

# N J F O R D

Nordfjord lies between the largest mainland glacier in Europe and Norway's westernmost Atlantic cliff, beckoning you with spectacular mountains and valleys rolling farmlands and dramatic coastline. Here you are never far from wonderful - and easily accessible - travel experiences. Nordfjord - All in one fjord

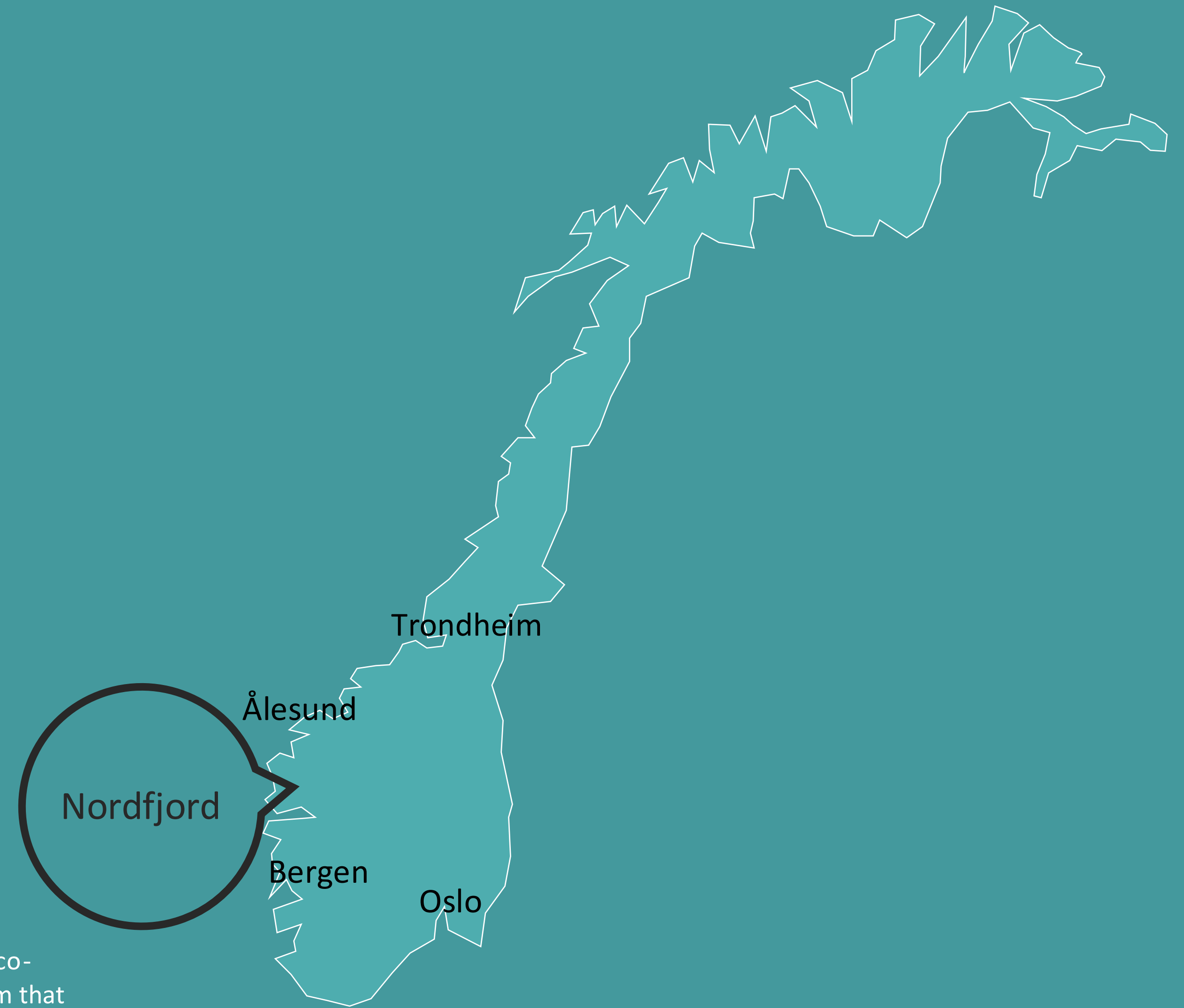
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# Map of Nordfjord

