



# Linnaeus University Summer Academy

## Linnaeus University Summer Academy 2018 Field Trips & Tours

### **Öland** - *the Island of the Sun and of the Winds*

A bus tour through the southern part of the Öland island.

<b>Date:</b>	<b>July 21</b> (Saturday)
<b>Tour start and duration:</b>	08:00-17:30
<b>Tour fee:</b>	<b>SEK 450</b>
<b>The fee includes:</b>	Bus fare, cost of lunch and entrance fee Eketorp Fort.
<b>Optional fees:</b>	The entrance fee of SEK 30 applies only for those who wish to explore the Lighthouse <i>Långe Jan</i> and the surroundings of Ottenby from above. You can also rent binoculars for 20 SEK to get a closer look at the birds and seals. Optional is a "Swedish fika" or ice cream in the harbor of Färjestaden.

**Reservation deadline:** No later than July 18, at 15:00  
Please sign up [online](http://axacoair.se/go?CEd8fqi9) (<http://axacoair.se/go?CEd8fqi9>)

**Payment deadline:** No later than July 19, at 15:00  
The payment should be made in person at the Linnaeus University Infocenter.

**What to bring with you?** A small snack and beverage for a coffee break "*Fika*" and possibly a wind jacket.

#### **Preliminary agenda of the Field Trip:**

07:30 We gather at the University Library (Address: Nygatan 18 A, Kalmar)

07:45 Pick-up at the FOJO housing (Address: Gröndalsvägen 19, Kalmar)

08:00 Bus tour to the Öland island:

The island is known for its special light, nature and culture and is therefore one of the most visited tourist attractions in Sweden. After the bridge from the mainland to the island, we will follow the west coast to the south. First we will make a stop at Gettlinge Gravfält, one of the island's largest burial grounds with ship tumulus and stones from the early iron age and with a magnificent view. We will pass Alvaret (Engl. tr. "Seriousness"), a flat limestone plain steppe - a very unique landscape. Then we will follow the east coast on our way down to Eketorp Fort. The fort is a completely excavated and reconstructed ancient castle from the original fort built in the early Iron Age. Here you will be able to try the medieval way of living through different activities such as archery, herbs & medicine, baking bread but also visit the museum. The next stop is at Ölands South Cape and Ottenby where we will eat lunch and then explore the surroundings, including the visitor center and the lighthouse *Långe Jan*. We will also see the nearby windmills, typical Öland buildings, on our way back. Lastly we will continue to the harbor in Färjestaden for an optional afternoon "*fika*".

At around  
17:30

Back in Kalmar



## ***Småland I - Kingdom of Crystal***

A bus tour to the Kingdom of crystal with a visit to a Moose Park and a guided tour at the museum The Glass Factory.

**Day:** July 28 (Saturday)  
**Tour start and duration:** 08:00-15:30  
**Tour fee:** SEK 500  
**The fee includes:** The costs of bus fare, entrance and guided tour at the moose park, lunch at the moose park, entrance and guided tour at Glass Factory museum.

**Reservation deadline:** No later than July 25, at 15:00  
Please sign up [online](http://axacoair.se/go?CEd8fqi9) (<http://axacoair.se/go?CEd8fqi9>)

**Payment deadline:** No later than July 26, at 15:00  
The payment should be made in person at the Linnaeus University Infocenter.

**What to bring with you?** A small snack and beverage for a coffee break “*Fika*”.

### **Preliminary agenda of the Field Trip:**

08:00 We gather at the University Library (Address: Nygatan 18 A, Kalmar)

08:15 Pick-up at the FOJO housing (Address: Gröndalsvägen 19, Kalmar)

08:30 The field trip will start with a stop at the Kingdom of Crystal Moose Park in Nybro. There we will take part in a guided “Moose Safari” where you will be able to come up close and see the mooses. We will also stay at the Moose Safari for lunch and you will be able to try a moose burger or moose sausages before we continue to the Glass Factory. We will get a guided tour of the Glass Factory and their exhibitions and we will also visit the glass works and see how glass has been made for centuries. At the Glass Factory you can either buy Fika or eat what you bring with you.

