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## Tourist Information Centers:

### **Hunathing West, Hrutafjörður, Staðarskali**

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### **Hunathing West - Hvammstangi, The Icelandic Seal Center**

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### **Varmahlid - Tourist information**

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### **Raufarhofn - Tourist Information, Ljosfang Café, Adalbraut 26**

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### **Thorshofn - Tourist Information in The Sports Center**

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## **Weather and road conditions:**

Weather and road conditions in Iceland can change dramatically at short notice, so it is important to check the webpage of The Icelandic Road Administration [www.vegagerdin.is/english](http://www.vegagerdin.is/english) for road conditions and distances.

## **Emergency:**

Ambulance – Fire – Police; Tel: **112**

Road Conditions; Tel: **1777**

Weather Forecast: <http://en.vedur.is/>





## Welcome to North Iceland!

North Iceland is an extensive, enchanting region, where you can find most of Iceland's attractive aspects all in one area - varied culture and flourishing communities; endless opportunities for entertainment and outdoor recreation, picturesque nature wherever you look and more natural phenomena than almost anywhere else. Some wish to go walking, swimming or golfing, while others choose fishing, hunting, horseriding, or even something more adventurous, such as whale watching, river rafting or Heli-Skiing. Wherever you go, there is, something on offer to suit everyone. All types of excursions to explore the area, the islands and the highlands to view extraordinary landscapes, mountain ranges, hot springs, waterfalls, glacial rivers, volcanic craters and other geological features. A tour into the Highlands is an experience never to be forgotten. All seasons of the year bring an array of breathtaking colours, and all seasons have their own charm in the North of Iceland. In the summer the light nights have a romantic uniqueness, and in the winter the northern lights dance in the cold sky, and the darkness itself provides inspiration and spiritual uplifting.

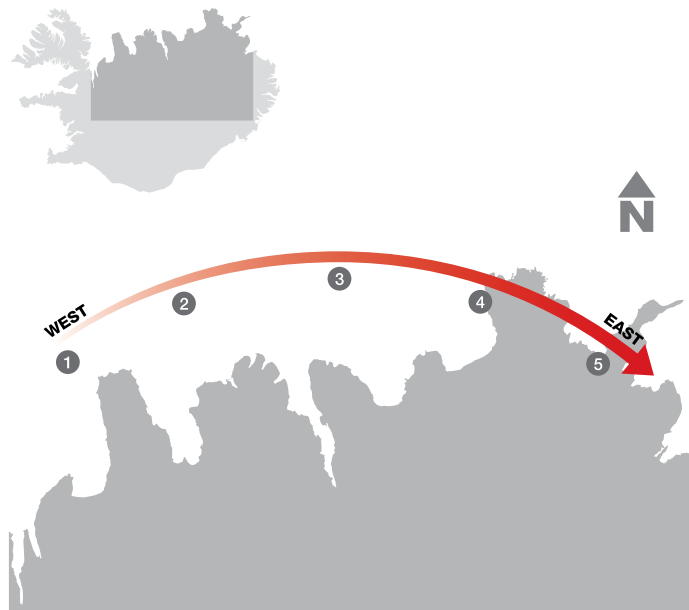


The Old Turf Farm at Laufas / Folk-Dance

## North Iceland Marketing Office

North Iceland Marketing Office, located in the town of Akureyri, is responsible for marketing and promoting North Iceland in the tourism industry. The goal of North Iceland Marketing Office is to strengthen the image of North Iceland and promote it as the ideal tourist destination for visitors to Iceland. The Marketing Office is owned by the two tourist associations in the north of Iceland; the Tourist Association of Northwest Iceland Ltd. and the Tourist Association of Northeast Iceland Ltd.

## How to use the book!



**To help you plan your journey each chapter is organised in geographical order from West to East as shown by the arrow.**





## How to get to Nort Iceland:



### By air:

From Reykjavik two domestic airlines offer scheduled flights to Saudarkrokur; Akureyri, Grimsey and Thorshofn: [www.flugfelag.is](http://www.flugfelag.is), [www.ernir.is](http://www.ernir.is). Scheduled flights to Grimsey are available from Akureyri [www.flugfelag.is](http://www.flugfelag.is).

In summertime there are direct scheduled international flights between Akureyri and Copenhagen: [www.icelandexpress.com](http://www.icelandexpress.com). Charter flights are available to East Greenland from Akureyri: [www.norlandair.is](http://www.norlandair.is).

Charter flights / Sightseeing flights in the area: [www.flugfelag.is](http://www.flugfelag.is), [www.ernir.is](http://www.ernir.is), [www.myflug.is](http://www.myflug.is), [www.norlandair.is](http://www.norlandair.is).



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### By road:

Two operators offer scheduled bus tours all year round, both from Reykjavik to the north of Iceland, and also between towns and villages in the north. For further information go to [www.sba.is](http://www.sba.is) and [www.sterna.is](http://www.sterna.is). The distance from Reykjavik to Akureyri is 380 km.

A number of car rentals operate in the North of Iceland, and the surrounding area: [www.holdur.is/en](http://www.holdur.is/en), [www.hertz.is](http://www.hertz.is), [www.budget.is](http://www.budget.is), [www.avis.is](http://www.avis.is), [www.thrifty.is](http://www.thrifty.is).

The ferry Norröna travels from Hirtshals, Denmark, via The Faroe Islands to Seydisfjörður on the east coast of Iceland. Travellers from Europe can bring their own vehicles on the ferry [www.smyrilline.dk/](http://www.smyrilline.dk/).



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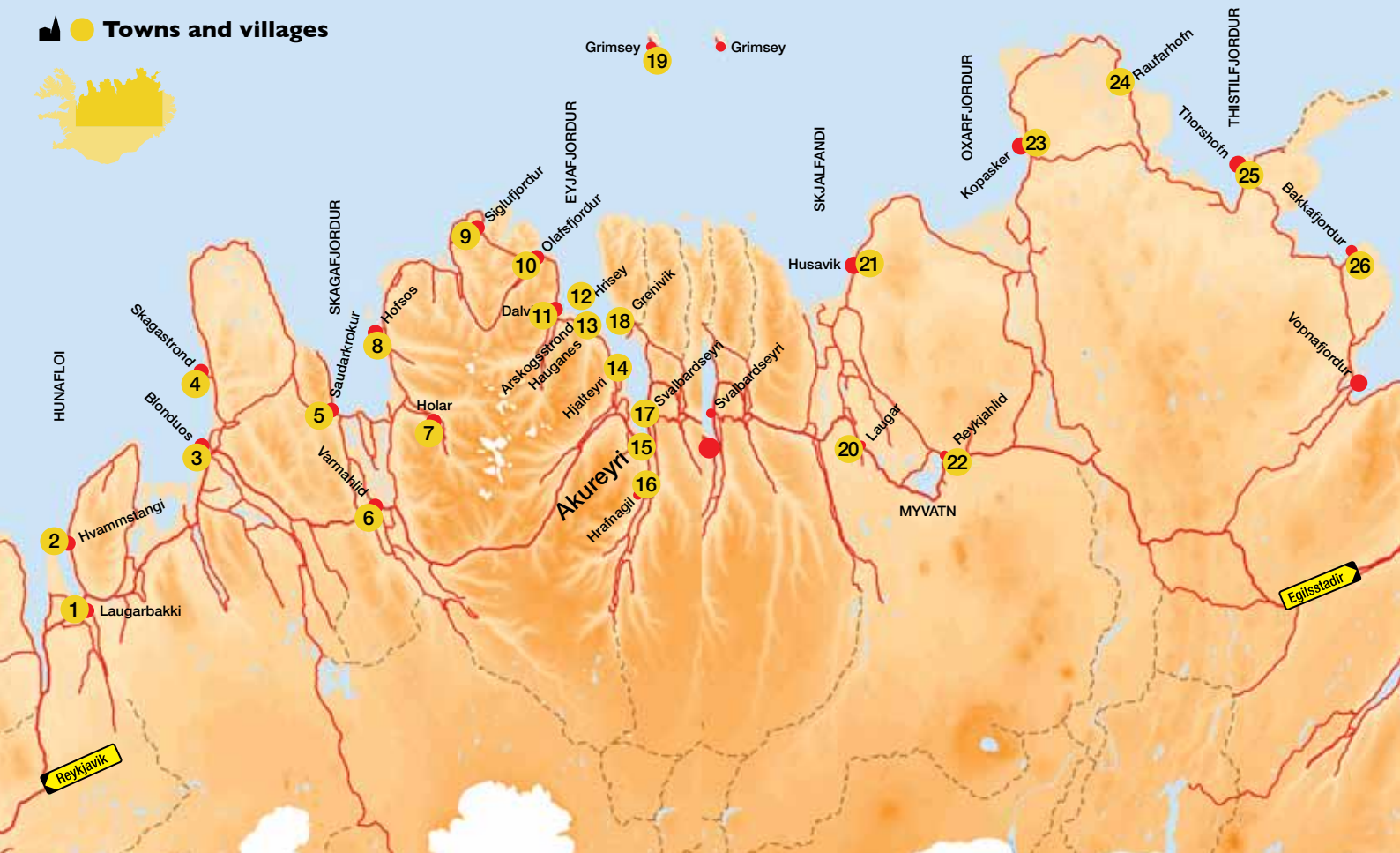


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## Towns and villages







### 1 Laugarbakki - [www.northwest.is](http://www.northwest.is)



Laugarbakki is situated close to Ring Road No. 1, on the east bank of Midfjardara river. According to the Saga of Grettir the Strong, horse fights were performed on the river banks, at a place called Langafit. Today, Langafit is the name of an open crafts workshop and Grettisbol accommodates a farmers' market with handicrafts and local food inspired by the Saga Age. The former boarding school now houses the primary school of the district in winter and an Edda hotel during the summer. Other services provided at Laugarbakki include a fuel station, camping ground and overnight facilities. From Laugarbakki, the road leads to the highland region Arnarvatnsheidi. Population 60.

### 2 Hvammstangi - [www.northwest.is](http://www.northwest.is)



Hvammstangi is situated on the eastern coast of Midfjörður. The most important economic base of the community is services and tourism. Two museums are located at Hvammstangi; the Museum of Local Trade, also housing a crafts gallery, and the Icelandic Seal Centre (Selasetur Islands). Seals can be viewed by taking a cruise on one of the boats, which depart from Hvammstangi harbour during the summer months. Other services are a super-market, garages, a camping site, cafés, guesthouses, a wool factory shop, a diner and a fuel station, as well as tourist information, a health care centre and a geothermal swimming pool. Population 580.

### 3 Blonduos - [www.northwest.is](http://www.northwest.is)



Blonduos is located on the eastern coast of Hunaflói and straddles the Blanda river. The main economic activities include various services for the local agricultural area, food processing and production, light industry and travel services, as well as public services such as healthcare, education and administration. Upstream from the bridge across Blanda river is Hrutey Island, a park that was protected in 1975. The Handcraft and Textile Museum and a Sea Ice Exhibition Centre are also located in Blonduos. Among other services are a hotel, a guesthouse, and self catering accommodation as well as a camping site, restaurants, cafés, a diner and fuel station, a super-market, garages, tourist information, a health care centre and a geothermal swimming pool. Population 820.

### 4 Skagastrond - [www.skagastrond.is](http://www.skagastrond.is) / [www.northwest.is](http://www.northwest.is)



Skagastrond is situated on the east coast of Hunaflói. The main economic activity used to be fishing industry. The village still boasts an important fishing and commercial port. Skagastrond is known as The Country Town in Iceland. The restaurant Kantrybær is located in a Country&Western style building in the centre of the town, and the "Country King", Hallbjörn Hjartarson, runs Country Radio FM 96.7. The Cultural-Café Bjarmanes is open in the summer months. At Nes Artist Residency, artists from all over the world come to stay and work. Walking paths on the Spakonufellshofdi cape and Spakonufell (639m) provide views of sea and shoreline. Other services are overnight facilities, Restaurant Kantrybær, Arnes Museum, a camping site, grocery store, mini-mart and fuel station, garages, a geothermal swimming pool and a golf course. Population 530.





## 5 Saudarkrokur - [www.visitskagafjorur.is](http://www.visitskagafjorur.is)



Saudarkrokur is the largest town in northwest Iceland, located along the southwest shore on the innermost part of Skagafjörður. Settlement began in 1871. Today the economy is primarily based on fishing and fish processing, industry and the provision of services, particularly to agriculture. The exhibition centre at Adalgata illustrates tools of many trades which were used in the workshops of olden times.

Services in Saudarkrokur comprise hotels, guesthouses, a camping site, restaurants, cafés, pubs, a diner and fuel station, a supermarket, and garages as well as tourist information, a health care centre and a geothermal swimming pool. Population 2,650.

## 6 Varmahlid - [www.visitskagafjorur.is](http://www.visitskagafjorur.is)



Varmahlid is a village in Skagafjörður, by Ring Road No. 1. Since 1931 local services and catering have been the primary economic activities of the people of Varmahlid. A school, services to the agricultural industry, shops and tourism constitute the main sources of employment. Geothermal heat provides heating for houses. The main services on offer in Varmahlid comprise a hotel, holiday cottages, a restaurant, diner and fuel station as well as a geothermal swimming pool. Population 130.

## 7 Holar - [www.visitskagafjorur.is](http://www.visitskagafjorur.is)



Holar in Hjalptadalur is one of Iceland's best-known historical sites. From 1106 -1801 it was an episcopal see, as well as being the main regional centre. The current cathedral at Holar was consecrated in 1763, and has since been restored to its original state. The main building at Holaskoli houses an exhibition relating to the bishops of Holar. Audun's house is a replica of the original house of Audun The Red who was bishop at Holar 1313-1322. Nyibaer is an example of a 19th century North Iceland turf house. Holaskogur is ideal for hiking. New at Holar is the recently opened Icelandic Horse History Centre. Holar is home to Holar University College which specialises in equine studies, aquaculture fish biology and rural tourism. Over the last ten years a considerable amount of archaeological research has been done at Holar. Services at Holar consist of accommodation in apartments or cottages, as well as a camping site, restaurant, and a geothermal swimming pool. Population 110.

## 8 Hofsos - [www.visitskagafjorur.is](http://www.visitskagafjorur.is)



Hofsos is a small village on the eastern shore of Skagafjörður. Hofsos was once the main trade centre in Skagafjörður and has over 400 years of history. In the lower town near the harbour you will find the Emigration Center which houses an interesting and informative exhibition about the mass migration of Icelanders to North America in the late 18th century. The old warehouse built in 1772 is one of the oldest examples of timber buildings still standing in Iceland. Services in Hofsos comprise a restaurant and overnight facilities, a supermarket and a geothermal swimming pool. Population 190.





### 9 Siglufjörður - [www.fjallabyggd.is/english](http://www.fjallabyggd.is/english)



Siglufjörður stands by a fjord of the same name, on the Trollaskagi Peninsula between Skagafjörður and Eyjafjörður. Harbour conditions are very good and Siglufjörður has always been a fishing town. For years it was the largest herring centre in Iceland with a population of 3,100. A new tunnel was opened in the autumn of 2010, which connects Siglufjörður to its sister town of Ólafsfjörður and to the Eyjafjörður region. The Herring Era Museum commemorates the "herring years". Services in Siglufjörður consist of various overnight facilities, restaurants, cafés, a diner and fuel station, a super-market and garages, together with tourist information, a health care centre and a geothermal swimming pool. Population 1,220.

### 10 Ólafsfjörður - [www.fjallabyggd.is/english](http://www.fjallabyggd.is/english)



The village of Ólafsfjörður is situated by a fjord of the same name that cuts into Trollaskagi Peninsula, between Skagafjörður and Eyjafjörður. It is sister town to Siglufjörður and the merging of those two municipalities in 2006 gave birth to the administrative district known as Fjallabyggd. Ólafsfjörður was first settled at the beginning of the 19th century, when increased emphasis on fishing attracted people to its sheltered natural harbour. The economy of the town is based on fisheries. A 3.4 km tunnel cuts through Ólafsfjardarmúli mountain, connecting Fjallabyggd to the Eyjafjörður region. The main services in Ólafsfjörður are a hotel, restaurant, diner and fuel station, a super-market, a garage and a geothermal swimming pool. Population 850.

### 11 Dalvík - [www.dalvik.is/en](http://www.dalvik.is/en)



Dalvík is a fishing town, located on Trollaskagi Peninsula on the west coast of Eyjafjörður Fjord. Recreation for tourists in the area includes a museum, skiing facilities, a golf course, sea angling, whale watching, bird watching and horse rental. There are numerous hiking trails in the area, making hiking trips led by professional guides a popular activity. Other services include a hotel, guesthouse, restaurant, café, diner and fuel station, a super-market, garages and a geothermal swimming pool. The scheduled ferries to Grimsey island ply from the harbour in Dalvík. Population 1,440.

### 12 Hrísey - [www.hrisey.net/en](http://www.hrisey.net/en)



The island of Hrísey with its small fishing village is a nature pearl in the middle of Eyjafjörður. The island has rich birdlife and several hiking paths. Other tourist attractions on the island are a shark museum with information both about shark fishing and the local history. The island's gourmet speciality is the blue mussel. Services include a guesthouse, a restaurant, a camping site, café, shop and ageothermal swimming pool. There are scheduled ferry crossings from the village Arskogssandur to Hrísey Island. The crossing takes about 15 minutes. Population 190.





### 13 Arskogssandur / Hauganes - [www.dalvik.is/en](http://www.dalvik.is/en)



These two small sea villages are located at Arskogsstrond on the west coast of Eyjafjörður Fjord. In both communities the economy is based on fishing and fish processing, as this is the main employment. Scheduled ferries ply to Hrisey Island from the harbour at Arskogssandur. Arskogsstrond is only a 20 minute drive from Akureyri. Recreation on offer includes a farm open to visitors where Icelandic farm animals may be observed, whale watching, laser tag and paintball, a tour of the local brewery and various day trips. Population: Arskogssandur 140 / Hauganes 130.

### 14 Hjalteyri



Hjalteyri is a small village on the western shore of Eyjafjörður. This used to be one of the centers of the herring industry in the early 20th century. The old factory buildings now house an experimental fish farm in Hjalteyri that hatches gourmet favorite halibut, a diving company that offers an opportunity to explore unique geo-thermal cones at the sea-floor of Eyjafjörður and throughout the summer, various art exhibitions and performances that have become popular.

### 15 Akureyri - [www.visitakureyri.is/en](http://www.visitakureyri.is/en)



Akureyri bustles with life all year round. The town's 18,000 residents make it the most highly populated town by far outside the capital city area. It is an entrepreneurial and service centre for the whole of North Iceland. It is also a town built on a firm foundation of culture and education. Akureyri is a popular tourist destination for foreigners as well as Icelanders. The town itself has much to offer; e.g. all kinds of services, activities, nightlife and recreational areas – all within the municipal boundaries. The town lies in the centre of North Iceland and is close to many well known tourist destinations and natural wonders in the north.

### 16 Reykarhverfi by Hrafnagil - [www.northiceland.is](http://www.northiceland.is)



Eyjafjardarsveit is a thriving agricultural community, one of the best and most fertile in Iceland. The farm Hrafnagil in Eyjafjardarsveit was once a chieftain's estate and a church site. Reykarhverfi is a small community with a service centre for visitors. Eyjafjardarsveit has many attractions, such as the Christmas Garden, Sverrir Hermannsson's Sundry Collection, The Elf Gallery and several beautiful old churches. Other services are camping, cafés and a geothermal swimming pool. Population 1,030.





### 17 Svalbardseyri - [www.northiceland.is](http://www.northiceland.is)



Svalbardseyri is situated on the eastern shore of Eyjafjörður fjord, overlooking Akureyri. It is a predominantly agricultural community, with farming and related food industry providing most of the employment. Many of the area's inhabitants work in public services or in neighbouring communities. The main tourist attractions are the Icelandic Folk and Outsider Arts Museum (Safnasafnið), and the vantage points overlooking Akureyri. Country hotels and guesthouses provide overnight facilities. Other services in the village of Svalbardseyri include sports facilities and a geothermal swimming pool. Population 260.