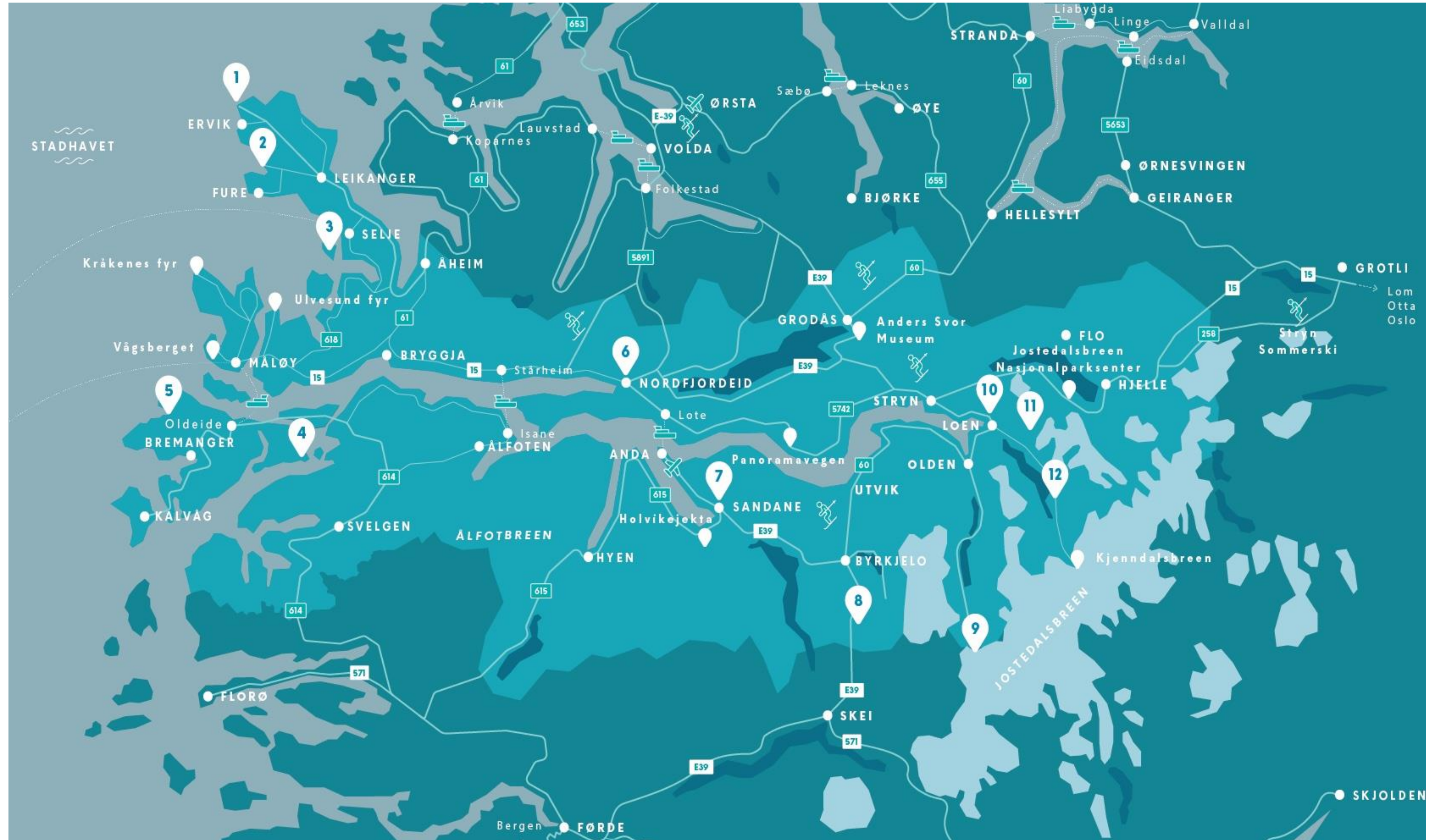
## Distance from:

Geiranger	75 km
Lom	125 km
Ålesund	150 km
Bergen	250 km
Trondheim	450 km
Oslo via Otta	480 km



We are committed to sustainability, aiming for a better future for our planet. By adopting eco-friendly practices and collaborating with local communities, we promote responsible tourism that benefits both visitors and residents. Our efforts ensure a unique experience for guests while positively impacting the environment and society.

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## NORDFJORD is certified as a Sustainable Destination

### What it means

This certification shows that Nordfjord works in a structured and long-term way to build a more responsible and sustainable destination.

### Eco-Lighthouse certification

Visit Nordfjord is also Eco-Lighthouse Certified, confirming our commitment to responsible operations.

### Our commitment

We are committed to developing tourism that creates value for visitors, businesses, and local communities while safeguarding nature and culture.



**Sustainable  
Destination**  
Local engagement  
in a long perspective



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Throughout the year, Nordfjord is a paradise of exciting activities. Everything from hiking, biking, fjordhorse riding and kayaking to snowshoeing, sledding and skiing. Or on the coast, saltwater fishing, surfing and storm watching.

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Nordfjords 1,200-year-old story has made the region what it is today. Nordfjord Saga is a historical experience based on who we were and who we are.

