

Itinerary


Route: POLAR EXPLORER CRUISE IN LAPLAND

Countries: Sweden Finland


Departure:

 D1 Rovaniemi

 D1 Kemi-Tornio

 D1 By your own

End:

 D1 By your own

 D1 Kemi-Tornio

 D1 Rovaniemi

Accommodation: Not Included

Guide: Self-guided Tour

Itinerary: Rovaniemi - Icebreaker - Rovaniemi (or) Kemi - Tornio - Icebreaker - Tornio - Kemi



Day 1 Rovaniemi  Kemi  Tornio  Swedish Polar Expeditions Icebreaker  Tornio  Kemi  Rovaniemi



Tour Overview

Icebreaker shuttle bus picks up from Rovaniemi, Kemi, Tornio in Finland and from Haparanda and Luleå in Sweden. You can choose different pick up and drop off locations and take your luggage to the bus at no extra charge. Lunch on board can be added at 28€ per person. Arrive by yourself, navigation location: Axelsviksvägen 291 C 95295 Båtskärsnäs, Sweden Free parking is available at cruise terminal. No reservation is needed. Morning cruise 10:00-13:00 Finnish time [Pick up in Rovaniemi] 06:25 Santa Sport hotel 06:35 Arctic Tree house Hotel 06:45 Santa Claus Holiday Village 07:00 Tourist Information 07:10 Rovaniemi train station [Pick up in Kemi/Tornio] 08:05 Kemi Glass Villas 08:15 Scandic Kemi Hotel 08:20 Merihovi Hotel 08:30 Kemi train station 08:55 Tornio Grand Hotel Mustaparta [Icebreaker trip from 10:00-13:00] [Drop off in Kemi/Tornio] 14:00 Tornio Grand hotel 14:30 Kemi train station 14:35 Scandic hotel 14:40 Merihovi hotel 14:50 Glass Villas Villas [Drop off in Rovaniemi] 17:15 Rovaniemi train station 17:20 Rovaniemi Tourist information 17:30 Arctic Tree House hotel 17:40 Santa Claus Holiday Village 18:00 Santa Sport hotel Afternoon cruise 14:00-17:00 Finnish time [Pick up in Rovaniemi] 10:25 Santa Sport hotel 10:35 Arctic Tree House hotel 10:45 Santa Claus Holiday Village 11:00 Tourist information 11:10 Rovaniemi train station [Pick up in Kemi/Tornio] 12:05 Kemi Glass Villas 12:15 Scandic Kemi Hotel 12:20 Merihovi Hotel 12:30 Kemi train station 12:55 Tornio Grand Hotel Mustaparta [14:00-17:00 Icebreaker trip] [Drop off at Kemi/Tornio] 18:00 Tornio Grand Hotel Mustaparta 18:30 Kemi train station 18:40 Merihovi Hotel 18:35 Scandic Kemi Hotel 18:50 Kemi Glass Villas [Drop off at Rovaniemi] 19:30 Rovaniemi train station 19:35 Tourist information 19:45 Arctic Tree House hotel 19:50 Santa Claus Holiday Village 20:05 Santa Sport hotel



Meeting Point

📍 D1 Rovaniemi

📍 D1 Kemi-Tornio

📍 D1 By your own



Drop Off *For reference only, the actual arrangement is subject to the tour guide

📍 D1 By your own

📍 D1 Kemi-Tornio

📍 D1 Rovaniemi

Please note that the icebreaker excursion on the selected date will take place either in the **morning or afternoon**. The exact time will be confirmed on the confirmation sheet, which should be considered authoritative. When placing your order, please clearly specify the required location.

1. All trips operate according to Finnish time. Boarding commences 40 minutes prior to departure and ceases 10 minutes before departure.
2. Each floating session is limited to no more than 15 participants. Rest assured, the lobster suit will provide adequate insulation against the cold. Only children taller than 125cm may participate in the floating activity with their parents.
3. Luggage can be carried. If there is no need to change vehicles within the same city, luggage can remain with you. However, if traveling between different cities, vehicle changes will be necessary to retrieve luggage.
4. Ice walking is conducted only when the ice thickness reaches at least 20cm, ensuring safety. Participants are permitted to disembark for ice walking under these conditions, as authorized by the captain.
5. Given the cold weather, it is advisable to dress warmly. Warm clothing rentals are available on board.
6. For Chinese audio guides, please download the designated APP in advance. Search for "Polar Explorer Icebreaker" in your app store.



