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Stockholm is a city of contrasts. Trends in music, design, fashion, and technology are born here. Hip bars and world-class restaurants are shoulder-to-shoulder with historical cafés and cosy neighbourhood pubs. Stockholm is simultaneously urban and close to nature, and water is an ever-present feature in this city where the lake and sea meet. The atmosphere is open, tolerant, and welcoming, and diversity and innovation are highly encouraged. Stockholm is a city for everyone.

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Founded in 1252 by Sweden's then-ruler Birger Jarl, Stockholm boasts a rich history that stretches back centuries. Built on 14 islands, the city has evolved from a small trading post to a thriving metropolis.

In the 13th century, a fortress was constructed on the island of Stadsholmen, which played a crucial role in defending the region and facilitating trade. During the 17th and 18th centuries, Stockholm experienced remarkable development under King Gustavus Adolphus and his successors. The city underwent extensive urban planning, resulting in impressive palaces, churches, and public buildings. Landmarks like the Royal Palace, Stockholm Cathedral, and Riddarholm Church reflect this era of opulence and power.

In the 19th and 20th centuries, Stockholm underwent significant social and industrial changes. Rapid industrialisation and urbanisation attracted migrants seeking employment opportunities. Infrastructure projects, including bridges and railways, enhanced connectivity between the islands and contributed to the city's growth. Stockholm also became a centre for art, literature, and scientific advancements, with notable figures like August Strindberg and Alfred Nobel making significant contributions to their fields.

Today, Stockholm is a dynamic and cosmopolitan city, which seamlessly blends historical charm with modernity, offering a high quality of life and a thriving cultural scene. The city is renowned for its clean and green environment, with numerous parks and waterways. Stockholm is also a hub for technology and innovation, attracting startups and established companies alike.

DISTRICT GUIDES



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Stockholm is divided into many distinctive neighbourhoods, each with its own unique character. Here you can learn more about some of the most popular ones.

Vasastan



The picturesque tree-lined streets of Vasastan have a homey feel to them, as this is mostly a residential area. An abundance of small

local restaurants populates the area, mainly concentrated around Odenplan and Sankt Eriksplan. Vasastan also boasts several beautiful parks, such as Vasaparken and Observatorielunden, where locals and visitors can relax and enjoy the tranquility of nature.

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Djurgården



Many of the most popular museums and attractions are situated on the island of Djurgården, which is also part of the Royal National City Park. This

picturesque island provides an ideal setting for leisurely strolls, invigorating jogs, scenic cycling routes and paddling adventures, as well as a lovely spot for a picnic. In addition, Djurgården has loads of restaurants and sightseeing options. If you're travelling with children, Djurgården is a must: here you'll find the city's best attractions for children, all within walking distance of one another.

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Södermalm



Stockholm's bohemian neighbourhood is like a city within the city. The streets around Skånegatan form the SoFo-neighbourhood,

where visitors will find a string of small shops, bars, cafés, and restaurants. Götgatan,

Mariatorget, and Medborgarplatsen are also popular areas. Södermalm boasts numerous parks and fantastic panoramic views of the city, as well as many of the city's best bars and nightclubs, plus popular gay and lesbian clubs.

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Kungsholmen



Nestled in the heart of Stockholm, Kungsholmen is a picturesque island that offers a tranquil escape from the bustling city centre. Known for its

idyllic waterfront views and green spaces, Kungsholmen seamlessly combines a sense of serenity with urban convenience. The neighbourhood is home to charming parks, such as Rålambshovsparken and Kronobergsparken, where locals and visitors can enjoy leisurely walks or relax by the waterfront. Kungsholmen also boasts several architectural gems, including the iconic Stockholm City Hall, renowned for its grandeur and hosting the annual Nobel Prize banquet. The island also offers a vibrant culinary scene, with a variety of restaurants, cafés, and bars.

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Norrmalm/City



Norrmalm, commonly referred to as the City, is the vibrant heart of Stockholm. This bustling neighbourhood epitomises the city's

modernity and urban energy, featuring a harmonious blend of contemporary architecture, high-end shopping destinations, cultural landmarks, and lively entertainment venues. Strolling along the bustling streets of Norrmalm, you'll find iconic sights like Sergels Torg, a bustling public square adorned with artistic sculptures and fountains, as well as major attractions such as the Royal Swedish Opera, Stockholm Concert Hall, and the upscale shopping district of Bibliotekstan.

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Östermalm



The city's exclusive neighbourhood is the place to be for fashion and design lovers. Stureplan, one of Stockholm's

entertainment hubs, is also found here. Find Swedish fashion brands in Bibliotekstan and international brands along Birger Jarlsgatan. Some of the best design shops and big auction houses are also found in the Östermalm and Norrmalmstorg areas, as well as in Stureplan.

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Gamla Stan



Gamla Stan, Stockholm's historic Old Town, is a fascinating district that transports visitors back in time with its cobblestone streets, medieval

architecture, and rich cultural heritage. Strolling through Gamla Stan's narrow alleyways, you'll come across a treasure trove of well-preserved buildings, including the iconic Royal Palace and the renowned Storkyrkan Cathedral. The neighbourhood's charming squares, such as Stortorget and Järntorget, are adorned with colourful facades and brimming with cosy cafés, traditional restaurants, and charming shops. Gamla Stan also offers an array of museums and

cultural attractions.

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DO & SEE



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Big and small. Well-known and unique. Classics like the Vasa Museum and modern newcomers like The ABBA Museum and Fotografiska. In Stockholm, there are more than a hundred attractions to choose from.

Stockholm Must-Sees Tour



Discover Stockholm's top attractions on a Stockholm Must-Sees Walking Tour. Stroll along the cobbled streets of the charming Gamla

Stan (Old Town), then stop by the Kungliga Slottet (the Royal Palace), and Storkyrkan (Coronation Church) with an expert local guide. Later, enjoy a ferry ride to the Djurgården island to tour the Vasa Museum, one of Scandinavia's most-visited attractions, which houses an ancient warship that sank in 1628 and has been laboriously restored.

Photo: Alicja Gancarz/Unsplash

Vasa Museum



The Vasa Museum is home to Stockholm's most famous ship, a 17th-century warship that sank on its maiden voyage in 1628 and was

salvaged and painstakingly restored centuries later. As you step into the museum, you are immediately greeted by the awe-inspiring sight of the nearly intact Vasa ship, adorned with intricate carvings and towering masts. The museum provides a fascinating journey into the ship's history, its ill-fated voyage, and the remarkable efforts undertaken to salvage and preserve it.

Photo: Hans Baath/Shutterstock.com Address: Galärvarvsvägen 14, Stockholm Opening hours: Daily 8:30am-6pm Phone: +46 8 519 548 80 Internet: www.vasamuseet.se Email: vasamuseet@smtm.se More Info: Opening hours change seasonally

The Royal Palace



The Royal Palace (Kungliga Slottet) is one of Europe's largest palaces. This is the official residence of the Swedish King and it

features more than 600 rooms and five museums. You should not miss the parade of soldiers and the daily changing of the guard.