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Nordfjord has a long and proud tradition of food based on an exciting range of locally produced ingredients. If you enjoy naturally grown local foods and beverages, you can experience a «Taste of Nordfjord» through every one of your senses.

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# Highlights in Nordfjord

Nature, activities and attractions



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• Loen Skylift



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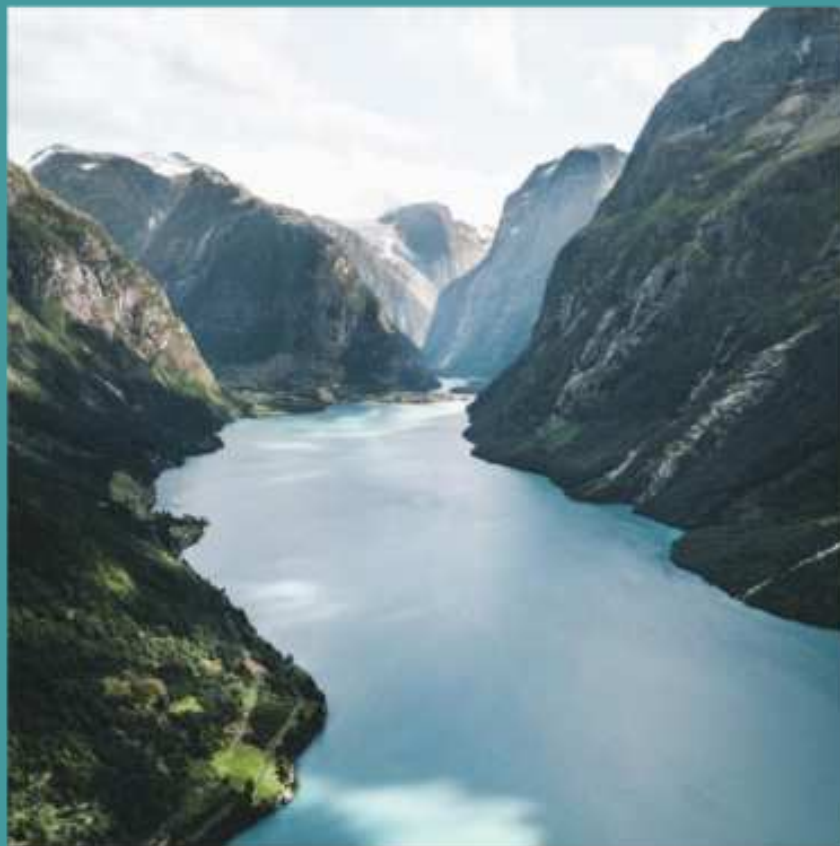
• Mount Skåla