Meal: Not Included



Accommodation: Not Included

Price Explanation

What's included

- Icebreaker cruise 3 h
- Guided tour by audio guide
- Walking on ice
- Swimming in survival suites(Children 125 cm tall and over can join swimming activity with their parents)
- 11 min film in icebreaker cinema
- Hot drink
- Cruise & Swim certificate

What's excluded

- Lunch on board: soup + cooked food (28EUR/person, same price for large and small dishes, reservation required)
- Soup options: salmon soup or tomato soup
- Main course options: Swedish meatballs with cream sauce and lingonberry jam or pan-fried salmon with lemon sauce and rice or vegetarian meatballs with vegetarian cream sauce and rice
- Other desserts, snacks and drinks can be purchased in the ship's restaurant. All meals are prepared for gluten and lactose intolerance. Vegetarian meals are available.

Cost description:

If you go to the icebreaker terminal by yourself, without bus transfer and without lunch, the cost is 315EUR/over 12 years old, 270EUR/4-12 years old, 3 years old and under free.

Cancellation condition

No cancellation fees are charged if cancelled 32 or more days before cruise departure. If cancelled 31 days before cruise departure or later, fees are charged.

Cancellation fees are charged if cancelled for any reason, including medical treatment, local government restrictions, flight cancellations or other similar force majeure situations. We recommend buying travel insurance covering costs caused by cancellations due to health condition or any other circumstances preventing travelling.

All cancellations and changes must be made in written and dated within the office hours in Finland (08:00-16:00, +2 GMT, Mon-Fri)

Cancellation condition apply to the cruise and all other services included in the order.

Total Cancellation:

Cancellation more than 32 days before the cruise is free of charge

Cancellation 31-16 days before the cruise is subject to a booking fee of 50 EUR per person

Cruise

Cancellation 15-10 days before the cruise is subject to a booking fee of 100 EUR per person

Cruise

Cancellation 9 days or less before the cruise is subject to a 100% cancellation fee

Confirmed reduction in number:

No cancellation fee more than 32 days before the cruise is free of charge

50% reduction 31-16 days before the cruise is free of charge, and a booking fee of 50 EUR per person will be charged for more than 50%

25% reduction 15-10 days before the cruise is free of charge, and a booking fee of 100 EUR per person will be charged for more than 25%

100% cancellation fee for 9 days or less before the cruise is free of charge

Change terms:

Change date 4 days (96 hours) before the cruise is free of charge;

Before the cruise is departed Changes within 96 hours will incur an additional fee of 50 euros per person. The new date must be within 5 days of the original booking date.

Optional items:

Bus transfers (choose your own pick-up and drop-off locations based on your needs, the fees vary)

| December 19 and before | December 20 and after | | |
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| Morning cruise 11:00 - 14:00 | Morning cruise 10:00 - 13:00 | Afternoon cruise 14:00 - 17:00 | Shuttle bus price |
| From Rovaniemi (08:00) To Rovaniemi (16:30) | From Rovaniemi (07:00) To Rovaniemi (15:30) | From Rovaniemi (11:00) To Rovaniemi (19:30) | Adults (>12 years old): €65.00 Child (4-12 years old): €55.00 Infants (0-3 years old): €0.00 |
| From Kemi-Tornio (09:30) To Kemi-Tornio (15:30) | From Kemi-Tornio (08:30) To Kemi-Tornio (14:30) | From Kemi-Tornio (12:30) To Kemi-Tornio (18:30) | Adults (>12 years old): €40.00 Child (4-12 years old): €35.00 Infants (0-3 years old): €0.00 |

POLAR EXPLORER WITHHOLDS THE RIGHTS

- to change the timetables / contents of the Icebreaker Cruises due to ice or weather conditions or other similar force majeure situation. Polar Explorer shall not be held liable for any compensation for loss of gratification in case of an unforeseeable adverse weather conditions.
- to cancel a cruise in case of lack of appropriate amount of passenger reservations. In case of cruise cancellation passengers are offered either alternative ship/time/date or full refund.

SHUTTLE BUS

Please pay close attention on the location and time you chose for icebreaker shuttle bus pick up. Pick up time is always local time of pick up location.

When planning other activities, transportations, please keep in mind that delays may occur.

TIME ZONES

When coming from Finland, please notice that Finland is one hour ahead of Sweden and cruise departure times are presented with both times.

EARLY SEASON CRUISES IN DECEMBER

Early December cruises are running normally in any ice conditions. Please note that Ice and it' s thickness is not guaranteed until end of December. By booking icebreaker cruise for early December, passenger accepts cruising at possible weak or "no ice" conditions. Walking on ice may not be available until early January.

SWIMMING ACTIVITY

Polar Explorer Oy shall not be held liable for any compensation for loss of gratification in case of swimming cancellation for safety reason an unforeseeable adverse weather conditions.

DELAYS

Polar Explorer Oy shall not be held liable for any compensation for any losses caused by delays due to weather conditions, road traffic and other events.