

Let your spirit set sail



From the Øresund to the Bay of Mecklenburg

Springtime in the Baltic Sea

Sat 30 May 2020 ⇨ Thu 4 June 2020



Copenhagen is the starting point of our journey. Before boarding, you will have time to discover the sights between Nyhavn and the royal castle. Along the twelfth longitude we will set sail from Denmark's capital to the south. On this fresh Baltic Sea spring cruise, we explore the scenic coastline of the Danish islands of Zealand, Møn and Falster. Days at sea alternate with nights at the sheltered mooring spot or in one of the typical Scandinavian port towns. Depending on the wind and weather conditions, a stopover in the coastal resort of Warnemünde is planned before we reach the Hanseatic city of Rostock at the end of our journey.

This is where you will embark: Copenhagen / Denmark

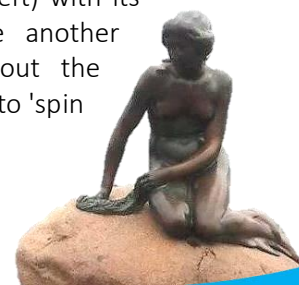
Our Pentecost cruise under sails starts in Denmark's capital Copenhagen. The Scandinavian metropolis can easily be reached by daily, fast direct flights from many international airports. We are happy to assist you with the individual planning of your arrival and departure. If you have any questions, please contact us as in good time. Embarkation takes place at 19:00 hours. Afterwards, there will be dinner together in the comfortable lounge, where you will quickly feel at home on the Eye of the Wind's deck and soon get to know your fellow sailors.

Make the most of your stay by exploring Copenhagen. If you want to get an overview of the city, it is best to visit the centrally located Rådhusplads (town hall square) first. From the 100-metres-high town hall tower, you can enjoy a bird's eye view of the whole city. In the vintage amusement park of Tivoli, you will find merry-go-rounds, a big wheel, a variety of restaurants, an open-air theatre, and a concert hall. Built over 150 years ago, it seems as though time has stood still in Tivoli, making it a popular destination for locals, too.



The residence of the royal family is Amalienborg Palace, where the presence of the Queen is indicated by a flag on the roof of the castle. Rosenborg Castle, with the royal crown jewels, and the Frederiksborg Castle with the National Historical Museum are on the tour programme for all who are interested in the Danish royal family.

A main attraction in the evening is the colourful and lively promenade in the Nyhavn (New Harbour; pictured left) with its numerous restaurants and pubs. Here you have another opportunity to chat with your fellow sailors about the adventures of the coming days at sea, or maybe even to 'spin a little sailor's yarn' before you set sail.



Our sailing waters: From Øresund to the estuary of the Warnow

When leaving the harbour, the world-famous sculpture of the Little Mermaid bids us goodbye. For more than 100 years, Hans Christian Andersen's fairy tale figure has been sitting on its rock at the Kastellet, a former fortress.

In principle, the decision on which port or anchorage to call on in the evening is made by the captain on the same day and depends on the wind and weather conditions – whenever possible, your wishes will be taken into account, too. This ensures that your cruise is a pleasant mix of adventure, relaxation, active participation and pure enjoyment. Look forward to some wonderful days of sailing on the summery brisk Baltic Sea.

If you want to, you can take part in the sailing – our professional regular crew will be happy to show you all the tricks of the seamen's trade. If you like, you can just make yourself comfortable on deck or in the comfortable lounge, browse through a good book from the large on-board library, or see which DVDs are available.



After leaving the Øresund, we'll head for the chalk cliffs of Møns Klint (pictured left) and the peninsula of Falster. When the weather is good, these sailing waters are ideal for spending a night at the anchorage instead of heading for a port – another highlight of every cruise!

During another eventful day at sea, we cross the invisible border between German and Danish waters. Soon we will pass the red and green pier heads of the seaside resort of Warnemünde. Make the most of your time on shore with a leisurely stroll along the 'Alter Strom' (Old River) with its restaurants, cafés, small shops, fish stalls, ships and boats. The best view is from the 30-metres-high lighthouse, which is open for visitors every day. The beach is just a few meters away.

Our secret tip for the evening hours is the Vörreeg (front row). In the narrow cobbled alleyway, located somewhat further away from the Alter Strom, you will find cosy pubs where you can chat with your fellow sailors about the adventures of the last few days at sea.

This is where you will disembark: Rostock

After sailing about 20 kilometers further inland up the Warnow river, we will reach Rostock. 100 years ago, this was the home port of the Eye of the Wind – at that time called 'Friedrich'.

Make the most of your time on shore by taking a tour through the historic city center of Rostock. There you will find parts of the city wall with its fortification towers, as well as the 13th century town hall and monastery churches with hidden gardens. The whole appearance of Mecklenburg-Western Pomerania's largest city is dominated by Gothic brick buildings from the Hanseatic era. You can also take an evening stroll past the historic storehouses on the banks of the Warnow river and through the picturesque town and the Museum Harbour.

This is where our little sailing adventure on the Baltic Sea ends and you will bid farewell to our crew and your fellow sailors. Relaxing days with windswept sails on the ship's deck now lie behind you.



Our suggestion for a comfortable journey back

Take advantage of our attractive ▷ 'Rail & Sail' offer. If you are interested, please contact us for details and reservation options.



Six good reasons to go

- Well-balanced ratio between time at sea and shore leave
- Ideal for beginners: Safe and pleasant sailing in coastal waters
- Attractive ports of embarkation and debarkation: Copenhagen and Rostock
- Active sailing and manoeuvring on a 100-year-old windjammer ... feel free to participate!
- Excellent onboard cuisine, delicious meals from morning to evening
- Attendance by our friendly crew from the check-in to the farewell photo



Journey time Saturday 30 May 2020 ⇌ Thursday 04 June 2020

Services included

- 5 nights' accommodation aboard the Tall Ship Eye of the Wind.
- Accommodation in a comfortable double cabin with hot and cold running water, shower, toilet, and air conditioning (single cabin surcharge).
- Full board (including all meals, soft drinks, coffee & tea).
- Lounge with TV/DVD and extensive on-board library.
- The tour price includes VAT.

Not included

Arrival and departure, shore excursions and alcoholic beverages. We gladly assist you in the individual planning of your arrival and departure. Please contact us if necessary in a timely manner.

Please consider the following notes on the itinerary

The indicated ports are optional. The ship's management reserves the right to change the itinerary at short notice depending on wind and weather conditions.

Basic travel information (non-binding information, subject to change)

Copenhagen (Denmark)

Official website: ▷ www.visitcopenhagen.com

Language: Danish

Currency: Danish Krone

Climate: avg. air temp. 15 °C / 5 avg. daily sun hrs.

Traffic: right-hand driving

Rostock (Germany)

Official website: ▷ www.rostock.de/en/

Language: German

Currency: Euro

Climate: avg. air temp. 18 °C / 8 avg. daily sun hrs.

Traffic: right-hand driving

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