### 18 Grenivik - [www.northiceland.is](http://www.northiceland.is)



Grenivik is located on a cove of the same name on the eastern shore of Eyjafjörður fjord. The small fishing village, which began to develop during the first decade of the 20th century, grew significantly after a new harbour was constructed in 1965. Among services to be found in Grenivik are a guesthouse, horse rental, an open farm, a fisheries museum and a geothermal swimming pool. Population 250.

### 19 Grimsey - [www.visitakureyri.is/en](http://www.visitakureyri.is/en)



Grimsey Island is the northernmost settlement in Iceland. It is 5.3 square kilometres and lies in the Atlantic Ocean 41 km from the mainland. At its highest point, the island is 105 m above sea level, and is crossed by the Arctic Circle at 66° N. Grimsey is well vegetated and ideal for birdwatching, the main attraction being the puffin. The economy of the inhabitants is mainly based on fisheries. A ferry from Dalvík and flights from Akureyri serve the island several times a week during the winter months. However, during summer, there are daily flights between Grimsey and Akureyri and a schooner sails to the island once a week from Husavík. All visitors coming to Grimsey receive a certificate confirming that they have crossed the Arctic Circle. Population 90.

### 20 Laugar - [www.edgeofthearctic.is](http://www.edgeofthearctic.is)



Laugar is a small community which has sprung up in the active geothermal area of Reykjadalur valley. It has a district school which also serves as a summer hotel. Other types of accommodation can be found in the vicinity. At Laugar you will also find a sports centre, a geothermal swimming pool and an athletic track. Other services include a diner and fuel station as well as a bank. Population 120.





## 21 Husavik - [www.edgeofthearctic.is](http://www.edgeofthearctic.is)



Husavik, on the eastern shore of the Skjalfandi bay, is the largest town in the county of Thingeyjarsýsla and provides a variety of services for the neighbouring communities. Husavik is considered to be the oldest settlement in Iceland. The Swedish explorer, Gardar Svavarsson, spent one winter there in 870 AD and the dwelling house he constructed whilst there has given the town its name. Husavik is known for whale watching trips in Skjalfandi Bay. The Husavik Whale Centre, the Husavik Museum and the Icelandic Phalological Museum are well worth a visit and a botanical garden is in the heart of town. In Husavik, visitors can find different types of accommodation, restaurants and cafés. There is also a geothermal swimming pool and campsite as well as a golf course on the outskirts of town. Population 2,230.

## 22 Myvatn / Reykjahlid - [www.visitmyvatn.is](http://www.visitmyvatn.is)



Reykjahlid is a small community by Lake Myvatn. The Myvatn region is one of the highlights of the north, known for its geothermal activity and the exceptional beauty of its natural phenomena. Birdlife by the lake is abundant and Sigurgeir's Bird Museum is one of the locations worth visiting, as well as the Myvatn Nature Baths. From Reykjahlid there are many marked hiking routes. At Lake Myvatn, different types of accommodation are available as well as good restaurants and cafés. All major services are provided in Reykjahlid, such as camping, a supermarket, bank, post office, health care centre, school and geothermal swimming pool. Population 380.

## 23 Kopasker - [www.edgeofthearctic.is](http://www.edgeofthearctic.is)



Kopasker is a fishing village on the eastern shore of Oxarfjörður fjord. The village grew up around services to the farms in the area and today its economy revolves mainly around meat processing and nearby fish farming as well as fisheries. In Kopasker, the local museum at Snartarstadir is worth visiting, as is the Earthquake Centre, which explores regional geography with special focus on an earthquake of great magnitude which shook the region in 1976. Services in Kopasker include a mini-mart, camping, a hostel and rental apartments and car repairs. Population 130.

## 24 Raufarhofn - [www.edgeofthearctic.is](http://www.edgeofthearctic.is)



Raufarhofn, the northernmost village in Iceland, is situated on the eastern coast of Melrakkasletta peninsula with the Arctic Circle lying just off shore. The fishing industry has been the village's main economic activity and during the herring years in the middle of the 20th century this was a flourishing community. Today, Raufarhofn is adapting to changing times with an increased focus on catering for tourists. Among services there are a hotel, a shop, car repairs, camping, an indoor geothermal swimming pool and a health care centre. Boat tours are available from Raufarhofn harbour to the Arctic Circle, and The Arctic Hedge is under construction. Population 220.





## 25 Thorshofn - [www.visitnortheasticeland.is](http://www.visitnortheasticeland.is)



Thorshofn is a fishing village on the eastern shore of Thistilfjörður. The main economy is based on fishing and fish processing. Thorshofn provides various services to the surrounding countryside as well as to its visitors. There are direct flights and scheduled bus tours to Thorshöfn from Akureyri all year round. All major services are provided in Thorshofn, such as overnight facilities, a restaurant, supermarket, camping, car rental, a bank, post office, health care centre and geothermal swimming pool. Population 400.

## 26 Bakkafjörður - [www.visitnortheasticeland.is](http://www.visitnortheasticeland.is)



Bakkafjörður is a small fishing village on the south coast of the fjord of the same name. A good harbour, makes fishing from small vessels and fish processing the main economic base. From Bakkafjörður, boat trips and sea angling is possible. A shop, guesthouse and campsite are available. Outside the village a marked hiking route, about 8 km long, leads to the lighthouse at Digranes and the Vidvík cove.

In Selárdalur, about 30 km from Bakkafjörður, there is an outdoor swimming pool close to the salmon river Sela. Population 80.

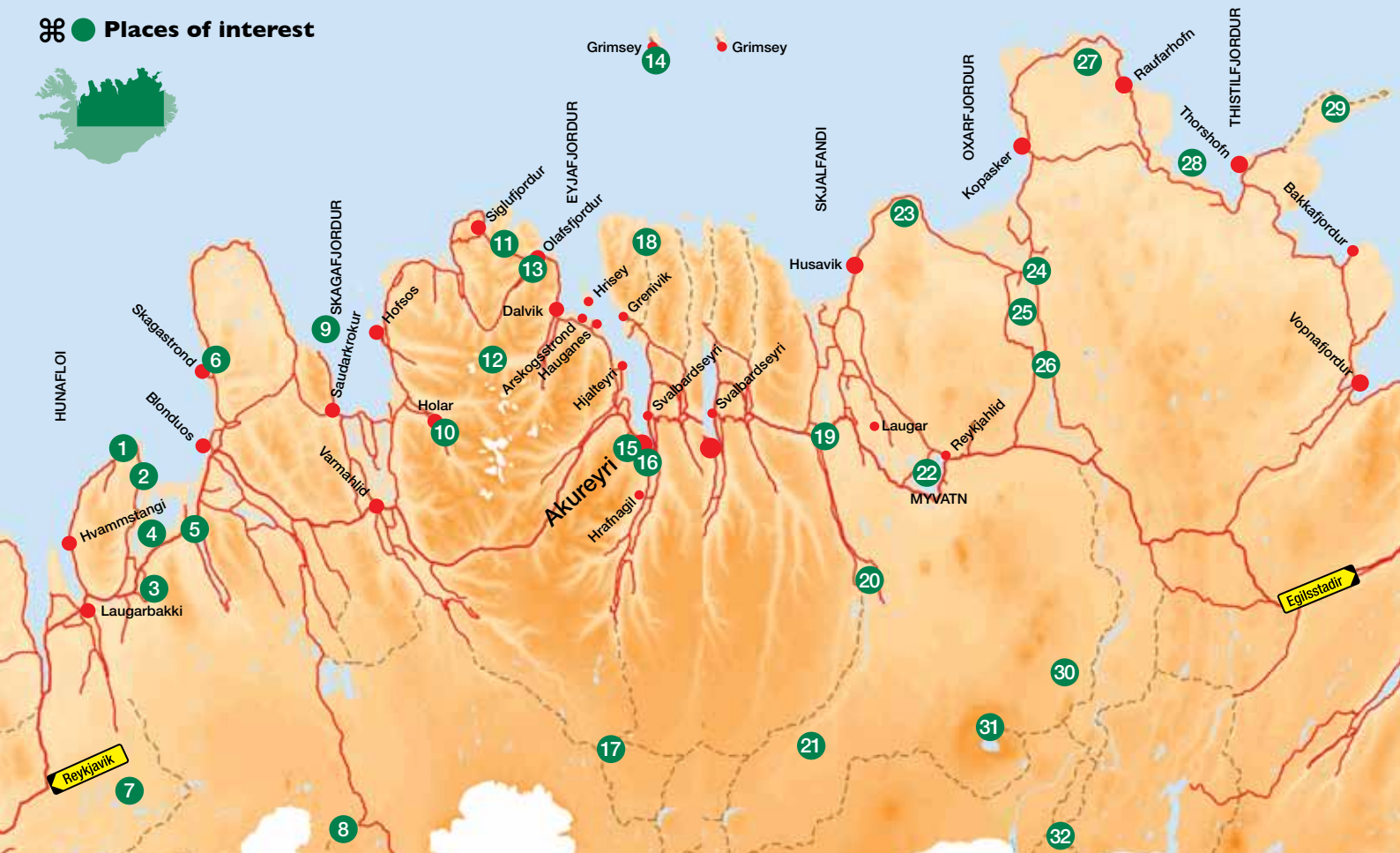


Siglufjörður





## Places of interest







## 1 Vatnsnes



Vatnsnes peninsula possesses a variable wildlife, many natural wonders, powerful historical trails and a beautiful environment. At Vatnsnes is one of the largest seal colonies in Iceland, where seals have been protected for many years and there they are very tame. It's easy to get close to take photographs and watch their lazy lives at Illugastadir and Ósar. The Icelandic Seal Centre (Selasetur Islands) is located at Hvammstangi. There are many hiking paths in Vatnsnes.

## 2 Hvitserkur



A 15m high monolith just off shore on the eastern side of Vatnsnes peninsula. Many bird species live on the rock and the leaving of their mark is evident in the whiteness of their droppings. Good seal spotting at the estuary of Sigðarstadir lake, south of the rock.

## 3 Kolugljúfur



In Viðdalur valley, the river Vididalsa flows by the farm Kolugil. Below the farm the river flows peacefully down into a magnificent gorge, Kolugljúfur. The powerful waterfalls the gorge creates are named after the Troll-woman Kola; Kolufossar. It is a unique experience to look at this peaceful river plunge over the magnificent waterfalls. At the site there is an information/history sign.

## 4 Borgarvirki



Borgarvirki is a volcanic plug and stands at 177 m above sea level and dominates the surrounding landscape. It is a unique natural phenomenon and has been altered by civilisation through the centuries. The Icelandic Sagas tell that in earlier times Borgarvirki was used as a fortress for military purposes.

## 5 Vatnsdalsholar



A cluster of hills of various shapes and sizes in the mouth of Vatnsdalur valley and spread over 4 km<sup>2</sup>. Thought to have been formed by a catastrophic landslide, the Vatnsdalsholar are considered to be one of the three "innumerable" phenomena in Iceland, together with the lakes in Arnarvatnsheidi and the islands in Breiðafjörður in the west. The last execution in Iceland took place at Þrístapir in Vatnsdalsholar when Friðrik Sigurðsson and Agnes Magnúsdóttir were put to death on the 12th of January 1830. They had murdered Natan Ketilsson and Petur Jonsson at Illugastadir; Natans farm, in 1828. The bodies of Friðrik and Agnes were interred without ceremony at the site of execution, and their heads displayed on pikes. They were later reburied in the cemetery at Tjörn in Vatnsnes.

## 6 Spakonufellshofdi



Spakonufellshofdi west of Skagaströnd village offers a variety of hiking routes. This is a popular destination for people wanting to enjoy nature where the ocean, diverse bird species and the majestic circle of mountains stimulate the senses. Spakonufellshofdi offers a view of mountains and valleys to the south and north, as well as to the Strandir area across the panoramic Hunafloi Bay. A brochure about Spakonufellshofdi is available in shops and restaurants in Skagaströnd.

## 7 Arnarvatnsheidi



Arnarvatnsheidi is a large green, lake-studded landscape in the highland area, south of Hunafloi. It extends for 80 km south to the glaciers of Eiríksjökull and Langjökull. This is a popular trout fishing venue in wild, lonely nature. 4WD track.

## 8 Hveravellir



A unique nature reserve situated on the Kjölur route in the middle of the west highlands between the glaciers Langjökull and Hofsjökull. Hveravellir ranks among the most beautiful geothermal areas in the world with smoking fumaroles and hot pools with sky-blue boiling water.





## 9 Drangey



The rocky island in Skagafjörður is a flat topped mass of tuff, rising almost 200 meters out of the ocean. The cliffs serve as nesting sites for millions of sea birds and have been used throughout Iceland's history for egg collection and bird netting. Grettis Saga recounts that both Grettir and his brother Illugi lived in Drangey for three years and were slain there. The island can only be ascended at one spot. Boat tours to the island from Fagranes and Saudarkrokur.

## 10 Hjalptadalur



It is in Hjalptadalur-valley that one of Iceland's best-known historical sites, Holar, is situated. Holar was the northern bishopric from 1106 as well as the educational capital of the north. The current Cathedral at Holar was consecrated in 1763. The University in Holar has been operated since 1882. Pleasant hiking trails and an aquarium.

## 11 Hedinsfjörður



Hedinsfjörður is a 6 km deserted fjord that cuts into the Trollaskagi peninsula between Siglufjörður and Ólafsfjörður. The area, with the lake and majestic mountains and hills, is a popular destination for hiking and other outdoor activities. The sister-towns in Fjallabyggð community, Siglufjörður and Ólafsfjörður are now connected by a tunnel that cuts through Hedinsfjörður. The tunnel was opened to traffic in October 2010.

## 12 Trollaskagi



A rugged peninsula between Skagafjörður and Eyjafjörður. A maze of mountains, rivers and miniature glaciers. Ideal for hiking in the summer and for extreme winter sports in winter. Guided tours and maps available.

## 13 Ólafsfjörður Lake



The still waters of Ólafsfjörður Lake often mirror Ólafsfjörður town, its surrounding mountains and the sky above. Occasionally a trout breaks the surface, as a reminder of what is up and what is down in this mysterious mountain retreat. The lake has a long-lived reputation for mystery, not least because both fresh-water and salt-water fish are caught in it.

## 14 Grimsey island



Grimsey is the northern most point of Iceland situated on the Arctic Circle. It is home to one hundred people, one million seabirds and one of the biggest Puffin colonies in Iceland. It is a great place to enjoy the midnight sun around summer solstice. A ferry serves the island from Dalvík and flights are provided from Akureyri. A schooner sails from Husavík during the summer.

## 15 Hlíðarfjall



Akureyri's ski centre at Mt. Hlíðarfjall is surrounded by high mountains ranging from 1,000 to 1,538 metres above sea level. The ski slopes are 5 km up the mountain from the town of Akureyri and for nearly 40 years, this has been one of the prime skiing areas in Iceland. The hallmarks of Hlíðarfjall are high quality snow, extensive cross country tracks and exciting ski slopes with a breathtaking view of Eyjafjörður. Recently purchased snow blowers are capable of providing fine skiing conditions during the entire winter.

## 16 Kjarnaskogur



An attractive woodland on the southern outskirts of Akureyri. The area has a 7 km lit trail in addition to a vast network of backcountry tracks, plus a specially designed mountain bike trail. Playground, picnic areas, restrooms and a volley ball course. When weather permits, up to 10 km of trails trimmed for cross country skiing. Varied birdlife, and a bird watching shelter at Hundatjörn. Campsite at nearby Hamrar with easy access to the woodland.





## 17 Laugafell



An oasis in the barren expanse between the glacier Hofsjökull and Vatnajökull. The site is about 25km to the west of the best known highland route "Sprengisandur". On the north-western slopes of the mountain Laugafell, bubbling hot geothermal springs present a pleasant contrast to the surrounding coldness. Three mountain huts are open in the summer; with kitchen facilities and a nice geothermal nature pool outside.

## 18 Fjordur



The peninsula between Eyjafjordur and Skjalfandi Bay is a paradise for hikers. Two 4WD tracks lead to the north of the peninsula, one to Hvalvatnsfjordur and the other to Flateyjardalur. No services, but camping allowed in specific areas.

## 19 Godafoss



The "Waterfall of the Gods" is in the glacial river Skjalfandafjot, just off the Ring Road by Fossholl. The name of the waterfall refers to an incident in one of the Sagas where Thorgerir the Lawspeaker, threw his symbolic likenesses of the old Nordic gods into the waterfall.

## 20 Aldeyjarfoss



In upper Bardardalur valley in the glacial river Skjalfandafjot, one of Iceland's most photogenic waterfalls flows over a layer of intriguing basalt columns. More basalt patterns can be seen in the shallow canyon above the falls.

## 21 Sprengisandur



The most common highland route in Iceland crossing from north to south. The route is a 4WD track across rivers and rough terrain. On a clear day the view of the glaciers is magnificent and the vast interior is an unbelievable sight. Only passable in summer.

## 22 Myvatn



The Myvatn basin sits squarely on the Mid-Atlantic Ridge. Myvatn, Iceland's fourth largest lake 37, km<sup>2</sup> in area, has a shoreline deeply incised by numerous small creeks and is speckled with about 50 islands and small islets. The Myvatn region is famed for its birdlife on and around the lake, as the area is favoured by diverse species of duck and wetland birds. Indeed, Myvatn is considered one of the best birdwatching locations in Iceland. Craters and volcanoes have sculpted the landscape of the Myvatn region, many of which are famous attractions and spots of special interest. Places to visit include the pseudocraters at Skutustadur, Hofdi peninsula, Dimmuborgir lava formations, Hverfall/fell Crater, Hverir hot spring area, Krafla volcanic area and The Myvatn Nature Baths.

## 23 Tjornes



A stubby peninsula between Skjalfandi bay and Oxarfjordur bay. Layers of fossil shells and lignite can be found on the coastal cliffs down from Ytri-Tunga farm on the western side of Tjornes. Colonies of puffins and other sea birds nest on the cliffs along the eastern coast. The bird-colonies are accessible by the road marked "Tungulending".

## 24 Asbyrgi



Is a well wooded horse-shoe shaped canyon in Oxarfjordur. Asbyrgi is part of the Vatnajökull National Park. The national park reaches from highway 85, by Asbyrgi south to Dettifoss, covering an area of 120 km<sup>2</sup>. There is an informative visitors centre, shop, golf course and camping in the immediate neighbourhood of Asbyrgi as are numerous hiking tracks.





## 25 Jokulsargljufur



Declared one of Iceland's National Parks in 1973 and now part of Vatnajökull National Park which extends from Asbyrgi to Dettifoss along the canyon of the glacier river Jökulsá. Jökulsá is one of the most powerful glacial rivers in Iceland and the second-longest, 206km.

## 26 Dettifoss



Has the greatest volume of any waterfall in Europe, 500 cubic metres of water per second plunging over the edge. Dettifoss is 45 m high and 100m wide. A pleasant hiking trail, 34km in length, winds along the canyon from Dettifoss to Asbyrgi. Camping possible in Vesturdalur.

## 27 Melrakkasletta



A remote headland between Óxarfjörður and Thistilfjörður. Renowned for the natural splendour of its spring and summer nights, its large number of lakes and the rich bird life it supports. On the western side is the red coloured, 73 m high rock formation Raudinupur. Further north the small peninsula Hraunhafnartangi is the northernmost point of the Icelandic mainland, being only 3km south of the Arctic Circle.

## 28 Raudanes



The cape Raudanes is located south of Víðarfjall mountain, midway between Raufarhöfn and Þorshöfn. This small but scenic peninsula is endowed with offshore sea stacks, an exposed rock face called Stakkatorfa, caves and steep cliffs which are home to numerous nesting birds.