• Mount Eggenipa

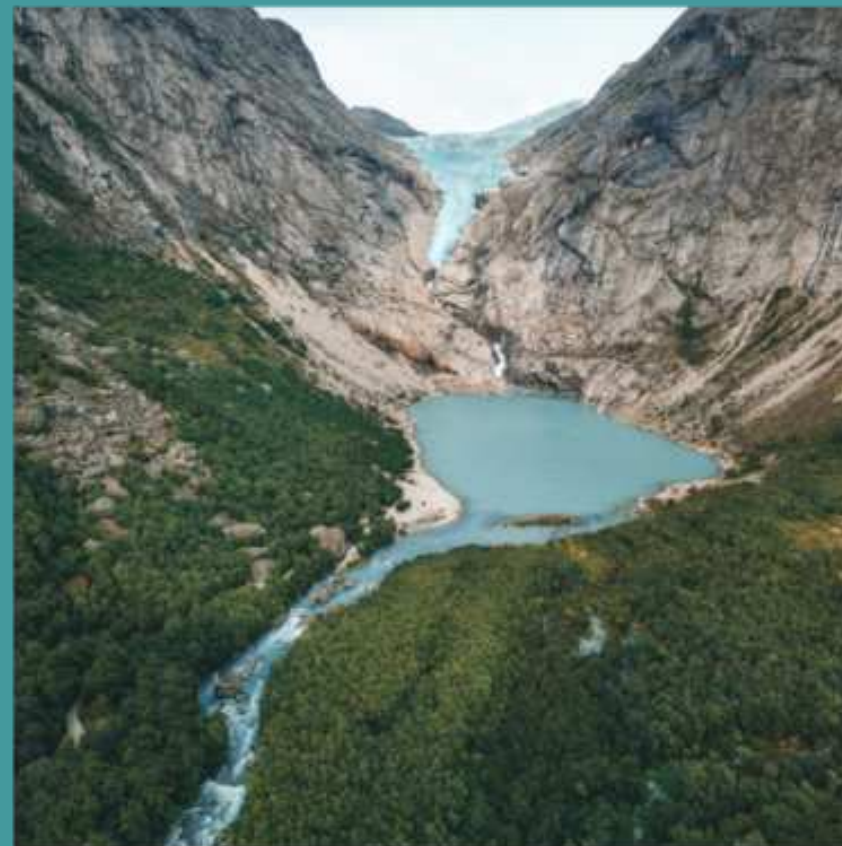


• Kandalen Valley



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• Lodalen Valley



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• Briksdalsbreen  
Glacier



• Nordfjord Museum of  
Cultural History



• Trivselsskogen



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Sagastad Viking Center



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Selja Monastery



- Rock carvings at Vingen



- Mount Hornelen



© Dag Ulvestad

Ervik



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West Cape



- Grotlesanden



- Vetvika

# Selja Monastery & The legend of Saint Sunniva



## Selja - The Saga Island

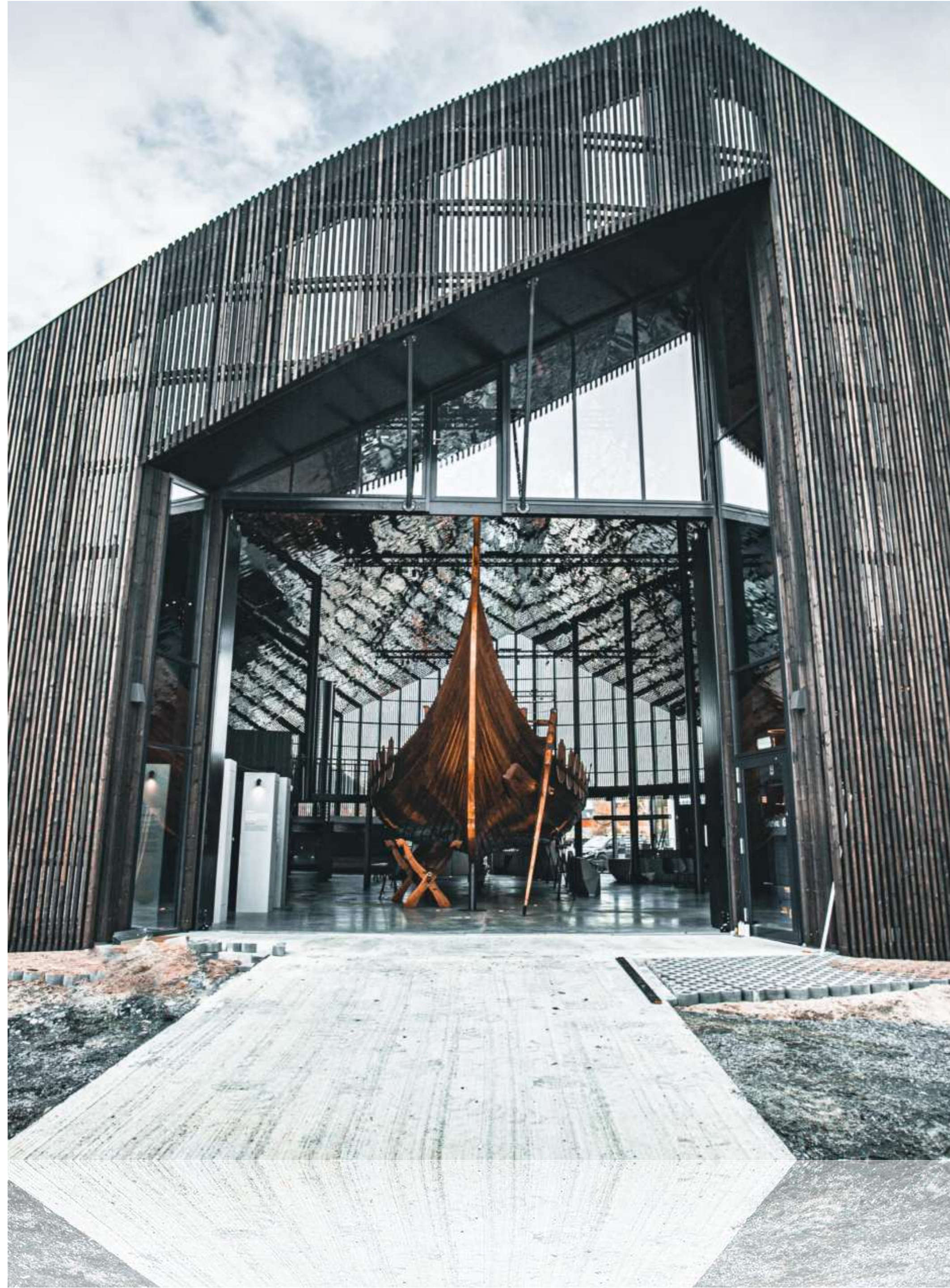
The Legend of St. Sunniva

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Up from the wild Stadhavet sea, the island of Selja rises as a powerful green cathedral. The Irish Princess Sunniva fled from the Viking, and died in the Sunniva Cave. Ever since then people have been traveling to Selja, Norway`s first pilgrimage place, with unique cultural heritage from the Viking Age and the Middle Ages.