At around  
15:30 Back in Kalmar



## ***Småland II - IKEA through the ages and Carl Linnaeus***

A bus tour to the birthplace of Carl Linnaeus (Carl von Linné) and to the IKEA museum.

**Day:** July 29 (Sunday)  
**Tour start and duration:** 07:00-18:00  
**Tour fee:** SEK 450  
**The fee includes:** The costs of bus fare, lunch, guided tour in Råshult and entrance to the IKEA museum.

**Reservation deadline:** No later than July 25, at 15:00  
Please sign up [online](http://axacoair.se/go?CEd8fq9) (<http://axacoair.se/go?CEd8fq9>)

**Payment deadline:** No later than July 26, at 15:00  
The payment should be made in person at the Linnaeus University Infocenter.

**What to bring with you?** A small snack and beverage for a coffee break “*Fika*”

### **Preliminary agenda of the Field Trip:**

07:00 We gather at the University Library (Address: Nygatan 18 A, Kalmar)

07:15 Pick-up at the FOJO housing (Address: Gröndalsvägen 19, Kalmar)

07:30 This bus tour of Småland – “the true Sweden”, begin at Råshult – the birthplace of Carl Linnaeus, where we will take part in a guided tour. Thereafter we will turn further south towards Älmhult - the headquarters of the IKEA Corporation where we will eat the famous IKEA meatballs for lunch. Afterward we will visit IKEA museum. Before continuing back to Kalmar we will make a brief visit at the Växjö Campus of Linnaeus University.

At around  
18.00 Back in Kalmar



## *Stockholm - In My Heart*

A bus tour to the capital city of Sweden.

- Day:** 3 – 5 august (Friday-Sunday)  
**Tour start and duration:** 06:30 Friday 3/8– 18:00 Sunday 5/8  
**Tour fee:** SEK 2400  
**The fee includes:** The bus fare, accommodation for 2 nights in four-bed rooms at Zinkensdamm Youth Hostel, bed linen and a towel, 2 breakfasts, 3 lunches, the entrance fees and the guided tours at the Royal Castle and the Vasa Museum.
- Additional fees:** Public transportation within Stockholm. Single ticket 44 SEK, 24hour card 125 SEK, or an 72 hour card 250 SEK.
- Reservation deadline:** No later than July 25, at 15:00  
Please sign up [online](http://axacoair.se/go?CEd8fq9) (<http://axacoair.se/go?CEd8fq9>)
- Payment deadline:** No later than July 26, at 15:00  
The payment should be made in person at the Linnaeus University Infocenter.
- What to bring with you?** Necessary belongings

### **Preliminary agenda of the Tour:**

#### **Friday**

- 06:30 We gather at the University Library (Address: Nygatan 18 A, Kalmar)  
06:45 Pick-up at the FOJO housing (Address: Gröndalsvägen 19, Kalmar)
- 07:00 A bus tour to the capital of Sweden – Stockholm, our first stop will be at *Stavsjö Krog och Kafé* for a lunch break. When arrived we will first make a visit to the *Royal Palace* His Majesty The King's official residence for a guided tour. After the tour of the castle we will check in to Zinkensdamm Hostel. After the check in you are free to explore Stockholm on your own.

#### **Saturday**

We will visit the *Vasa Museum* where we will take our time to look around and engage in the staggering history of the ship together with a guided tour. We will then have lunch at *GLÖD* and after lunch you could either explore Skansen - the worlds oldest open-air museum, or explore the city on your own. The afternoon/evening will be free for you to roam the city by yourselves.

#### **Sunday**

After breakfast we will head back to the south of Sweden. We will eat lunch at *Söderköpings Brunn*, just next to the *Göta Kanal* in Söderköping. Just before arriving back to Kalmar we will make a brief visit at *Stensjö By*, a well-preserved traditional village on the countryside of Småland.

- At around  
18.00 Back in Kalmar.