features a harbour bath with a diving tower, and south of the harbour, there are lovely sandy beaches. South of the harbour, there are also large forest areas with clay and coal pits, where the fascinating cultural history of Hasle tiles is shared. North of the harbour, the rocky coast of Bornholm begins. The Port of Hasle has become a kayaking hotspot where it is possible to hire and/learn to paddle a kayak. There is also a brand-new maritime museum named "Columbus" where the canal meets the harbour. Old ship engines are started up every day during peak season at the museum.

## Approach

Approach the harbour mouth on a bearing of 097 in the white sector of Hasle light. Beware of a shallow patch with 3.7m just north of the leading line close to the harbour entrance.

### Visas

Information on countries whose nationals require a visa for Denmark can be found at: [nyidanmark.dk/en-GB](http://nyidanmark.dk/en-GB)

### Crew arriving by air

Crew arriving by air to join the yacht must carry a letter from the skipper confirming they will be travelling aboard and stating an exact departure date.

### Arriving with Pets

An EU pet passport is required; pets must be microchipped, vaccinated, and meet German/EU veterinary entry conditions.

### Marina Facilities

Showers: Available at the marina

Power: 230V / 50Hz, 16A. Electricity is available at all berths.

Water: Potable water available at guest berths; extension hoses are often useful.



Bornholm

## A-Z of Boat Services

### Chandlery

Chandlery services in Hasle are limited, however certain items can be sourced elsewhere on the island.

**Eastide Marine Company** +45 30 14 35 35  
[eastidemarine.dk/index.asp?loadContent=811114](http://eastidemarine.dk/index.asp?loadContent=811114)

Dealers for Garmin marine equipment

### Hellisen Outdoor

[hellisenoutdoor.dk/](http://hellisenoutdoor.dk/) +45 56 94 74 60  
General hardware store selling tools.

### Electricity

Available on the pontoons (230V).

### Fuel Dock

Available on the fuel dock

### Gas

Available in Hasle. Speak to Rally Control or staff at the Marina Office.

### Mechanical Repairs

Available in the port.

### Sail Repairs

Contact the Marina Office

### Water

Available at all berths.

## A to Z of What's On Shore

### Accommodation

#### Hotel Rønne

[book@bornholmhotels.dk](mailto:book@bornholmhotels.dk) +45 569044 44

#### Danhostel Rønne

[ronnevandrerhjem.dk/](http://ronnevandrerhjem.dk/) +45 569513 40

### Banks

Bank and ATM in city centre.

### Internet

Available on the dock. The password can be obtained from the Marina Office.

### Medical

Bornholms Hospital 112 (emergency)  
Ullasvej 8, Rønne +45 38670000

# Local Information Rally Handbook



## Police

Bornholms Politi,  
Zahrtmansvej 44, 3700, Rønne.

114 (emergency)  
+45 56901448

## Restaurants

Wide selection in Hasle.

## Rubbish / Recycling

Available at the Marina.

## Supermarkets & Shopping

### SPAR

Storegade 47, 3790 Hasle, Denmark 15-20 minute walk from the marina. Other shops located within the town.

## Showers

Available at the marina.

## Tourist Information

[info@bornholm](mailto:info@bornholm)  
[www.bornholm.info](http://www.bornholm.info)

+45 56959500

## Travel

### Airports

Bornholm Airport (RNN) [www.bornholmairport.dk](http://www.bornholmairport.dk)  
20 minute drive from Hasle port.

### Buses

[bornholm.info/en/bat/](http://bornholm.info/en/bat/)

There is a comprehensive network of bus routes across Bornholm. See the link above for full routes and timetables.

### Car Hire

#### Avis

+45 56953499

#### Europcar

+45 56954300

### Taxis

#### Dantaxi

[dantaxi.dk/english](http://dantaxi.dk/english)

+45 569523 01

#### Bornholms Taxa's

#### Bestillingskontor

+45 569523 01



ARC Baltic fleet in Bornholm

## Visby, Gotland

Dialling Code: +46

Time zone: UTC +1 (Standard) / UTC +2 (Daylight Saving)

Currency: Swedish Kronor (SEK)

Emergency: 112

Police: 114

## Visby Gästhamn Marina

Location: 57° 38'.00N 18° 16'.00E

T: +46 736006300

Email: [info@visbygasthamn.se](mailto:info@visbygasthamn.se)

Website: [visbygasthamn.se](http://visbygasthamn.se)

Mailing Address: Visby Gästhamn,  
Solbergagatan 6, 62145 Visby, Sweden

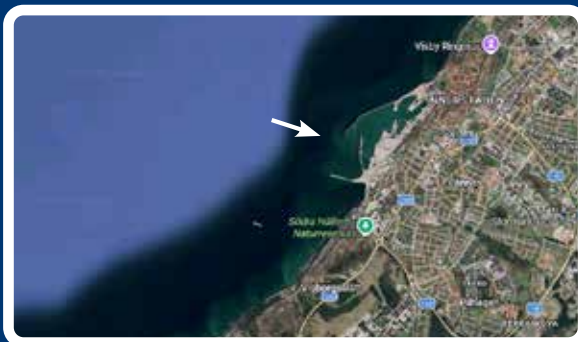
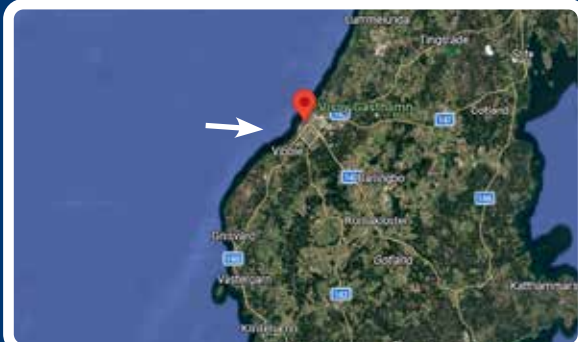
JRCC in Sweden

T: +46 104927900

E: [jrcc@sjofartsverket](mailto:jrcc@sjofartsverket)

VHF: 16 or call 112 and ask for  
Sweden Rescue

MMSI: 002653000



### Introduction

Visby traces its roots back to a Viking settlement and trade was an important activity from the outset helped by access to fresh water and a natural harbour. Gotland's excellent geographical location meant that the Vikings thrived and used it as a base to venture eastwards establishing connections as far as the Black Sea and Constantinople. A large number of silver treasures and Arabic coins have been found, and art in churches and on rune stones shows Byzantine influence.

