





# **GOTLAND FOR EPICURES BY BIKE**

## Movie setting, limestone rauks and fishing villages.

Explore Gotland, the "Pearl of the Baltic Sea", culinary treasure chest and Sweden's biggest island by bike in 10 days. After all is Gotland enjoying an excellent reputation as bikers paradise. The climate is mild, beaches are wide and the landscape is breathtaking. More than 10m high limestone rauks, cozy cafés, hidden beaches and historic places of interest will thrill you. Gotland is also well-known for its great Nordic chefs, who are creating superb dishes, made from local and ecological ingredients of the best quality available. Välkomna to Gotland, bikers paradise and food heaven!



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## **ITINERARY**

DAY 1

### Individual arrival to Visby

UNESCO world cultural heritage Visby welcomes you with many places of interest as well as an impressive city wall. Visit one of the numerous, exquisite restaurants and try a delicious lamb dish or fresh fish and finish with a typical Gotlandic saffron pancake with red berries and whipped cream.

DAY 2

## Visby - Kappelshamn - Fårösund/surroundings ca. 65 km

Get to know the island from its inside! The 400 million years old Lummelunda cave can be visited during a guided tour (not included). Shorty afterwards, the "Jungfrun", with its 27m the highest limestone rauk on Gotland is awaiting you, just before you reach the coast of Kappelshamn. Per transfer (ca. 35 km) you continue in direction Fårösund and your hotel.

DAY 3

## **Loop tour on Fårö** 40-65 km

Today you explore Fårö with its Langhammars nature reserve. The area contains some of the most impressive limestone pillars, also known as Rauk. They dominate the barren landscape with more than 10m high pillars. The island was also residence of famous director Ingmar Bergman, the Bergman center provides interesting insights into the artistic success and life of the director.

DAY 4

## **Fårösund/surroundings - Slite** ca. 35 km

After breakfast a first stop should be made in Bunge to see the open air museum. It gives interesting insights into the Gotlandic life of earlier times. Today's destination is the former trading town Slite, its port was important in the Viking Age.

DAY 5

Slite - Ljugarn ca. 75 km

Extensive sandy beaches, rauk fields and small, picturesque villages are coining this part of the island. A short detour leads you to Grynge, one of the most beautiful and preserved fishing villages. 20 beach sheds from the 18th and 19th century are lined up there in a row.

DAY 6

Ljugarn - Burgsvik/surroundings ca. 65 km

The South of Gotland is the most fruitful area, its landscape is diversified and beautiful.

DAY 7

Burgsvik loop tour ca. 45 km

Today you cycle down to the Southern tip to see Hoburgsgubben, one of the most popular rauks, located in nature reserve Husrygg. Additionally you will be rewarded with stunning views over the sea.

DAY 8

Burgsvik/surroundings - Klintehamn

From Burgsvik your bike route leads you to the West Coast of the island. The small coastal roads are trailing themselves along endless pebble beaches up to Djupvik, past windswept coastal forests and with awesome views onto offshore islands.

DAY 9

Klintehamn - Visby ca. 35-45 km

Start with a refreshing bath in the sea into your last bike day - Tofta beach is known as best sandy beach at the West Coast. Just before Visby, a stop in nature reserve Högklint is highly recommended, with stunning views onto the Baltic sea and Visby, the final destination of your round trip.

DAY 10

## Individual departure or additional nights

After breakfast your bike tour ends. We are happy to extend your holidays with extra nights in Visby.



### Tour character

You cycle on bike paths and gravel roads, forest tracks and side roads with less traffic. To some extent there are simpler trail conditions with raw gravel. Flat tour course.

# **PRICES AND EVENTS**

PLACE OF ARRIVAL: VISBY

Season 1 Season 2

01.06.2024 - 14.06.2024 | 17.08.2024 - 31.08.2024 | 15.06.2024 - 16.08.2024 |

Saturday Saturday

Gotland bike tour, 10 days, SE-GORVV-10X

Base price 17 999 18 499

Single room supplement 8 299 8 299

# **ADDITIONAL NIGHTS**

PLACE OF ARRIVAL: VISBY

Season 1 Season 2

Jun 1, 2024 - Jun 14, 2024 | Aug 17, 2024 - Aug 31, 2024 | Jun 15, 2024 - Aug 16, 2024 |

Saturday

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Extra night in double room/breakfast

1 199

Extra night in single room/breakfast

1 999

1 999

# Our rental bikes

	Filter
16-gear touring bike	2 399
Electric bike	3 499

Prices per person in SEK

# **SERVICES AND EXTRAS**

### Services included

#### Services included:

- Overnights in 3\*\*\*- and 4\*\*\*\*-hotels as well as typical Swedish lodges
- Breakfast
- Luggage transportation from hotel to hotel (1 piece of luggage per person, max. 20 kg)
- Transfer Kappelshamn Fårösund/surroundings incl. bike
- Well elaborated route
- Detailed travel documents: route maps, route description, tourist attractions and sights, important telephone numbers (1x per booked room)
- Navigation-App and GPS files
- Service Hotline

#### Optional:

Rental bike

#### Not included:

- Travel insurance
- All services not mentioned under "Services included"

#### Sustainability at Active Scandinavia

 Contribute together with us to even more sustainability and decide for our digital route book and thus against the printed version. As a small thank you, you will receive a discount of 250 SEK per room.

#### More information

#### Arrival / Parking:

- Arrival by flight: Airport Visby, by taxi into the centre of Visby.
- Arrival by car: Ferry to Visby, from ca. SEK 895 per car and way, more information: <u>destinationgotland.se</u>.
   Parking space from 360 SEK (ca. 35 Euro) per day, reservation not possible, payable on spot