Photo: Andrei Nekrassov/Shutterstock.com Address: Kungliga Slottet, Stockholm Opening hours: Daily 10am-5pm Phone: +46 8 402 61 00 Internet: www.kungligaslotten.se Email: slotten@royalcourt.se More Info: Be sure to check in advance for seasonal opening hours

ABBA The Museum



The ABBA Museum is an immersive exhibition, which takes visitors on a fantastic journey through the rise and global success of the iconic

Swedish pop group, offering a fascinating behind-the-scenes look at their music, costumes, and personal lives. Sing and dance along to ABBA's greatest hits in interactive exhibits, step into a replica of the famous Polar Studio, and even experience what it feels like to be the fifth member of the band through virtual reality. The museum also houses a vast collection of memorabilia, including stage outfits, instruments, and original manuscripts.

Photo: I'm friday/Shutterstock.com Address: Djurgårdsvägen 68, Stockholm Opening hours: Daily 10am-8pm Internet: abbathemuseum.com/en Email: info@abbathemuseum.com

Skansen



Skansen is the oldest open-air museum and zoo in Sweden. It is a fascinating attraction that offers visitors a glimpse into Sweden's cultural

heritage and natural beauty. It is home to 150 buildings and farms transported from different parts of the country, along with a diverse range of Scandinavian wildlife.

Photo: Roman Vukolov/Shutterstock.com Address: Djurgårdsslätten 49-51, Stockholm Opening hours: Daily 10am-6pm Phone: +46 8 442 80 00 Internet: skansen.se/en Email: info@skansen.se

Stockholm Subway Stations



Riding the subway (or tunnelbana) in Stockholm is truly a unique experience. Since 1950, artists have worked to turn the city's

underground system into a massive art installation. Out of the 100 subway stations in Stockholm, over 90 are decorated with sculptures, paintings, mosaics, and cave-like features.

The best way to see them is to buy either a 24-hour ticket or a single journey ticket which is valid for 75 minutes. Tickets are available through the SL app, ticket machines and ticket booths at the stations, as well as at the Pressbyråns shops.

Another tip is to visit them by the colour of the lines. The most impressive ones are on the blue line. So, get your camera ready, watch out for the commuters, and be prepared to be amazed by the artwork displayed on the walls.

Here are our TOP 10 stations not to be missed while in the Swedish capital:

- 1. Solna Centrum (Blue line)
- 2. Stadion (Red line)
- 3. Tekniska Högskolan (Red line)
- 4. Kungsträdgården (Blue line)
- 5. T-Centralen (Blue line)
- 6. Rådhuset (Blue line)
- 7. Solna Strand (Blue line)
- 8. Tensta (Blue Line)
- 9. Mörby Centrum (Red line)
- 10. Thorildsplan (Green line)

Opening hours: Metro stations are open from around 5am and until 1am

Stockholm City Hall



The iconic silhouette of Stockholm City Hall, with its spire featuring the golden three crowns, stands as one of the city's most renowned

landmarks. A prime example of national romanticism in architecture, this magnificent structure was masterfully designed by architect Ragnar Östberg. To explore the interior of this architectural gem, visitors can partake in guided tours that offer a fascinating glimpse into the City Hall's grandeur.

Photo: Oleksiy Mark/Shutterstock.com Address: Hantverkargatan 1, Stockholm Opening hours: Daily 8:30am-4:30pm Phone: +46 8 508 290 58 Internet: stadshuset.stockholm/en Email: cityhalltours@stockholm.se

Gröna Lund



Situated on the island of Djurgården, Gröna Lund is a thrilling amusement park that promises an exhilarating experience for visitors of all ages. As

one of Sweden's oldest amusement parks, it combines nostalgia with modern thrills, from heart-pounding roller coasters to classic carousels and family-friendly entertainment. Occasionally, Gröna Lund also hosts live concerts and performances by world-class artists.

Photo: Andrei Nekrassov/Shutterstock.com Address: Lilla Allmänna Gränd 9, Stockholm Opening hours: Opening hours vary depending on the season Phone: +46 10 708 91 00 Internet: www.gronalund.com/en Email: info@gronalund.com

Royal Swedish Opera



Founded by King Gustav III in 1773, the Royal Swedish Opera is the country's national theatre for opera and ballet. As a visitor, you have the

privilege of experiencing this venue in two ways. Firstly, you can immerse yourself in the magic of live performances as a member of the audience, witnessing captivating opera and ballet productions, or you can embark on a guided tour that offers an exclusive backstage glimpse into the inner workings of this prestigious institution. During the tour, you'll have the opportunity to explore the behind-the-scenes areas, visit the regal rooms, and even peer into the orchestra pit.

Photo: Mario Savoia/Shutterstock.com Address: Gustav Adolfs Torg 2, Stockholm Phone: +46 8 791 44 00 Internet: www.operan.se/en Email: biljett@operan.se

National Museum of Fine Arts



Located on the peninsula of Blasieholmen, the National Museum of Fine Arts houses an extensive collection spanning from the Middle Ages to

contemporary art. From renowned Swedish masters to international icons, the museum's exhibits feature a wide range of paintings, sculptures, and decorative arts.

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Address: Nationalmuseum, Södra Blasieholmshamnen 2, Stockholm

Opening hours: Tue-Sun 10am-5pm, Mon closed Phone: +46 8 519 543 00 Internet: www.nationalmuseum.se Email: info@nationalmuseum.se

Nobel Prize Museum



As the birthplace of the prestigious Nobel Prize, the museum provides an interesting journey through the history of the award as well as the

remarkable individuals who have been honored. Visitors can explore the groundbreaking discoveries and contributions made in fields such as physics, chemistry, medicine, literature, and peace. With interactive exhibits, multimedia presentations, and thought-provoking displays, the museum offers a unique and inspiring glimpse into the minds and accomplishments of some of the world's greatest thinkers and change-makers.

Photo: Staffan Eliasson/Stockholm Visitors Board Address: Stortorget 2, Stockholm Opening hours: Sat-Thu 10am-7pm, Fri 10am-9pm Phone: +46 8 534 818 00 Internet: nobelprizemuseum.se/en Email: info.nobelprizemuseum@nobelprize.org

Drottningholm Palace



Located on the picturesque island of Lovö, Drottningholm Palace is the official residence of the Swedish royal family and offers

visitors a glimpse into its opulent past. Once inside the palace, you'll be transported to a world of exquisite architecture, lavish interiors, and meticulously maintained gardens. The palace's main attraction is the magnificent Drottningholm Palace Theatre, a perfectly

preserved 18th-century theatre that still hosts opera and theatre performances to this day. Exploring the palace grounds, visitors can wander through beautifully landscaped gardens, including the Baroque-style English Garden and the stunning Chinese Pavilion.

Photo: Mikael Damkier/Shutterstock.com Address: Drottningholms Slott Slottsstallet 11, Drottningholm Opening hours: Daily 10am-5pm Phone: +46 8 402 61 00 Internet: www.kungligaslotten.se More Info: Opening hours change seasonally

Take a Swim



The waterways of Stockholm are not only beautiful to look at, but they're also so clean and clear you can take a dip right in the middle of

town — there are not a lot of cities in the world that can make that claim! Check on several lovely beaches to bask on and cliffs to jump from around the city. Here are a few examples:

Smedsuddsbadet

This swimming beach at Rålambshov Park Beach is popular with families. Sun-worshipping Stockholmers choose neighbouring Rålambshov Park instead.

Långholmsbadet

Narrow beaches and several large rocks offer good swimming for the experienced. The green island of Långholmen is a popular destination for swimmers.

Brunnsviksbadet

A swimming beach in Frescati Hage at Brunnsviken in the Ekoparken park. There are also charming inlets and beaches near Haga Park for experienced swimmers. Walk or take the subway to the Universitetet station.