Guided tours incl. boat trip to Selja Island. Totally 2 hours

# Sagastad & The Myklebust Viking Ship



## Sagastad Viking Center The Myklebust Viking Ship

Sagastad is a knowledge center focusing on the Viking Age. Here you can explore the 30 meter (100ft) long Myklebust ship - one of the worlds largest viking ships that has been found traces of. Learn about the mystics, the rituals, of the long voyages in fantastic ships and about our proud cultural history.

With one of the countries richest, largest and most spectacular Viking graves in the center of the town, Nordfjordeid is the obvious location for Sagastad.

Walk the Saga-trail to see it all.

# Museums & visitor centres

Nordfjord Folk Museum



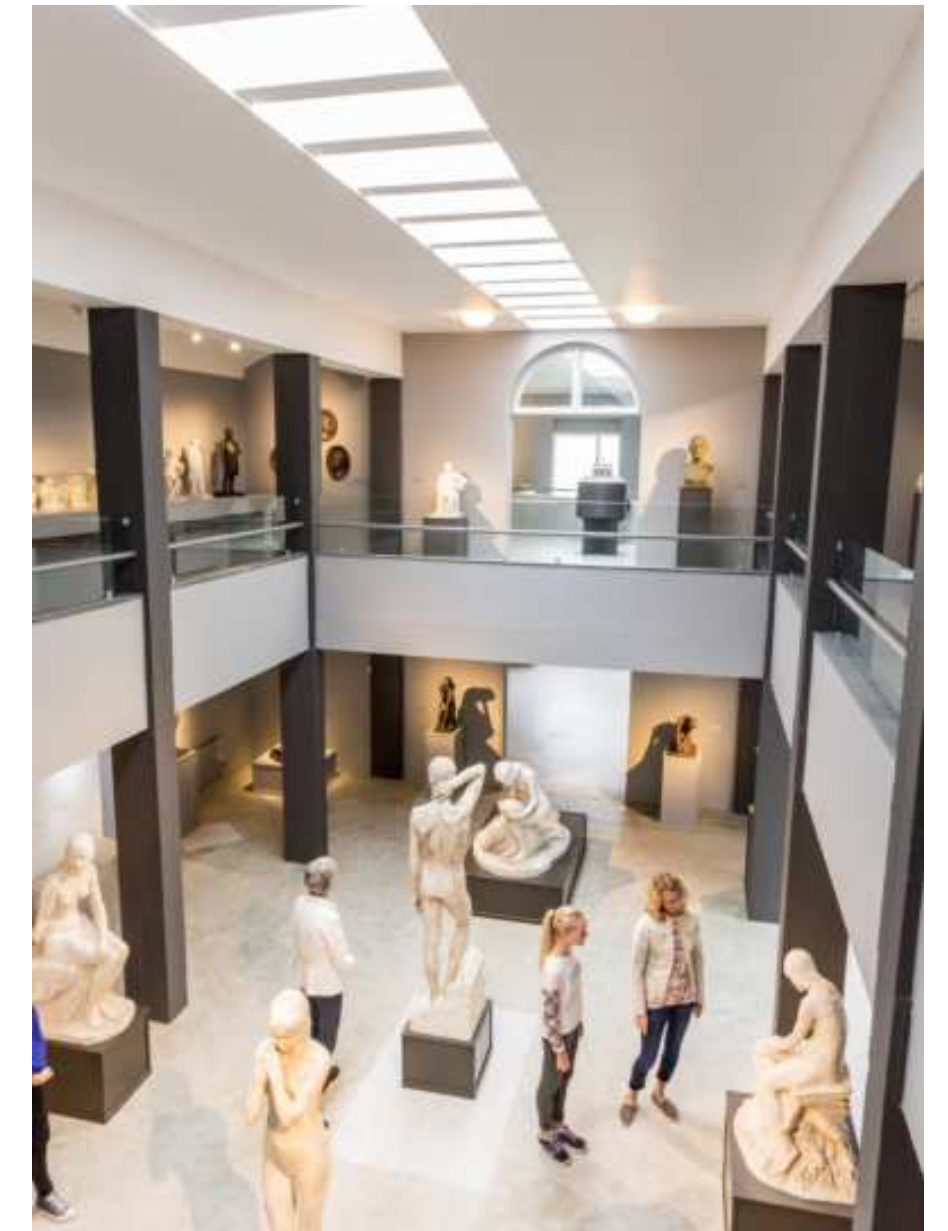
The Nordfjord Museum of Cultural History. 44 houses and cottages of historical interest from 1600-1900's in an open air museum. The old authentic Norwegian ship «Holvikejekta». Temporary exhibitions. Daily guided tours in season. Sandane, Gloppen.