Gotland had an independent status both from Sweden and Denmark long into the medieval period. In the twelfth and thirteenth century Visby's status as a trading town grew and this was also the time when the work on the circular town wall commenced, and the old wooden houses were replaced with stone buildings. The wall is still intact and is unique in the Scandinavian countries. In the eleventh and twelfth century Gotland and Visbyrose to play a dominant role in the Baltic trade linking Western Europe with Russia. Visby became the main centre for the Hanseatic League in the Baltic and the commercial routes were channelled through the city. However, in the fourteenth century a number of disasters struck Visby. The Plague arrived in 1350, then in 1361 the Danish King Valdemar IV attacked the city and tore down part of the wall. Around 2000 people were killed in the battle and Valdemar set up three huge beer barrels and threatened to destroy the town unless they were filled with gold and silver. The city complied and the churches were stripped of their valuables.

The turbulent times continued with a succession of different rulers and at times the city even became the base for pirates. It was not until 1645 with the treaty between Denmark and Sweden at Brömsebro that Gotland finally became Swedish. At that time the city had lost its strategic trade position and remained relatively underdeveloped. Today, however, Visby and Gotland is one of Sweden's most liked holiday destinations.



ARC Baltic fleet in Visby

### Approach

After having crossed the South Baltic, boats will find the Swedish island of Gotland on their starboard side. Approaching Gotland yachts will discover two small islands Stora Karlsö and Lilla Karlsö approximately 20 miles before arriving in the port of Visby. The islands are a nature reserve, home to the biggest bird mountain in the Baltic – 'Stora Karlsö'. There is a yearly drama when, in the beginning of July, newly hatched guillemot chicks jump from the high cliffs down to the sea following their parents.

There is easy entrance and access to the marina that is centrally located in the port of Visby. It is a full service marina and a very popular goal for Swedish mainland sailors, always crowded in the summer. The marina is in close proximity to the main sights such as the city wall, medieval city centre and the museum. In addition, Visby offers a number of restaurants and a rich night life, in particular for the younger generation.

### Entry Formalities

Sweden is part of the Schengen Area, so normal Schengen border controls apply when entering by sea from outside Sweden or from non-Schengen countries. All crew and passengers must present valid travel documents (passport or, for EU/EEA citizens, an EU identity card) at Swedish border control. If arriving from another Schengen country (e.g., Denmark or Germany), border controls are often not in place, but you should still have valid travel documents ready to show if asked.

### Visas

Citizens of many countries (EU/EEA, UK, USA, Canada, Australia, NZ, etc.) can enter Sweden visa-free for short stays (usually up to 90 days in a 180-day period). Nationals who require a visa must apply for a Schengen visa before travel. Always check with the Swedish Migration Agency or your local consulate for the latest visa requirements for your nationality. Passport validity should meet standard Schengen entry rules (e.g., valid for at least three months beyond intended departure from the Schengen Area).

### Arriving with Pets

Dogs, cats, and ferrets must be ID-marked (microchip) and have a valid rabies vaccination before travel. Travelling pets generally require an EU pet passport (or equivalent documentation) showing up-to-date vaccinations. Pets must be declared to Swedish Customs when entering Sweden, even from another EU country. More detailed import rules (including for animals from outside the EU) are set by the Swedish Board of Agriculture (Jordbruksverket).

## A-Z of Boat Services

### Chandlery

#### Claes Ohlson

[seasea.se](http://seasea.se)

[hjertmans.se](http://hjertmans.se)

Small supplies of boat fittings. See the above websites for mail order.

### Electricity

Available at all berths although an extension cable may be required (220V 2 pin European)

### Fuel Dock

+46 498215190

Open daily from 09:00-16:00. Cash or credit card accepted.

### Gas

Swedish standard bottles and a selection of international bottles available. Expensive.

### Mechanical Repairs

#### Cedergrens Mek Verkstad AB

[cedergrens.se/](http://cedergrens.se/)

+46 4982 41720

### Sail Repairs

#### Slite Kapell & Syservice

+46 04982202

Flodenbergsväg, 1 624 48, Slite, Sweden

### Black water

Pump out facilities within the marina.

### Water

Free drinkable water. A water pipe available on the main dock but may not be able to reach the long wall. Not to be used for washing down the boat.

## A-Z of What's On Shore

### Banks

Bank and ATM nearby. Ask marina office for directions.

### Bike rental

Available locally. See Marina Office

### Internet

WiFi available.

### Laundry

Facilities in the marina.

### Medical Aid / Emergency

#### Visby Lasarett Hospital

+46 498268150

Visby Lasarett, St. Göransgatan 5 +46 4982 68151

### Pharmacy

#### Apotek Liljan

Österväg 7, Visby.

+46 771450450

### Police Station

Norra Hansegatan 2B, Visby. 113 or 112 (emergency)

### Restaurants

Several restaurants in and close to the marina.

### Rubbish / Recycling

There is a large bin behind the marina office, accessed using your top up card. Recycling facilities available for paper and glass.

### Showers

Use your card to access toilets and shower, located next to marina office. Price for shower 10SEK shower.

### Supermarkets & Shopping Groceries

Store in the town. There is a marina car available for supermarket runs, a 5 minute drive away.