Fredhällsbadet

Experienced swimmers will enjoy swimming from the rocks with a view of Lake Mälaren. Take the green subway line to Kristineberg and walk along the water's edge to the swimming area.

Fjäderholmarnas bad

Take a trip out to the swim-friendly rocks of Stockholm's nearest archipelago island, only 25 minutes by boat from Slussen or Nybroplan.

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Paddle in the City



Get a duck's eye view of Stockholm by renting a kayak or canoe and paddling your way from island to island. See the Town Hall, Gamla Stan

(Old Town) and many other attractions — because, in Stockholm, there is water everywhere!

Photo: Popartic/Shutterstock.com Address: Kajakkompaniet Stockholm AB, Kungsholms strandstig 1, Stockholm Opening hours: May through September Phone: +46 8 22 48 18 Internet: kajakkompaniet.se Email: info@kajakkompaniet.se

Fotografiska



Fotografiska is a contemporary museum for photography, art and culture, featuring captivating exhibitions by world-renowned

photographers and emerging talents. The museum also houses a Michelin-awarded restaurant, where guests can savour sustainable gastronomic delights or sip on a refreshing cocktail while enjoying a gorgeous waterside view.

Photo: Julian Herzog/CC BY 4.0/Wikimedia(image cropped) Address: Stadsgårdshamnen 22, Stockholm Opening hours: Daily 10am-11pm Phone: +46 8 509 005 00 Internet: www.fotografiska.com/sto/en Email: info@fotografiska.se

Millesgården Museum



Located on the picturesque island of Lidingö, Millesgården is an art museum and sculpture garden that invites visitors to explore

the extraordinary world of renowned sculptor Carl Milles and his artist wife, Olga Milles. The museum, situated within the grounds of their former home, showcases original castings, tools, and works of art in a spacious studio. Besides the museum, there's also an art gallery, a museum shop, and a bistro.

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Address: Herserudsvägen 32, Lidingö Opening hours: Tue-Sun 11am-5pm, Mon closed Phone: +46 8 446 75 90 Internet: www.millesgarden.se/en/home Email: info@millesgarden.se

Museum of Spirits



Housed in an 18th-century naval building, the Museum of Spirits features entertaining exhibits on the history and culture of

alcohol in Sweden — from distilling to how tastes and drinks affect us. There's also a bar on-site, of course, and a restaurant.

Photo: Spritmuseum Address: Djurgårdsstrand 9, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Sat 10am-5pm, Sun noon-5pm Phone: +46 8 121 313 00 Internet: spritmuseum.se Email: info@spritmuseum.se

Stockholm Ghost Walk



Walk through the winding alleys of Stockholm's Old Town and listen as your knowledgeable guide unveils the city's hidden tales of darkness and

secrets. With only the flickering light of a torch illuminating the dimly lit streets, immerse yourself in the eerie ambience as stories of Stockholm's haunting history come to life.

Photo: Nicole S Glass/Shutterstock.com Address: Järntorget 84, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Sat 10am-7pm Phone: +46 76 146 66 00 Internet: www.stockholmghostwalk.com/en Email: info@stockholmghostwalk.com

City Canal Tour



Admire Stockholm from a different angle, aboard a delightful boat trip through the city's canals. With online guidance available on your mobile

phone, you can effortlessly access fascinating information about the sights, the city's rich history, and its vibrant present.

Photo: yegorovnick/Shutterstock.com Address: Nybrokajen/Strömkajen, Stockholm Phone: +46 8 120 040 00 Internet: www.stromma.com/en-se/stockholm/sightseeing/sig htseeing-by-boat/stockholm-in-our-hearts

Junibacken



Inspired by the beloved stories of Astrid Lindgren, the renowned Swedish author, Junibacken offers an immersive experience

into the world of children's literature. Visitors can embark on a whimsical journey through Pippi Longstocking's Villa Villekulla and other beloved story settings, brought to life with interactive exhibits and imaginative displays. The museum also features a bookstore, theatre, and various activities that celebrate the joy of reading and storytelling.

Photo: Pisannoah/Shutterstock.com Address: Galärvarvsvägen 8, Stockholm Opening hours: Daily 10am-5pm Phone: +46 8 587 230 00 Internet: www.junibacken.se Email: info@junibacken.se

Moderna Museet



Pay a visit to the Moderna Museet and experience one of Europe's foremost collections of art from the twentieth century to the

present day. The museum's large collection includes masterpieces by celebrated artists such as Picasso, Dali, Derkert, and Matisse, plus temporary exhibitions. Situated on the picturesque Skeppsholmen Island, the museum itself is a work of art, designed by the acclaimed Spanish architect Rafael Moneo. Alongside its exceptional art program, Moderna Museet offers a range of engaging experiences, including a children's workshop, a well-curated store, and a delightful restaurant boasting breathtaking views of Djurgården and Strandvägen.

Photo: Frankie Fouganthin/CC BY-SA 4.0/Wikimedia(image cropped) Address: Exercisplan 4, Stockholm Phone: +46 8 520 235 00 Internet: www.modernamuseet.se/stockholm/en

Nordiska Museet



Located on the island of Djurgården, Nordiska Museet (The Nordic Museum) is Sweden's largest museum of cultural history. Explore

its collection of folk art, textiles, furniture, table settings, and jewellery to learn more about how the Nordics lived from the 16th century onwards.

Photo: Mistervlad/Shutterstock.com Address: Djurgårdsvägen 6-16, Stockholm Opening hours: Daily 10am-5pm Phone: +46 8 519 546 00 Internet: www.nordiskamuseet.se Email: nordiska@nordiskamuseet.se More Info: Opening hours may vary according to the season

Prins Eugens Waldemarsudde



Prince Eugene was a notable art collector and his former home, now a museum, serves as a testament to his passion for the arts. With a

particular focus on Nordic and French art, it houses a collection of approximately 7,000 works encompassing paintings, sculptures, and crafts objects.

Photo: Udo Schröter/CC BY-SA 2.5/Wikimedia(image cropped) Address: Prins Eugens Väg 6, Stockholm Opening hours: Tue & Wed 11am-5pm, Thu 11am-8pm, Fri-Sun 11am-5pm, Mon closed Phone: +46 8 545 837 00 Internet: waldemarsudde.se/en Email: info@waldemarsudde.se

Swedish History Museum



Explore the vast and diverse history of Sweden with a visit to the Swedish History Museum. From the Mesolithic period to the present day,

the museum houses a remarkable collection of Swedish archaeology and cultural artefacts. Among its highlights are one of the world's largest Viking exhibitions, the mesmerising Gold Room displaying intricate gold and silver treasures, and a unique Medieval art collection.

Photo: Mr Bullitt/CC BY-SA 3.0/Wikimedia(image cropped) Address: Narvavägen 13–17, Stockholm Opening hours: Tue-Sun 11am-5pm, Mon closed Phone: +46 8 519 556 00 Internet: historiska.se Email: webb@historiska.se

SkyView



SkyView consists of two glass gondolas, which take you on an exciting journey along the outside of the Avicii Arena. The ride takes about 20

minutes, and from the top, 130 metres above sea level, you'll enjoy an unbeatable view of Stockholm.