## 29 Langanes



A narrow peninsula between Þistilfjörður and Bakkaflói shaped like a goose with a very large head. A rough road leads to Fontur at the tip of the peninsula which is characterised on the northern and southern shores by steep sea cliffs known as Skoruvíkurbjarg and Skálavíkurbjarg. The Langanes peninsula is known for its rich birdlife, and excellent birdwatching spots where it is possible to watch the gannet and Brúnnichs guillemot from land.

## 30 Herdubreid



Mt. Herdubreid on the Óskjuleid Route is a 1682m high table mountain. It is the national mountain of Iceland and often called the "Queen of Icelandic mountains". There is a hiking trail to the top of the mountain, but due to loose rock it's difficult and steep.

## 31 Askja



Askja is a 50 km<sup>2</sup> caldera in the Dyngjufjöll mountains. In an eruption in 1875, an area of 11 km<sup>2</sup> on the south-eastern side of Askja caved in to form Lake Óskjvatn, the deepest lake in Iceland, 217m and a tephra crater known as Víti (Hell) north of it.

## 32 Kverkfjöll



Kverkfjöll is a big massif on the northern edge of Vatnajökull glacier, lodged between two tongues from the main glacial cap, Dyngjufjöll and Brúarfjöll. Here on the rim of the ice is one of the greatest geothermal fields in Iceland. There is an ice cave of particular interest on the edge of the glacier about 3 km from the mountain lodge.





## History and culture







### 1 Hrutafjörður, Reykir Regional Museum

Museum with objects characterising the old farming community in Iceland as well as details on shark fishing in the old days.

Tel. +354 451 0040, byggdasafn@emax.is, www.simnet.is/reykirmuseum

### 2 Hvammstangi Seal Centre

A remarkable exhibition of the seal's way of life and their interaction with humans from a wide perspective.

	Website	www.selaseturis
	Phone	+354 451 2345
	E-mail	info@selaseturis

### 3 Hvammstangi Trade Museum / Bardusa

A commercial museum and market, The Bardusa handicraft group located in the same house.

Tel. +354 451 2747, unnur@forsvar.is, http://bardusa.123.is

### 4 Thingeyrar Church

One of Iceland's greatest historical places. The church was built in 1864-1877. Guided tours and exhibition on site.

### 5 Blönduós, Domestic Textile Museum

The museum exhibits a unique collection of homemade wool and textile items and Icelandic national costumes and artistic embroideries.

Tel. +354 452 4067, textile@simnet.is, www.simnet.is/textile

### 6 Blönduós, Sea Ice Exhibition Centre in Hillebrandtshus

The ancient curse of the sea ice has threatened the north coast of Iceland through times. An interesting look at the sea ice phenomenon. Polar bear exhibition.

Tel. +354 452 4848, hafis@blonduos.is, www.blonduos.is/hafis

### 7 Skagaströnd, Arnes Museum

Arnes is the oldest house in Skagaströnd that still stands, built in 1899. The museum shows the facilities and living conditions in the early 20th century.

Tel. +354 861 5089, dagny@nett.is, www.skagastrond.is/arnes.asp

### 8 Saudarkrokur, Minjahúsið Historical Exhibitions

An exhibition showing the workshops of a mechanic, carpenter, watchmaker and saddler in the past. And "Treasures in the Earth" a exhibit devoted to archaeological finds in Skagafjörður area.

Tel. +354 453 6173, byggdasafn@skagafjordur.is, www.visitskagafjordur.is

### 9 Saudarkrokur, The Tannery Visitor Centre

Provides visitors with an unusual way to experience the tannery and its products: guided tours of the actual tannery, where fish-skin is processed to make high-quality leather.

	Website	www.sutarinn.is
	Phone	+354 453 5910 / +354 512 8025
	E-mail	gestastofa@sutarinn.is

### 10 Saudarkrokur, The Center for Natural Research

The Center for Natural Research North West Iceland. Polar bear exhibition.

Tel. +354 453 7999, nnv@nnv.is, www.nnv.is

### 11 Skagafjörður, Glaumbaer Folk Museum

Exhibitions in an old turf farm and a timber house. A regional museum and café.

Tel. +354 453 6173, bsk@skagafjordur.is, www.skagafjordur.is/byggdasafn, www.glaumbaer.is

### 12 Skagafjörður, Vidimyri Church

The old turf church on site dates from 1834 and is considered one of the purest and most beautiful examples of traditional Icelandic architecture.

Tel. +354 453 5095 / +354 849 5674, skagafi@simnet.is, www.visitskagafjordur.is

### 13 Skagafjörður, Flugumyri and Sturlunga Saga

Although the Age of the Sturlunga Saga was marked by acts of cruelty and gruesome battles, the events have an air of adventure. Walking tours with a guide.

Tel. +354 455 6161, sturlungaslod@sturlungaslod.is, www.sturlungaslod.is, www.visitskagafjordur.is








#### 14 Skagafjörður, Holar in Hjaltadalur

Holar in Hjaltadalur is among Iceland's most remarkable historical and cultural sites. Historical trail through the area. Educational center since 1106.



 Website	www.holar.is
 Phone	+354 455 6333
 E-mail	booking@holar.is

#### 15 Skagafjörður, Holar, The Icelandic Horse History Centre

An international centre for research, knowledge and education about the Icelandic horse.



 Website	www.sogusetur.is
 Phone	+354 455 6345
 E-mail	sogusetur@sogusetur.is

#### 16 Skagafjörður, Transport Museum

A museum of motor vehicles and equipment illustrating the history of road transportation in Iceland.  
Tel. +354 845 7400, [storag@simnet.is](mailto:storag@simnet.is), [www.visitskagafjorur.is](http://www.visitskagafjorur.is)

#### 17 Hofsos, The Icelandic Emigration Centre

Illustrates the history of the Icelandic exodus to America in the 19th century.



 Website	www.hofsos.is
 Phone	+354 453 7935
 E-mail	hofsos@hofsos.is

#### 18 Siglufjörður, Herring Era Museum

The Herring Era Museum in Siglufjörður - Awarded maritime museum where the "glory days" of Iceland's herring fisheries and industry are brought back to life. Winner of the Micheletti Museum Award 2004.

Tel. +354 467 1604, [safn@sild.is](mailto:safn@sild.is), [www.sild.is](http://www.sild.is)

#### 19 Siglufjörður, The Folk Music Center

The Folk Music Center brings to life the world of Icelandic folk music.  
Tel. +354 467 2300, [setur@folkmusik.is](mailto:setur@folkmusik.is), [www.folkmusik.is/](http://www.folkmusik.is/)

#### 20 Olafsfjörður, Museum of Natural History

A nature and bird museum in Olafsfjörður.

Tel. +354 464 9200, [fjallabyggd@fjallabyggd.is](mailto:fjallabyggd@fjallabyggd.is), [www.fjallabyggd.is](http://www.fjallabyggd.is)

#### 21 Dalvík, Local Folk Museum, Hvoll

The museum has three departments; focusing on regional aspects, natural science and and also includes exhibits on a number of famous people from the community.

Tel. +354 466 1497, [hvoll@dalvik.is](mailto:hvoll@dalvik.is), [www.dalvik.is/byggdasafn](http://www.dalvik.is/byggdasafn)

#### 22 Hríssey island, The House of Shark-Jorundur

Exhibition and items related to shark fishing as well as the history of Hrísey, in a house built in 1885-1886. Location for tourist information in summer.

Tel. +354 695 0077, [hrisey@hrisey.net](mailto:hrisey@hrisey.net), [www.visitakureyri.is](http://www.visitakureyri.is), [www.hrisey.net](http://www.hrisey.net)

#### 23 Eyjafjörður, Gasir, Medieval Trading Site




Archaeological excavation in the area has shown that it was a trading post from the 12th century to the 16th century, possibly longer. Medieval market July 16th-July 19th.

Tel. +354 896 7399, [gasir@gasir.is](mailto:gasir@gasir.is), [www.gasir.is](http://www.gasir.is)

#### 24 Akureyri, The Icelandic Aviation Museum

Museum relating to the history of Icelandic aviation.



 Website	www.flugsafn.is
 Phone	+354 461 4400
 E-mail	flugsafn@flugsafn.is

#### 25 Akureyri, The Akureyri Industrial Museum

The museum is founded to commemorate the industrial heritage of Akureyri and exhibits machinery, tools of various trades and manufactured products from the last century.



 Website	www.idnarsafnid.is
 Phone	+354 462 3600
 E-mail	idnarsafnid@idnarsafnid.is





## 26 Akureyri Art Museum

Founded in 1993 the Akureyri Art Museum is a creative force on the national front and an active participant on the international art scene.

Tel. +354 461 2610, [listasafn@akureyri.is](mailto:listasafn@akureyri.is), [art@art.is](mailto:art@art.is), [www.listasafn.akureyri.is](http://www.listasafn.akureyri.is)

## 27 Akureyri, The Akureyri Museum

Portraying the life and work of past inhabitants of Eyjafjörður and Akureyri. Unique artefacts relating to Viking Age, the Middle Ages, religion and everyday life in Eyjafjörður and Akureyri.

Tel. +354 462 4162, [akmus@akmus.is](mailto:akmus@akmus.is), [www.akmus.is](http://www.akmus.is)

## 28 Akureyri, Davidshus

A memorial museum of one of Iceland's most beloved poets, David Stefánsson from Fagriskógur. His living quarters are preserved in the same condition as when he lived in the house 1944-1964.

Tel. +354 466 2609, [listagil@listagil.is](mailto:listagil@listagil.is), [www.visitakureyri.is](http://www.visitakureyri.is)

## 29 Akureyri, Sigurhaedir

A memorial museum of the Reverend and poet Matthías Jochumsson (1835-1920), best known for writing the text to Iceland's National Anthem. The house was home to Matthías from 1903 to the end of his life.

Tel. +354 462 6648, [listagil@listagil.is](mailto:listagil@listagil.is), [www.visitakureyri.is](http://www.visitakureyri.is)

## 30 Akureyri, Nonni's House Museum

Childhood home of the writer and Jesuit priest Jón Sveinsson, Nonni. In one of Akureyri's oldest buildings.

Tel. +354 462 3555, [nonni@nonni.is](mailto:nonni@nonni.is), [www.nonni.is](http://www.nonni.is)

## 31 Akureyri, Púlpur Park and Botanical Garden

One of the northernmost botanical gardens in the world. Opened in 1912 but the Botanic section in 1957. About 6600 alien taxa growing in the garden in beds and nursery. Approx. 430 species of the native taxa.

Tel. +354 462 7487, [bjorgvin@akureyri.is](mailto:bjorgvin@akureyri.is), [www.lystigardur.akureyri.is](http://www.lystigardur.akureyri.is)

## 32 Akureyri, Húni II, historic Oak Boat

The renovated 130 ton oak fishing-boat built in Akureyri in 1963, serves as a historic monument to the Icelandic boat and fishing industry.

Tel. +354 699 1950 or +354 848 4864, [steinipje@simnet.is](mailto:steinipje@simnet.is), [www.huni.muna.is](http://www.huni.muna.is)

## 33 Akureyri, Fríðbjarnarhús, Toy Museum

An exhibition of 20th century toys in a house built 1856.

Tel. +354 863 4531, [akureyrarstofa@akureyri.is](mailto:akureyrarstofa@akureyri.is), [www.visitakureyri.is](http://www.visitakureyri.is)

## 34 Akureyri, Motorcycle Museum

Exhibits telling the history of motorcycles in Iceland.

Tel. +354 866 3500, [joel@motorhjolafn.is](mailto:joel@motorhjolafn.is), [www.motorhjolafn.is](http://www.motorhjolafn.is)

## 35 Akureyri, Hof Cultural and Conference Center

Hof is a cultural building designed for music and other performing arts, as well as top-notch facilities for conferences and meetings and exhibitions.




 Website	<a href="http://www.menningarhus.is">www.menningarhus.is</a>
 Phone	+354 450 1000
 E-mail	<a href="mailto:info@menningarhus.is">info@menningarhus.is</a>

## 36 Eyjafjörður, Country Gallery, Elf gallery at Teigur

Handwork and crafts from local artists.



 Phone	+354 894 1323
 E-mail	<a href="mailto:alfaland@internet.is">alfaland@internet.is</a>

## 37 Eyjafjörður, The Christmas Garden

A museum and shop open all year round, about Christmas and the traditional Icelandic Yule Lads.



 Website	<a href="http://www.esveit.is">www.esveit.is</a>
 Phone	+354 463 1433
 E-mail	<a href="mailto:jolagard@simnet.is">jolagard@simnet.is</a>

## 38 Eyjafjörður, The Sverrir Hermannsson's Sundry Collection

A private collection of thousands of small everyday objects.

Tel. +354 463 1261 or +354 865 1621, [stekkjar@simnet.is](mailto:stekkjar@simnet.is), [www.smamunasafnid.is](http://www.smamunasafnid.is)





### 39 Eyjafjörður, The Icelandic Folk Art and outsider Museum, Safnasafnid

Exhibitions of folk and experimental art, design, handicraft, dolls, toys and illusions, a reconstructed women's store from the beginning of the 20th century.



 Website	www.safnasafnid.is
 Phone	+354 461 4066
 E-mail	safngeymsla@simnet.is

### 40 Eyjafjörður, Laufas Farm

A typical Icelandic turf farm, equipped with household items and utensils resembling those in use at the beginning of the 20th century. Church built 1865.

Tel. +354 463 3196, laufas@akmus.is, www.akmus.is

### 41 Grenivík, Fisheries Museum

The Fisheries Museum is commemorated to preserve the history of the fishing industry in the region.

Tel. +354 698 5610 or +354 463 3124

### 42 The Transportation Museum at Ystafell

The Transport Museum collects and preserves machinery for transportation as well as information and photographs from Iceland's history of transportation.

Tel. +354 464 3133 or +354 861 1213, sverrir@islandia.is, www.ystafell.is

### 43 Bardardalur, Kidagil – Exhibition on Icelandic Outlaws




An exhibition on the Icelandic outlaws and their life in older days.

Tel. +354 464 3290, kidagil@kidagil.is, www.kidagil.is

### 44 Grenjardarstadur Old Farmhouse

Regional museum in a traditional turf farmhouse.





 Website	www.husmus.is
 Phone	+354 464 3688
 E-mail	safnahu@husmus.is

### 45 Myvatn, Sigurgeir's Bird Museum

Exhibition of Sigurgeir's bird collection, consisting of hundreds of birds and egg specimens



 Website	www.fugasafn.is
 Phone	+354 464 4477
 E-mail	fugasafn@fugasafn.is

### 46 Husavík, Whale Museum

A comprehensive museum on whales, their habitat and way of life.



 Website	www.whalemuseum.is
 Phone	+354 414 2800
 E-mail	info@whalemuseum.is

### 47 Husavík, District Cultural Center, Museum House

A general museum of nature, industry and culture in the district of Thingeyjarsýsla.






 Website	www.husmus.is
 Phone	+354 464 1860
 E-mail	safnahu@husmus.is

### 48 Husavík, The Icelandic Phallogical Museum

is probably the only museum in the world to contain a collection of phallic specimens belonging to all the various types of mammal found in a single country.



 Website	www.phallus.is
 Phone	+354 868 7966 or +354 561 6663
 E-mail	phallus@phallus.is

### 49 Tjörnes, Manarbakki Folk Museum

A comprehensive museum of human activities in the region.

Tel. +354 464 1957, www.visitnortheasticeland.is





### 50 Asbyrgi Visitor Center - Gljúfrastofa

Providing comprehensive information about the National Park, its surroundings, hiking trails, natural attractions, history, services and recreational options.

Tel. +354 470 7100, [asbyrgi@vjp.is](mailto:asbyrgi@vjp.is), [www.vjp.is](http://www.vjp.is)

### 51 Kopasker, Snartarstadir Library and Local Folk Museum

A diverse selection of handicrafts in the farming community, together with a library and a collection of photographs.



	Website	<a href="http://www.islandia.is/boknord">www.islandia.is/boknord</a>
	Phone	+354 465 2171
	E-mail	<a href="mailto:safnahus@husmus.is">safnahus@husmus.is</a>

### 52 Kopasker, Earthquake Center

An exhibition which explores regional geography with special focus on a big earthquake which shook the region in 1976.

Tel. +354 465 2105, [earthquake@kopasker.is](mailto:earthquake@kopasker.is), [www.visitnortheasticeland.is](http://www.visitnortheasticeland.is)

### 53 Raufarhofn, Arctic Henge

Harnessing the Midnight Sun at the Arctic Circle and the limitless expanse where nothing encroaches on the horizon. The Henge is inspired by the cosmos and dwarf-lore of the ancient eddic poem Voluspá (Prophecy of the Seeress). The Arctic Henge is under construction.

Tel. +354 465 1233, [ebt@vortex.is](mailto:ebt@vortex.is), [www.heimskautsgerdi.is](http://www.heimskautsgerdi.is)

### 54 Langanes, Local Folk Museum at Saudaneshus

The priests cottage, Saudaneshus was built in 1879. Today it houses a heritage exhibition, information center and a café where national refreshments are available. The house is part of The National Museum. Historic Buildings Collection.

Tel. +354 468 1430, [www.langanesbyggd.is](http://www.langanesbyggd.is), [www.visitnortheasticeland.is](http://www.visitnortheasticeland.is)



Grenjardastadir Old Farmhouse





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## River Rafting

For anyone seeking excitement, rafting down the glacial rivers, Jokulsa Vestari or Jokulsa Austari is an ideal option. Such trips are immensely popular, since the rivers flow through unique, spectacular canyons and tempt an ever-increasing number of people to experience this challenging sport.

### 1 Skagafjordur, Hafgrimsstaðir, Arctic Adventure - Arctic Rafting on Jokulsa

	 Location	River Rafting on Blanda/Jokulsa
	 Website	www.rafting.is
	 Phone	+354 571 2200
	 E-mail	info@rafting.is




### 2 Skagafjordur, Bakkaflo - Rafting

	 Location	River Rafting on Jokulsa
	 Website	www.bakkaflo.com
	 Phone	+354 453 8245 or +354 899 8245
	 E-mail	bakkaflo@islandia.is

## Paragliding





### 1 Akureyri, Paragliding

Paragliding is still the only paragliding tour operator which specializes in this particular sport in Iceland.