### Tourist Information

#### Gotland Tourist

Information Centre

+46 498201700

Donners Plats 1

## Travel Information

### Airport

#### Visby Airport (VBY)

Approx. 3.5 km from Visby town centre. Domestic flights year-round; seasonal international connections.

### Airport Transfers

### Airport Coaches

Stops at the ferry terminal and port area.

Taxi: Approx. 10 minutes to marina.

### Buses

Local buses operate between the airport, port and town centre. Bus numbers and frequency vary by season.

### Taxis

#### Taxi Gotland

+46 498 200 200

#### Taxi Kurir,

+46 498 50 000

#### Din Taxi Gotland,

+46 498 20 70 70

## Gotska Sandön, Sweden

Dialling Code: +46

Time zone: UTC +1 (Standard) / UTC +2 (Daylight Saving)

Currency: Swedish Kronor (SEK)

Emergency: 112

Police: 114



## Introduction

The Gotska Sandön (Gotlandic Sand Island) is one of Sweden's national parks approximately 5nm long and 3nm wide. It is situated some 20nm North of Gotland and is composed of dunes, beaches and pine forests. The island has no year round inhabitants but in summer time there is a small youth hostel operating close to the lighthouse on the North Western point (Bredsand).

## Arrival Information

There is no port nor is it possible to get provisions on the island. With the prevailing south-westerly winds the recommended anchorage is on the northern side under the light house in approximate position 58°23'.9N 19°12'.0E. Anchor close to the 5 meter contour in sand.

**Pets are not allowed to be brought ashore.**

## A Brief History of Gotska Sandön

Over the centuries the island has been inhabited mostly as a basis for fishermen and seal hunters, but there has also been sheep on the island, and in the nineteenth century a farm was established. At some point even a shipyard operated on the island. In the mid-nineteenth century the island was acquired by the state and the construction of lighthouses commenced (1859). Close to the Bredsand lighthouse a small village developed including the home for the lighthouse keeper and a school for his children. Today the school is a small museum. A short distance from the village is a small chapel surrounded by a beautiful deciduous forest.

## The Legend of Peter Gottberg

One of the most famous inhabitants of the island was Peter Gottberg. He rented the island, but according to legend, he was also a murderer, pirate and a beachcomber. He was born 1762 and it is believed he was coerced into piracy as a young man. In 1801 he rented the island and moved there with his family. It is believed he lured ships to wreck on the island and that he later killed their crew in his barn. The end came in 1814 when he tried to sell cargo from a stranded ship (the jakt Cerberus af Greifswald) in Stockholm and part of the cargo, a wolf skin fur coat, was recognised. He served 28 days in prison on water and bread. The light sentence was due to the fact murder could not be proved. He and his wife are buried in the Boo cemetery close to Saltsjöbaden.



*Goska Sandön tour*

### Tallinn, Estonia

Dialling Code: +372

Time zone: UTC +2 (Standard) / UTC +3 (Daylight Saving)

Currency: Euro (EUR)

Emergency: 112

Police: 112 or 1247

### TOP Marina, Pirita

Location: : 59° 28'.2"N 024°49'.2".45E

T: +372 639 8800

Email: [top@piritatop.ee](mailto:top@piritatop.ee)

Website: [piritatop.ee/en](http://piritatop.ee/en)

Mailing Address: Pirita, Regati pst 1,  
119111 Tallinn

JRCC Tallinn

T: +372-61911224/6922500

E: [jrcc@politsei.ee](mailto:jrcc@politsei.ee)

MMSI: 002761000



## Introduction

Tallinn is also known as Reval, a name that it acquired in the thirteenth century and kept until 1918 when Estonia first became an independent country. The early ruler of Reval (Tallinn) was Denmark, which founded the city in 1219. Subsequently it was sold to the Teutonic Knights in 1346 and later ceded to Sweden in 1582. Since medieval time, German influence has been strong (Tallinn entered the Hanseatic league in 1285) and until the twentieth century, regardless of what country ruled, the ruling class was German speaking. During the Swedish period the country prospered with a university established in Dorpat (Tartu) in 1632. Following the Great Northern War Sweden lost Estonia to Russia and it remained Russian until 1918 when Estonia declared independence and Tallinn became its capital. During World War II Estonia was annexed by the USSR in 1940 and later occupied by Germany from 1941 until 1944. Between 1944 and 1991 it was again annexed by the USSR but in August 1991 an independent democratic Estonian state was re-established.

Since independence the country has embarked on a very ambitious development strategy aiming at raising the standard of living in par with other European countries. Estonia became a member of the European Union and NATO in 2004 and signed the Schengen treaty in 2007. Now, Estonia is benefitting from EU regional support to improve infrastructure and a major part of foreign investment comes from Sweden. Nowadays it is globally recognised as a premier startup hub.

The main sights in Tallinn include the Old Town (Hanseatic), city walls and defences, the St. Olaf's Church (15th century) and the Gothic town hall. Other attractions worth visiting include the recently opened Seaplane Maritime Museum, Open Air Museum and the Olympic TV Tower.

## Entry Formalities

Estonia is part of the EU and the Schengen Area. On arrival from outside the Schengen Area, immigration and customs formalities must be completed. Passports must be carried for all crew, and vessel registration documents should be available.

Duty-free goods must be declared to Customs. Immigration and customs clearance must be completed on arrival and departure when required.

### Visas

Visa requirements follow Schengen rules. Information on countries whose nationals require a visa for Estonia can be found at: [mfa.ee/en/visa](http://mfa.ee/en/visa)

### Crew arriving by air

Crew arriving by air to join the yacht must carry valid travel documents and, if required, a Schengen visa. A letter from the skipper confirming their intention to join the yacht is recommended.