Photo: Martin Maun/Shutterstock.com Address: Avicii Arena, Arenatorget 2, Johanneshov Opening hours: Mon-Fri 10am-6pm, Sat & Sun 10am-4pm Internet: aviciiarena.se/en/skyview

Stockholm Concert Hall



One of Sweden's architectonic masterpieces in the neoclassical style, the Concert Hall was built especially to house the

Royal Stockholm Philharmonic Orchestra. Apart from being a venue for world-class concerts and performances, it hosts the annual Nobel Prize Award Ceremony and the Polar Music Prizes.

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Museum of Technology



Unravel the mysteries of science and embrace the marvels of technology at the Museum of Technology. With its diverse range of

interactive exhibits and engaging displays, this museum offers visitors an opportunity to explore

the wonders of scientific and technological advancements. From astronomy and physics to engineering and robotics, the museum covers a broad spectrum of scientific disciplines. Visitors can participate in hands-on experiments, witness demonstrations, and learn about groundbreaking discoveries.

Photo: Maxim Hopman/Unsplash Address: Tekniska museet, Museivägen 7, Stockholm Opening hours: Daily 10am-10pm Phone: +46 8 450 56 00 Internet: www.tekniskamuseet.se Email: cers@tekniskamuseet.se

DINING



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From traditional Swedish eateries serving flavorful Nordic dishes to international restaurants bringing global flavours to the city, there is something to satisfy every palate in Stockholm. The city is also home to numerous Michelin-starred establishments, showcasing innovative and artistic creations by world-renowned chefs. Alongside fine dining, Stockholm boasts a thriving street food culture and trendy food markets where visitors can indulge in a variety of delicious bites.

Lux Dag för Dag



Housed in an old factory dating back to 1916, Lux Dag för Dag is a hip brasserie-style restaurant serving modern Swedish dishes made from

carefully sourced produce.

Photo: FrauTor/shutterstock.com Address: Primusgatan 116, Stockholm Opening hours: Tue 11:30am-2pm; Wed-Fri 11:30am-2pm / 5pm-11pm; Sat 5pm-11pm; Sun & Mon closed Phone: +46 8 619 01 90 Internet: luxdagfordag.se/en Email: lotta@luxdagfordag.se

Ulla Winbladh



"Ulla, my Ulla," a renowned Swedish ballad from the eighteenth century by troubadour Bellman, sets the stage for the beloved Ulla

Winbladh. Located in the heart of the picturesque and tree-lined island of Djurgården, the restaurant bearing her name holds a rich heritage. Here, visitors can enjoy traditional Swedish home-cooked meals throughout the year, embracing the flavours and traditions that have stood the test of time.

Photo: Rawpixel.com/Shutterstock.com Address: Rosendalsvägen 8, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Fri 11:30am-11pm, Sat 12:30pm-11pm, Sun 12:30pm-10pm Phone: +46 8 534 89 701 Internet: ullawinbladh.se Email: info@ullawinbladh.se

Mom's Kitchen



Mom's Kitchen is a cosy and compact eatery that captures the essence of authentic Swedish cuisine. With a large selection of homemade

dishes, this restaurant offers a delightful taste of traditional Swedish flavours at an affordable price range, making it an excellent choice for those seeking a satisfying and wallet-friendly dining experience.

Photo: Brent Hofacker/Shutterstock.com Address: Nybrogatan 40, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Fri 11am-7pm, Sat 11am-5pm, Sun closed Phone: +46 8 661 27 27 Internet: www.momskitchen.se Email: info@momskitchen.se

Hermitage



Hermitage offers a famous and affordable all-you-can-eat buffet based on vegetarian and vegan dishes. The cuisine is international and

includes curry stews, falafel, pasta gratin, and tortillas. Located in the Old Town, it is a perfect spot to fill your tummy before continuing a sightseeing day in Stockholm.

Photo: Pakhnyushchy/Shutterstock.com Address: Stora Nygatan 11, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Fri 11am-8pm, Sat & Sun noon-8pm Phone: +46 08 411 95 00 Internet: hermitage.gastrogate.com Email: info@greenhermitage.se

La Neta



La Neta is a small chain that offers affordable Mexican food, such as tacos and quesadillas, in its cantina-style restaurants. With two

branches located in Norrmalm and Södermalm, they proudly claim to be Stockholm's first authentic taqueria. Despite the bustling atmosphere and frequent crowds, the experience is well worth the wait.

Photo: Joshua Resnick/Shutterstock.com Address: Barnhusgatan 2, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Fri 11am-9pm, Sat noon-9pm, Sun noon-8pm Phone: +46 08 411 58 80 Internet: laneta.se Email: info@laneta.se

Ekstedt



At the heart of Niklas Ekstedt's culinary vision lies a kitchen where food is prepared using the original methods over an open flame. The

exceptional quality and artisanal excellence that characterises Ekstedt's other restaurants are also present here, along with a deep appreciation for the origins of ingredients and the essence of Scandinavian cuisine. The restaurant exudes a warm, rustic ambiance, crafted with natural materials that create a welcoming atmosphere.

Photo: Nejron Photo/Shutterstock.com Address: Humlegårdsgatan 17, Stockholm Opening hours: Wed-Fri 5:30pm-1am; Sat 4pm-1am; Sun, Mon & Tue closed Phone: +46 8 611 12 10 Internet: ekstedt.nu Email: info@ekstedt.nu

Lilla Ego



Lilla Ego is a small neighbourhood restaurant in Vasastan, where the love for Swedish food shines through in every dish.

The two owners are award-winning chefs who serve contemporary Swedish fare at a very decent price level and in a rustic-chic setting with a small bar.

Photo: Monkey Business Images/Shutterstock.com Address: Västmannagatan 69, Stockholm Opening hours: Tue-Sat 5pm-11pm, Sun & Mon closed Phone: +46 8 27 44 55 Internet: www.instagram.com/lillaegokrog

Matbaren



In 2007, the renowned Swedish chef Mathias Dahlgren unveiled his latest culinary venture, a modern bistro located in the magnificent Grand

Hôtel. Boasting breathtaking views of the Royal Palace, the restaurant became an instant sensation. Dahlgren's innovative approach to cooking brings Swedish ingredients and culinary traditions to new heights. With a creative and contemporary style, he skillfully transforms the very best of fresh, seasonal produce into exceptional dishes.

Photo: Marian Weyo/Shutterstock.com Address: Södra Blasieholmshamnen 6, Stockholm Phone: +46 8 679 35 84 Internet: mdghs.se More Info: Located at Grand Hôtel Stockholm

Nybrogatan 38



Nybrogatan 38 is a charming bistro, open from morning till late seven days a week, serving a popular and affordable

Mediterranean-style menu.

Photo: Monkey Business Images/Shutterstock.com Address: Nybrogatan 38, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon & Tue 7:30am-11pm, Wed-Fri 7:30am-midnight, Sat 11am-midnight, Sun 11am-11pm Phone: +46 8 662 33 22 Internet: www.nybrogatan38.com/en Email: nybrogatan38@bockholmengruppen.com

Prinsen



For over a century, Stockholm's cultural elite has frequented Prinsen, a renowned dining establishment founded in 1897. Adorned with

wood-panelled walls featuring portraits of notable patrons, Prinsen offers a charming and cosy atmosphere for those seeking well-executed Swedish classic dishes. Among their specialities, their renowned rendition of Biff Rydberg stands out as a must-try dish.