Josfedalsbreen National Park



National Park center located by the Oppstryn lake. Exhibition and Geological Park. Botanical garden. Cinema with film about the Jostedalbreen glacier in 9 different languages. Gift shop and café. Oppstryn, Stryn 2024: New exciting exhibition

Anders Svor Museum



The renowned sculptor Anders Svor (1864-1929) has his own museum in his home village of Hornindal. Here you will find 450 sculptures. Gallery and sculptor garden. Hornindal.

# NEW: Holvikejekta



## New 2025

### Holvikejekta, Nordfjord Folk Museum

June 2025 marked the opening of the new conservation and exhibition building for the only authentic, clinker-built jekt of its kind.

**Experience the past:** Allow your senses to be awakened by authentic scents from a bygone era. Ramps along the walls of the building allow you to see both below and above the deck of the jekt.

**Historical building techniques:** Holvikejekta was built using the same techniques as the Viking ships.

**Freighter to Bergen:** The jekt was used for moving up to 150 fathoms of firewood to Bergen between 1881-1906.

**Nordfjord boat exhibition:** Learn about Nordfjord's 1000-year-old boat history.

**Opning hours:** The museum is open during the summer season, and group tours will be available on request throughout the year.

# Museums & visitor centres

Måløy Raid Center



The Måløy Raid center is an international war history information and visitor centre, that presents an important part of the Second World War. The center is divided into several themes, and the story is well documented by videos, sound recordings, documents, odors, objects and models. **Måløy, Kinn.**

Farm visits



Farm experiences in Nordfjord offer a glimpse into the region's rural heritage and living cultural landscape. They can give visitors a better understanding of how farming traditions, local food and the use of the land have shaped communities through time. For many, this adds a meaningful and authentic dimension to the journey. →

**Farm visits**

Nordfjord Opera House



Nordfjord has its own opera house. Annual opera production in October. Opera gala every spring and an Opera Workshop with international directors during summer. Conserts, shows, theatre performances the rest of the year. **Nordfjordeid, Stad.**



## Víngen Petroglyph

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One of the largest fields of petroglyph in Northern Europe. Approx. 2300 petroglyphs or rock carvings that are more than 6,000 years old.



## Guided trip to Vingen

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Guided trip to Vingen Petroglyph. The trip goes from Kalvåg or Florø to Vingen with the passage of the majestic Hornelen. The tour includes boattrip, guide and land fee.

Season: from mid June - Mid August.

NEW: Nordfjord Distillery



Nordfjord Distillery:

Tours, tastings and craft spirits

Discover the flavours of Nordfjord at one of Norway's most distinctive craft distilleries. Nordfjord Distillery offer guided tours and tastings, inviting visitors to experience the craftsmanship, local ingredients, and stories behind premium spirits inspired by fjords, mountains, and fruit-growing traditions.

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# Activities





## Loen Skylift

From fjord to sky in 5 minutes

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A cable car will lift you from the fjord to 1011 m. Enjoy the views of the fjord landscape and Jostedalbreen National Park from the top of the mountain. Loen Skylift is open all year,



## Activities at Mount Hoven

Adventure arena at 1011 m.

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Loen Skylift will take you to a new adventure arena at 1011 m.a.s.l. Here you will find signposted walking trails, zip lines and in winter; ski touring, cross country skiing, snowshoeing and tobogganing. If you like you can climb the Via Ferrata up to Mt. Hoven. At the top you find Hoven Restaurant.

## New Via Ferrata

### Hornelen Via Ferrata

The trip takes you 860 meters straight up Europe's highest sea cliff.

A brand new climbing route in Bremanger, at the coast of Nordfjord.

With air all around you and the sea straight underneath, is this an experience you will not forget!

Hornelen Via Ferrata offers three climbing routes; Olavsruta, Hekseveggen «The wall of witches» and Ørnelia «Eagles Side».

Olavsruta is the whole climbing trail, from sea level to the top.

Hornelen Via Ferrata opened in June 2023.



## Breogfjell

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Breogfjell offers glacier hike to Haugabreen Glacier.  
Family friendly.

Season: June - August. Tours can be booked outside season out October. Meeting point at Skei in Jølster.

You will need:

- A small backpack (20-40L)
- Mountain boots. Trainers will not do the job. The soles should be thick and have a good grip, be hard-wearing, waterproof and have a good ankle support.
- Warm clothing for a day in the ice! (layers of wool will keep you warm)
- Insulated jacket like down, fleece or primaloft
- Wind/waterproof clothing
- Gloves/mittens
- Long pants.
- Lunch and a warm beverage
- Sunglasses!