### Arriving with Pets

An EU pet passport is required. Pets must meet Estonian and EU health requirements, including microchipping and valid rabies vaccination. Pets must be declared to Customs on arrival.

### Marina Facilities

Showers: Located in the service building in the main basin

Laundry: Available at the marina

Power: 220V / 50Hz, 16A. Electricity is available at all berths.

Water: Potable

Power: 230/240V / 50Hz. Shore power is available with standard European plugs at most berths. Purchasing splitters is advised as some connections are shared.

Showers: Located in the Sailors' Home. Open 09:30–23:00. Provided free by the marina. They are coin operated using €2 coins (may vary during the season)

Sauna: Available next to the marina office (€5 for 2 hours, may vary by season).



ARC Baltic fleet gather in Tallinn

## A-Z of Boat Services

### Chandlery

#### Tommylyy PaadiPood

[tommylyy.com](http://tommylyy.com)

+372 5692 9000

[info@tommylyy.com](mailto:info@tommylyy.com)

A well stocked chandlery for clothing, general chandlery and rope. Also socks electronics and is a local Garmin agent. Open Mon-Fri 10:00-18:00, Sat 11:00-15:00

### Electricity

Available at most berths (240V). Purchasing splitters is advised. Hook-ups are a mix of European plug (2 pin) and some 3 pin. Some sharing with other boats may be required.

### Fuel Dock

+372 5341 6384

In the marina, open 08:00–20:00. Credit / debit cards and cash accepted. (Fuel is cheaper in St Petersburg).

### Gas (Cooking)

Do not supply European standard bottles; supplier is Reola Gaas (size 5, 11, or 17 available to purchase).

### Mechanical Repairs

Service companies in the marina see:

[yachts-service.ee](http://yachts-service.ee)

### Electronics Repairs

#### NavSystems OU

+372 608 0248

[ivar@raymarine.ee](mailto:ivar@raymarine.ee)

+372 508 8768

Good for Raymarine (but not warranty work).

Requests notice in advance of arrival for better service.

### Rubbish / Recycling

Containers available in several locations around the marina.

### Sail Repairs

#### North Sails

+372 504 4047

#### WB Sails

+372 526 0936

(situated in the Pirita marina)

+372 623 9145.

### Black Water

Pump-out available in the marina.

## A-Z of What's On Shore

### Banks

The nearby hypermarket Pirita Selver has Swedbank, and four ATMs.

### Hairdressers

Unisex at the Pirita Spa Hotel (book at Spa Reception); also for ladies at the Pirita Selver Shopping Centre.

### Internet

Free WiFi available in the marina but does not cover all the berths. Spa Hotel and Pizza Restaurant also have free WiFi.

### Laundry

Self service washing machine in the marina, Mon-Fri 08:00-18:00 Sat 08:00-15:00.

### Pesmaja T +372 639 8570

Service wash located behind first marina building. . Open Mon-Thurs 08:00-19:00; Fri 08:00-17:00; Sat 08:00-14:00.  
Dry-cleaner at Pirita Selver Shopping Centre.

### Medical Aid

#### Tallinn Central Hospital +372 666 1900

Tallinn Central Hospital, Ravi 18.

#### Pharmacy +372 667 3583

Pirita Selveri Apteek, Rummu tee 2, Tallinn and at Pirita Selver.

#### Police Station +372 612 3000

Pärnu mnt 139c/1.



ARC Baltic fleet dock party in Tallinn

### Restaurants

Excellent options locally within walking distance, including Kalevi Jahtklubi Resto (Yacht Club open from 11:00-23:00). The Old City has an abundance of restaurants with a variety of menu styles and prices to suit all.

### Rubbish / Garbage

Bins available at the marina. Recycling facilities provided.

### Supermarkets & Shopping

#### Pirita Selver Shopping Centre

Within easy walking distance of the marina. Open 09:00-23:00 daily. An excellent and reasonably priced supermarket complex that also contains a chemist, dry-cleaner, florist, pet shop, post office, bank, local fruit stall, hairdresser, health food shop, pizza take-away, café, and four ATM's.

#### Marina Shops

A small convenience store in the marina opposite Las Piritas Terrace Restaurant (open 10:00-22:00) sells alcohol, and soft drinks. The marina fuel dock also has convenience snacks (open 08:00-21:00).

### Tourist Information

#### Tourist office

[visittallinn.ee](http://visittallinn.ee)

+372 645 7777

Niguliste 2 / Kullassepa 4

The Tallinn Card offering free access to selected attractions and discount on tours and transport is available here.

## Travel Information

### Airport

#### Lennart Meri Tallinn Airport (TLL)

[tallinn-airport.ee](http://tallinn-airport.ee)

Approx. 4 km from Tallinn city centre. International flights to the UK and other European destinations. Taxi is the easiest transfer. Approx. 20 minutes to Pirita Marina.

#### Car Rental

Available at Tallinn Airport and in the city centre.

#### Avis

[tll@avis.ee](mailto:tll@avis.ee)

+372 605 8222

#### Budget

[info@budget.ee](mailto:info@budget.ee)

+372 605 8600

#### Sixt

[rent@sixt.ee](mailto:rent@sixt.ee)

+372 605 8148

#### Autorent Tallinn

+372 503 0222

### Buses

Airport to city: Buses 2 and 15 travel to city centre/ Tallinn Central Bus Station with onward connections to Pirita.

Buses from Pirita Marina to Old Town: 1A, 8, 34A, 38, check [tpilet.ee](http://tpilet.ee) or local transport app for latest routes.

Single ticket €1.60 paid to driver.

Electronic tickets via [www.tpilet.ee/en](http://www.tpilet.ee/en) or an app.

Green bus card available from R-Kiosks (€2; single journey €1.10).

### Tram

A tram connection (line 4) exists between the airport and city centre; it may be operational depending on construction status and doesn't run continuously.