	 Website	www.paragliding.is
	 Phone	+354 848 3222
	 E-mail	paragliding@paragliding.is

## Scuba Diving

### 1 Sporttours, Scubadiving: Eyjafjordur, Grimsey and Asbyrgi

	 Website	www.sporttours.is
	 Phone	+354 899 8000 or +354 894 2967
	 E-mail	sporttours@sporttours.is

### 2 Strytan Divecenter: Eyjafjordur, Grimsey and Asbyrgi

	 Website	www.strytan.is
	 Phone	+354 862 2949
	 E-mail	saevor@eyjar.is



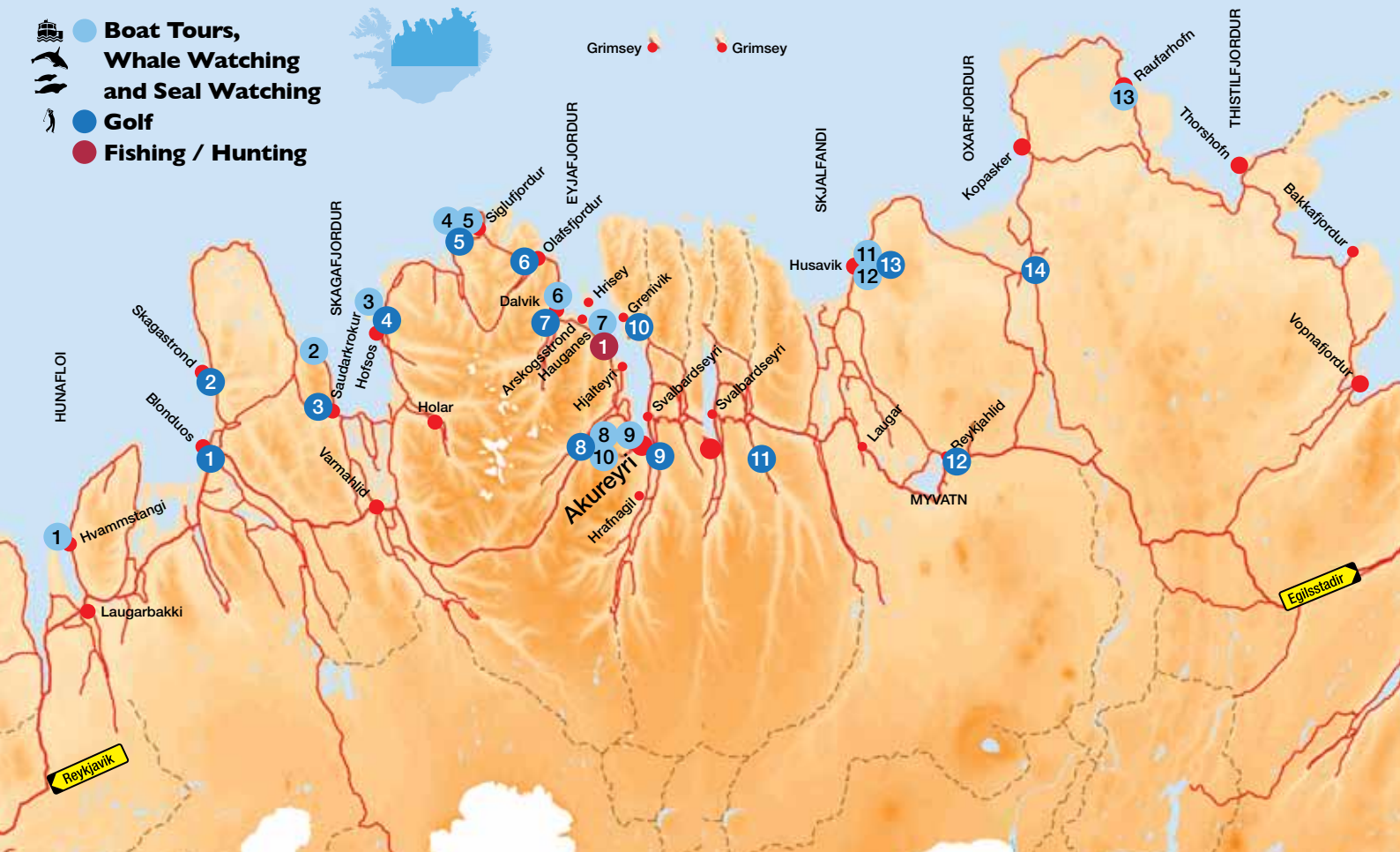




**Boat Tours,  
Whale Watching  
and Seal Watching**

**Golf**

**Fishing / Hunting**











## Boat tours / Whale Watching / Seal Watching

Sailing out on the Atlantic Ocean, towards or even beyond the Arctic Circle is something unique. Little can compare to feeling the fresh ocean breeze whipping your face while riding the waves in search of seals or whales and watching the sea birds soaring into the sky. Sea-angling is fun and if you are lucky you might even catch some of the ocean's "silver darlings" which will doubtless taste delicious at the end of an enjoyable day.

### 1 Hvammstangi, Seal Watching, sea angling, boat tours





	 Website	www.sealwatching.is
	 Phone	+354 897 9900
	 E-mail	selasigling@simnet.is

### 2 Skagafjörður, Fagranes – Boat Tours to Drangey Island Tel. +354 821 0090 or +354 821 0091, drangey@fjolnet.is, www.drangey.com





### 3 Skagafjörður, Malmey Boat Tours Tel. +354 453 7380 or +354 896 2881, palli@pardusehf.is

### 4 Siglufjörður, Boat Tours, Sea-angling Tel. +354 467 2293, siguro@simnet.is

### 5 Siglufjörður, Raudka, Boat Tours

	 Website	www.raudka.is
	 Phone	+354 467 1550
	 E-mail	raudka@raudka.is

### 6 Dalvík, Boat trips, whale watching, Sea-angling

	 Website	www.bataferdir.is
	 Phone	+354 771 7600
	 E-mail	bataferdir@bataferdir.is

### 7 Hauganes, Niels Jonsson, Boat Tours, whale watching, Sea-angling





	 Website	www.niels.is
	 Phone	+354 867 0000
	 E-mail	niels@niels.is

### 8 Akureyri, Nökkvi Sailing Club, Boat and Sea Kayak Rental, Sailing Courses Tel. +354 694 7509, runar.thor.bj@simnet.is, www.nokkvi.iba.is





### 9 Akureyri, Húni II, Boat Tours Tel. +354 848 4864, steinipje@simnet.is, www.huni.muna.is

### 10 Akureyri, Knutur Karlsson, Yacht Sailing Tel. +354 892 8329

### 11 Husavík, Gentle Giants, Whale Watching, Sea-angling

	 Website	www.gentlegiants.is
	 Phone	+354 464 1500
	 E-mail	info@gentlegiants.is

### 12 Husavík, North Sailing, Whale Watching, Sea-angling

	 Website	www.northsailing.is
	 Phone	+354 464 7272
	 E-mail	info@nordursigling.is

### 13 Raufarhöfn, Arctic Travel, Boat tours crossing the Arctic Circle, sea Angling Tel. +354 893 8386 / +354 465 1325, einar@arctictravel.is, www.arctictravel.is





## Golf

The popularity of golf has been rising steadily, as golfers manage to combine the enjoyment of sport and outdoor exercise. Many interesting golf courses can be found in the North of Iceland. The famous Arctic Open tournament at Akureyri Golf Course, the northernmost 18 hole golf course in the world, takes place around summer solstice, under the rays of the midnight sun. Come to the North and indulge yourself by taking part in a round or two of golf. For further information: [www.nordurland.is](http://www.nordurland.is) or [www.golf.is](http://www.golf.is).

### 1 Blönduós, Vatnahverfi Golf Course, 9 holes, par 70

Tel. +354 452 4980

### 2 Skagaströnd, Haagerði Golf Course, 9 holes, par 72

Tel. +354 892 5089

### 3 Saudarkrokur, Hlíðarendi Golf Course, 9 holes, par 72

Tel. +354 453 5075

### 4 Skagafjörður, Lonkot Golf Course, 9 holes, par 33

Tel. +354 453 7432

### 5 Siglufjörður, Hóll Golf Course, 9 holes, par 70

Tel. +354 846 2576

### 6 Ólafsfjörður, Skeggjabrekka Golf Course, 9 holes, par 66

Tel. +354 466 2611

### 7 Dalvík, Arnarhólt Golf Course, 9 holes, par 72

Tel. +354 466 1204

### 8 Akureyri, Jadar Golf Course, 18 holes, par 71

Tel. +354 462 2974

### 9 Eyjafjörður, Leifstadir Golf Course, 9 holes, par 27

	 Website	<a href="http://www.leifstadir.is">www.leifstadir.is</a>
	 Phone	+354 862 1610
	 E-mail	<a href="mailto:leifstadir@veit.is">leifstadir@veit.is</a>

### 10 Grenivík, Hvammur Golf Course, 9 holes, par 68

Tel. +354 896 9927

### 11 Fnjóskadalur, Lundsvöllur Golf Course, 9 holes, par 34

Tel. +354 860 2962

### 12 Myvatn, Krossdalur Golf Course, 9 holes, par 66

Tel. +354 856 1159

### 13 Husavík, Katlavöllur Golf Course, 9 holes, par 70

Tel. +354 464 1000



### 14 Óxarfjörður, Asbyrgi Golf Course, 9 holes, par 66

Tel. +354 892 2145

## Fishing / Hunting

Many of Iceland's leading salmon and trout streams and rivers are located in the North. Fresh and unpolluted, they receive the salmon in summer and provide it with optimal conditions. Not to be forgotten are the numerous lakes near lowland farms, among lofty mountains, or up in the highlands. These lakes are replete with energetic arctic char and muscular brown trout that provide a dream catch for the fisherman. Those wishing to fish on the deep blue ocean can choose sea angling, with departures from several harbours; see the chapter on boat tours. For fishing permits and availability, please contact the tourist information centres all over the north of Iceland. Hunting and shooting game is also becoming popular in the north. In autumn it is possible to hunt the greylag goose and in November-December ptarmigan shooting is allowed over a certain period. For further information on these sports, please contact tourist information centres in the north.

### 1 Eyjafjörður, Sporttours, Eyjafjörður, Sporttours, Shore Fishing and Deep Sea Fishing in Eyjafjörður area

	 Website	<a href="http://www.sporttours.is">www.sporttours.is</a>
	 Phone	+354 899 8000 / +354 894 2967
	 E-mail	<a href="mailto:sporttours@sporttours.is">sporttours@sporttours.is</a>



Arnarvatnsheiði





**Jeep Tours / Bus Tours**

**Hiking Tours**

**Snowmobile Tours**

**Tours**








## Jeep Tours / Bus Tours

Jeep/Bus tours through the rough terrain of the mountainous landscape of the north constitute the highlight of your visit to Iceland. The breathtaking beauty of North Iceland's highland wilderness will remain in your memory for ever.





### 1 Skagafjörður, JRJ Super Jeep Tours

Tel. +354 453 8219 / +354 892 1852, [jeppaferdir@simnet.is](mailto:jeppaferdir@simnet.is), [www.simnet.is/jeppaferdir](http://www.simnet.is/jeppaferdir)





### 2 Eyjafjörður, Sporttours, Super Jeep Tours, Guided Day Tours, Tailor made Tours

	 Website	<a href="http://www.sporttours.is">www.sporttours.is</a>
	 Phone	+354 899 8000 or +354 894 2967
	 E-mail	<a href="mailto:sporttours@sporttours.is">sporttours@sporttours.is</a>





### 3 Akureyri, SBA-Nordurleid, Scheduled bus tours, Sightseeing tours, Bus tours

	 Website	<a href="http://www.sba.is">www.sba.is</a>
	 Phone	+354 550 0700
	 E-mail	<a href="mailto:sba@sba.is">sba@sba.is</a>





### 4 Akureyri, Saga Travel, Guided Day Tours, Jeep Tours, Private Guiding and Tailor made travel

	 Website	<a href="http://www.sagatravel.is">www.sagatravel.is</a>
	 Phone	+354 659 8888
	 E-mail	<a href="mailto:sagatravel@sagatravel.is">sagatravel@sagatravel.is</a>



### 5 Akureyri, Extreme Icelandic Adventure. Tours to Súlur Mountain and the mountain hut Falkafell

	 Website	<a href="http://www.extreme.is">www.extreme.is</a>
	 Phone	+354 862 7988
	 E-mail	<a href="mailto:extreme@extreme.is">extreme@extreme.is</a>

### 6 Akureyri, Hopferdamidstodin - TREX, Scheduled Bus Tours, Sightseeing tours, Bus tours

	 Website	<a href="http://www.trex.is">www.trex.is</a>
	 Phone	+354 587 6000
	 E-mail	<a href="mailto:info@trex.is">info@trex.is</a>

### 7 Akureyri, The Traveling Viking, Mini Bus Service, Private Guiding, Tailor made Sight-seeing Tours

	 Website	<a href="http://www.ttv.is">www.ttv.is</a>
	 Phone	+354 896 3569
	 E-mail	<a href="mailto:ttv@ttv.is">ttv@ttv.is</a>





### 8 Akureyri, Fabtravel, group tours, health and wellbeing package trips

	 Website	<a href="http://www.fabtravel.is">www.fabtravel.is</a>
	 Phone	+354 571 2282
	 E-mail	<a href="mailto:fabtravel@fabtravel.is">fabtravel@fabtravel.is</a>





### 9 Akureyri, Sterna, Bus passports and scheduled buses

Tel. +354 550 2555, [sterna@sterna.is](mailto:sterna@sterna.is), [www.sterna.is](http://www.sterna.is)

### 10 Akureyri, Icelandic Outback Superjeep tours

	 Website	<a href="http://www.icelandicoutback.is">www.icelandicoutback.is</a>
	 Phone	+354 690 8466
	 E-mail	<a href="mailto:icelandicoutback@icelandicoutback.is">icelandicoutback@icelandicoutback.is</a>

### 11 Akureyri, Taxi no. 17, Private Tours

	 Website	<a href="http://www.taxi-no17.com">www.taxi-no17.com</a>
	 Phone	+354 892 4257
	 E-mail	<a href="mailto:taxi@taxi-no17.com">taxi@taxi-no17.com</a>





## 12 Akureyri, Fjallasyn Runars Oskarssonar, Sightseeing, Guided Tours, Birdwatching. Tour operator all year round.

	Website	www.fjallasyn.is
	Phone	+354 464 3940
	E-mail	fjallasyn@fjallasyn.is

## 13 Svalbardseyri, Inspiration Iceland, Land Rover Tours

	Website	www.inspiration-iceland.com
	Phone	+354 865 9929
	E-mail	info@inspiration-iceland.com

## 14 Myvatn, Saga Travel, Guided Day Tours, Jeep Tours, Private Guiding and Tailor made travel

	Website	www.sagatravel.is
	Phone	+354 659 8888
	E-mail	sagatravel@sagatravel.is

## 15 Myvatn, SBA-Nordurleid, Scheduled bus tours, Sightseeing tours, Bus tours

	Website	www.sba.is
	Phone	+354 550 0700
	E-mail	sba@sba.is

## 16 Myvatn, Sel Hotel Myvatn, Jeep safaris

	Website	www.myvatn.is
	Phone	+354 464 4164
	E-mail	myvatn@myvatn.is

## 17 Myvatn Tours, Guided Day Tours to Askja and Herdubreidarlindir Tel. +354 464 1920, myvatntours@emax.is, www.askjatours.is

## 18 Myvatn, Hotel Reykjahlid, Jeep Safaris to Askja, Dettifoss and Lofthellir

Tel. +354 845 2424, reykjahlid@islandia.is, zz

## 19 Myvatn, Fjallasyn Runars Oskarssonar, Bus Tours, Sightseeing, Jeep Tours

	Website	www.fjallasyn.is
	Phone	+354 464 3940
	E-mail	fjallasyn@fjallasyn.is

## 20 Myvatn, Geo Travel. Super Jeep, Climbing and Cave exploring tours

	Website	www.geotravel.is
	Phone	+354 864 7080
	E-mail	info@geotravel.is

## 21 Myvatn, Viking Travel - Day tours to Askja

Tel. +354 894 5265, vikingtravel@vikingtravel.is, www.vikingtravel.is

## 22 Husavik, Fjallasyn Runars Oskarssonar, Sightseeing, Guided Tours, Birdwatching. Tour operator all year round.

	Website	www.fjallasyn.is
	Phone	+354 464 3940
	E-mail	fjallasyn@fjallasyn.is

## 23 Husavik, SBA-Norðurleid, Scheduled bus tours, Sightseeing tours, Bus tours




	Website	www.sba.is
	Phone	+354 550 0700
	E-mail	sba@sba.is








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 Website	www.fjallasyn.is
 Phone	+354 464 3940
 E-mail	fjallasyn@fjallasyn.is

**25 Modrudalur, Fjalladyrd, Jeep tours**



 Website	www.fjalladyrd.is
 Phone	+354 471 1858
 E-mail	fjalladyrd@fjalladyrd.is



Asbyrgi



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## Hiking Tours

During recent years, services relating to walking and hiking have increased significantly in North Iceland. Trail maps have been published in many areas and can be bought at tourist information centres. Just put on your hiking boots - here you will find adventure. During summer there is a special hiking programme in the north of Iceland. Each district plans "hikes for the day" in their area, during a whole week. For further information see [www.nordurland.is](http://www.nordurland.is) or the web site of the district you will be visiting.

### 1 Hunafloi, Brekkulaekur, Touring Service



	Website	<a href="http://www.abbi-island.is">www.abbi-island.is</a>
	Phone	+354 451 2938
	E-mail	<a href="mailto:brekka@netti.is">brekka@netti.is</a>

### 2 Skagafjörður, History Walks Sturlungaslóð

Tel. +354 455 6161, [info@skagafjordur.is](mailto:info@skagafjordur.is), [www.sturlungaslod.is](http://www.sturlungaslod.is)

### 3 Skagafjörður, Holar í Hjaltadal, Guided Tours, History Walk

Tel. +354 455 6333, [tourist@holar.is](mailto:tourist@holar.is), [www.holar.is](http://www.holar.is)

### 4 Grimsey, Hiking Tours around the Island

Tel. +354 467 3148

### 5 Dalvík, Skidadalur, Klængshóll Hiking Tours



	Website	<a href="http://www.skidadalur.is">www.skidadalur.is</a>
	Phone	+354 466 1519
	E-mail	<a href="mailto:skidadalur@skidadalur.is">skidadalur@skidadalur.is</a>

### 6 Dalvík, Bergmenn Mountain Guides, Hiking and Mountaineering trips



	Website	<a href="http://www.bergmenn.com">www.bergmenn.com</a>
	Phone	+354 698 9870
	E-mail	<a href="mailto:info@bergmenn.com">info@bergmenn.com</a>

### 7 Dalvík, Svarfardalur, Kristján Eldjárn Hjartarson, Guided Hiking Tours

Tel. +354 466 1855, [keld@simnet.is](mailto:keld@simnet.is), [www.dalvik.is](http://www.dalvik.is)

### 8 Hrísey, Hiking Tours

Tel. +354 695 0077, [hrisey@hrisey.net](mailto:hrisey@hrisey.net), [www.hrisey.net](http://www.hrisey.net)

### 9 Eyjafjörður, Horgur, Touring Club, Trollaskagi – Hiking Tours


Tel. +354 692 6826

### 10 Akureyri, The Touring Club of Akureyri, Hiking Club

Tel. +354 462 2720, [ffa@ffa.is](mailto:ffa@ffa.is), [www.ffa.is/en](http://www.ffa.is/en)

### 11 Akureyri, Naturalis, Mountain Guides



	Website	<a href="http://www.naturalis.is">www.naturalis.is</a>
	Phone	+354 822 7900
	E-mail	<a href="mailto:halli@naturalis.is">halli@naturalis.is</a>

### 12 Akureyri, 24x24 Tindar - Glerardalshringur, Hiking Club




Tel. +354 822 7900 or +354 896 7606, [info@24x24.is](mailto:info@24x24.is), [www.24x24.is](http://www.24x24.is)

### 13 Grenivík, Fjörðungar, Hiking Tours Latraströnd-Fjörður

Tel. +354 463 3236, [joning@emax.is](mailto:joning@emax.is), [www.fjordungar.com](http://www.fjordungar.com)

### 14 Myvatn - Hike and Bike, scheduled hiking and trekking tours



	Website	<a href="http://www.hikeandbike.is">www.hikeandbike.is</a>
	Phone	+354 899 4845
	E-mail	<a href="mailto:info@hikeandbike.is">info@hikeandbike.is</a>

### 15 Myvatn, Geo Travel



	Website	<a href="http://www.geotravel.is">www.geotravel.is</a>
	Phone	+354 864 7080
	E-mail	<a href="mailto:info@geotravel.is">info@geotravel.is</a>





## 16 Husavik, Fjallasyn Runars Oskarssonar, Sightseeing, Guided Tours, Birdwatching. Tour operator all year round.



	Website	www.fjallasyn.is
	Phone	+354 464 3940
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## 17 Asbyrgi Visitor Centre-Gljufrostofa, Guided Tours with Rangers Tel. +354 470 7100, asbyrgi@vjp.is, www.vjp.is



	Website	www.ytra-aland.is
	Phone	+354 468 1290 or +354 863 1290
	E-mail	ytra-aland@ytra-aland.is

## 18 Thistilfjordur, Ytra-Aland, Guided Hiking Tours



	Website	www.myvatn.is
	Phone	+354 464 4164
	E-mail	myvatn@myvatn.is

## 19 Kjölur Route, Hveravellir mountain hut Tel. +354 452 4200, hveravellir@hveravellir.is, www.hveravellir.is



	Website	www.kaldbaksferdir.com
	Phone	+354 867 3770

## Snowmobile Tours

Snowmobile tours provide a unique opportunity to mix adventure and sightseeing experiences together, and are a key to a great day in the north of Iceland.