They will provide safety equipment, iceaxe and crampons for you, but you need room in your backpack to carry it up to the glacier.





## Guided walks

**Loen Active** - in Loen, Stryn

**Olden Active** - in Olden, Stryn

**Nordfjord Mountain Guiding** – in Nordfjordeid

**Breogfjell** - Stryn, Hornindal and Sunnmøre

**Lodgen Stryn** - in Stryn

## Climbing

Hydlaparken Climbing park in Stryn - family

Loen Active - Via Ferrata Loen, Stryn

Breogfjell - Stryn, Hornindal and Sunnmøre

Hamna Aktivitetscenter Nordfjordeid,  
indoor climbing park - family

Loen Play - Offers indoor activities for  
children from 0-15

Folven Adventure Camp - Via Ferrata Folven

# Biking

## Loen Active

Bike rental in Loen.  
New: E-bikes for rental

## Lodgen Stryn

Mountain bike rental and guided  
biking trips in Stryn

## Nordic Nature Guide

Guided e-bike tours in Olden and  
Oldedalen valley.

## Folven Adventure

Mountain bike rental and guided  
mountain biking, biking camp. Hjelledalen  
in Stryn



# Kayaking

## Olden Active

Guided tours on the Nordfjord and Lovatnet Lake.

## Loen Active

Guided tours on the Nordfjord.

## Lodgen Stryn

Guided tours on the fjord and lakes in Stryn.



# RIB-rafting

## **Olden Active**

RIB tours on the Nordfjord, starting point from Olden.

## **Fjordguiding**

RIB tours on the Nordfjord out starting point from Nordfjordeid and at the coast of Nordfjord at Stad.

## **Bremanger RIB & Sjøtjenester**

RIB tours and RIB-Safari along the coast of Bremanger.



# Riding

The Fjord horse is one of the oldest breeds in the world, with origins in the Viking Age.

## **The Norwegian Fjord Horse Centre**

National centre for breeding and use of the fjord horse. Horse riding. Offers riding trips to Harpefossen and other excursions on horseback. You can also visit the centre on a guided tour.

**Nordfjordeid** in Stad Municipality.

## **Stall Rygg**

Horse riding and carriage rides for the whole family. **Sandane** in Gloppen Municipality.



# Surfing

## Stadlandet

One of the best surf spots in Norway

White sandy beaches on the edge of the Stad peninsula, surrounded by steep mountains. Hoddevik and Ervik are hotspot for surfers from all over the world. All year.

Ervik Surfshop & Hoddevik Surf House



A woman with long blonde hair tied in a bun, wearing a white ribbed dress, stands with her back to the camera and her arms raised in a gesture of joy or awe. She is looking out over a vast winter landscape featuring snow-covered mountains, a town, and a body of water reflecting the scene. The sky is filled with soft, white clouds.