### Taxis

Taxis available outside Pirita Spa Hotel or via marina office. Pirita Marina to Old Town approx. €15.

**Tulika Takso**  
**Tallink Takso**  
**Airport Taxi**  
**Forus Takso**

+372 612 001  
+372 6408921  
+372 6120000  
+372 6120000

Uber and Bolt available.

## Helsinki, Finland

Dialling Code: +358

Time zone: UTC +2 (Standard) / UTC +3 (Daylight Saving)

Currency: Euro (EUR)

Emergency: 112

Police: 112

## Marina Bay – Helsinki City Guest Harbour

Location: 60° 10.2'N, 24° 57.8'E

T: +358 50 544 8008

Email: [info@marinabay.fi](mailto:info@marinabay.fi)

Website: [marinabay.fi](http://marinabay.fi)

VHF: Channel 68

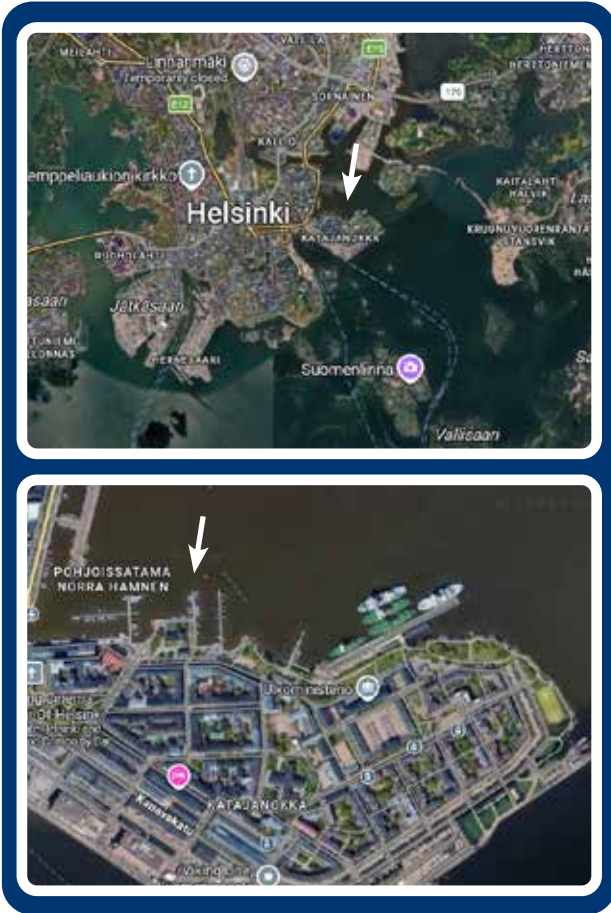
Mailing Address: MarinaBay, Kanavaranta 4, 00160 Helsinki, Finland



Sunset over TOP Marina



Helsinki



## Introduction

Finland has followed on a path of fast economic development and industrialisation since the mid twentieth century. Today, the Finnish educational system is considered to be one of the best in Europe; its industry is highly competitive; it is credited to be one of the least corrupt countries in the world and, the quality of life in Finland has repeatedly been assessed as one of the highest in the world. Swedish and Finnish are official languages however the number of Swedish speaking inhabitants has decreased from around 20 % in the nineteenth century to around 5% today.

## Helsinki

Helsinki (in Swedish Helsingfors) was established in 1550 as a rival to Reval (Tallinn). The Plague in 1710 killed a major part of the inhabitants and it was not until Finland became the autonomous Grand Duchy in 1809 as it developed into a substantial city.

Main sights include the Helsinki Cathedral (constructed 1830-1852) and the Suomenlinna fort (Sveaborg). Suomenlinna is a UNESCO World Heritage site and, in addition to the fortress itself, it hosts a number of museums and a Nordic Arts Centre.

## Visas

Visa requirements follow Schengen rules. Information on countries whose nationals require a visa for Finland can be found at: [um.fi/visa-to-visit-finland](http://um.fi/visa-to-visit-finland)

## Crew arriving by air

Crew arriving by air to join the yacht must carry valid travel documents and, if required, a Schengen visa. A letter from the skipper confirming their intention to join the yacht is recommended.

## Arriving with Pets

An EU pet passport is required. Pets must meet Finnish and EU health requirements, including microchipping and valid rabies vaccination. Pets must be declared if required by Finnish Customs.

## Marina Facilities

Showers: Located in the marina service building.

Power: 230V / 50Hz, 16A

Water: Potable water is available at the berths. Some berths may require an extension hose.

Note: It is recommended to carry European 16A adaptors and extension leads.

## Entry Formalities

Finland is part of the EU and the Schengen Area. On arrival from outside the Schengen Area, immigration and customs formalities must be completed. Helsinki is an official port of entry. Passports must be carried for all crew, and vessel registration documents should be available.

Duty-free goods must be declared to Customs. Immigration and customs clearance must be completed on arrival and departure when required.



Helsinki arrivals



## A to Z of Boat Services

### Boatyard and Haulout

**Jouko Lindgren Oy**

[joukolindgren.fi/](http://joukolindgren.fi/)

**Leevene**

[leevene.fi/](http://leevene.fi/)

### Chandleries

**Marinekauppa**

[marinekauppa.com/en](http://marinekauppa.com/en)

**Veneilijän verkkokauppa**

[veneilijanverkkokauppa.fi/fi](http://veneilijanverkkokauppa.fi/fi)

### Fuel (Diesel)

Available at designated fuel stations in Helsinki harbour area. Contact marina office for directions. Payment by card. Also available at Seapoint at Skifferholmen a short distance west of the marina in position 60°09'.2"N, 24°56'.8"E. St1 Helsinki Marine Lauttasaari Open: 10:00-19:00

**Seapoint Liuskaluoto** +358 404100304

[st1.fi/asemat/veneasema-helsinki-lauttasaari](http://st1.fi/asemat/veneasema-helsinki-lauttasaari)

### Gas (Cooking)

Gas bottles available from camping and marine suppliers in Helsinki. International fittings limited.

