



Lønnebjerg with the lifestyle shop Kastanielys

View over Lønnebjerg and Sejerøbugten



THE GATEWAY'S FACILITIES

- Access to hiking and cycle routes
- A map of the area
- Information about cultural and nature activities
- Folders with suggestions for activities from local businesses
- Wi-Fi
- PC with internet and printer
- Charging of electrical equipment
- Access to water and toilets
- Lunch packs for your tour
- Bicycles for rent
- Tools for minor repairs of bicycles
- Locked bicycle storage
- Baggage transport/storage
- Guide for hire
- Geochaching
- Euros and credit cards accepted

OUTDOOR GATEWAY – WHAT IS IT?

An Outdoor Gateway is a node to active experiences in the surrounding landscape. Here you can get help and inspiration for hiking, cycling, riding, or possibly sailing, as well as various forms of service in connection with your tour.

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SJÆLLANDS ODDE



On www.friluftsguiden.dk, you can design your own guide to outdoor experiences and print it on a card or download the routes to your GPS. You can also find lodging, places to eat, sights and attractions, rest stops, etc. The longer routes are divided into stages, each with facilities for tenting overnight.





Rikke and Christian



The noble grapes



Rolling landscape around Lønnebjerg



Griben - Sjælland Odde's Tip End

OUTDOOR GATEWAY LØNNEBJERG

At Lønnebjerg, Rikke and Christian manage an ecological farm and vineyard. Lønnebjerg has a beautiful location on the south side of "Hulbjerg", the highest point on Sjællands Odde. You are welcome to visit the vineyard and enjoy the view. You can also walk over the field to the beach on Sejerø Bugt (Bay).

Outdoor Gateway Lønnebjerg rents bicycles in cooperation with Odsherred's Bicycle Rental. This gives you the possibility to cycle around and deliver your bicycle at any of the rental locations. If your own bicycle is punctured, you can borrow equipment to repair it. The gateway has a full assortment of repair tools.

Should your provisions run out, you can fill your thermos with water and buy soft drinks, ice cream, coffee, sweets, and lunch packs. You can break your trip and eat at the picnic benches and tables with built-in barbecues that are attractively placed around the gateway.

At the gateway you will find a candle workshop that sells hand-dipped candles. Explore the life-style boutique "Kastanielys", where you can buy many local products as well as Lønnebjerg's own wine. During opening hours there is access to toilets, and you can buy cycle and hiking maps.

Hikes and tours on Sjællands Odde can be arranged in cooperation with local guides and businesses. You are welcome to contact the gateway with your desires.

ROUTES AND TOURS

You will pass by Outdoor Gateway if you are on one of the national cycle routes **Sjællands Odde-Rødby, National cycle route 7** (240 km) or **Hanstholm-Copenhagen, National cycle route 2** (420 km). The regional hiking route **Sjællandsleden** also passes by the gateway.

You can take also short tours between 8 and 12 km long from Lønnebjerg. Explore Griben at the very tip of Sjællands Odde or hike along the two parallel coasts between Kattegat and Sejerø Bugt and experience the diversity of the coastal landscape.

THE LANDSCAPE

The gateway is a natural starting point for experiencing Sjælland Odde's varied nature and colorful history. In the Stone Age, the 17 km long and up to 1.5 km wide spit consisted largely of elongated islands of moraine. The moraine deposits were formed as an end moraine by an early glacial advance from the northeast.

Later, the island was connected by deposits and uplifts to the moraine hill at Lumsås and therefore became part of Sjælland. Griben, with its 16 m. high moraine hill, is the tip end of Sjællands Odde.

From Sjællands Odde, you will have a magnificent view over both Kattegat and Sejerø Bugt, by only turning around 180 degrees. In clear weather you can see all the way to Hesselø to the north and Samsø to the west.

SIGHTS AND ATTRACTIONS

From Outdoor Gateway Lønnebjerg, you can visit a number of attractions, many of which lie close to the routes.

Griben - The military has opened this magnificent, almost untouched natural area to the public. On Griben, many interesting plants thrive in the harsh, dry, salty, but also sunny environment. Here are many insects, which provide food for especially lizards. Kestrels can almost always be seen flying, looking for the coveted lizards and other prey. On the beach along the coast you may see seals, kingfishers, and scoters. During the Ice Age there were "visits" from the northern Scandinavian mountains. The rocks along the water's edge bear witness to such visits. from Norway and Sweden/Norwegian and Swedish mountains - delete?.

Hulbjerg - Just across from the gateway lies the military hill Hulbjerg. It is the highest point on Sjællands Odde, 29 m. above sea level and with a panorama view over Kattegat and Sejerøbugten. Hulbjerg was an important post in wartime, as one could look out for the enemy from the tower that lay on the top. Lønnebjerg was formerly obligated to accommodate soldiers during war. Today the tower has been torn down, but the view is still fantastic. There is a geocache (treasure) hidden on Hulbjerg, so take your GPS and go on a treasure hunt. See www.geocaching.dk.



Odde Smokery



Odde Church



Odde Harbour



Kattegat



Sejerøbugten

Odde Røgeri (smokehouse) - On a slope with a magnificent view over Kattegat lies Odde Røgeri. It is a very characteristic building with three simple but distinctive chimneys, which was designed by the world-famous Danish architect Arne Jacobsen. In connection with the smokehouse is a shop where you can buy smoked herring and other specialties.

Odde Fiskerihavn (fishing harbour) and **Havnebyen** (harbour town) - There was large-scale tuna fishing here in the 1920s and 30s. In contrast to many other small harbours, there is still fishing here, which together with the popular marina, makes it a lively and exciting place to visit.

Odde Church - lies a few kilometers east of Havnebyen. It was originally built in the 1300s but has been extended several times since. In the cemetery is a memorial over the naval hero Peder Willemoes, who died during a naval battle near Sjællands Odde in 1808. In the western part of the cemetery is a memorial stone on the grave of three British flyers who were shot down over Sejerø Bugt in 1943.

Fresh fish - You can fish everywhere along the coast. Or you can sign up on www.Hav-FriskFisk.dk to get an sms when the local cutter lands freshly caught fish in Odde Havn.

Sea and shore - Both Kattegat, with its stony beaches, and Sejerø Bugt, with its shallow sand bottom, offer fine possibilities for a refreshing dip.

There are many **arts and crafts shops** and farm shops you can visit on your tour. Find them on www.friluftsguiden.dk.