# Winter activities

A variety of activities



# Winter activities above the fjord

Sledding



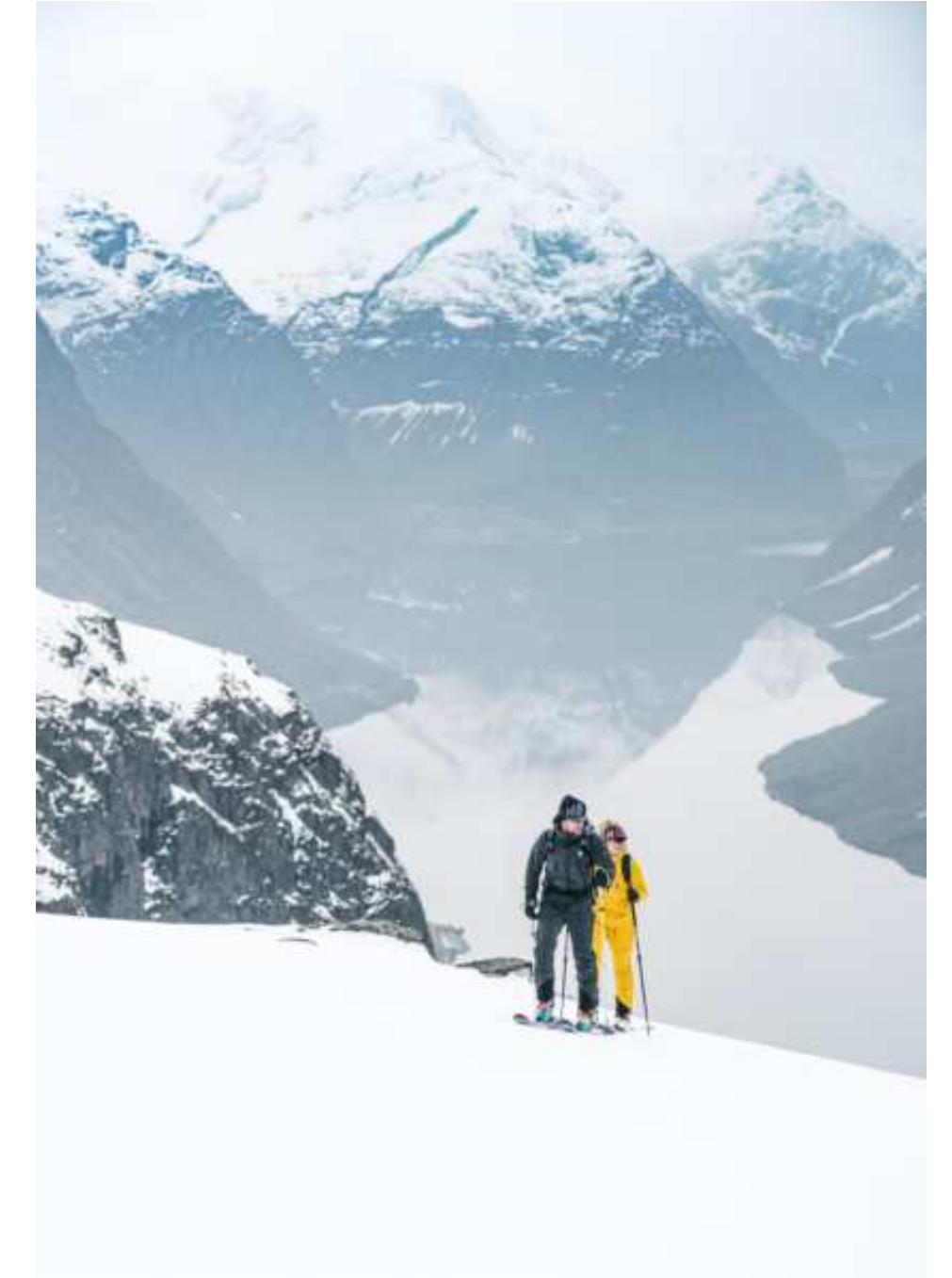
Experience Norway's longest toboggan/sled run - 8 km / 4,5 miles down from Mt. Hoven - with fantastic views of the fjord and mountains. At Mt. Hoven, you will also find a wide prepared toboggan run. Note that the offer is weather-dependent.

Snow Shoeing



Explore the winter landscape by foot, 1011 meters above the fjord. There are many winter walking opportunities around Mt. Hoven, most offering fabulous views of the fjord and the majestic mountains. And it's all so close, with only a spectacular five minute cable car ride from Loen village.

Ski Touring



The mountains surrounding Loen and Stryn invite you to great ski touring and backcountry skiing with views of fjords and mountains. With Loen Skylift, you reach 1011 altitude meters and can head out with fresh legs. Ski guides from Breogfjell has internationally certified mountain guides and offers guided tours from Loen Skylift.



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## Ski touring

- Breogfjell (IVBV/IFMGA/UIAGM)
- Loen Active
- Lodgen Stryn

# Ski resorts

December - April

Stryn Winter Ski  
Harpefossen Ski Centre  
Hornindal Ski Centre  
Breimsbygda Ski Centre

Alpepass - joint ski pass for 9 ski centers in  
Nordfjord and Sunnmøre. 32 ski lifts and over 60  
downhill runs.



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# Into the white - snow cave



# Outdoor Saunas

## Kok & Bad «Boil & Bath»

Floating sauna, Knutholmen, Kalvåg

## Stad Sauna

Outdoor sauna Ervik Surfshop, Ervik

## Påldtun Sauna «Malibu»

Outdoor sauna in Sandane, Gloppen

## Sauna Stryn

Outdoor sauna in Loen and Olden.

## Lodgen Stryn

Outdoor sauna and hot tub in Stryn centre.

## Yri Outdoor Sauna

Outdoor sauna Yrineset, Oldedalen valley.

## Melkevoll Bretun

Outdoor sauna, Oldedalen valley.

## Aarneset Gardstun

Outdoor sauna, Oppstryn valley.

## Lidasanden Sauna

Outdoor floating sauna, Oppstryn valley.

## Tenden Resort - Naustet sauna

Outdoor sauna and bath house, Lake Oppstryn Ner-Floen

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A scenic view of a fjord and snow-capped mountains seen through circular openings in a dark structure, with a small table and chairs in the foreground.


# Accommodation

Variety of accommodation



## NEW in 2027: West Cape

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One of Norway's most spectacular coastal viewpoints is entering a new era. In 2027, West Cape will welcome a new sustainable visitor destination with panoramic terraces, a restaurant, a small visitor centre, and nature-inspired accommodation — designed to create memorable experiences in harmony with nature and the local community.



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