

NARVIK CRUISE PORT

Narvik - We have a story to tell. **Cruise Season:** All year. **Average temperature:** Winter: -15°C / +7°C, Summer +15°C / +25°C
Cruise Information: www.destinationnarvik.com **Port Information:** www.narvikhavn.no



NARVIK

- the region of contrast

Welcome to Narvik - A peninsula surrounded by fjords and mountains. Narvik is so much more than just beautiful nature! It is the home of Ofoten railway, the navvies, the famous bear cubs Salt & Pepper and its unique war history. It was the first industrial town in Northern Norway and was given town status in 1902 as the construction of the Ofoten Railway was completed. A town center was formed and its unique culture was, and still is, influenced by Swedish navvies, British engineers and sailors from across the world. Located 45 km from the Swedish border you can visit two countries in one day.

ATTRACTIONS/EXCURSIONS

Narvikfjellet

Experience Narvik's unforgettable view in a different way.

- Ride the cable car to one of the most famous viewpoints in Northern Norway - the mountain restaurant at Narvikfjellet, 656 m above sea level.
- From here take the chair lift to 1200 m and enjoy the most spectacular view in the entire region. You can even see as far as Lofoten on a clear day.
- The chair lift brings you down to the plateau again where you can have a snack in a Lavvu. Imagine viewing the Northern Lights from here!

War Memorial Museum

Narvik's dramatic history from World War II. In April 1940 Narvik became the focus of the world's attention. After half a year of uneventful war Hitler attacked Denmark and Norway. For two months a bitter battle for Narvik and the iron-ore raged between the invading German forces and the French, Polish and Norwegian troops on land, and a

considerable British flotilla at sea. The battle meant the destructions of the iron-ore shipping installations and of the town.

The Battle of Narvik was the first major victory gained by the Allies during World War II, thanks to the powerful support of the Royal Navy. The museum's exhibits document the period 1940-1945 and contain an original enigma machine and a Victoria Cross.

Polar Zoo

The world's northernmost wildlife park and one of Northern Norway's most popular tourist attractions. With its 114 acres of natural habitat it houses Arctic animals such as wolves, brown bear, lynx, wolverine, mouse, reindeer, musk oxen and fox. Enjoy a guided tour of the park visiting most of the enclosures.

Why not try a different kind of visit?

Wolf Camp

The wolves in Wolf Camp are socialized, and accustomed to associate with humans at close range. We give you the unique opportunity to meet the wolves at Polar Zoo inside the enclosure! Meet this mythical animal, and discover the actual truth about wolves.

Howl night

Join us and get a unique and fantastic experience after closing time. Close your eyes and imagine standing in the park. It is dark, crispy snow underfoot, you are calling the wolves and they reply - their howls echoing. This is the perfect setting for the Northern Lights to magically light up the sky.

The Ofoten Railway

The Ofoten Railway extends for 42 km from Narvik to the Swedish border and winds its way through steep, rugged, mountainous terrain north of the Arctic Circle



Polar Zoo



Ofoten Rail. Photo: Terje Storjord/Arctictrains.com



with a variety of contrasting scenery - from the fertile slopes bordering the fjords to the barren mountain plateau. The journey is a tourist attraction in itself. For Narvik and the surrounding region, the line is a direct route to Sweden and onwards to the Continent.

The Ofoten Railway opened in 1902 to ship iron-ore from Kiruna in Sweden down to Narvik's ice-free harbor. The line was once described as the 8th Wonder of the World and was the northernmost, coldest and harshest railway construction project the world had ever seen.

Combination tour Ofoten rail, navy trek and RIB

Take the train from Narvik to Katterat. From here you walk down the Navy trail to Rombaksbotn where we light a bonfire and make coffee and lunch. After lunch you are picked up by RIB and taken to Sildvik/Narvik. On the way back we pass the ship wreck of the German destroyer Georg Thiele.

The navy trek is a cultural landmark and the tour gives you the history of the navvies who constructed

the railway. Remnants of the settlement where the navvies lived in Rombaksbotn can still be seen.

