



Photo: Visit Farsund, Farsund town watch

PORTS OF LISTER

Farsund and Lyngdal at the Southern Tip of Norway

On the Southern tip of Norway, the small towns Farsund and Lyngdal constitute the Ports of Lister. Farsund is a lively and idyllic seaport with colourful brick houses and hills dotted with charming wooden houses so typical of the region. The town may be most famous for having been a privateers’ nest during the Gunboat War. Beyond the legendary Varbak mountain the township continues out to sea where stunning ocean vistas, surf beaches and coastal farms dominate the windswept landscape. Lyngdal is a natural starting point for exploring the beauty and scenery of the region, with no less than three breathtaking fjords, a long salmon river and dramatic waterfalls, as well as abundant hiking possibilities for all levels, such as the Old Postal Road.

ATTRACTIONS/EXCURSIONS

Historical Farsund with the Town Watch
Join the only female Town Watch of Norway for a fun and historical city walk through Farsund. Immediately recognizable she shows up in period costume in order to charm you with her dry wit and native knowledge of who is what and what is where and how it happened in Farsund.

Lista Lighthouse
The large number of shipwrecks recorded here spurred the establishment of the Lista Lighthouse Station in 1833. Originally a station with 3 granite towers to distinguish it from nearby landmarks, the remaining 34 m tall tower still lights the way for passing ships. Climb the characteristic tower to the top and enjoy the unique landscape of Lista. The station has a visitors’ centre and a Bird Observatory and is a unique treat for all ages.

Borshavn Big Fish Adventure
The experienced crew takes you on a one-of-a-

kind sea fishing adventure straight out of Farsund Harbor. No previous fishing experience is required, and you are in safe hands with skilled fishermen. The idyllic coastline and rocky archipelago make this tour ideal for fishing enthusiasts as well as photographers and birdwatchers.

At home with a Sculptor
Join local sculptor Jon Aslak at home in his garden and studio only minutes from downtown Farsund. Indulge in his playful outdoors and indoors creations while learning about the often blurry line between art and nature. The kettle is ready on arrival, and he happily shares historical facts of his old farmhouse. His artistically carved wooden spoons and artifacts are also available for purchase.

WWII History at Nordberg Fort
The military barracks are still intact at the Nordberg Fort and a guided visit takes you to a selected few including the outdoor trenches and cannon positions. The view of the North Sea is breathtaking from the hilltop and the Visitors Centre offers changing

exhibitions. The surrounding area has a thick cultural landscape going back to the stone Age and a visit here may include the Bronze Age Petroglyphs.

Hangar 45 Exhibitions
The horror of occupied Norway is on display in a real WWII Hangar at the Lista Airport. It is the largest theme-based collection of Southern Norway and includes a fantastic number of military vehicles, a train station, a prisoner of war hut and much more. The items are collected and cared for by the local museum members and they aim to preserve what happened here for what happened here for future generations.

American Nostalgia at Lista
To your surprise, you will find Brooklyn square, 8th Avenue, a treasure trove of American goodies and an authentically American apartment at Lista. It is not unusual is it to see an old Classic American car parked in the street and crossing Brooklyn Bridge i Vanse City should definitely be on your to-do list. Visit the Larsen’s American inspired Bakery or the Diner for the complete quirky and original experience.



Photo: Arild Nielsen, Lista lighthouse

Sail the AIDA Schooner
The pride of Farsund is a schooner that takes you on an exclusive sail out of Farsund Harbour. She journeys out to charming island ports and communities while the captain pass on the stories. Learn of dramatic events that took place here during the Napoleonic Wars and how the sailing vessel was built at the old local Brekneholmen Shipyard. Ship o’hoy!

National Wild Salmon Centre
The Lygna River takes you to the Kvåsfossen Waterfall. Its 36 m drop is one of the largest in the region and situated in view of the Visitors Centre. Through glass windows you may observe wild salmon and trout up close or follow a salmon ladder for a thrilling wildlife experience. Take one of the multiple hiking trails in the vicinity or step out on the river ledge and spot the «troll rock».

Child Wanderer Path at Konsmo
Hard times forced parents in the 1800s to send their children on an up to 136 km trek to find labour at the bountiful farms further east. At Konsmo Museum you learn how they were left to the merit of benevolent farmers and warding off wolf was not unusual. All this and other remarkable stories of the region can be explored at the period furnished townhouse and Old Post Office.