Photo: Kzenon/Shutterstock.com Address: Mäster Samuelsgatan 4, Stockholm Phone: +46 8 684 238 11 Internet: restaurangprinsen.se Email: matsalen@restaurangprinsen.se

Bistro Barbro



Bistro Barbro is a hip venue featuring a Japanese bistro, plus a trendy bar and an art-house cinema.

Photo: Kzenon/Shutterstock.com Address: Hornstulls Strand 13, Stockholm Opening hours: Tue-Thu 5pm-11pm, Fri & Sat 5pm-12:30am, Sun 5pm-9pm, Mon closed Phone: +46 8 550 602 66 Internet: bar-bro.se/en Email: info@bar-bro.se

Den Gyldene Freden



In a medieval basement in the Old Town, you'll find this classic restaurant. It is owned by the Swedish Academy, which selects the Nobel

Prize for literature. Legend has it that many Nobel prizes have been decided at the Academy's regular table here. The menu offers big names in classic Swedish cooking, nowadays with interesting contemporary touches.

Photo: kirill guzhvinsky/Shutterstock.com Address: Österlånggatan 51, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Sat noon-11pm, Sun closed Phone: +46 8 24 97 60 Internet: gyldenefreden.se Email: info@gyldenefreden.se

Brasserie Le Rouge



Brasserie Le Rouge is a sophisticated cellar restaurant adorned with lavish red and gold accents, offering a refined dining experience

featuring exquisite $\ensuremath{\mathsf{French}}$ cuisine and an

extensive selection of wines.

Photo: Adisa/Shutterstock.com Address: Brunnsgränd 2-4, Stockholm Opening hours: Wed-Sat 6pm-1am Phone: +46 73 573 16 32 Internet: www.instagram.com/lerougesthlm

CAFÉS



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Going for a 'fika' is a quintessentially Swedish tradition that is not easily translated but it basically means meeting for coffee accompanied by cake or pastries. Sweden takes great pride in its rich culture of baked goods, and throughout Stockholm, you'll discover a plethora of cafés and cake shops that exude an ambience of charm and offer high-quality treats.

Vete-Katten



Considered one of the city's institutions, Vete-Katten is a 1920s-style café with a wide range of offerings, including self-serve

lunches, tasty pastries, snacks, coffee, and traditional afternoon tea. Renowned for their commitment to quality, Vete-Katten takes baking very seriously. Every item is meticulously crafted "from scratch" in the maze of baking corridors situated behind the café, ensuring that visitors experience the finest homemade treats.

Photo: Brent Hofacker/Shutterstock.com Address: Kungsgatan 55, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Fri 7:30am-8pm, Sat & Sun 9:30am-7pm Phone: +46 8 20 84 05 Internet: vetekatten.se/en

Flickorna Helin



A charming café in a secluded and leafy setting with a large and very popular selection of baked goods. The castle-like building is

located along the pedestrian path on Djurgården, and it's a splendid place for lunch or a coffee break between visits to Skansen, the Vasa Museum, and other nearby attractions.

Photo: Six Dun/Shutterstock.com Address: Rosendalsvägen 14, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Sat 9am-5pm, Sun 10am-5pm Phone: +46 8 664 51 08 Internet: www.instagram.com/flickornahelin Email: info@flickornahelin.se

Tössebageriet



Occupying the same address since 1920, Tössebageriet is well-known as one of Stockholm's most historic classic bake shops. Take

a lunch break with a sandwich made from homemade bread in the cosy bake shop atmosphere, or enjoy a pastry if you're able to choose from among their tempting creations. The Lenten cream buns make the 'Best Of' list for the city every year.

Photo: ChompooSuppa/Shutterstock.com Address: Karlavägen 77, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Fri 7am-6pm, Sat & Sun 9am-5pm Phone: +46 8 662 24 30 Internet: www.tosse.se Email: info@tosse.se

Drop Coffee



Drop Coffee is a small, independent coffee roastery offering alongside their specialty coffees, a delectable array of sandwiches and

pastries. The venue boasts a charming terrace, allowing patrons to enjoy their treats in the open air. There's also a shop on-site, providing visitors with the opportunity to take home their favorite coffee beans.

Photo: Rawpixel.com/Shutterstock.com Address: Wollmar Yxkullsgatan 10, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Fri 8am-6pm, Sat & Sun 10am-5pm Phone: +46 70 777 94 88 Internet: www.dropcoffee.com Email: info@dropcoffee.se

Louie Louie



Named after the Rock'n Roll song, Louie Louie features music on stage, for sale, and in the rockabilly decor. The café attracts a younger SoFo

crowd with sandwiches, pastries, and coffee at reasonable prices.

Photo: StudioByTheSea/Shutterstock.com Address: Bondegatan 13, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Fri 8am-5pm, Sat & Sun 9:30am-5pm Phone: +46 08 640 02 71 Internet: www.louielouie.se Email: info@louielouie.se

Gildas Rum



The décor of Gildas Rum is stylishly kitschy, with muted red and gold tones. The bookshelf pattern on the wallpaper and the comfy armchairs

lend the feeling of an old-fashioned reading room. The selection of home-baked goodies is popular, as well as the fresh lunch menu. Situated in the Bohemian SoFo neighbourhood, Gildas Rum is a popular spot that offers outdoor seating during the summertime, making it an ideal destination for relaxation and people-watching.

Photo: Flamingo Images/Shutterstock.com Address: Skånegatan 79, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Fri 8am-9pm, Sat & Sun 9am-9pm Phone: +46 72 025 17 30 Internet: gildasrum.se

Chaikhana



During the colder seasons, indulging in afternoon tea has become a prominent trend in Stockholm. For an exceptional experience,

look no further than Chaikhana, a tea house nestled in the historic Old Town. Here, you can enjoy a variety of first-class teas sourced from different corners of the globe, accompanied by high-class savouries and pastries in an early 20th-century colonial-style setting.

Photo: Alexey Yuzhakov/Shutterstock.com Address: Svartmangatan 23, Stockholm Phone: +46 8 24 45 00 Internet: www.chaikhana.se Email: info@chaikhana.se

Kafé 44



Kafé 44 is an anarchist bookstore, concert venue and café all in one. It is located in the buzzing Katarina neighbourhood in Södermalm and offers

affordable vegan cuisine in their Dagfiket café. At Scen44, they organise concerts twice a week – with no limits in genre or age. If you want to read or buy books, Bokhandeln INFo is ready for you. All in all, Kafé 44 is a unique place with a lot of history, so do not hesitate if you want to experience one of Stockholm's alternative hubs.

Photo: GodSent/PD/Wikimedia(image cropped) Address: Tjärhovsgatan 46, Stockholm Phone: +46 08 644 53 12 Internet: kafe44.org

Chokladkoppen



Chokladkoppen is a cosy little café at idyllic Stortorget Square, not far from the Royal Palace in the medieval Old Town, serving exquisite

sandwiches and pastries. During the summer, there's a popular alfresco area.

Photo: karelnoppe/Shutterstock.com Address: Stortorget 18, Stockholm Opening hours: Daily 10am-10pm Phone: +46 8 20 31 70 Internet: www.instagram.com/kaffekoppen chokladkoppen

Rosendals Garden Café



Rosendals Trädgård is one of Stockholm's true gems. The garden café is located in a fantastic setting on the picturesque Djurgården island and offers salads, soups, sandwiches and pastries. Produce from the garden is used in season, and the pastries come from the restaurant's own bakery. Many Stockholmers make the pilgrimage to Rosendal on sunny days, but there's room for numerous guests. In the summer, you can sit on the grass in the apple orchard.