**Seapoint Liuskaluoto** +358 404100304

[st1.fi/asemat/veneasema-helsinki-lauttasaari](http://st1.fi/asemat/veneasema-helsinki-lauttasaari)

**Wilthomi, Espoo**

[wilhtom.fi](http://wilhtom.fi)

### Mechanical Repairs

See Boatyards above.

### Sail Repairs

**North Sails Finland**

[northsails.com](http://northsails.com) +358 9 682 4420

**WB Sails**

[info@wb-sails.f](mailto:info@wb-sails.f) +358 9 621 5055  
Veneentekijäntie 2, 00210 Helsinki

**One Sails Finland** +358 50 597 5773

[onesails.com/lofts/finland-helsinki/](http://onesails.com/lofts/finland-helsinki/)

### Black Water

It is prohibited to pump out black water inside the territorial waters of Finland. For pump-out stations, see locations online at [septit.net/](http://septit.net/)

## A to Z of What's On Shore

### Accommodation

**Hotel Katajanokka**

[hotelkatajanokka.fi](http://hotelkatajanokka.fi) +358 9 686 450

**Scandic Grand Marina,**

[scandichotels.fi](http://scandichotels.fi) +358 9 16661

### Banks & ATMs

Available throughout Helsinki.

### Car Rental

**Hertz Helsinki Downtown**

[hertz.fi](http://hertz.fi) +358 20 555 2300

**Avis Helsinki City**

[avis.fi](http://avis.fi) +358 20 511 0100

**Sixt Helsinki**

[sixt.fi](http://sixt.fi) +358 10 424 4000

### Doctors / Hospitals

**Helsinki University Hospital (HUS)**

+358 9 4711

**Haartmanska Sjukhuset**

+358 93105018.  
Haartmansgatan 4

### Internet

Wi-Fi available in the marina area.

### Laundry

Washer and dryer available in the same building as the showers. Free of charge. Please sign up on the sheet next to the machine and use a short programme.

### Pharmacy

**Katajanokan apteekki**

Kruunuvuorenkatu 1, 00160 Helsinki

**Police**

+358 718 770 111  
Pasilanraitio 11, Helsinki

### Restaurants

**Club House Restaurant**

+358 961 286 500

**Nokka Restaurant**

[nokkahelsinki.fi](http://nokkahelsinki.fi) +358 9 407 37200

**Johan & Nyström Kanavaranta**

[johanochnystrom.fi](http://johanochnystrom.fi)

**Restaurant Shelter**

[shelter.fi](http://shelter.fi) +358 10 2073 002

[reservations@shelter.fi](mailto:reservations@shelter.fi)

Kanavaranta 7, 00160 Helsinki

# Local Information

## Rally Handbook



### Rubbish

Bins and recycling facilities available at the marina next to shower block. Glass, plastic, paper, organic waste recycling.

### Sightseeing

#### Helsinki Cathedral (Helsingin tuomiokirkko)

[helsingintuomiokirkko.fi/en/](https://helsingintuomiokirkko.fi/en/)

One of the city's most recognisable landmarks, dominating Senate Square in the historic centre. Built in the 19th century in neoclassical style, its white façade and green domes are iconic and visible from the harbour.

#### Suomenlinna Sea Fortress

[suomenlinna.fi/en/](https://suomenlinna.fi/en/)

Suomenlinna is a UNESCO World Heritage Site and one of Finland's most popular attractions. This vast 18th-century sea fortress is spread across several islands and is reached by a regular public ferry from Market Square (included in the city transport ticket). Visitors can explore fortifications, tunnels, museums, cafés, walking trails, and scenic viewpoints. Allow at least half a day to fully enjoy the area.

#### Market Square (Kauppatori)

[helsingintorit.fi/en/market-squares/#helsinki-market-square](https://helsingintorit.fi/en/market-squares/#helsinki-market-square)

The Market Square is the lively heart of Helsinki's waterfront, located beside South Harbour. It hosts outdoor stalls selling local food, fresh produce, souvenirs, crafts, as well as seasonal markets. It is also the main departure point for ferries to Suomenlinna and sightseeing boats around the archipelago.

### Shopping & Supermarkets

#### S-Market

Kaserngatan 19, Helsingfors 13. Open hours Mon-Sat 07:00-22:00, Sun 09:00-22:00.

### Tourist Information

#### Turistinformationen

[myhelsinki.fi](https://myhelsinki.fi)

[tourist.info@hel.fi](mailto:tourist.info@hel.fi)

Norra Esplanaden 19. [tourist.info@hel.fi](mailto:tourist.info@hel.fi) Open: Mon-Fri 09:00-20:00, Sat & Sun 09:00-18:00

## Travel Information

### Airport

#### Helsinki Airport (HEL)

[centre.finavia.fi](https://centre.finavia.fi)

Approx. 20 km from city.

### Buses

Frequent bus and train connections between airport and city centre. Bus 600 goes from the airport to the city centre taking around 40 mins.

### Trains

HSL trains I and P are the fastest, most direct public transport from Helsinki Airport (HEL) to the city centre, taking about 30 minutes. Tickets are required before boarding, available via the HSL mobile app, station machines, or via contactless payment.

### Ferry

Ferries run between mainland and NJK Blekholmen marina every 20-30 minutes.

### Taxis

Widely available. App-based taxis used.