Winter festival week (March every year)

- A festival honoring the navvies
- Costume parade
- Culture and festivities
- Daily activities in town for everyone

Dates:

March 8-17, 2013
March 14-23, 2014
March 6-15, 2015
March 4-13, 2016

OTHER WINTER ACTIVITIES:

Jukkasjärvi Ice Hotel

The world's first and largest ice hotel. Day trip, stay overnight, get married, Northern Lights excursions.

Dog sledding

Glide across the blanket of snow to the sound of the runners and the panting of the dogs. Visit the Husky camp.

Snowmobile excursions

Go on an adventure and experience the wild mountains on one of our environmentally friendly snowmobiles. Drive your own snowmobile or travel in twos.

Cave tours

Crawling into the primitive rock in winter adorned with stalagmites and stalactites is an exciting adventure. If the going allows, we travel by snowmobile and sledge all the way to the cave, otherwise we may have to walk a short part of the way.

PORT OF NARVIK

Distance to nearest pilot station
Nautical miles/Hours: 32 nm/2,5-3,5 hrs
Visiting address: Fagernesveien 2, NO-8514 Narvik
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TOURIST INFORMATION

Visiting address: Stasjonsveien 1 (Railwaystation)
Distance from port: 2500 m
Mailing address: POB. 338, NO-8505 Narvik
Phone / Fax: +47 76 96 56 00
E-mail: post@destinationnarvik.com
Internet: www.destinationnarvik.com

GENERAL INFORMATION

Guide Service: YES
Terminal/Restrooms in pier area: NO
Shuttle bus: YES
Parking place for buses: YES
Taxi: YES
Rental cars: YES
Public transportation: YES
Shopping: Fagernes: 1500 m, Pier 1: 500 m
Local currency: NOK
ATM: Fagernes: 1500 m, Pier 1: 500 m

Currency exchange: NO
Public telephones in pier area: NO
Internet access in pier area: NO
Mailboxes in pier area: NO
Distances - airport: Narvik Airport: 5 km (local flights), H/N Evenes: 80 km
Distance to city center: Fagernes: 1500 m, Pier 1: 500 m
Nearest Hospital: UNN Narvik, +47 76 96 80 00, 3000 m

PORT SERVICES / FACILITIES & INFORMATION

Bunkers delivery /method: Bunker barge from Harstad
Supplies: Smaller amounts available
Waste handling: Waste containers
Waste water method: Tank lorry, suction
Tugboats: 3 tugboats available
Anchorage: Inner or outer anchorage spots, also used by Bulk Carriers
Pontoons: NIL
Pilot: Lodingen Pilot Station
Emergency: Bodo Radio or Narvik Port Control
Medical emergency: Phone 113
Charts: Norwegian Ch. No. 142 and 461
Tidal movement: Average 2 m
ISPS approved: YES
Designated quays for cruise ships: NO
Ship tenders allowed: YES
Beam: No limitation
Max size ship in port: Approx. 100 000 GT/3000 PAX
Max number of passenger per day in port: 2000

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2 alongside, plus tendering
Ships stay min /max: No limitation
Port facilities according to
Cruise Norway's guidelines: YES

Maximum ship length: Fagernes Quay:

250 m., Pier 1: 140 m
Maximum ship draft and depth in sea: 15 m
Maximum ship air draft if bridge: No limitation
Crew facilities: Seamen's Club, shopping, sightseeing

ANCHORAGE

Type of bottom: Mud
Minimum depth: 25 m
Distance from anchorage to tender pier:
Inner anchorage: 1000 m, Outer anchorage: 3000-4000 m



QUAY:
Fagernes
Central Harbor

LENGTH:
280 m
140 m

DRAFT:
15 m
8.3/5.3 m

AIRDRAFT:
No limit
No limit

BEAM:
No limit
60 m

HEIGHT QUAYSIDE:
3.9 m at MW
3.7 m at MW