### 1 Troll Peninsula, Sporttours, Snowmobile Tours



	Website	www.sporttours.is
	Phone	+354 899 8000 / +354 894 2967
	E-mail	sporttours@sporttours.is

### 2 Grenivik, Kaldbakur Tours, SnoCat Tours to Mt. Kaldbakur



	Website	www.kaldbaksferdir.com
	Phone	+354 867 3770

### 3 Myvatn, Sel Hotel Myvatn, Snowmobile Tours



	Website	www.myvatn.is
	Phone	+354 464 4164
	E-mail	myvatn@myvatn.is





## Tours

Need help to plan your vacation in the north of Iceland? Please do not hesitate to contact the information centres of the north or one of the local travel services.

### 1 Hunafloi, Brekkulaekur, Hiking Tours and Special Programs



	Website	www.abbi-island.is
	Phone	+354 451 2938
	E-mail	brekka@nett.is

### 2 Eyjafjordur, Sporttours, Tours of all sorts



	Website	www.sporttours.is
	Phone	+354 899 8000 or +354 894 2967
	E-mail	sporttours@sporttours.is

### 3 Akureyri, Nonni Travel, Tour Operator in Greenland, Iceland and The Faroe Islands



	Website	www.nonnitravel.is
	Phone	+354 461 1841
	E-mail	nonni@nonnitravel.is

### 4 Akureyri, Saga Travel, Guided Day Tours, Jeep Tours, Private Guiding and Tailor made travel



	Website	www.sagatravel.is
	Phone	+354 659 8888
	E-mail	sagatravel@sagatravel.is

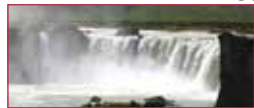
### 5 Akureyri, Inspiration Iceland, Wellness, Yoga & Adventure Holiday



	Website	www.inspiration-iceland.com
	Phone	+354 865-9429 / +354 846-2692
	E-mail	info@inspiration-iceland.com

### 6 Akureyri, Akureyri Travel Bureau Tel. +354 460 0600, aktravel@aktravel.is, www.aktravel.is

### 7 Akureyri, FAB Travel, group tours, health and wellbeing package trips



	Website	www.fabtravel.is
	Phone	+354 571 2282
	E-mail	fabtravel@fabtravel.is

### 8 Myvatn, Geo Travel. Super Jeep, Climbing and Cave exploring tours



	Website	www.geotravel.is
	Phone	+354 864 7080
	E-mail	info@geotravel.is

### 9 Husavik, Fjallasyn Runars Oskarssonar, Bus tours, sightseeing, Jeep tours



	Website	www.fjallasyn.is
	Phone	+354 464 3940
	E-mail	fjallasyn@fjallasyn.is

### 10 Modrudalur, Fjalladyrd, Tours of all sorts



	Website	www.fjalladyrd.is
	Phone	+354 471 1858
	E-mail	fjalladyrd@fjalladyrd.is

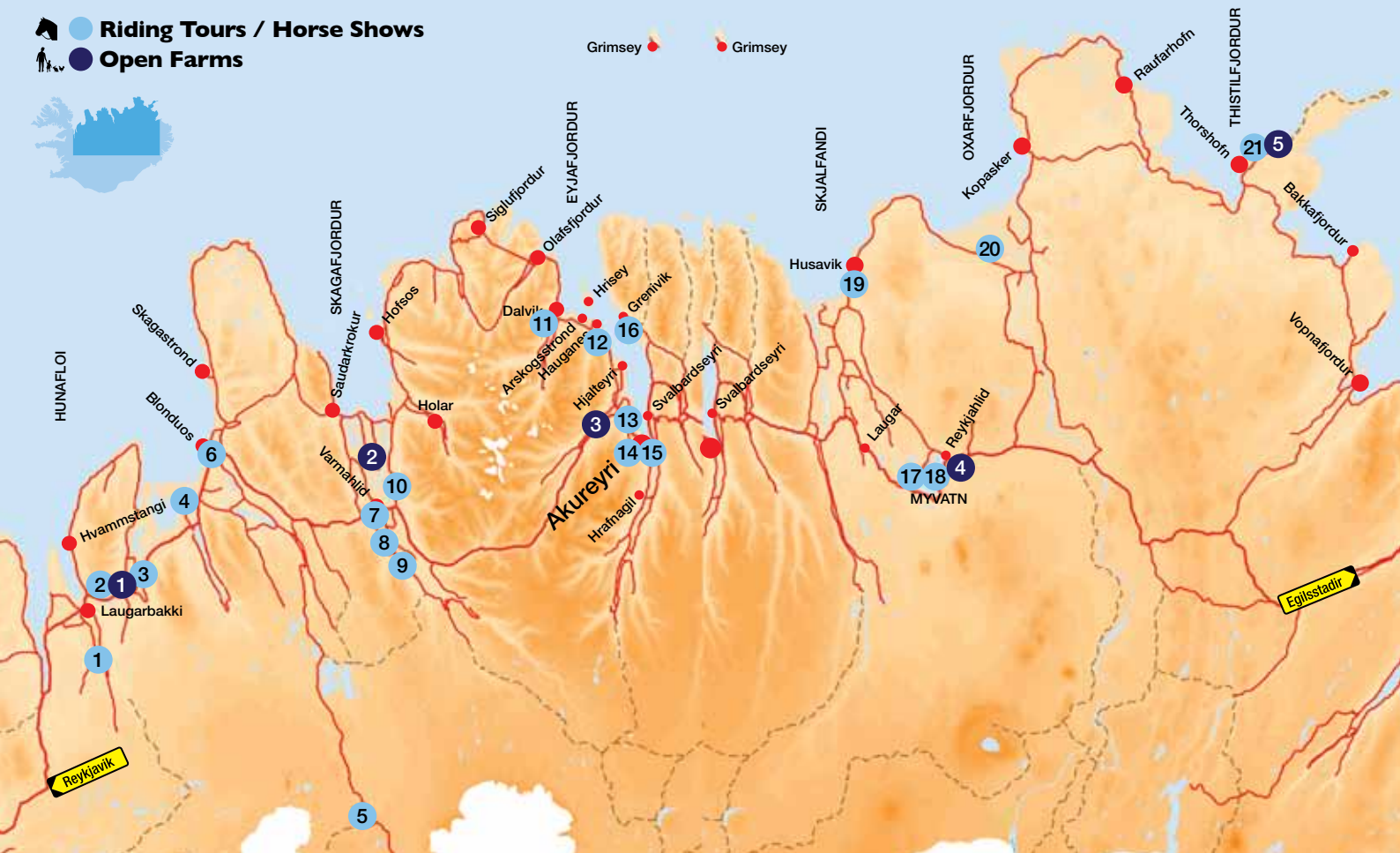




**Riding Tours / Horse Shows**



**Open Farms**







## Riding Tours/Horse Shows

Why not go on a riding adventure in the north of Iceland - it is a truly unique experience. Icelandic horse shows demonstrate this beautiful creature's special gaits and temperament as well as its traditional uses.

### Icehorse, information on all major horse based services in the Northwest of Iceland

[www.icehors.is](http://www.icehors.is)

**The 2011 Landsmót will be held in Skagafjörður 26.6. - 3.7. 2011**

<http://landsmot.is/en/>

#### 1 Hunafloi, Brekkulaekur, Horse Riding Tours



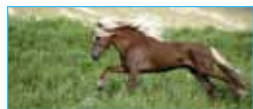
	Website	<a href="http://www.abbi-island.is">www.abbi-island.is</a>
	Phone	+354 451 2938
	E-mail	<a href="mailto:brekka@nett.is">brekka@nett.is</a>

#### 2 Gauksmyri Lodge, Horse Riding, Riding Lessons, Horse Shows and Longer Tours



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	Phone	+354 451 2927
	E-mail	<a href="mailto:gauksmyri@gauksmyri.is">gauksmyri@gauksmyri.is</a>

#### 3 Vidigerdi, Riding Tours



	Website	<a href="http://www.vidigerdi.is">www.vidigerdi.is</a>
	Phone	+354 451 2592
	E-mail	<a href="mailto:vidigerdi@vidigerdi.is">vidigerdi@vidigerdi.is</a>

#### 4 Thingeyrar, Horsefarm

Tel. +354 452 4365, [thingeyrar@thyngeyrar.is](mailto:thingeyrar@thyngeyrar.is), [www.thyngeyrar.is](http://www.thyngeyrar.is)

#### 5 Kjölur Route, Hveravellir mountain hut

Tel. +354 452 4200, [hveravellir@hveravellir.is](mailto:hveravellir@hveravellir.is), [www.hveravellir.is](http://www.hveravellir.is)

#### 6 Blönduós, Hvammur II, Horse Rental and Riding Tours

Tel. +354 452 7174, [haukur74@mmedia.is](mailto:haukur74@mmedia.is), [www.isdirect.de](http://www.isdirect.de)

#### 7 Skagafjörður, Hestasport and Activity Tours, Horse Riding Tours



	Website	<a href="http://www.riding.is">www.riding.is</a>
	Phone	+354 453 8383
	E-mail	<a href="mailto:info@riding.is">info@riding.is</a>

#### 8 Skagafjörður, Varmilaekur, Horse Shows

Tel. +354 898 7756 / +354 453 8021, [varmilaekur@varmilaekur.is](mailto:varmilaekur@varmilaekur.is), [www.varmilaekur.is](http://www.varmilaekur.is)

#### 9 Skagafjörður, Lytingsstadir, Horse Rental and Riding Tours



	Website	<a href="http://www.lythorse.com">www.lythorse.com</a>
	Phone	+354 453 8064 / +354 893 3817
	E-mail	<a href="mailto:info@lythorse.com">info@lythorse.com</a>

#### 10 Skagafjörður, Flugumyri, Horse Shows, Riding Tours



	Website	<a href="http://www.flugumyri.com">www.flugumyri.com</a>
	Phone	+354 453 8814 or +354 895 8814
	E-mail	<a href="mailto:flugumyri@flugumyri.com">flugumyri@flugumyri.com</a>

#### 11 Dalvík, Hringsholt, Tvístur, Horse Rental and Riding Tours

Tel. +354 466 1679 or +354 861 9631, [ebu@ismennt.is](mailto:ebu@ismennt.is)

#### 12 Eyjafjörður, Sporttours, Horse Riding Tours







	Website	<a href="http://www.sporttours.is">www.sporttours.is</a>
	Phone	+354 899 8000 / +354 894 2967
	E-mail	<a href="mailto:sporttours@sporttours.is">sporttours@sporttours.is</a>





### 13 Eyjafjörður, Skjaldarvík, Riding Tours

	 Website	www.skjaldarvik.is
	 Phone	+354 552 5200
	 E-mail	skjaldarvik@skjaldarvik.is





### 14 Akureyri, Katur, Horse Rental and Riding Tours

Tel. +354 695 7218, hestaleiga@hestaleiga.is, www.hestaleiga.is

### 15 Akureyri, Lettí, Horse Shows

Tel. +354 896 5309, lettir@lettir.is, www.lettir.is





### 16 Grenivík, Polar Hestar, Horse Riding Tours

	 Website	www.polarhestar.is
	 Phone	+354 463 3179
	 E-mail	polarhestar@polarhestar.is





### 17 Myvatn, Safaríhorses, Alftagerdi III, Horse Rental and Riding Tours

Tel. +354 464 4203, safaríhestar@gmail.com

### 18 Myvatn, Saltvík Horse Centre, Horse Rental and Riding Tours

	 Website	www.saltvik.is
	 Phone	+354 847 9515
	 E-mail	saltvik@saltvik.is

### 19 Husavík, Saltvík Horse Centre, Horse Rental and Riding Tours

	 Website	www.saltvik.is
	 Phone	+354 847 9515
	 E-mail	saltvik@saltvik.is

### 20 Oxarfjörður, Holl Horse Rental

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### 21 Ytra-Lon Horse Rental

	 Website	www.visitlanganes.com
	 Phone	+354 468 1242
	 E-mail	ytralon@visitlanganes.com

## Open Farms

In the north of Iceland, many farms are open to visitors. Farmers are pleased to allow you to visit their stables and barns and learn more about their animals.

### 1 Gauksmyri Farm, Horses, Birds and Travel Services

	 Website	www.gauksmyri.is
	 Phone	+354 451 2927
	 E-mail	gauksmyri@gauksmyri.is

### 2 Skagafjörður, Keldudalur Farm, a mixture of animals, booking required

Tel. +354 453 6233, keldudalur@keldudalur.is, www.keldudalur.is

### 3 Eyjafjörður, Stóri Dunhagi Farm, a mixture of animals, booking required

Tel. +354 462 6783, eydis3003@hotmail.com

### 4 Myvatn, Vogar I, Vogafjós Café, Cowshed café

	 Website	www.vogafjos.net
	 Phone	+354 464 4303 or +354 464 3800
	 E-mail	vogar@emax.is



**5 Langanes, Ytra-Lon - Sheep Farm and Travel Services**

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	E-mail	<a href="mailto:ytralon@visitlanganes.com">ytralon@visitlanganes.com</a>





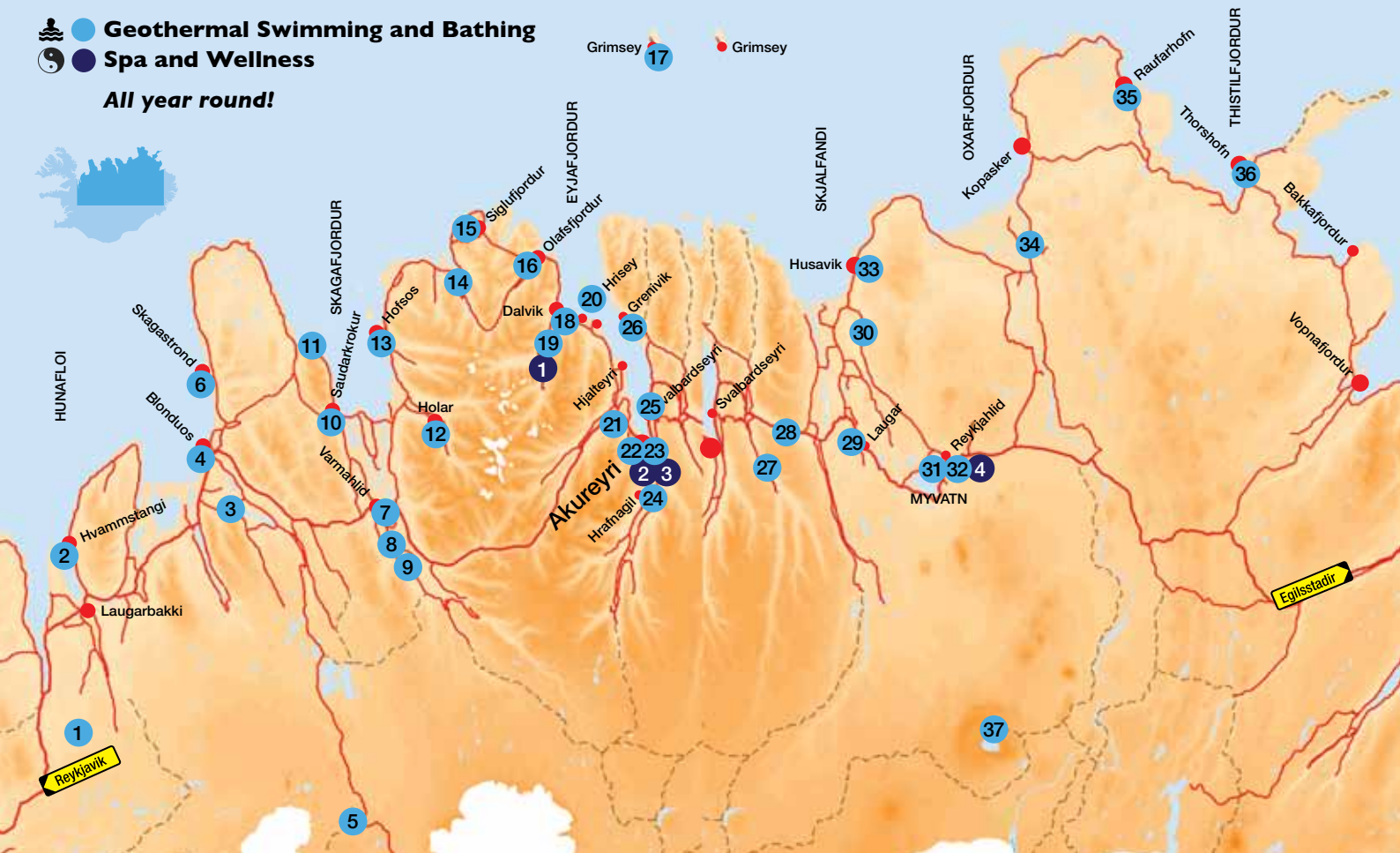


**Geothermal Swimming and Bathing**



**Spa and Wellness**

*All year round!*







## Geothermal Swimming and bathing

Swimming is a very popular activity all year round in Iceland. Most towns and villages in the north have outdoor and/or indoor swimming pools filled with water from natural hot springs. There are also natural bathing places in the north, such as the Hveravellir Nature Pool, the Myvatn Nature Baths and the crater Viti in Askja.

