

INVITATION TO

RIVA RUN & FUN 2024



11-15 JULY

STOCKHOLM CITY TOUR, SWEDEN



WELCOME TO STOCKHOLM CITY

Stockholm is not only the capital of Sweden but also the water way capital of Scandinavia. You might have noticed that Stockholmers are prone to saying that the city "is best experienced from the water", and for good reason. Its location by Lake Mälaren and an archipelago with 30,000 islands just around the bend makes Stockholm perfect for water activities.

The name 'Stockholm' easily splits into two distinct parts – Stock-holm, "Log-islet", but as no serious explanation to the name has been produced, various myths and legends have attempted to fill in the gap. According to a 17th-century myth the population at the viking settlement Birka decided to found a new settlement, and to determine its location had a log bound with gold drifting in Lake Mälaren. It landed on present day Riddarholmen where today the Tower of Birger Jarl stands, a building, as a consequence, still often erroneously mentioned as the oldest building in Stockholm. The most established explanation for the name are logs driven into the strait passing north of today's old town which dendrochronological examinations in the late 1970s dated to around 1000.



PROGRAM

Thursday 11 July ARRIVAL DAY

Arrival day and get the boats ready. "Get together" buffet at the dock in the evening

Friday 12 July EXPEDITION DAY ARCHIPELAGO

A round trip in east direction out to the archipelago. We will stop for lunch at Ekholmen(MYS) and sightseeing at a classic boatyards on the way. Route to be finalized upon departure, due to sea and weather conditions of the day.

Saturday 13 July EXPEDITION DAY BOAT CITY TOUR

A trip into Stockholm. We take the "look" into Mälaren passing Djurgården in it way ending with a round tour in the inner city parts of Stockholm were we make a stop for some sightseeing. Choose one of many restaurants for dining before we head back to Nacka strand later in the evening.

Sunday 14 July FREE ACTIVITY DAY

Shorter Riva tour is planned, but free off choice including a shorter stop for lunch. Possibility to take walk around Stockholm inner city area. Route depending on sea and weather conditions.

Prize giving and gala dinner in the evening when coming back.

Monday 15 July TIME TO SAY GOODBYE

Farewell and lift the boats out of the water.

PRACTICAL INFORMATION

Moring of boats are in the marina in Nacka Strand close by our hotel. This will be our starting point for these days.

Hotel J

Ellensviksvägen 1

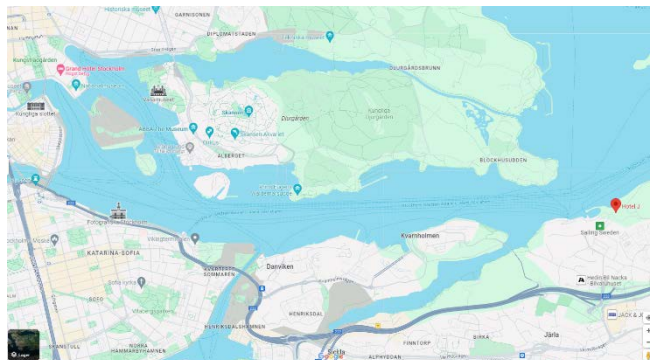
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Fuel for boats

The closest gas station by sea is about 5 min away, Fjäderholmen.

Best is to fill up before bringing the boat to water. It is cheaper and saves time. We expect all participants to have a full tank when we start the meeting on Friday morning.

The total distance during these days will be approximately 90 Nm.

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