Photo: DisobeyArt/Shutterstock.com Address: Rosendalsvägen 38, Stockholm Internet: www.rosendalstradgard.se/english

Petite France



At Petite France, you'll find an abundance of French specialities: genuine croissants, brioches, and several types of pastries. They

offer lovely breakfast specials and affordable lunches — all high quality and with a French touch.

Photo: Fotyma/Shutterstock.com Address: John Ericssonsgatan 6, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon 7am-6pm, Tue-Fri 7am-7pm, Sat & Sun 7am-5pm Phone: +46 8 618 28 00 Internet: www.instagram.com/petitefrancekungsholmen Email: info@petitefrance.se

Saturnus



Saturnus is an all-day café and lunch spot that offers a French-inspired menu in a warm and inviting atmosphere. Notably, their cinnamon

rolls have gained widespread acclaim and have been hailed as the best in town.

Photo: Olena Yakobchuk/Shutterstock.com

Address: Eriksbergsgatan 6, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Fri 7am-8pm, Sat & Sun 8am-7pm Phone: +46 8 611 7700 Internet: www.cafesaturnus.se Email: info@cafesaturnus.se

BARS & NIGHTLIFE



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How about clubbing in an opera house, mingling under the stars on a terrace, or lounging on a boat deck sipping drinks? Stockholm has trendy nightlife, from cool, sophisticated Stureplan to the bohemian clubs and bars of Södermalm and Gamla Stan. In the summertime, the city's nightlife moves outdoors and revellers take in long, light nights when the sun never sets.

A Guide to Stockholm's Nightlife



Stureplan In Stockholm, Stureplan is the symbol of luxury and indulgence. This is where the young, rich, famous, and trendy hang out. Lines are long

for the most popular clubs, and many have selective entry. Arrive early.

Södermalm

Rock, reggae, rockabilly, bohemian, electronic, gay, or lesbian. Södermalm blends all styles. This is a more relaxed, less expensive alternative to the luxury of Stureplan. Nightlife spots are primarily in Slussen, Mariatorget, Nytorget, and

Medborgarplatsen.

Gamla Stan

Nightlife in Gamla Stan is characterised by small, intimate pubs with traditional interiors. Here you will find several bars with an older scene and offering live music; bars with a younger crowd have popped up in recent years.

LGBTQ

Stockholm has no specifically gay neighbourhood. Here you can show your love openly. Locales flying rainbow flags are sprinkled throughout the city, but most gay bars, clubs, and restaurants are in Gamla Stan and Södermalm.

Photo: Mikael Stenberg/Unsplash (cropped) Internet: www.visitstockholm.com/eat-drink/nightlife/stockho lm-nightlife

Trädgården



Trädgården is often referred to as Stockholm's playground for adults and is the most popular summer club. Here you can party

beneath Skanstull Bridge in Södermalm, soaking up the trendy atmosphere and festival vibes. There is a burger shack, as well as multiple other things to enjoy (e.g. table tennis). If you happen to visit Stockholm between May and September, you should not miss out on this club.

Photo: Alexandru Chiriac/Shutterstock.com Address: Hammarby Slussväg 2, Stockholm Opening hours: Open May to September Internet: www.tradgarden.com Email: info@tradgarden.com

Huset Under Bron



When the colder months of the year arrive, the revellers from Trädgården move to its winter counterpart — Huset Under Bron (House

Under the Bridge). This club features indie, house, and electronic music, as well as a bar area upstairs. If you want to grab dinner before partying, check out their in-house vegan restaurant Växthuset.

Photo: Master1305/Shutterstock.com Address: Hammarby Slussväg 2, Stockholm Opening hours: Fri & Sat 10pm-5am Phone: +46 8 644 20 23 Internet: www.instagram.com/underbron Email: info@husetunderbron.se

Tweed



Tweed is a bar renowned for its cosy leather armchairs and stylish tartan wallpaper. The menu offers a delightful selection of classic

options, including craft beers, aperitifs, and cigars. For an extra touch of luxury, you have the option to reserve a Chesterfield armchair ahead of time.

Photo: Lordn/Shutterstock.com Address: Lilla Nygatan 5, Stockholm Phone: +46 8 506 400 82 Internet: www.tweedbar.se Email: info@tweedbar.se

Teaterbrasseriet



The Scandic Grand Central is a trendy New York-inspired hotel bar in downtown Stockholm near the Central Station. It draws hotel guests as

well as Stockholm locals who come in for a drink after work — and there is plenty of room for all. If not in the bar, in the lobby, or one floor up. The hotel restaurant of the same name can be found on the ground floor.

Photo: Ekaterina_Molchanova/Shutterstock.com Address: Kungsgatan 70, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Fri 11:30am-11pm, Sat 2pm-11pm, Sun closed Phone: +46 08 512 520 32 Internet: www.scandichotels.se

Riche



Riche is a classic meeting place and brasserie in the city centre, with multiple bars and dining rooms offering a Swedish and French menu.

Stockholm's art, fashion, and club crowds gather here to see and be seen.

Photo: StockLite/Shutterstock.com Address: Birger Jarlsgatan 4, Stockholm Phone: +46 8 545 035 60 Internet: riche.se Email: info@riche.se

Södra Teatern



Södra Teatren is a dazzling retreat with an exceptional view of Stockholm. The original décor from the turn of the last century has been preserved. They have music several times a week with a good mix of styles and occasional live music. The generous veranda with its unique view draws many people in the summer.

Photo: Jag_cz/Shutterstock.com Address: Mosebacke Torg 1-3, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Thu 4pm-11pm, Fri 4pm-3am, Sat noon-3am, Sun noon-11pm Internet: sodrateatern.com Email: info@sodrateatern.com

Cliff Barnes



Cliff Barnes serves food from all over the world, with a focus on American cuisine. This small place is always full of people on the weekends and offers a

lively, cheerful atmosphere. Around 11pm, the restaurant becomes a nightclub playing mostly dance band music and 70s hits.

Photo: Picnote/Shutterstock.com Address: Norrtullsgatan 45, Stockholm Phone: +46 8 31 80 70 Internet: www.cliff.se Email: info@cliff.se

Fasching



Fasching is a renowned jazz club in Stockholm's city centre, which has held its doors open for international acts and jazz music since 1977.

Enjoy an intimate atmosphere and a solid choice of Nordic dishes at this popular venue. The restaurant opens two hours prior to concerts. Check in advance for more details.

Photo: fgwim/Shutterstock.com Address: Kungsgatan 63, Stockholm Phone: +46 8 20 00 66

Internet: www.fasching.se/in-english Email: info@fasching.se

Story Hotel



The spacious bar at the trendy Story Hotel has quickly become a popular after-work scene for the city crowd. A cool, jazzy atmosphere during the

week heats up from Thursday to Saturday when DJs step up the beat. Before dancing it out, you can enjoy Asian specialities at Ling Long, the appendant restaurant.

Photo: Maksim Fesenko/Shutterstock.com Address: Riddargatan 6, Stockholm Phone: +46 8 545 039 40 Internet: storyhotels.com/riddargatan/restaurant

Casino Cosmopol



Stockholm's international Casino offers a wide range of games, including table games like roulette, blackjack, and poker, as well as an array of slot

machines. Guests can indulge in fine dining at the casino's restaurant and enjoy live entertainment events throughout the year.