- 1 Hrutafjörður, Geothermal natural pool, Hveraborg at Sika river**  
Tel. +354 451 1150
- 2 Hvammstangi, Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 451 2532
- 3 Hunavellir, Hotel Hunavellir Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 453 5600
- 4 Blönduós, Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 452 4178
- 5 Hveravellir, Geothermal pool by the mountain hut**  
Tel. +354 452 4200
- 6 Skagastrand, Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
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- 7 Skagafjörður, Varmahlid Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
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- 8 Skagafjörður, Bakkaflot Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
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- 9 Skagafjörður, Steinsstadir Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
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- 10 Skagafjörður, Sauðarkrokur, Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 453 5226
- 11 Skagafjörður, Grettislaug, Geothermal natural pool**  
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- 12 Skagafjörður, Holar in Hjaltadalur Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 455 6333
- 13 Skagafjörður, Hofsos Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 455 6070
- 14 Skagafjörður, Solgardar Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
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- 15 Siglufjörður Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
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- 16 Olafsfjörður Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 464 9250
- 17 Grimsey island Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 467 3155
- 18 Dalvík Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 466 3233
- 19 Dalvík, Husabakki Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
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- 20 Eyjafjörður, Hrisey island Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 466 3012
- 21 Eyjafjörður, Thelamork Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 462 4718
- 22 Akureyri, Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 461 4455
- 23 Akureyri – Glerarlaug, Indoor Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 462 1539
- 24 Eyjafjörður, Hrafnagil Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 464 8107
- 25 Eyjafjörður, Svalbardseyri Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 461 2074
- 26 Eyjafjörður, Grenivik, Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 463 3218
- 27 Fnjoskadalur, Illugastadir Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 462 6199
- 28 Hotel Edda Stortutjornum Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 444 4890
- 29 Reykjadalur, Laugar Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 464 6308
- 30 Husavik, Heidarbaer Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 464 3903
- 31 Myvatn, Reykjahlid Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 464 4225





### 32 Myvatn Nature Baths, geothermal spa



Website	www.jardbodin.is
Phone	+354 464 4411
E-mail	info@jardbodin.is

### 33 Husavik Geothermal Swimmingpool

Tel. +354 464 6190

### 34 Oxarfjordur, Lundur Geothermal Swimmingpool

Tel. +354 465 2248

### 35 Raufarhofn Geothermal Swimmingpool

Tel. +354 465 1144

### 36 Thorshofn Geothermal Swimmingpool

Tel. +354 468 1515

### 37 Askja, the volcanic crater Viti, natural crater with geothermal water



## Spa and Wellness

### 1 Dalvik, Skidadalur, Klaengsholl



Website	www.skidadalur.is
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E-mail	skidadalur@skidadalur.is

### 2 Akureyri, FAB Travel, Health and Wellbeing Package Trips



Website	www.fabtravel.is
Phone	+354 571 2282
E-mail	fabtravel@fabtravel.is

### 3 Akureyri, Inspiration Iceland, Wellness, Yoga & Adventure Holiday



Website	www.inspiration-iceland.com
Phone	+354 865 9429 / +354 846 2692
E-mail	info@inspiration-iceland.com

### 4 Myvatn Nature Baths, geothermal spa

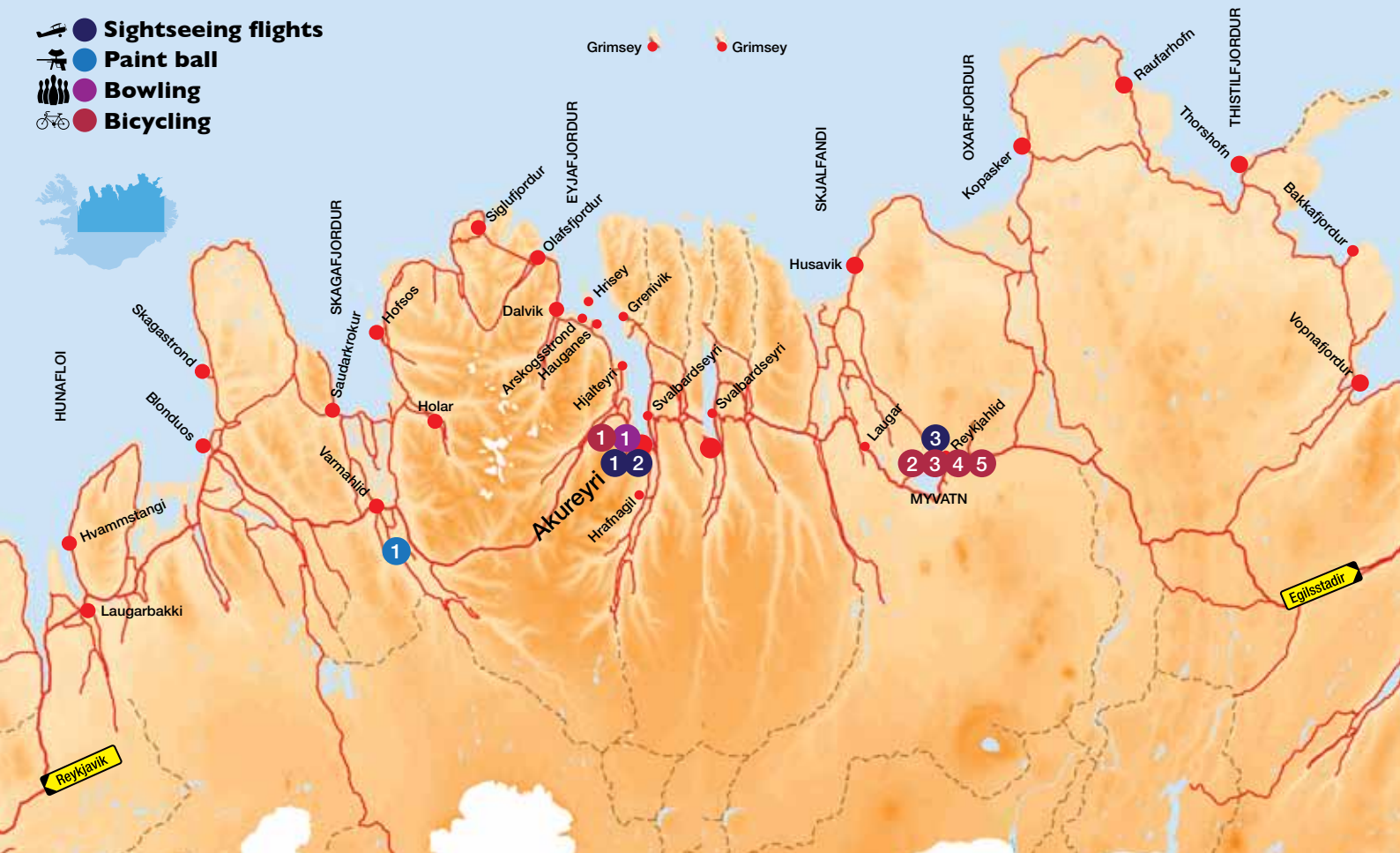


Website	www.jardbodin.is
Phone	+354 464 4411
E-mail	info@jardbodin.is





- Sightseeing flights**
- Paint ball**
- Bowling**
- Bicycling**







## Sightseeing flights

Lift your spirit to see the geographical wonders of the north more clearly. It is a totally different experience to see volcanoes, waterfalls and glaciers, while soaring above them in the sky.

- 1 Akureyri Airport, Myflug Sightseeing**  
Offered during summer months  
Tel. +354 464 4400 or +354 847 8976, myflug@myflug.is, www.myflug.is





- 2 Akureyri Airport, Norlandair, Sightseeing and scheduled flights to the island Grimsey**  
Tel. +354 414 6960, kibba@norlandair.is, www.norlandair.is

- 3 Myvatn, Reykjahlid Airport, Myflug Sightseeing**  
Offered during the summer months  
Tel. +354 464 4400, myflug@myflug.is, www.myflug.is

## Paint ball

Paint ball and laser tag are very popular ways to build up a team spirit within companies and groups of friends. These games test logical thinking, trust, creativity, fast decision-making, co-operation and leadership – all geared to achieve the same end; to reach the given goal.

- 1 Skagafjörður, Adventur Tours, paintball**

	 Website	www.activitytours.is/Paintball/
	 Phone	+354 453 8383
	 E-mail	info@activitytours.is

## Bowling

The bowling rink "Keilan Akureyri" has eight lanes. Open all year round.

- 1 Akureyri, Bowling, Kaffi Jonsson**  
Tel. +354 461 1126, keilan@keilan.is

## Bicycling




Cycling is a mode of travel which gives you the chance to be in close contact with nature all year round. Renting a bike is a great way to explore this land of fire and ice.

- 1 Akureyri, City Center, Viking bicycle rental**  
Tel. +354 461 5551, theviking@simnet.is





- 2 Myvatn, Hotel Reykhlid, bicycle rental**

	 Website	www.reykhlid.is
	 Phone	+354 464 4170
	 E-mail	bookings@reykhlid.is

- 3 Myvatn, Hike and Bike, scheduled mountainbike tours and bike rental**

	 Website	www.hikeandbike.is
	 Phone	+354 899 4845
	 E-mail	info@hikeandbike.is

- 4 Myvatn, Reykjahlid, Hlid Campsite, bicycle rental**

	 Website	www.hlidmy.is
	 Phone	+354 464 4103
	 E-mail	hlid@isholf.is

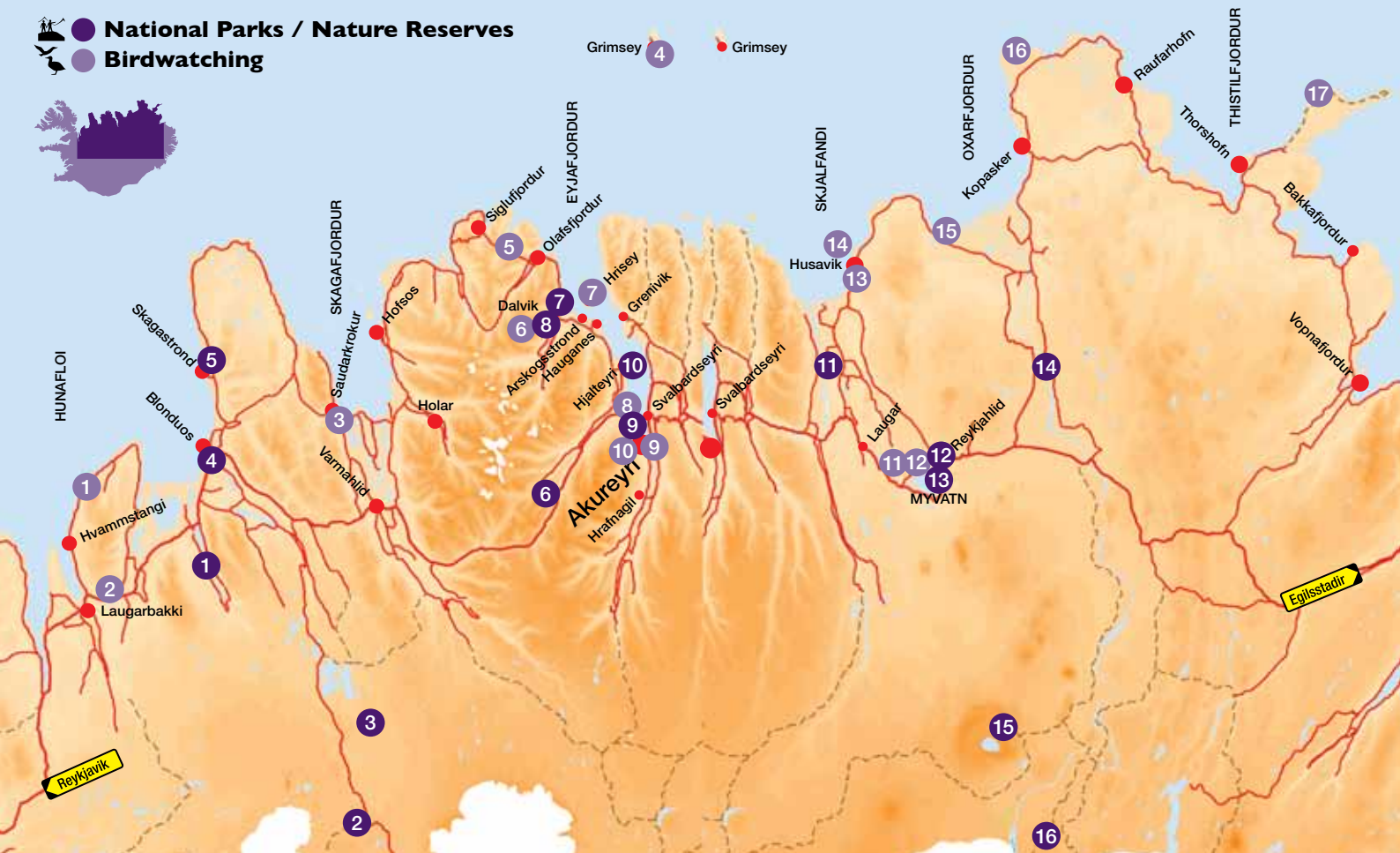
- 5 Myvatn, Reykjahlid, Bjarg campsite**  
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**National Parks / Nature Reserves**

**Birdwatching**







## National Parks / Nature Reserves

A large section of Vatnajökull National Park, Europe's largest National Park, lies in the north of Iceland the canyon of Jokulsá river forming its northern-most part. There are several interesting places to visit in the park, such as Dettifoss waterfall, Holmatungur, Hljóðaklettur, Asbyrgi, Askja and the lavafield of Odadahraun. For further information see [www.vjp.is](http://www.vjp.is).

In the north there are also several Nature Reserves which are areas protected because of the landscape and their importance to wildlife (flora and fauna).

- 1 **Kattarauga – Vatnsdalur Valley**
- 2 **Hveravellir – Kjölur Highland Route**
- 3 **Gudlaugstungur – Northwest of Hofsjökul Glacier**
- 4 **Hrútey island in Blanda River - Blonduos**
- 5 **Spakonufellshofdi – Skagastrond**
- 6 **Hraun - Oxnadalur Valley**
- 7 **Boggvistadafjall Mountain – Dalvík**
- 8 **Svarfardadalur Valley Nature Reserve – Dalvík**
- 9 **Krossanesborgir – Eyjafjörður**
- 10 **Eyjafjörður fjord - Giant Submarine Smectite Cones that rise from the 70 meters deep Seafloor**
- 11 **Vestmannsvatn Lake - Reykjadalur**
- 12 **Myvatn Lake and Laxa River**

- 13 **Skutustadagigar, Pseudocraters - Lake Myvatn**
- 14 **Dettifoss, Hafragilsfoss and Selfoss Waterfalls in Jökulsárgljúfur Canyon - Vatnajökull National Park**
- 15 **Askja Caldera, Vatnajökull National Park and Nature Reserve - Herdubreiddarlindir**
- 16 **Kverkfjöll mountains and Hvannalindir close to Vatnajökul Glacier**







## Birdwatching

The North of Iceland is a great place for birdwatching. The sea cliffs around the coast are teeming with birds such as puffins, gulls and guillemots, while the lakes and moors of the north provide an excellent habitat for ducks and waders. There are many designated birdwatching areas with bird watching shelters that provide an excellent way to view and photograph the birds from the land, while taking a boat out to sea is also a great way to watch sea birds. For more information, please check the chapter on boat tours. The Birding trail guides you along birding sites in Northeast Iceland from Lake Mývatn to Langanes peninsula. This area is probably the richest birding area in Iceland in terms of number of species and abundance of birds.

[www.birdingtrail.is](http://www.birdingtrail.is)

- 1 Vatnsnes - Illugastaðir in Vatnsnes, birdwatching and seal spotting locations**  
Tel. +354 451 2345, [info@selasetur.is](mailto:info@selasetur.is), [www.selasetur.is](http://www.selasetur.is)
- 2 Gauksmyri – reactivated pond, rich birdlife, 30-40 species. Path accessible for wheelchairs, birdwatching shelter**  
Tel. +354 451 2927, [gauksmyri@gauksmyri.is](mailto:gauksmyri@gauksmyri.is), [www.gauksmyri.is](http://www.gauksmyri.is)
- 3 Skagafjörður, Saudarkrókur, coastland and lakes, an interesting bird watching area. Miklavatn, south of Saudarkrókur, is a protected wetland with substantial birdlife.**  
Tel. +354 455 6161, [www.visitskagafjorur.is](http://www.visitskagafjorur.is)
- 4 Grimsey Island, rich birdlife especially seabirds e.g. puffin, guillemot, fulmar, arctic tern and eider**  
[www.grimsey.is](http://www.grimsey.is)
- 5 Trollaskagi, Fjallabyggd, interesting birdwatching**  
[www.arcticcaves.is](http://www.arcticcaves.is), [www.birdforamillion.com](http://www.birdforamillion.com)
- 6 Dalvík, Svarfádardalur Nature reserve. An area of about 8 km<sup>2</sup> of wetland that is an excellent habitat for many species of breeding birds**  
Tel. +354 466 1551 / +354 861 8884, [natturusetrid@simnet.is](mailto:natturusetrid@simnet.is), [www.dalvik.is/natturusetrid/](http://www.dalvik.is/natturusetrid/)
- 7 Hrisey Island, moorland, bushes and rich vegetation, bird sanctuary, birdwatching shelter**  
[www.hrisey.net](http://www.hrisey.net)

- 8 Akureyri, Krossanesborgir – wetland rich in birdlife. Birdwatching shelters**  
Tel. +354 450 1050, [info@visitakureyri.is](mailto:info@visitakureyri.is), [www.visitakureyri.is](http://www.visitakureyri.is)
- 9 Akureyri, estuary of river Eyjafjardara, birdwatching shelter**  
Tel. +354 450 1050, [info@visitakureyri.is](mailto:info@visitakureyri.is), [www.visitakureyri.is](http://www.visitakureyri.is)
- 10 Akureyri, Naustaborgir, marsh and bushes, birdwatching shelter**  
Tel. +354 450 1050, [info@visitakureyri.is](mailto:info@visitakureyri.is), [www.visitakureyri.is](http://www.visitakureyri.is)
- 11 Myvatn, Ytri-Neslond – Sigurgeir's Bird Museum**  
Tel. +354 464 4477, [fugasafn@fugasafn.is](mailto:fugasafn@fugasafn.is), [www.fugasafn.nett.is](http://www.fugasafn.nett.is)
- 12 Lake Myvatn is one of the best birdwatching locations in Iceland. Birdwatching shelters are to be found close to the bird museum**  
Tel. +354 464 4477, [fugasafn@fugasafn.is](mailto:fugasafn@fugasafn.is), [www.fugasafn.nett.is](http://www.fugasafn.nett.is)
- 13 Husavik, Fjallasyn Runars Oskarssonar, Sightseeing, Guided Tours, Birdwatching**



 Website	<a href="http://www.fjallasyn.is">www.fjallasyn.is</a>
 Phone	+354 464 3940
 E-mail	<a href="mailto:fjallasyn@fjallasyn.is">fjallasyn@fjallasyn.is</a>

- 14 Skjalfandi, Lundey "The Puffin Island". The birdlife on both land and sea is colourful, with puffins, arctic terns, guillemots, gannets and many more species.**  
Tel. +354 464 4300, [info@visithusavik.is](mailto:info@visithusavik.is), [www.birdingtrail.is](http://www.birdingtrail.is), [www.visitnortheasticeland.is](http://www.visitnortheasticeland.is)
- 15 The lake Vikingavatn has abundant birdlife, with great numbers of ducks and grebes. About 60 species of birds are seen around the lake annually**  
[www.birdingtrail.is](http://www.birdingtrail.is), [www.visitnortheasticeland.is](http://www.visitnortheasticeland.is)
- 16 Raðinupur is an impressive bird-cliff that hosts northern gannets and auks, including Brunnich's guillemot. The 30 minute hike each way is well worth it**  
[www.birdingtrail.is](http://www.birdingtrail.is), [www.visitnortheasticeland.is](http://www.visitnortheasticeland.is)
- 17 Skoruvíkurbjarg on Langanes is one of the best places to observe seabirds at their nesting sites, e.g. northern gannets, Brunnich's and common guillemots**  
[www.birdingtrail.is](http://www.birdingtrail.is), [www.visitnortheasticeland.is](http://www.visitnortheasticeland.is)





# Hotels















## Hotels

## 1 Laugarbakki, Hotel Edda, summerhotel

	 Website	www.hoteledda.is
	 Phone	+354 444 4920
	 E-mail	edda@hoteledda.is

2 Blonduos, Hotel Blonduos  
Tel. +354 452 4205, hotelblonduos@simnet.is, www.hotelblonduos.is





## 3 Skagafjörður, Hotel Varmahlid

	 Website	www.hotelvarmahlid.is
	 Phone	+354 453 8170
	 E-mail	info@hotelvarmahlid.is





## 4 Saudarkrokur, Hotel Mikligardur, summerhotel

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	 Phone	+354 453 6330
	 E-mail	mikligardur@mikligardur.is





## 5 Saudarkrokur, Hotel Tindastoll

	 Website	www.hotelvindastoll.com
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	 E-mail	sml@simnet.is

## 6 Olafsfjörður, Hotel Brimnes

	 Website	www.brimnes.is
	 Phone	+354 466 2400
	 E-mail	hotel@brimnes.is





## 7 Dalvík, Fosshotel Dalvík

	 Website	www.fosshotel.is
	 Phone	+354 466 3395
	 E-mail	bokun@fosshotel.is





## 8 Akureyri, Hotel KEA

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	 Phone	+354 460 2000
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## 9 Akureyri, Hotel Nordurland

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	 E-mail	nordurland@keahotels.is





## 10 Akureyri, Hotel Edda

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### 11 Akureyri, Icelandair Hotel

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	 Phone	+354 444 4000
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### 12 Akureyri, Hotel Akureyri

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### 13 Akureyri, Saeluhús - Hotel Apartments

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### 14 Hotel Edda, Stórutjarnir

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### 15 Reykjadalur, Fosshotel Laugar

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### 16 Myvatn, Hotel Reyhlið

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### 17 Myvatn, Sel-Hotel Myvatn

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### 18 Myvatn, Hotel Gígur

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### 19 Myvatn, Hotel Reykjahlid

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### 20 Husavík, Fosshotel Husavík

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### 3 Gauksmyri, Farmers guesthouse



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### 4 Nedra Vatnshorn, Farmers guesthouse



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### 6 Vatnsdalur, Hof, Farmers guesthouse



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### 7 Stora-Gilja, Cottages, Farmers guesthouse

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### 8 Hunavellir, Hotel Hunavellir, Farmholidays