Photo: Visit Farsund, Aida the pride of Farsund

Lindesnes - The South Cape of Norway
The very first lighthouse station in Norway was established on the southernmost point of mainland Norway in 1656 and lit up by candlesticks! The iron tower later replaced the stone fundament, and Lindesnes Lighthouse Station remains the only one with a lighthouse keeper. The views are amazing from top and getting there takes you along a scenic coast before reaching the South Cape of Norway.

Tingvatn Archaeological Park
This Heritage Park is focusing on the Iron Age society and the Migration Era. Incredible artifacts were found here including the gold embellished Snartemo Sword. Burial mounds, stone settings and traces of characteristic buildings suggest it was a place people of this age gathered to hold court to decide each other’s fates. A visit may include plant dying or making a time period meal.

Lyngdal Hiking Tours
A variety of hiking possibilities are available in and around the Lyngdal valley, such as the highland tour to Skrelia with fantastic views above the waterfalls and the old postal road, Kongeveien. Near the centre of Lyngdal is the Sherpa Path with carefully laid stone steps leading to panoramic views of the fjords and the easier hike across the river on a footbridge to the lowlands.



Photo: Mintstreet, Cruise Sorlandet destinations of diversity

Horseriding in the Hills of Åseral
At Eikerapen is the old farm and startup point for a dream come true riding experience. Saddle up on a Fjording horse for a 1.5 hour guided tour of the hills while learning about the area’s history and culture. Examine the old farm tool collection as well as authentic log-built farm structures such as the blacksmith hut.

Nordic Gardening & Home Visit
The love of gardening is apparent in the Lister region and on this tour, you get a rare opportunity to enjoy private gardens with their owners. Share your own expertise and passion for gardening or just get inspired. The climate varies depending on where in the region you are, and you may compare the windswept Penne Garden to a lush valley oasis. The tour may include coffee and a local pastry.

Coastline by Foot
Along kilometers of alternating sandy and rolling rock beaches at Lista is one of the most popular coastline paths in Southern Norway. Depending on how many kilometers you want to walk, the start out point varies and the different paths are well marked. The air is fresh, the ocean views spectacular and photographers come here for the special «Lista light». The area is also great for birdwatching, kiting, and windsurfing.

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PORT INFORMATION
Designated cruise quay : F: Pier 10, the deepwater pier / L: Holmsundet
ISPS : Yes



Maximum ship length: F: 230 m (300 with pilot and crew training)/ L: 210 m
Maximum ship draft: F: 13.5 m / L: 10 m
Maximum beam: F: 40 / L: Unrestricted
Maximum air draft: Unrestricted
Bollard strength (certification): F: 50-100-300 tons / L: 30-50-100-150-200 tons
Tidal movement: 0.4-0.5 m

ANCHORAGE/ TENDER (YES OR NO)
Max size : F: 230 m (300 with pilot and crew training) / L: 350 m
Ship tenders allowed : Yes
Type of bottom: Sand and mud
Depth: F: 45 m / L: 20-30 m

PORT SERVICES
Gangway available : F: Yes 8-10 m / L: Yes
Tugboats: Yes
Crew facilities: No
Bunkers delivery: Yes
LNG bunkering: F: Yes / L: No
Waste handling: Yes
Grey water: Yes

SUSTAINABILITY
Shore Power: No
EPI: F: No / L: Yes
ESI: Yes
Max ship per day: 1
Max passenger per day: 2800

| Quay | Water depth | Length | Fenders | Shore Power | Grey Water | Max Ship size |
|-------------------|-------------|--------|--------------|-------------|------------|---------------|
| Lyngdal Anchorage | 15 m | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 250 m |
| Agnefest Tender | 4 m | 18 m | Wood | N/A | Yes | Tender |
| Holmsundet Tender | 11 m | 12 m | Rubber tires | N/A | Yes | Tender |
| Farsund Anchorage | 14 m | N/A | N/A | N/A | N/A | 230 m |
| Torvkaien Tender | 4 m | 58 m | Rubber tires | N/A | N/A | Tender |
| Pier 10, Farsund | 13 m | 130 m | Rubber tires | N/A | Yes | 230 m |