Photo: Nejron Photo/Shutterstock.com Address: Kungsgatan 65, Stockholm Opening hours: Sun-Thu 1pm-2am, Fri & Sat 1pm-4am Phone: +46 20 21 92 19 Internet: casinocosmopol.se

Golden Hits



If you're a fan of pop hits and karaoke, Golden Hits is the ideal place for you. Here you can enjoy a cheery disco atmosphere with décor that takes you

back in time. There are often long lines on the weekends, so get there early.

Photo: Syda Productions/Shutterstock.com Address: Kungsgatan 29, Stockholm Opening hours: Fri & Sat 7pm-3am Phone: +46 771 13 43 00 Internet: goldenhits.se Email: info@showtic.se

Morfar Ginko



Morfar Ginko is a popular restaurant and bar featuring an industrial-chic vibe, a traditional Swedish menu, and DJ sets. It's a

place for mingling, hanging out, or even playing a game of ping-pong. The DJ works from a loft above the bar, which makes the place feel roomy. There's also courtyard open in the summer.

Photo: Minerva Studio/Shutterstock.com Address: Swedenborgsgatan 13, Stockholm Opening hours: Sun & Mon 5pm-midnight, Tue-Thu 5pm-1am, Fri & Sat 4pm-1am Phone: +46 8 641 13 40 Internet: www.instagram.com/morfarginko_papparayray Email: boka@morfarginko.se

Sturecompagniet



Stockholm's biggest club, situated smack in the heart of Stureplan features an array of bars and dance floors, each with its own music style.

Get there early — it can sometimes be quite difficult to get in. Signing up on the guest list is also a good idea, it is usually available on the club's website.

Photo: Nemanja Novakovic/Shutterstock.com Address: Sturegatan 4, Stockholm Opening hours: Thu-Sat 10pm-3am Phone: +46 8 545 076 70 Internet: www.instagram.com/sturecompagniet Email: info@sturecompagniet.se

SHOPPING



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From the upscale districts of Östermalm and Bibliotekstan to the trendy neighbourhoods of Södermalm and Gamla Stan, the city offers a diverse range of shopping options. Visitors can explore high-end department stores, discover independent shops showcasing local craftsmanship, and immerse themselves in the stylish atmosphere of modern Swedish design. With a mix of renowned brands, vintage treasures, and innovative boutiques, Stockholm presents a dynamic and rewarding shopping destination for all.

Drottninggatan



Commonly known as THE shopping street in Stockholm, Drottninggatan is definitely a good place to start your shopping

spree. The street runs all the way from Gamla Stan to Odenplan, offering a wide range of options for every taste and budget.

Drottninggatan is lined with numerous department stores, fashion boutiques, international brands, and popular chain stores, ensuring a diverse selection of clothing, accessories, and footwear. In addition to fashion, the street also features specialty shops, electronics stores, bookshops, and trendy cafés and restaurants.

Photo: The Art of Pics/Shutterstock.com Address: Drottninggatan, Stockholm

Biblioteksgatan



Bibliotekstan guarantees a sophisticated and exclusive shopping experience that caters to the discerning tastes of Stockholm's most affluent

shoppers. As you stroll along the blocks surrounding this area, between the squares Stureplan and Norrmalmstorg, you'll discover a collection of international luxury brands and renowned Swedish fashion labels.

Photo: Lenar Nigmatullin/Shutterstock.com Address: Biblioteksgatan, Stockholm

Shopping in Gamla Stan



Shopping in Stockholm's Gamla Stan, or Old Town, is a delightful experience filled with charm and unique finds. This historic district is home to a

variety of quaint shops, boutiques, and craft stores that showcase traditional Swedish craftsmanship and design. Visitors can explore its narrow cobblestone streets lined with colourful storefronts offering a range of items, including handmade crafts, Scandinavian textiles, local artwork, and antique treasures.

Photo: Oleksiy Mark/Shutterstock.com Address: Gamla Stan, Stockholm

NK — Nordiska Kompaniet



Steeped in tradition, NK is Stockholm's most luxurious department store featuring Swedish and international fashion, cosmetics, jewellery,

crystal, ceramics, design, fine foods, and much more.

Photo: carlo dapino/Shutterstock.com Address: Hamngatan 18-20, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Fri 10am-8pm, Sat 10am-6pm, Sun 11am-5pm Phone: +46 8 762 80 00 Internet: www.nk.se

Sturegallerian



Located in the heart of Stureplan Square, Sturegallerian is an elegant shopping centre boasting a variety of boutiques, restaurants,

cafés, and bars. Adding to its charm, the historic

Sturebad spa, which first opened its doors in 1885, is also housed within this vibrant establishment, offering a touch of timeless relaxation and pampering.

Photo: SVP_Productions/Shutterstock.com Address: Stureplan 4, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Fri 10am-7pm, Sat 10am-5pm, Sun noon-5pm Internet: sturegallerian.se/en

Nordiska Galleriet



Nordiska Galleriet is one of Europe's leading stores when it comes to contemporary classic furniture, with a large selection of décor,

lighting, and gift items from well-known international designers and suppliers.

Photo: Jodie Johnson/Shutterstock.com Address: Nybgrogatan 11, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Fri 10am-6pm, Sat 10am-5pm, Sun 11am-4pm Phone: +46 8 442 83 60 Internet: www.nordiskagalleriet.se

Gallerian



Downtown Stockholm's first and largest galleria. Over 80 stores under one roof offer a broad selection of young and affordable fashion, plus

cafés and restaurants.

Photo: Kamil Macniak/Shutterstock.com Address: Hamngatan 37, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Fri 10am-8pm, Sat 10am-6pm, Sun 11am-6pm Phone: +46 72 200 45 49 Internet: www.gallerian.se Email: info@gallerian.se

Åhléns City



Åhléns is Sweden's largest department store, with competitive prices for clothing, design, media, beauty, and much more. There is also a

large, diverse grocery store in the basement.

Photo: Goodluz/Shutterstock.com Address: Klarabergsgatan 50, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Fri 10am-9pm, Sat 10am-7pm, Sun 11am-7pm Phone: +46 8 676 60 00 Internet: www.ahlens.se

Grandpa



With a wide collection of carefully curated men's and women's fashion, shoes, accessories, jewellery, along with interior design pieces,

Grandpa truly has it all. Adding to its allure, the shop frequently hosts DJs and live music.

Photo: Kamil Macniak/Shutterstock.com Address: Södermannagatan 21, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Fri 10am-6pm, Sat & Sun 11am-5pm Phone: +46 10 516 44 80 Internet: www.grandpastore.com Email: shop@grandpastore.com

Pärlans Konfektyr



Pärlans Konfektyr is a small candy shop offering handmade caramels, chocolates, and sweet sauces, plus a production kitchen window where

you can witness the magic happening. Indulge in their year-round baked fudge, meticulously prepared with all-natural ingredients and following cherished old-time recipes.

Photo: George Rudy/Shutterstock.com Address: Nytorgsgatan 38, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Fri 11am-6pm, Sat 11am-5pm, Sun noon-4pm Phone: +46 8 660 70 10 Internet: parlanskonfektyr.se Email: parlan@parlanskonfektyr.se

Filippa K



Established in 1993 by Filippa K, her eponymous company has flourished into a global sensation with over 500 retailers worldwide. Filippa K

embodies the quintessence of Swedish fashion, showcasing collections renowned for their simple, stylistically pure, and timeless designs of exceptional quality. Not only does the brand epitomize timeless elegance, but it also remains at the forefront of cutting-edge fashion trends.

