

Highlights of this voyage

- ★ Trondheim – history and nature
- ★ Ålesund – Norway's art nouveau city
- ★ Volda – in the heart of fjordland
- ★ Kalvåg – charming fishing village
- ★ Isle of Osterøy – imposing fjord passage
 - ★ Bergen – hanseatic history
- ★ Odda – industrial culture in Sør fjord
- ★ Skudeneshavn – white wooden houses
- ★ Lillesand – typical for Norway's sørlandet
 - ★ Randers – river port in Jutland
 - ★ Hundested – between sea and fjord

Nostalgic mailboat voyages aboard MV Nordstjernen



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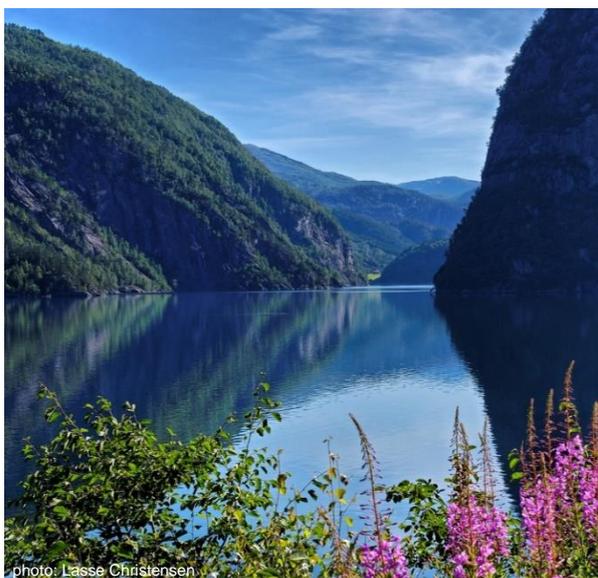


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Voyage – 2019/1

Fjords, Fjell und Fishing Villages

Norway - Denmark - Germany

from Trondheim / to Lübeck-Travemünde

9 nights from April 17 to April 26, 2019

On request:

Pre-cruise overnight aboard in Trondheim, April 16 - April 17



Welcome aboard!

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On our nostalgic Nordstjernen voyages we would like to show you our destinations in a personal and individual way. Our ambition is to make your trip a very special experience!

We have chosen our destinations with great care, emphasizing the possibilities offered by our little maritime treasure, MV Nordstjernen. This voyage aboard this historic vessel starts in **Trondheim**, Norway's second oldest town. On the next morning, you will have the opportunity to stroll around the art nouveau town of **Ålesund** before we are going to sail to **Volda**, situated right in the heart of Norway's fjord country. Our nostalgic mailboat voyage then continues to the island of Frøya. There, we will call at **Kalvåg**, the best-maintained fishing village in western Norway with a unique collection of old waterfront buildings. A special experience is waiting for us on the following day: the complete circumnavigation of **Osterøy**, Norway's largest inshore island, surrounded by three fjords and many spectacular passages. In the afternoon we will call at the historic hanseatic trading port of **Bergen**. Next is a long passage into the Hardangerfjord and Sør fjord, where we will visit the town of **Odda**, situated at the foot of Folgefonn glacier and featuring historic buildings from the early days of industrialisation. Our Norwegian coastal passage will be completed at the charming fishing villages of **Skudeneshavn** and **Lillesand**, both important seaports during the age of sail and now beautifully restored with classic white wooden houses and narrow alleys. After crossing the Skagerrak and Kattegat straits we are going to sail into the port of **Randers** in eastern Jutland. Enjoy our 18-mile passage along the Randers fjord and the Gudenå, Denmark's longest river. Our final port of call will be the cozy seaport of **Hundested** on the Danish island of Sealand. Our voyage will terminate at the seaside resort of **Lübeck-Travemünde**, right next to Lübeck, "the queen of the Hanseatic league". There, we have to say goodbye to our passengers – unless you are staying aboard for our next voyage...





photo: Frokor



photo: Hans-Petter Farstad

Norway – Denmark – Germany – Your itinerary

Date	Port	Expected Time	Notes
Tu 16/04	Trondheim – pre-cruise overnight on request		cabins available from ca. 15:00
We 17/04	Trondheim / N	departure ca. 19:00	embarkation from ca. 12:00
Th 18/04	Ålesund / N Volda / N	ca. 09:00 – 15:00 ca. 17:30 – 22:00	planned: excursion to Runde bird sanctuary
Fr 19/04	Kalvåg / N	ca. 08:00 – 17:00	planned: excursion Bremangerlandet
Sa 20/04	Circumnavigation of the isle of Osterøy – cruising three fjords Bergen / N	morning and early afternoon ca. 15:00 – 24:00	planned: visit to sail training ship „Statsraad Lehmkuhl“
Su 21/04	cruising Hardangerfjord Odda / N	morning and afternoon ca. 10:00 – 17:00	planned: excursion to Haukeli mountain range, Låtefoss waterfall and Tyssedal industrial monument
Mo 22/04	Skudeneshavn / N	ca. 08:00 – 18:00	
Tu 23/04	Lillesand / N	ca. 09:00 – 18:00	
We 24/04	Randers / DK	ca. 09:00 – 23:00	planned: city tour
Th 25/04	Hundested / DK	ca. 08:00 – 18:00	
Fr 26/04	Lübeck-Travemünde / D	arrival ca. 09:00	disembarkation until 10:00

*Shore excursions are still under development. We will send you a programme and an application form in time before sailing.
Shore landings in Polar Circle boats subject to wind and weather conditions. Errors and omissions excepted.*



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Built in 1956 at Hamburg's Blohm & Voss shipyard, MV Nordstjernen gained the status of a protected vessel by the Norwegian Directorate of Cultural Heritage. She is a fine example of 1950's ship design, based in many aspects on even earlier designs of the steamship era. She has become a popular vessel on account of her charm, her cosiness and her old-fashioned, but timeless style. We would be very happy to welcome you aboard our "Stjerna" on one of our nostalgic voyages!