#### Taksi Helsinki Oy

[taksihelsinki.fi/en/](https://taksihelsinki.fi/en/)

+358 100 0700

#### Lähitaksi

[lahitaksi.fi/en/](https://lahitaksi.fi/en/)

+358 200 6900

#### O2 Taksi

[02taksi.fi/english/](https://02taksi.fi/english/)

+358 2 042 042



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### Mariehamn, Finland

Dialling Code: +358 18

Time zone: UTC +2 (Standard) / UTC +3 (Daylight Saving)

Currency: Euro (EUR)

Emergency: 112

Police: 112

### ASS Marina (Ålands Segelsällskap), Mariehamn

Location: : 60°05'.87N 19°55'.67E

T: +358 18 13610

Email: [gasthamn@segel.ax](mailto:gasthamn@segel.ax)

Website: [segel.ax/gasthamn/ass-marina](http://segel.ax/gasthamn/ass-marina)

VHF: Channel 16

Mailing Address: Ålands Segelsällskap (ASS) Marina, Sjöpromenaden, Mariehamn 22100, Åland Islands

Water: Potable water available at berths

Power: 230 V / 50 Hz, 16 A (European plugs) available at berths



### Introduction

Mariehamn, “the town of the thousands Linden trees”, has a picturesque town centre and is a major port. It is an important international harbour linking Sweden and Finland with daily ferry traffic. The ferry traffic is bolstered by the fact that Åland is not part of the EU customs zone and thus tax free goods can be purchased onboard. Åland’s unique status is due to the legal basis in that Åland is an autonomous territory under Finnish sovereignty. Mariehamn, the capital, with 11,000 inhabitants, is the seat of the Government and the Parliament. Åland and Mariehamn are Swedish speaking and a large majority speak it as their native language. Mariehamn was founded in 1861 and named after the Empress consort Maria Alexandrovna of Tsar Alexander II.

### Visas

Schengen visa rules apply. More information on visa requirements can be found at [um.fi/visa-to-visit-finland](http://um.fi/visa-to-visit-finland)

### Crew arriving by air

Crew arriving by air should carry valid travel documents and visas if required.

### Arriving with Pets

EU pet passport, microchip and rabies vaccination required.

### Marina Facilities

Showers/Sauna: The women’s sauna is located south of the ÅSS Paviljongen restaurant and the men’s sauna is on the north side. The sauna is hot every day in June, July and August 08:00 – 11:00 and 18:00 – 21:00. Showers and toilets are available 24 hours a day.

Water and Electricity: Electricity is available on all docks. Please note that the wiring is designed for battery charging only.

Potable water is available at all piers.

## Entry Formalities

Åland is part of Finland and the EU, but outside the EU VAT area. Schengen rules apply. Customs formalities may apply for goods due to Åland's special tax status. Carry passports and vessel documents.

## Gustaf Eriksson

Gustaf Eriksson was a ship-owner from Mariehamn and became famous for his cargo shipping line that consisted of square riggers. Following the end of World War I, the days of sailing ships were considered to be over but Erikson saw the opportunity to do the exact opposite. He realised that big sailing ships in good condition would be available at low prices, so he bought many windjammers and assigned his big ships on the Australian wheat trade route where they could compete successfully with steamers.

However, World War II put an end to the era of large sailing ships and the few remaining square riggers still afloat are now restaurants or museum ships.

## A-Z of Boat Services

### Boatyard and Haulout

Available locally.

### Chandleries

#### Wemarin

[wemarin.com](http://wemarin.com)

#### Fuel (Diesel)

Available at fuel dock in the marina. Open 24/7. Outside office hours, pay using card machine.

#### Gas (Cooking)

Available from local suppliers. Fittings vary.

### Mechanical Repairs

#### Mitec

[mitec.ax/](http://mitec.ax/)

#### Sveden Ab

[sveden.ax/](http://sveden.ax/)

### Sail Repairs

**Jouni Lahdenperä** +358 405 486 226

### Black Water

Pump-out available at the fuel pontoon.

## A to Z of What's On Shore

### Accommodation

#### Hotell Pommern

[alandhotels.fi](http://alandhotels.fi) +358 18 15555  
[info@alandhotels.fi](mailto:info@alandhotels.fi)  
Norragatan 8-10, Mariehamn 22100, Åland Islands

#### Park Alandia Hotel

[parkalandia.com/](http://parkalandia.com/) +358 18 14130  
[info@parkalandia.com](mailto:info@parkalandia.com)  
Norra Esplanadgatan 3, Mariehamn 22100, Åland Islands

#### Hotel Arkipelag

[hotellarkipelag.com/](http://hotellarkipelag.com/) +358 18 24020  
[info@hotellarkipelag.ax](mailto:info@hotellarkipelag.ax)  
Strandgatan 35, Mariehamn 22100, Åland Islands

### Banks & ATMs

ATM available in the centre of Mariehamn 1km from the marina including Ålandsbanken, Nordea, Andelsbanken.

### Doctors / Hospitals

#### Åland Central Hospital, Mariehamn

2km from the Marina +358 185355

### Internet

WiFi in the harbour is offered in collaboration with Ålcom and is included in the harbour fee.

### Laundry

North of ÅSS Paviljongen there is a laundry room. Reservations are made on the list in the laundry room. Payment is made by card or on the phone in the laundry room.

### Pharmacy

**Centralapoteket** +358 1819714  
Skarpansvägen 24. 1km from the marina.

**Första Apoteket** +358 18 16511

**Police** +358 18527100  
Police, Strandgatan 27.  
1km from the marina.

### Restaurants

#### Restaurant ÅSS Pavilion

[boka@paviljongen.ax](mailto:boka@paviljongen.ax) +358 18 19141  
Sjöpromenaden 6, 22100 Mariehamn

#### Pub Albin

[boka@paviljongen.ax](mailto:boka@paviljongen.ax) +358 18 19404  
Sjöpromenaden 4, 22100 Mariehamn

#### ÅSS Paviljongen

+358 18 19141  
Sjöpromenaden, Mariehamn 22100

### Rubbish / Garbage

Rubbish disposal is located in the same building as the port office. All rubbish must be sorted according to the signs in the garbage station.

