

Denmark & Sweden Sports Tour

Copenhagen & Gothenburg 9 Day / 7 Night Program









SUGGESTED PROGRAM

PLEASE NOTE: Actual sequence and timing of activities will revolve around your game & practice schedule, which will be finalized in the weeks prior to your team's arrival at its destination. All times are approximate and may vary according to flight schedules and other logistical factors.

ALL SPORTS ACTIVITIES ARE HIGHLIGHTED IN RED.

Day 1 <u>USA – COPENHAGEN</u>

Fly overnight to Copenhagen via major international scheduled airline with possible change of Evening

plane enroute. Dinner and Breakfast served aloft.

Day 2 **COPENHAGEN**

Mornina Arrive at Copenhagen's International Airport.

> Greeting by your highly-qualified **Tour Manager**. The Tour Managers we select are chosen for their high-energy and commitment to customer satisfaction. For the duration of your stay, your Tour Manager will be coordinating and managing all of your scheduled activities and will be available to you on a 24-hour basis should you need special assistance.

> Copenhagen is the capital of Denmark and is its largest city with 1.5 million inhabitants. Perhaps Scandinavia's most cosmopolitan city due to its relatively southern location at one of Europe's crossroads, Copenhagen is also the seat of the Danish Royal Family with several castles dotting the city landscape that are open to visitors.

Morning Rosenborg Palace







Transfer by private motorcoach to the **Rosenborg Palace** in downtown Copenhagen, one of Denmark's most important landmarks. View the interior with its marbled and painted ceilings, gilded mirrors, elaborate tapestries and lavish silver and gold decorative items. The **Royal Treasury** in the basement is home to the **Danish crown jewels**.

Continue on to your Three-Star hotel for check-in.

Afternoon Free time to explore the neighborhood around your hotel and have lunch on your own.

Afternoon PRACTICE SESSION or CLINIC with a Highly-Qualified Licensed Professional Coach

Evening Dinner at Hotel (included in tour program).

Day 3 <u>COPENHAGEN</u>

Morning Breakfast at Hotel.

Morning & Afternoon

Copenhagen City Tour







Changing of the Guard



Tivoli Gardens

Board your private motorcoach with an English-speaking guide for an introduction to Copenhagen's major sights.

View the <u>Christiansborg Palace</u>, home of the Danish Parliament and stop in at the <u>Museum of Royal Coaches</u> to see these impressive horse-drawn vehicles. Continue on to the <u>Amalienborg Palace</u> where you can visit the <u>northwestern mansion</u> with its royal memorabilia and stay for the noontime <u>changing of the guard ceremony</u>.

The <u>Tivoli Gardens</u> amusement park, probably the best known Copenhagen landmark, is a few blocks away. View the extensive flower beds, main building with its fanciful architecture, and enjoy its amusement rides. Have lunch on your own at the food pavilions.

Evening Dinner at Hotel (included in tour program).

Evening MATCH # 1 vs. a DANISH TEAM

Day 4 <u>COPENHAGEN</u>

Morning Breakfast at Hotel.

Morning Roskilde – Half-Day Tour







Visit the <u>Viking Ship Museum</u> to view five <u>Viking ships dating back to 1000 B.C</u>. that were retrieved from Roskilde Fjord in 1962 in thousands of pieces and painstakingly reconstructed for the display that you see today.

A short walk west along the harbor takes you to the **waterfront workshops** where **Viking ships replicas** are built by hand using the same techniques that craftsmen used 1000 years ago to build the originals. From May to September, you can even sail on a replica Viking ship along the Roskilde Fjord.

Afternoon PRACTICE SESION or CLINIC with a Highly-Qualified Licensed Professional Coach

Evening Dinner at Hotel (included in tour program).

Day 5 <u>COPENHAGEN</u>

Morning Breakfast at Hotel.

Morning Carlsberg Brewery Visitor Center

Learn all about the brewing process and history of **one of the world's renowned beers**.

Sample some of the beers at the end of the tour (subject to legal drink age).

Afternoon Enjoy lunch on your own in the colorful **Nyhavn Canal District** featuring waterside cafés,

bars, and restaurants near the harbor.

Evening Dinner at Hotel (included in tour program).

Evening MATCH # 2 vs. a DANISH TEAM

Day 6 <u>COPENHAGEN - HILLEROD - HELSINGOR - HELSINGBORG -GOTHENBURG</u>

Morning Breakfast at Hotel.

Check out and transfer to **Hillerod** to visit to Frederiksborg Castle.

Morning <u>Frederiksborg Castle</u>







Visit this beautiful <u>renaissance castle</u>, built in the in the first decades of the 17th century and situated north of Copenhagen. Enjoy the scenery, the <u>baroque gardens</u> and the <u>lake</u> surrounding the castle.

Tour 500 hundred years of Danish history inside the **Museum of National History**. Find portraits, history paintings, furniture and decorative art inside this wonderful museum.

Continue on to **Helsingor** to visit Elsinore Castle.