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	E-mail	info@hotelhunavellir.is

### 9 Stekkjardalur Farmers guesthouse

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### 10 Geitaskard, Farmhouse, Farmers guesthouse

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### 11 Steinsstadir, Farmers guesthouse

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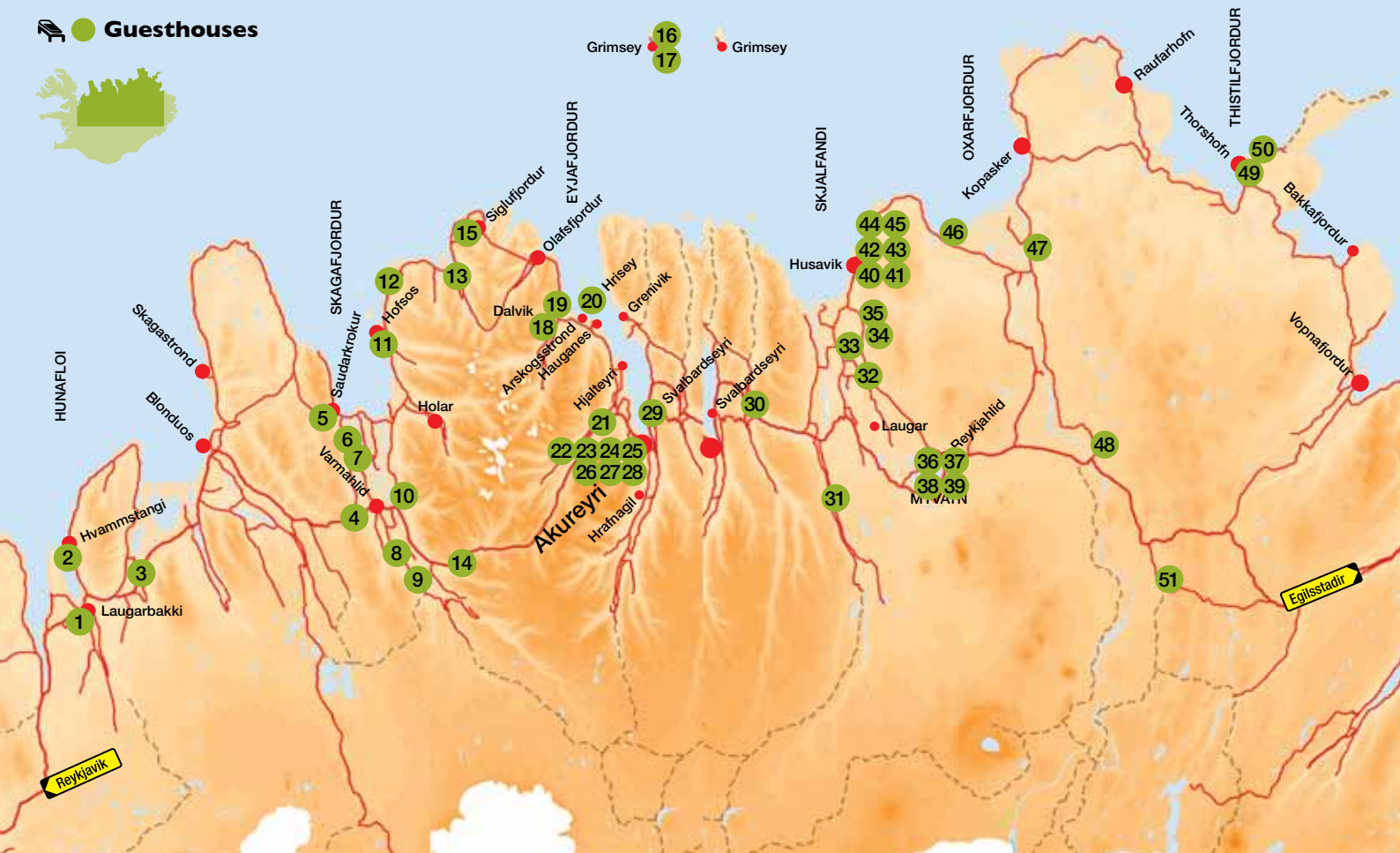
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- 32 Myvatn, Bjarg Travel Services**  
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- 33 Myvatn, Hlid Campsite and Cottages**

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- 34 Myvatn, Vogar Travel Services**  
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- 35 Myvatn, Dimmuborgir Cottages**  
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- 36 Husavik, Kaldbakskot Cottages**  
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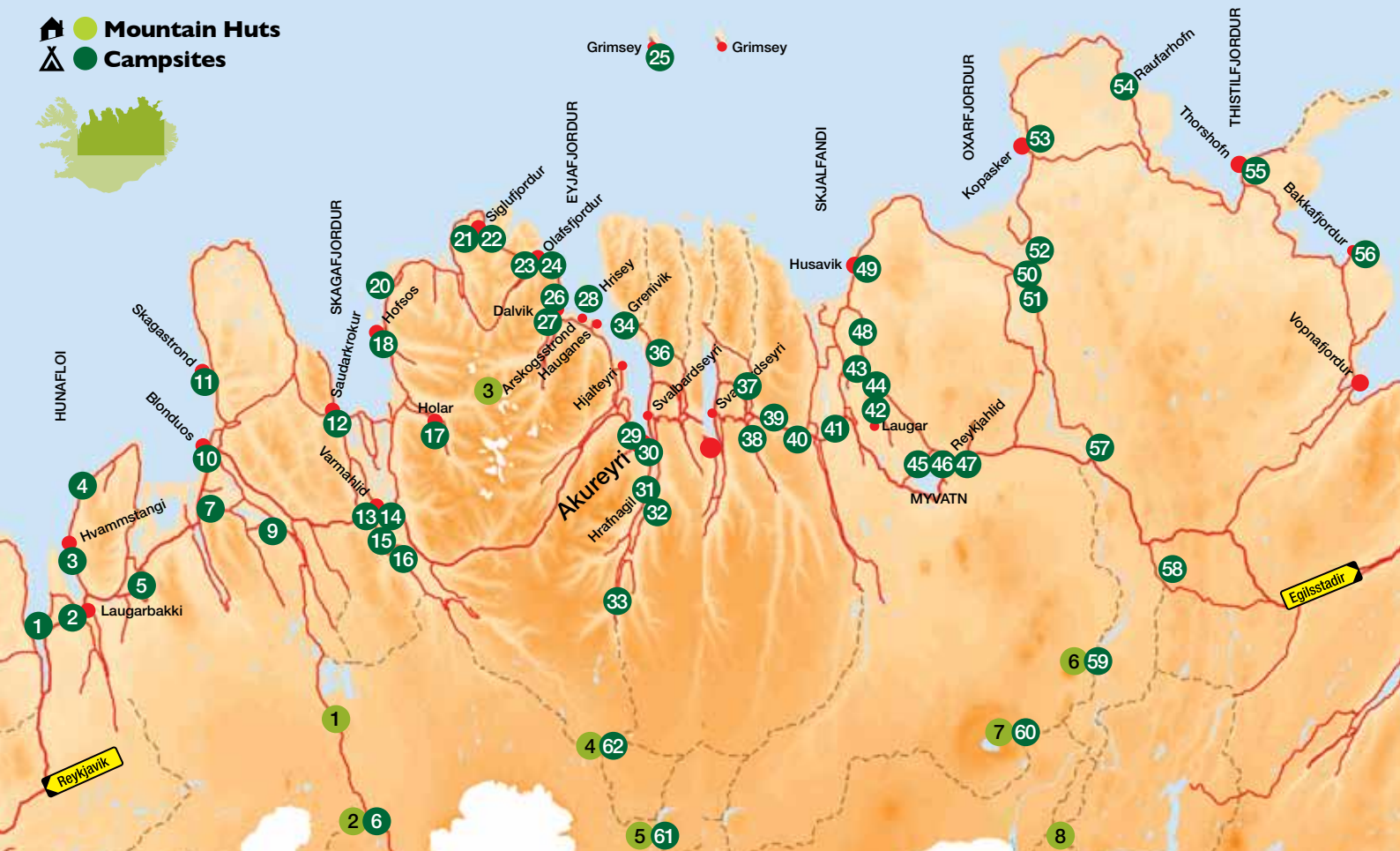
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-   **Mountain Huts**
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- 4 Sprengisandur Route, Laugafell Mountain Hut**  
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- 5 Sprengisandur Route, Nyidalur Mountain Hut**  
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- 7 Askja Route, Dyngjufjoll, Dreki Mountain Hut**  
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- 8 Kverkfjoll, Sigurdarskali Mountain Hut**  
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- 4 Vatnsnes, Hamarsbud camping**  
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- 5 Vididalur, Daelli camping**  
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- 6 Kjolur Route, Hveravellir camping**  
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- 7 Svinadalur, Hunavellir camping**  
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- 8 Svartardalur, Hunaver camping**  
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- 9 Blönduós, Gladheimar camping**  
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- 10 Blönduós, Blönduból camping**  
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- 11 Skagaströnd camping**  
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- 14 Skagafjörður, Laftun camping**  
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Tel. +354 453 8812
- 16 Skagafjörður, Bakkaflof camping**  
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- 17 Skagafjörður, Holar in Hjaltadalur camping**  
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- 19 Skagafjörður, Lonkot camping**  
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- 22 Siglufjörður, Holl camping**  
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- 30 Akureyri, Hamrar camping in Kjarnaskogur**  
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- 31 Eyjafjörður, Hrafnagil camping**  
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- 33 Eyjafjörður, Leyningssholar camping**
- 34 Grenivík, camping**  
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- 35 Grenivík, Hleskogar camping**  
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- 36 Fnjoskadalur, Hjardarholt camping**  
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- 37 Fnjoskadalur, Draflastadir camping**  
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- 38 Fnjoskadalur, Vaglaskogur camping**  
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- 39 Fnjoskadalur, Systragil camping**  
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- 41 Bardardalur, Fossholl camping**  
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- 42 Reykjadalur, Storu Laugar camping**  
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- 43 Adaldalur, Jonasarvöllur camping**  
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- 44 Adaldalur, Stadarholl camping**  
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- 45 Myvatn, Hlid camping**  
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- 46 Myvatn, Bjarg camping**  
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- 47 Myvatn, Vogar camping**  
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- 48 Husavík, Heidabaer camping**  
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- 49 Husavík, camping**  
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- 50 Asbyrgi camping, Vatnajökull National Park**  
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- 51 Vesturdalur camping, Vatnajökull National Park**  
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- 52 Oxarfjörður, Lundur camping**  
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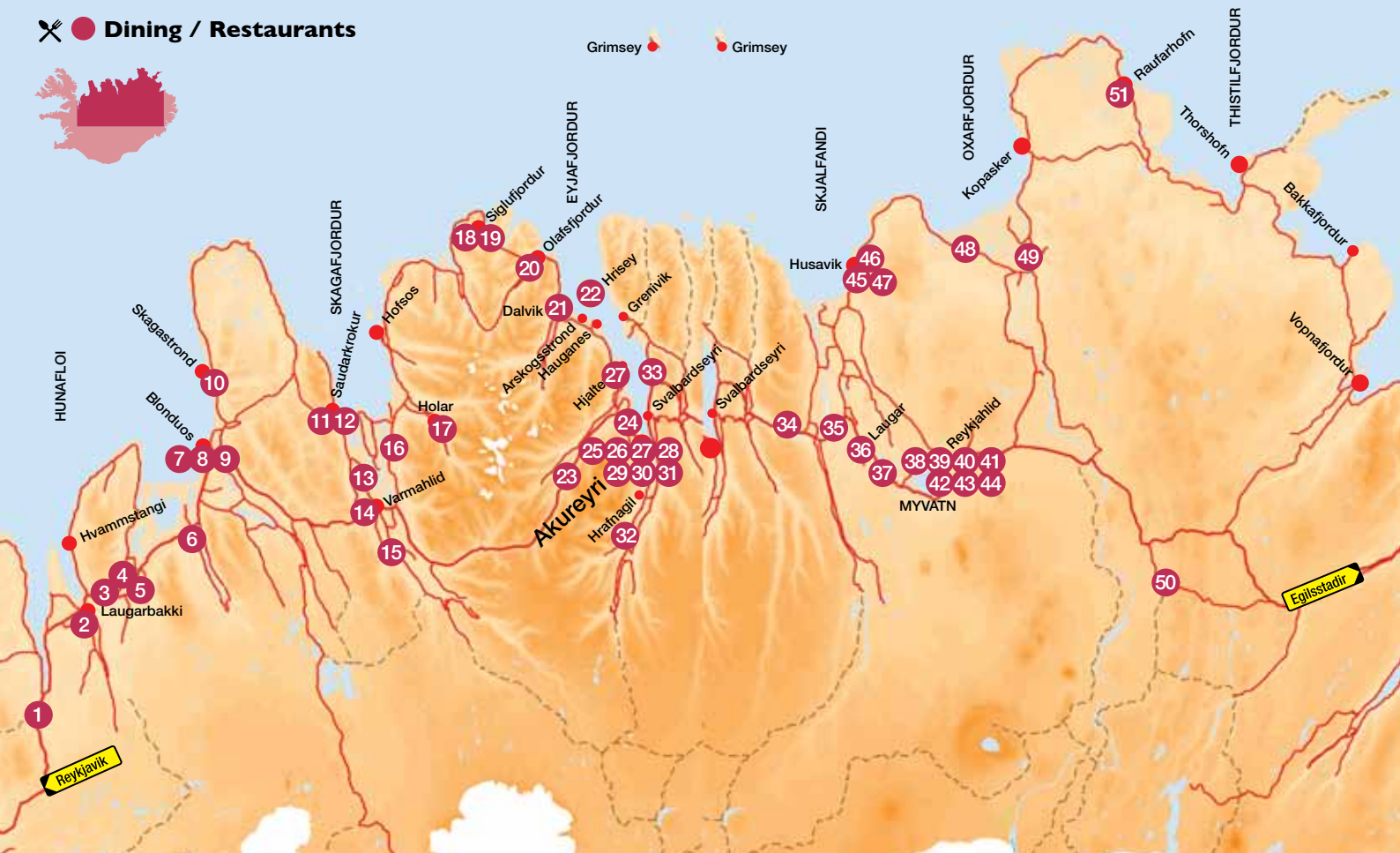
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- 61 Highland, Nyjidalur camping**  
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### 2 Laugarbakki, Hotel Edda, summerhotel

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### 3 Gauksmyri Farm House

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	Phone	+354 451 2927
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### 4 Vidigerdi Service Center

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### 5 Daeli, Café Sveito

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### 6 Hunavellir, Hotel Hunavellir, Summerhotel

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### 7 Blonduos, Potturinn Restaurant

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	Phone	+354 453 5060
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### 8 Blonduos, Ljon Nordursins

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	Phone	+354 464 3455
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### 9 Blonduos, Vid arbakkann Café

	Website	www.vidarbakkann.is
	Phone	+354 452 4678
	E-mail	info@vidarbakkann.is

### 10 Skagastrond, Kantrybaer Restaurant

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### 11 Saudarkrokur, Hotel Tindastoll



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### 12 Saudarkrokur, Olafshus / Café Krokur



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### 13 Áskaffi við Glaumbæ



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### 14 Varmahlid, Hotel Varmahlid



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### 15 Skagafjörður, Bakkaflot Farm House



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### 16 Skagafjörður, Sveitasetrid Guesthouse



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	Phone	+354 896 9414
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### 17 Skagafjörður, Holar in Hjaltadalur



	Website	www.holar.is
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### 18 Hannes Boy Restaurant



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### 19 Kaffi Raudka



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### 21 Dalvik, Fosshotel

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### 22 Hrisey island, Brekka Restaurant

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### 23 Oxnadalur, Engimyri Guesthouse

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### 24 Eyjafjordur, Skjaldarvik, Guesthouse

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### 25 Akureyri Hotel Edda, Summerhotel

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### 26 Akureyri, Hotel KEA, Rosagardurinn

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### 27 Akureyri, Bautinn Restaurant

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### 28 Akureyri, Strikid Restaurant

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	Phone	+354 462 7100
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### 29 Akureyri, Bryggjan pizzeria

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	Phone	+354 440 6600
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### 30 Akureyri, RUB 23 Restaurant

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### 31 Akureyri, La Vita é Bella Restaurant

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### 32 Eyjafjörður, Holtsets-Hnoss Café, Home made ice cream

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### 33 Eyjafjörður, Sveinbjarnargerði Country Hotel

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### 34 Stórutjarnir, Summer Hotel Edda

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### 35 Fosshöll, Godafossveitingar

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### 36 Reykjadalur, Laugar, Fosshotel Laugar, Summerhotel

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### 37 Reykjadalur, Narfastadír Guesthouse

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### 38 Myvatn, Hotel Reyhlið / Restaurant Myllan

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### 39 Myvatn, Reyhlið, Gamli Baerinn Restaurant

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### 40 Myvatn, Magma Café - Myvatn Nature Baths

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#### 41 Myvatn, Sigurgeir's Bird museum Café

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#### 42 Myvatn, Vogar, Cowshed Café

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#### 43 Myvatn, Sel Hotel Myvatn

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#### 44 Myvatn, Hotel Gigur, KEA Hotels

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#### 45 Husavik, Gamli Baukur Restaurant

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#### 46 Husavik, Café Skuld

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#### 47 Husavik, Fosshotel

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#### 48 Oxarfjordur, Skulagarður Guesthouse

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#### 49 Oxarfjordur, Lundur Travel Service




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#### 50 Modrudalur, Fjalladyrd, Fjalla Café

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## Winter Adventures in North Iceland

Northern Iceland is a land of winter adventures, offering diverse options for those who want to combine relaxation with fun and excitement in a veritable paradise of nature. There are countless opportunities for outdoor activities to suit everyone's taste. North Iceland boasts seven skiing areas, each of which has its own special character. The ski slopes are among the best in the country, featuring gradients and lifts which suit both children and grownups together with excellent facilities for cross-country skiing. In addition, other outdoor sports are on offer, such as snowmobile tours, horse trekking, jeep excursions and visits to a skating arena.

The Mývatn nature baths are the latest trump card to be played in winter excursions to North Iceland and of course every district offers access to an excellent outdoor swimming pool. As is generally known, North Iceland also offers accommodation of diverse character, restaurants and interesting museums as well as thriving theatrical performances

***A winter adventure in North Iceland is an unforgettable experience for the whole family***

***Welcome to North Iceland***



## Sheep/Horse Round-up in September - October

### Horse Round-up

Nowhere in the Iceland are more horses gathered in the round-ups than in the north. Hundreds of horses are herded into the mountains in July, then, at the end of September and the beginning of October, farmers drive both sheep and horses down from their summer pastures in the highlands to lower land - just as they have done for centuries. The main round-ups are Vidídalstungurett in Hunathing-vestra, Skrapatungurett in East Hunavatnssýsla and Laufskalarett in Skagafjörður.

Further information at [www.northwest.is](http://www.northwest.is) and [www.visitskagafjordur.is](http://www.visitskagafjordur.is)

### Sheep Round-up

The rounding up of sheep usually occurs during the month of September in the north of Iceland. This takes place in all districts and if you are interested, please check with tourist information centres in each district for further details on time and location.







## Skiing - See location in map, page 50

The ski areas in North Iceland all occupy their own niche in the region's magnificent landscape. They offer slopes and lifts suited to both children and adults, and the season can extend from Mid-November to May. Outside the organized ski areas, the possibilities for backcountry skiing are endless, with the Troll Peninsula being the centre of activity. The terrain looks as though it had been specially created for Alpine ski touring, Cat skiing and Heli Skiing, all of which are activities currently on offer for the avid skier. Skiing on virgin slopes all the way down to the Arctic Ocean is what characterizes this skiers' paradise where snow conditions remain favourable well into spring, the season lasting from mid February to the end of May. Facilities for cross-country skiers, with prepared trails can be found in many locations and also some organized cross country and alpine ski touring trips. Winter in the North offers a true family paradise, promising pleasure and spiritual renewal in the embrace of snow-covered mountains.