### Shopping & Supermarkets

Convenient store in the marina and shopping centre 1km from marina.

### Tourist Information

#### Visit Åland

[visitaland.com](http://visitaland.com) +358 1824000  
[info@visitaland.com](mailto:info@visitaland.com)  
Torggatan 6, Mariehamn.

### Travel Information

#### Airport

**Mariehamn Airport (MHQ)** +358 207 08000  
[finavia.fi/fi/lentoasemat/maarianhamina](http://finavia.fi/fi/lentoasemat/maarianhamina)

#### Buses

Public transport consists of five bus lines. The main stop is in the town centre at the crossroads of Nygatan and Torggatan opposite Åland Post.

#### Car Rental

##### Europcar Maarianhamina

[europcar.fi](http://europcar.fi) +358 8 1815222  
Strandgatan, Mariehamn 22100, Åland Islands

##### Europcar Maarianhamina Lentokenttä (airport)

[europcar.fi](http://europcar.fi) +358 18 15222  
Mariehamn Airport, 67 Flygfältsvägen, Jomala 22120, Åland Islands

#### Taxis

**Mariehamns Taxi** +358 18 26000  
**Jomala taxi 16000** +358 18 16000  
**Jollys taxi** +358 18 14500  
**Taxibolaget** +358 18 22100

## Bullandö, Stockholm

Dialling Code: +46

Time zone: UTC +1 (Standard) / UTC +2 (Daylight Saving)

Currency: Swedish Krona (SEK)

Emergency: 112

Police: 112

## Bullandö Marina

Location: : 59°17.9' N, 18°39' E

T: +46 8 571 452 10

Email: [customerservicebullandomarina.se](mailto:customerservicebullandomarina.se)

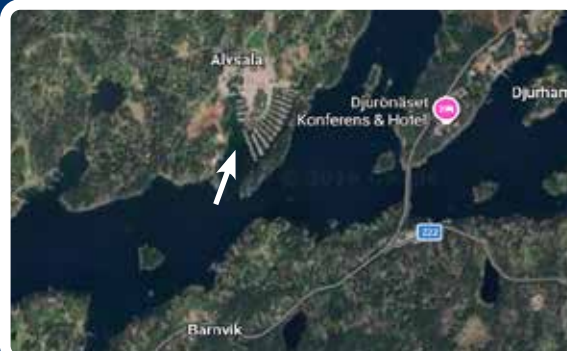
Website: [bullandomarina.se](http://bullandomarina.se)

VHF: Channel 16

Mailing Address: Bullandö Marina, 139 56 Värmdö, Sweden

Water: Potable water available at berths

Power: 230 V / 50 Hz, 16 A (European plugs) available at berths



### Entry Formalities

Sweden is part of the EU and the Schengen Area. Normal Schengen entry rules apply. Carry passports and vessel documents.

### Visas

Schengen visa requirements apply. Visa requirements can be found at <https://www.migrationsverket.se>

### Crew arriving by air

Crew arriving by air must carry valid travel documents and visas if required

### Arriving with Pets

EU pet passport, microchip and rabies vaccination required.

### Marina Facilities

Showers/Sauna: The port fee includes access to the shower and sauna. The current code is obtained from the harbour master upon payment.

Power: 230V / 50Hz, 16A

Water: Potable water available at all berths

## A to Z of Boat Services

### Boatyard and Haulout

Available on site  
[kundservice@bullandomarina.se](mailto:kundservice@bullandomarina.se) +46 8 571 45210

### Chandleries

**Bullandö Marina Shop** +46 8 571 490 00  
Boat equipment, spares, and supplies.

### Electronics

**TyMar Marine Electronics**  
[info@tymar.se](mailto:info@tymar.se) +46 8 410 513 14  
Bullandövägen 30, 139 56 Värmdö. Open Mon – Fri  
08:00 – 17:00

### Fuel (Diesel)

Fuel available at marine gas station. Pay by card. The gas station is operated by Bullandö Handel, local store.

### Gas (Cooking)

Gas available from marina and nearby suppliers.

## Mechanical Repairs

### Brohäll Marine

[mail@brohallmarin.se](mailto:mail@brohallmarin.se) +46 8 571 450 45  
Authorized for Volvo Penta, Mercury/Mercruiser  
Yanmar, Beta and Vetus.

## Sail Repairs & Rigging

### Gransegel

[segel@gransegel.se](mailto:segel@gransegel.se) +46 8 718 30 60

## Black Water

Pump-out available.

## A to Z of What's On Shore

### Banks & ATMs

Available in nearby towns.

### Doctors / Hospitals

Hospitals available in Stockholm. Emergency: 112

### Internet

Wi-Fi available.

### Police

Emergency: 112

### Restaurants

Restaurant available on site; more options in Stockholm.

### Bullandö Krog

[info@bullandokrog.se](mailto:info@bullandokrog.se) +46 8 571 458 54  
Bullandö Marina, 139 56 Värmdö

### Bullandö Ice Cream Factory

[info@bullandoglassfabrik.se](mailto:info@bullandoglassfabrik.se) +46 8 20 40 10  
Bullando Marina, 139 56 Stockholm

### Rubbish / Garbage

Waste and recycling facilities available.

## Shopping & Supermarkets

### Bullandö Handel

[bullandohandel@gmail.com](mailto:bullandohandel@gmail.com) +46 8 571 450 58.  
Open 0700 – 2200 every day.

## Tourist Information

[visitstockholm.com](http://visitstockholm.com)

## Travel Information

### Airport

#### Stockholm Arlanda Airport (ARN)

[swedavia.se](http://swedavia.se)

Approx. 60 km from the Marina.

### Buses

Bus connections available to Stockholm.

### Car Rental

Available in Stockholm area, around a 45 – 60 minute drive

### Taxis

Taxi and app-based services available in Stockholm



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