Afternoon <u>Elsinore Castle</u>







One of the most important renaissance castles in northern Europe, Elsinore Castle is world-famous for being home to **Shakespeare's Hamlet**. As well as a Castle, Elsinore was also a **military fortress** surrounded by major fortifications. It welcomes 200.000 visitors a year and is one of Denmark's most visited attractions.

Proceed to Helsingor's port to board the ferry for the short 2-mile crossing to **Helsingborg**, **Sweden** where you will continue on to **Gothenburg**, Sweden's second-largest city after Stockholm.

Arrive in Gothenburg and check in to your Three-Star Hotel.

Evening Dinner at Hotel (included in tour program).

Day 7 GOTHENBURG

Morning Breakfast at Hotel.

Morning PRACTICE SESSION or CLINIC with a Highly-Qualified Licensed Professional Coach

Afternoon Free time to explore the city







Big Harbor Canal

King Gustav II Monument

Vallgraven Canal

Gothenburg, some 400 years old, is a walkable city with the **Kungsportavenyn shopping street**, lined with cafés and restaurants, being a very popular spot. Also take in **Tradgardsforeningens Park** and the **Botanic Gardens**, the largest in Sweden. Climb **Ramberget in Keillers Park** for nice views of Gothenburg. Additional panoramic views of the city can be enjoyed from **Liseberg Tower**, some 275 ft. high, at the **Liseberg theme park**.

Evening Dinner at Hotel (included in tour program).

Evening MATCH # 3 vs. a SWEDISH TEAM

Day 8 <u>GOTHENBURG</u>

Morning Breakfast at Hotel.

Morning Alvsborg Castle & Vinja Lighthouse











Take the boat ride out to **Alvsborg Castle** (aka **Elfsborg Fortress**) on an island in Gothenburg Harbor. Continue to **Vinga Island** to visit the 96-foot tall **Vinga Lighthouse** built in 1890 and still active today, mostly for nostalgia purposes as commercial shipping no longer needs lighthouses.

Afternoon Free time to explore the city and have lunch on your own.

Evening MATCH # 4 vs. a SWEDISH TEAM

Day 9 <u>GOTHENBURG – USA</u>

Morning Breakfast at Hotel.

Morning Check out of hotel.

Transfer by private motorcoach to the city's International Airport for your return flights home.

Evening Arrive back in the U.S.

Your Scandinavian Sports & Cultural Adventure comes to a close with great memories to cherish for a lifetime!

TOUR INCLUSIONS:

Travel Services:

- Economy-class Air Transportation USA Scandinavia round-trip.
- One way ticket ferry ticket from Helsingor to Helsingborg.
- Four nights at a Three-Star Hotel in Copenhagen.
- Three nights at a Three-Star Hotel in Gothenburg.
- Airport / Hotel / Airport transfers by private motorcoach.
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- Breakfast and one other meal (usually Dinner) daily.
- Visit to Rosenborg Palace
- Copenhagen City Tour with English-Speaking Guide
- Roskilde Half-Day Tour
- Carlsberg Brewery Visitor Center
- Visit to Frederiksborg Castle
- Visit to Elsinore Castle
- Alvsborg Castle & Vinja Lighthouse
- **Tour Manager** available as necessary in Scandinavia and 24/7 access in case of emergency.
- 24/7 Emergency Support from Victory Sports Tours' Operations Office.

Sports Program:

- Four Games with clubs / universities at your level.
- Three Practice Sessions or Clinics with a highly-qualified licensed professional coach.
- Bottle of Water provided to each player, each game / practice.
- Uniform Laundry Service provided between games.
- Round-trip Transfers to above Sports Activities by private motorcoach.

Summary of Included Meals:

- 7 Breakfasts
- 7 Dinners

Tour Price:

• For the most up-to-date pricing information on this tour, please visit our website:

http://www.victorysportstours.com/browse-tours/

Click on your sport and scroll down to the tour named "Denmark & Sweden #1".

- Price is per person based on a minimum of 20 paying travelers.
- Prices are subject to availability of airfares at time of booking.
- One FREE COACH'S TRIP is included based on 20 paying travelers (21st is free).
- Coach would share twin room with paying traveler and pay **only taxes/fees**.

Notes:

- The itinerary text outlines both included services and suggested free time activities. For a definitive indication of what is included in the tour price, please refer exclusively to the "TOUR INCLUSIONS" section above.
- No booking has been made yet. Tour dates are subject to availability.
- All activities to be arranged and confirmed after deposits received.
 Tour price is based on current U.S. dollar/foreign currency exchange rates. Price may vary if the exchange rate were to change significantly prior to receiving your tour deposit.
- Air taxes/fees are determined by the various governments/airlines involved and are those currently in effect. By government regulation, actual air taxes/fees collected will be those in effect at ticketing, approx. 45 days before departure.
- Airlines may add a fuel surcharge if the price of fuel increases significantly.
- Final fuel surcharge is determined approx. 30 days prior to departure.
- Full Terms & Conditions to be provided upon acceptance of this proposal.