### 1 Saudarkrokur, Tindastoll Skiing Area, one ski lift

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### 2 Siglufjörður, Skardsdalur Skiing Area, three ski lifts

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### 3 Olafsfjörður, Tindaoxl Skiing Area, one ski lift

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### 4 Dalvík, Boggvístadafjall Skiing Area, two ski lifts

Tel. +354 466 1010, [www.skidavik.is](http://www.skidavik.is)

### 5 Akureyri, Hlíðarfjall Skiing Area, seven lifts

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### 6 Grenivík, Kaldbak Tours, SnoCat tours to Mt. Kaldbakur



 Website	<a href="http://www.kaldbaksferdir.com">www.kaldbaksferdir.com</a>
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### 7 Husavík Skiing Area, one ski lift

Tel. +354 464 6199, [www.volsungur.is/skidi](http://www.volsungur.is/skidi)

### 8 Myvatn, Skilift by Mt. Krafla, one ski lift

[www.kroflulyfta.info](http://www.kroflulyfta.info)

## Alpine Ski Touring - See location in map, page 50

### 1 Dalvík, Bergmenn Mountain Guides, Alpine Ski touring



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## Heli Skiing - See location in map, page 50

### 1 Dalvík, Arctic Heli Skiing, Helicopter Skiing



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## Ice Climbing - See location in map, page 50

### 1 Dalvík, Bergmenn Mountain Guides, Ice Climbing



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## Cat Skiing / Cat Boarding - See location in map, page 50

### 1 Troll Peninsula, Sporttours, Cat Skiing & Cat Boarding



 Website	<a href="http://www.sporttours.is">www.sporttours.is</a>
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## Scuba Diving - See location in map, page 50




### 1 Sporttours, Scubadiving: Eyjafjörður, Grimsey and Asbyrgi



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 Phone	+354 899 8000 or +354 894 2967
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### 2 Strytan Divecenter: Eyjafjörður, Grimsey and Asbyrgi





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## Boat tours / Whale Watching / Seal Watching Autumn and Spring - See location in map, page 54

Sailing out on the Atlantic Ocean, towards or even beyond the Arctic Circle is something unique. Little can compare to feeling the fresh ocean breeze whipping your face while riding the waves in search of seals or whales and watching the sea birds soaring into the sky. Sea-angling is fun and if you are lucky you might even catch some of the ocean's "silver darlings" which will doubtless taste delicious at the end of an enjoyable day.

### 1 Hvammstangi, Seal Watching, see angling, boat tours



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### 5 Siglufjörður, Raudka, Boat Tours



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### 6 Dalvík, Boat trips, whale watching, Sea-angling



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### 7 Hauganes, Niels Jonsson, Boat Tours, whale watching, Sea-angling






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## 12 Husavik, Gentle Giants, Whale Watching, Sea-angling

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	 Phone	+354 464 1500
	 E-mail	info@gentlegiants.is

## 13 Husavik, North Sailing, Whale Watching, Sea-angling

	 Website	www.northsailing.is
	 Phone	+354 464 7272
	 E-mail	info@nordursigling.is

## Fishing / Hunting - Autumn and Spring

### - See location in map, page 54

Many of Iceland's leading salmon and trout streams and rivers are located in the North. Fresh and unpolluted, they receive the salmon in summer and provide it with optimal conditions. Not to be forgotten are the numerous lakes near lowland farms, among lofty mountains, or up in the highlands. These lakes are replete with energetic arctic char and muscular brown trout that provide a dream catch for the fisherman. Those wishing to fish on the deep blue ocean can choose sea angling, with departures from several harbours; see the chapter on boat tours. For fishing permits and availability, please contact the tourist information centres all over the north of Iceland. Hunting and shooting game is also becoming popular in the north. In autumn it is possible to hunt the greylag goose and in November-December ptarmigan shooting is allowed over a certain period. For further information on these sports, please contact tourist information centres in the north.





## 1 Eyjafjordur, Sporttours, Eyjafjordur, Sporttours, Shore Fishing and Deep Sea Fishing in Eyjafjordur area

	 Website	www.sporttours.is
	 Phone	+354 899 8000 / +354 894 2967
	 E-mail	sporttours@sporttours.is





## Jeep Tours / Bus Tours - See location in map, page 60

Jeep/Bus tours through the rough terrain of the mountainous landscape of the north constitute the highlight of your visit to Iceland. The breathtaking beauty of North Iceland's highland wilderness will remain in your memory for ever.




## 3 Eyjafjordur, Sporttours, Super Jeep Tours, Guided Day Tours, Tailor made Tours

	 Website	www.sporttours.is
	 Phone	+354 899 8000 or +354 894 2967
	 E-mail	sporttours@sporttours.is





## 4 Akureyri, SBA-Nordurleid, Scheduled bus tours, Sightseeing tours, Bus tours

	 Website	www.sba.is
	 Phone	+354 550 0700
	 E-mail	sba@sba.is

## 5 Akureyri, Saga Travel, Guided Day Tours, Jeep Tours, Private Guiding and Tailor made travel

	 Website	www.sagatravel.is
	 Phone	+354 659 8888
	 E-mail	sagatravel@sagatravel.is

## 6 Akureyri, Extreme Icelandic Adventure. Tours to Súlur Mountain and the mountain hut Falkafell

	 Website	www.extreme.is
	 Phone	+354 862 7988
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### 7 Hopferdamidstodin - TREX, Scheduled Bus Tours, Sightseeing tours, Bus tours

	Website	www.trex.is
	Phone	+354 587 6000
	E-mail	info@trex.is

### 8 Akureyri, The Traveling Viking, Mini Bus Service, Private Guiding, Tailor made Sight-seeing Tours

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	E-mail	ttv@ttv.is

### 9 Akureyri, Fabtravel, group tours, health and wellbeing package trips

	Website	www.fabtravel.is
	Phone	+354 571 2282
	E-mail	fabtravel@fabtravel.is

### 11 Akureyri. Icelandic Outback Superjeep tours

	Website	www.icelandicoutback.is
	Phone	+354 690 8466
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### 12 Akureyri, Taxi no. 17, Private Tours

	Website	www.taxi-no17.com
	Phone	+354 892 4257
	E-mail	taxi@taxi-no17.com

### 13 Akureyri, Fjallasyn Runars Oskarssonar, Sightseeing, Guided Tours, Birdwatching. Tour operator all year round.

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	E-mail	fjallasyn@fjallasyn.is

### 14 Svalbardseyri, Inspiration Iceland, Land Rover Tours

	Website	www.inspiration-iceland.com
	Phone	+354 865 9929
	E-mail	info@inspiration-iceland.com

### 15 Myvatn, Saga Travel, Guided Day Tours, Jeep Tours, Private Guiding and Tailor made travel

	Website	www.sagatravel.is
	Phone	+354 659 8888
	E-mail	sagatravel@sagatravel.is

### 16 Myvatn, SBA-Nordurleid, Scheduled bus tours, Sightseeing tours, Bus tours

	Website	www.sba.is
	Phone	+354 550 0700
	E-mail	sba@sba.is

### 17 Myvatn, Sel Hotel Myvatn, Jeep safaris

	Website	www.myvatn.is
	Phone	+364 464 4164
	E-mail	myvatn@myvatn.is










## 20 Myvatn, Fjallasyn Runars Oskarssonar, Bus Tours, Sightseeing, Jeep Tours

	 Website	www.fjallasyn.is
	 Phone	+354 464 3940
	 E-mail	fjallasyn@fjallasyn.is





## 21 Myvatn, Geo Travel. Super Jeep, Climbing and Cave exploring tours

	 Website	www.geotravel.is
	 Phone	+354 864 7080
	 E-mail	info@geotravel.is


## 23 Husavik, Fjallasyn Runars Oskarssonar, Sightseeing, Guided Tours, Birdwatching. Tour operator all year round.

	 Website	www.fjallasyn.is
	 Phone	+354 464 3940
	 E-mail	fjallasyn@fjallasyn.is





## 24 Husavik, SBA-Norðurleid, Scheduled bus tours, Sightseeing tours, Bus tours

	 Website	www.sba.is
	 Phone	+354 550 0700
	 E-mail	sba@sba.is

## 25 Asbyrgi, Fjallasyn Runars Oskarssonar, Sightseeing, Guided Tours, Birdwatching. Tour operator all year round.

	 Website	www.fjallasyn.is
	 Phone	+354 464 3940
	 E-mail	fjallasyn@fjallasyn.is

## 26 Modrudalur, Fjalladyrd, Jeep tours

	 Website	www.fjalladyrd.is
	 Phone	+354 471 1858
	 E-mail	fjalladyrd@fjalladyrd.is







## Hiking Tours - Autumn - Winter - Spring

- See location in map, page 60

During recent years, services relating to walking and hiking have increased significantly in North Iceland. Trail maps have been published in many areas and can be bought at tourist information centres. Just put on your hiking boots - here you will find adventure. During summer there is a special hiking programme in the north of Iceland. Each district plans "hikes for the day" in their area, during a whole week. For further information see [www.nordurland.is](http://www.nordurland.is) or the web site of the district you will be visiting.

### 1 Hunafloi, Brekkulaekur, Touring Service



	Website	<a href="http://www.abbi-island.is">www.abbi-island.is</a>
	Phone	+354 451 2938
	E-mail	<a href="mailto:brekka@nett.is">brekka@nett.is</a>

### 5 Dalvík, Skidadalur, Klængshóll Hiking Tours



	Website	<a href="http://www.skidadalur.is">www.skidadalur.is</a>
	Phone	+354 466 1519
	E-mail	<a href="mailto:skidadalur@skidadalur.is">skidadalur@skidadalur.is</a>

### 6 Dalvík, Bergmenn Mountain Guides, Hiking and Mountaineering trips



	Website	<a href="http://www.bergmenn.com">www.bergmenn.com</a>
	Phone	+354 698 9870
	E-mail	<a href="mailto:info@bergmenn.com">info@bergmenn.com</a>

### 11 Akureyri, Naturalis, Mountain Guides



	Website	<a href="http://www.naturalis.is">www.naturalis.is</a>
	Phone	+354 822 7900
	E-mail	<a href="mailto:halli@naturalis.is">halli@naturalis.is</a>

### 15 Myvatn - Hike and Bike, scheduled hiking and trekking tours



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	Phone	+354 899 4845
	E-mail	<a href="mailto:info@hikeandbike.is">info@hikeandbike.is</a>

### 16 Myvatn, Geo Travel



	Website	<a href="http://www.geotravel.is">www.geotravel.is</a>
	Phone	+354 864 7080
	E-mail	<a href="mailto:info@geotravel.is">info@geotravel.is</a>

### 17 Husavík, Fjallasyn Runars Oskarssonar, Sightseeing, Guided Tours, Birdwatching. Tour operator all year round.



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	Phone	+354 464 3940
	E-mail	<a href="mailto:fjallasyn@fjallasyn.is">fjallasyn@fjallasyn.is</a>

### 19 Thistilfjörður, Ytra-Aland, Guided Hiking Tours



	Website	<a href="http://www.ytra-aland.is">www.ytra-aland.is</a>
	Phone	+354 468 1290 or +354 863 1290
	E-mail	<a href="mailto:ytra-aland@ytra-aland.is">ytra-aland@ytra-aland.is</a>







## Snowmobile Tours - See location in map, page 60

Snowmobile tours provide a unique opportunity to mix adventure and sightseeing experiences together, and are a key to a great day in the north of Iceland.

### 1 Troll Peninsula, Sporttours, Snowmobile Tours

	Website	www.sporttours.is
	Phone	+354 899 8000 / +354 894 2967
	E-mail	sporttours@sporttours.is

### 2 Grenivik, Kaldbakur Tours, SnoCat Tours to Mt. Kaldbakur

	Website	www.kaldbaksferdir.com
	Phone	+354 867 3770

### 3 Myvatn, Sel Hotel Myvatn, Snowmobile Tours

	Website	www.myvatn.is
	Phone	+354 464 4164
	E-mail	myvatn@myvatn.is



## Tours - Autumn - Winter - Spring - See location in map, page 60

Need help to plan your vacation in the north of Iceland? Please do not hesitate to contact the information centres of the north or one of the local travel services.

### 1 Hunafloi, Brekkulaekur, Hiking Tours and Special Programs

	Website	www.abbi-island.is
	Phone	+354 451 2938
	E-mail	brekka@netti.is

### 2 Eyjafjardur, Sporttours, Tours of all sorts

	Website	www.sporttours.is
	Phone	+354 899 8000 or +354 894 2967
	E-mail	sporttours@sporttours.is

### 3 Akureyri, Nonni Travel, Tour Operator in Greenland, Iceland and The Faroe Islands

	Website	www.nonnitavel.is
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### 4 Akureyri, Saga Travel, Guided Day Tours, Jeep Tours, Private Guiding and Tailor made travel

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## 5 Akureyri, Inspiration Iceland, Wellness, Yoga & Adventure Holiday

	Website	www.inspiration-iceland.com
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## 7 Akureyri, FAB Travel, group tours, health and wellbeing package trips

	Website	www.fabtravel.is
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	E-mail	fabtravel@fabtravel.is

## 8 Myvatn, Geo Travel. Super Jeep, Climbing and Cave exploring tours

	Website	www.geotravel.is
	Phone	+354 864 7080
	E-mail	info@geotravel.is

## 9 Husavik, Fjallasyn Runars Oskarssonar, Bus tours, sightseeing, Jeep tours

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	E-mail	fjallasyn@fjallasyn.is

## 10 Modrudalur, Fjalladyrd, Tours of all sorts

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## Riding Tours/Horse Shows - Autumn and Spring - See location in map, page 74

Why not go on a riding adventure in the north of Iceland - it is a truly unique experience. Icelandic horse shows demonstrate this beautiful creature's special gaits and temperament as well as its traditional uses.

### 1 Hunafloi, Brekkulaekur, Horse Riding Tours

	Website	www.abbi-island.is
	Phone	+354 451 2938
	E-mail	brekka@nett.is

### 2 Gauksmyri Lodge, Horse Riding, Riding Lessons, Horse Shows and Longer Tours

	Website	www.gauksmyri.is
	Phone	+354 451 2927
	E-mail	gauksmyri@gauksmyri.is

### 3 Vidigerdi, Riding Tours

	Website	www.vidigerdi.is
	Phone	+354 451 2592
	E-mail	vidigerdi@vidigerdi.is

### 7 Skagafjorður, Hestasport and Activity Tours, Horse Riding Tours


	Website	www.riding.is
	Phone	+354 453 8383
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### 9 Skagafjörður, Lytingsstadir, Horse Rental and Riding Tours



	Website	www.lythorse.com
	Phone	+354 453 8064 / +354 893 3817
	E-mail	info@lythorse.com




### 10 Skagafjörður, Flugumyri, Horse Shows, Riding Tours



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### 12 Eyjafjörður, Skjaldarvík, Riding Tours



	Website	www.skjaldarvik.is
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### 13 Eyjafjörður, Sporttours, Horse Riding Tours



	Website	www.sporttours.is
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	E-mail	sporttours@sporttours.is




### 15 Grenivík, Polar Hestar, Horse Riding Tours



	Website	www.polarhestar.is
	Phone	+354 463 3179
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### 18 Myvatn, Saltvik Horse Centre, Horse Rental and Riding Tours



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### 19 Husavík, Saltvik Horse Centre, Horse Rental and Riding Tours



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### 21 Ytra-Lon Horse Rental



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	E-mail	ytralon@visitlanganes.com







## Geothermal Swimming and bathing

- See location in map, page 82

Swimming is a very popular activity all year round in Iceland. Most towns and villages in the north have outdoor and/or indoor swimming pools filled with water from natural hot springs. There are also natural bathing places in the north, such as the Hveravellir Nature Pool, the Myvatn Nature Baths and the crater Viti in Askja.

**1 Hrutafjörður, Geothermal natural pool, Hveraborg at Sika river**  
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**2 Hvammstangi, Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
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**3 Hunavellir, Hotel Hunavellir Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 453 5600

**4 Blönduós, Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 452 4178

**5 Hveravellir, Geothermal pool by the mountain hut**  
Tel. +354 452 4200

**6 Skagaströnd, Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 452 2806

**7 Skagafjörður, Varmahlid Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 453 8824

**8 Skagafjörður, Bakkaflot Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 453 8245

**9 Skagafjörður, Steinsstaðir Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 453 8812

**10 Skagafjörður, Sauðarkrókur, Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 453 5226

**11 Skagafjörður, Grettislaug, Geothermal natural pool**  
Tel. +354 455 6161

**12 Skagafjörður, Holar in Hjaltadalur Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 455 6333

**13 Skagafjörður, Hofos Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 455 6070

**14 Skagafjörður, Solgárdar Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 467 1033

**15 Siglufjörður Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 464 9170

**16 Ólafsfjörður Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 464 9250

**17 Grimsey island Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 467 3155

**18 Dalvík Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 466 3233

**19 Dalvík, Husabakki Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 466 3233

**20 Eyjafjörður, Hrísey island Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 466 3012

**21 Eyjafjörður, Thelamork Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 462 4718

**22 Akureyri, Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
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**23 Akureyri – Glerarlaug, Indoor Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 462 1539

**24 Eyjafjörður, Hrafnagil Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
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**25 Eyjafjörður, Svalbardseyri Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
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**26 Eyjafjörður, Grenivík, Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
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**27 Fnjóskadalur, Illugastadir Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
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**28 Hotel Edda Stórutjórnum Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
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**29 Reykjadalur, Laugar Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
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**30 Husavík, Heidarbaer Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
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**31 Myvatn, Reykjahlid Geothermal Swimmingpool**  
Tel. +354 464 4225





### 32 Myvatn Nature Baths, geothermal spa

	Website	www.jardbodin.is
	Phone	+354 464 4411
	E-mail	info@jardbodin.is

### 33 Husavik Geothermal Swimmingpool

Tel. +354 464 6190

### 34 Oxarfjörður, Lundur Geothermal Swimmingpool

Tel. +354 465 2248

### 35 Raufarhöfn Geothermal Swimmingpool

Tel. +354 465 1144

### 36 Thorshöfn Geothermal Swimmingpool

Tel. +354 468 1515

### 37 Askja, the volcanic crater Viti, natural crater with geothermal water

### 3 Akureyri, Inspiration Iceland, Wellness, Yoga & Adventure Holiday

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### 4 Myvatn Nature Baths, geothermal spa

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## Paint ball - Autumn and Spring

### - See location in map, page 88

Paint ball and laser tag are very popular ways to build up a team spirit within companies and groups of friends. These games test logical thinking, trust, creativity, fast decision-making, co-operation and leadership – all geared to achieve the same end; to reach the given goal.

### 1 Skagafjörður, Adventur Tours, paintball

	Website	www.activitytours.is/Paintball/
	Phone	+354 453 8383
	E-mail	info@activitytours.is

## Spa and Wellness - See location in map, page 82

### 1 Dalvík, Skidadalur, Klaengshöll

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### 2 Akureyri, FAB Travel, Health and Wellbeing Package Trips

	Website	www.fabtravel.is
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## Bicycling - Autumn and Spring

### - See location in map, page 88

Cycling is a mode of travel which gives you the chance to be in close contact with nature all year round. Renting a bike is a great way to explore this land of fire and ice.

#### 1 Akureyri, City Center, Viking bicycle rental

Tel. +354 461 5551, [theviking@simnet.is](mailto:theviking@simnet.is)

#### 2 Myvatn, Hotel Reyhlið, bicycle rental

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	E-mail	<a href="mailto:bookings@reyhlið.is">bookings@reyhlið.is</a>

#### 3 Myvatn, Hike and Bike, scheduled mountainbike tours and bike rental

	Website	<a href="http://www.hikeandbike.is">www.hikeandbike.is</a>
	Phone	+354 899 4845
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#### 4 Myvatn, Reykjahlid, Hlid Campsite, bicycle rental

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	E-mail	<a href="mailto:hlid@sholf.is">hlid@sholf.is</a>

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