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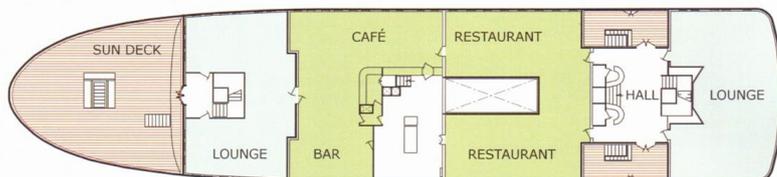


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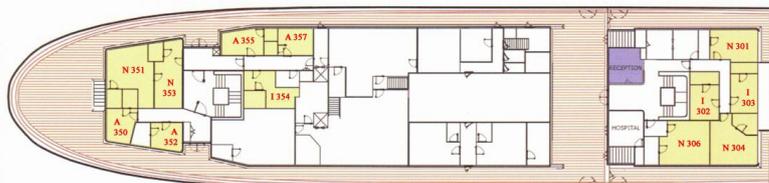


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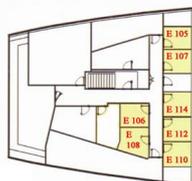
DECK C



DECK B



DECK A



What is included?

- ★ Voyage as described, in booked cabin category
- ★ Full board including breakfast, lunch and dinner, excluding drinks
- ★ all harbour and passenger duties and taxes
- ★ extensive information about the shore excursions
- ★ lectures on destinations and related topics (in German or in German and English)
- ★ German and English speaking onboard tour leader

Vaccinations/Prophylaxis

Please make yourself familiar with vaccine and infection protection before sailing. If necessary, ask for advice from your doctor about possible health risks.

Travel documents

EU citizens require a passport or ID Card valid until at least 3 months after the end of the voyage.

Travel insurance

We recommend to take up insurance against the risk of trip cancellation or interruption, as well as a travel health insurance.

Payment

Payment of the full price is due on embarkation. No advance payment required. You will receive an invoice approximately four weeks before sailing. Payment via bank transfer to Indre Nordhordland Dampbåtlags Norwegian account or onboard during embarkation (credit card or cash).

Conditions of travel

Terms and conditions of the tour operator Indre Nordhordland Dampbåtlag AS, Postboks 203, N-4299 Avaldsnes, Norway, apply.

Important notes

Minimum number of participants for the voyage is 60. If the number of booked passengers is lower, the operator reserves the right to cancel the the voyage, but not later than 4 weeks before sailing.

Gratuities, shore excursions, travel arrangements to and from the ports of embarkation and disembarkations and private purchases are not included.

Payment aboard with all major credit cards or in cash (€, NOK, DKK, SEK, £, \$ accepted)

The crew is international. On this journey, the majority of passengers is expected to be German. Onboard languages are English, Norwegian and German.

There is no luggage service available during embarkation and disembarkation. There is no daily cabin service. Fresh towels are available at all times.

Cabin type	Deck	Price per person, single occupancy of cabin	Price per person, double occupancy of cabin
Cat. E: Very small inside cabin with bunk berths (communal shower/toilet)	A, B	€ 1070	€ 1070
Cat. D: Small outside cabin with bunk berths (communal shower/toilet)	B	€ 1430	€ 1250
Cat. D+: Historic outside cabin with bunk berths (communal shower/toilet)	B	€ 1870	€ 1430
Cat. I: Standard inside cabin with bunk berths, ensuite shower/toilet	B, C	€ 2050	€ 1600
Cat. A: Standard outside cabin with bunk berths, ensuite shower/toilet	B, C	€ 2320	€ 1780
Cat. N: Large outside cabin with bunk berths and sofa (cabin 304: two lower berths), ensuite shower/toilet	C	-	€ 2320

Price for pre-cruise overnight aboard in the port of Trondheim April 16 – 17 in the same cabin booked for the voyage: 80 € per person single occupancy, 60 € per person double occupancy, breakfast included.

Prices for three- and four-berth-cabins and price reductions for children on request.

When booking more than one of our 2019 spring voyages, we grant a combination discount of 10% on the prices of all voyages.

The cabins aboard MV Nordstjernen reflect in size, style and outfit the standards of the year of her construction. All cabins (except cabin 304) are equipped with bunk berths (lower and upper berths). Compared with modern cruise ship cabins, our cabins are small. The „very small inside cabins“ (Cat. E) are comparable to sleeping car compartments. Thus, there is only limited room for luggage. If you can't find enough room for your luggage, our crew will be pleased to help. Engine noise or vibration may affect cabins especially in the aft part of the ship.

Information and reservation

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MS Nordstjernen - 1956

Yard: Blohm&Voss, Hamburg
Tonnage: 2.191 grt
Length: 80,77m
Beam: 12,60m
Draught: 4,50m
Passengers: max. 150
Cabins: 71
Berths: 150
Since 2012: protected by the Norwegian Directorate of Cultural Heritage