Photo: Syda Productions/Shutterstock.com Address: Grev Turegatan 18, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Fri 11am-6pm, Sat 11am-4pm, Sun noon-4pm Phone: +46 8 545 888 88 Internet: www.filippa-k.com More Info: There are more branches in Stockholm, e.g. on Biblioteksgatan and Götgatan.

Coctail



Coctail is a cute, kitsch oasis in the heart of Stockholm, selling a wide variety of interior objects and paraphernalia you didn't know you wanted

to spike up your home with. If you believe Sweden is all about minimalism, this place will convince you otherwise.

Photo: MartineDF/Shutterstock.com Address: Bondegatan 34, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Thu noon-6pm, Fri noon-5pm, Sat noon-4pm, Sun closed Phone: +46 8 642 0741 Internet: www.coctail.nu Email: info@coctail.nu

Alewalds



Offering a wide range of clothes, shoes, and equipment, Alewalds caters to various outdoor activities such as hiking, general outdoor life,

cross-country skiing, touring skiing, and roller skiing. Whether you're in need of gear for an adventure or looking to upgrade your outdoor wardrobe, Alewalds is the ultimate destination for outdoor enthusiasts and sports lovers alike.

Photo: PD/Pxfuel

Address: Kungsgatan 32, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Fri 10am-7pm, Sat 10am-5pm, Sun noon-5pm Phone: +46 8 21 90 00 Internet: www.alewalds.se Email: info@alewalds.se

Mood



Mood is a modern indoor-outdoor shopping mall offering world-class shopping from both Swedish and international brands, along with a

variety of cafés and restaurants, providing the perfect opportunity to relax and indulge amidst a stylish and vibrant setting, where art adorns the walls.

Photo: Sara Kurfeß/Unsplash Address: Regeringsgatan 48, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon 10am-7pm, Sat 10am-6pm, Sun 11am-5pm Internet: www.moodstockholm.se

TOURIST INFORMATION



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Best Time to Visit



For many, the weather plays a big role when planning a trip and if you're among one of them, then you should plan your visit Stockholm

from May to August. During this period, the weather is warmest and the daylight lasts longer. It is also in May that the flowers begin to grow and adorn the city beautifully. Although temperatures can sometimes drop by night, so make sure to bring a sweater or a jacket.

However, if you don't think warmer weather plays such a big part, the winter is really beautiful in Stockholm, but it does get extremely cold from December to February. If you like snow, Christmas lights, hot chocolate, and gingerbread cookies, this is the best time to visit Stockholm.

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Passport/Visa



Sweden can be visited visa-free for up to 90 days by citizens of Australia, New Zealand, Japan, South Korea, Taiwan, Malaysia, Israel, UAE and

most countries in America. If you are unsure whether or not you need to apply for a visa, we recommend contacting the embassy or consulate in your country. International (non-Schengen) travellers need a passport that is valid for at least 3 months after the end of their intended trip in order to enter the Schengen zone. Citizens of Schengen countries can travel without a passport but must have a valid ID with them during their stay.

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Airports



Stockholm has four airports. Stockholm Arlanda Airport (ARN) is the biggest international airport and Bromma (BMA) is closest to the

city. Skavsta (NYO) and Västerås (VST) are located about 80 minutes south and west of Stockholm, respectively.

The fastest way to travel between Stockholm and Arlanda is via the Arlanda Express. The train takes 20 minutes. Another option is to travel by Flygbussarna, a bus company which serves all four airports. The bus from Arlanda takes 45 minutes. From Bromma, the bus takes about 20 minutes; from Skavsta and Västerås, it takes about 80 minutes. You can also get to Stockholm Arlanda Airport via public transportation. Address: Stockholm Arlanda Airport, Stockholm Phone: +46 10 109 10 00 Internet: www.swedavia.com/arlanda More Info: www.arlandaexpress.com

Public Transportation



Stockholm is often praised for its comfortable, efficient, and safe public transport. SL, as it is known, is responsible for buses,

underground trains, commuter trains, trams, and certain ferry lines in Greater Stockholm.

The underground system is the easiest way to get around Stockholm. With a single ticket, valid for 75 minutes, travellers can easily explore various destinations. These tickets can be purchased through SL's ticket machines, their app, or directly at the turnstiles using a credit card. Additionally, convenient options like 24-hour, 72-hour, and 30-day tickets are available for those needing extended travel periods. The Stockholm underground is also known as the world's largest art gallery as so many of its stations are adorned with the works of different artists. So, here's another reason for you to take the subway or 'tunnelbana' in Stockholm.

Keep in mind that it's not possible to pay cash for tickets on board buses in Stockholm. Also, a parent with a stroller gets to ride for free on any of Stockholm's buses.

A trip on the number 69 bus or number 7 tram is a superb way to discover Stockholm. The lines go out to Djurgården and major attractions like Skansen and the Vasa Museum.

Photo: John_Nature_Photos/Pixabay

Internet: sl.se/en/in-english

Local Boat Transportation



Travelling by local ferries is a fantastic way to experience a city built on islands. Ferries are used by both commuters and tourists wanting to take a

better look around. There are ample ferry departures from Nybroviken and Slussen out to the leafy island of Djurgården. An SL Card includes ferries from Slussen and you can also buy single tickets on the quay.

Photo: PD/Wallpaper Flare Internet: sl.se/en/in-english

Post



Stamps can be bought in kiosks, Pressbyrån shops, and at the Post Centres found in some grocery stores. Postboxes are painted blue for local mail

within the region or city and yellow for all other mail, both domestic and international.

Photo: Sonia Kardash/Unplash Address: Postnord Postombud, Klarabergsgatan 50, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Fri 10am-8pm, Sat 10am-7pm, Sun 11am-7pm Phone: +46 77 133 33 10 Internet: www.postnord.se/en

Telephone



Country Code: +46 Area Code: 08 Photo: Wesley Hilario/Unsplash

Pharmacy



The main pharmacy chains in Stockholm include Apoteket and Kronans Apotek.

Photo: Serkan Yildiz/Unsplash

Address: Kronans Apotek, Drottninggatan 61, Stockholm Opening hours: Mon-Fri 9am-7pm, Sat 10am-6pm, Sun 11am-6pm

Phone: +46 77 161 26 12

Taxi



There are many taxi companies to choose from in Stockholm. For those seeking a more cost-effective alternative to traditional taxis, Uber

and Bolt also operate in the city.

You can easily get hold of a taxi by calling a taxi company, hailing one on the street, or taking one from a rank. Approved taxis with metered fares always bear yellow number plates.

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Electricity



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Population

1.7 million (2023)

Currency Swedish Krona SEK/crowns

Opening hours

Most shops in Stockholm are open Monday to Friday 10am–7pm, Saturday 10am–5pm, and Sunday noon–4pm.

Internet www.visitstockholm.com

Newspapers

The Local (in English) — www.thelocal.se Dagens Nyheter (in Swedish) — www.dn.se Svenska Dagbladet (in Swedish) — www.svd.se

Emergency numbers

Emergency: 112

Tourist information

Stockholm Tourist Information Centre (at T-Centralen station) +46 8 555 1093 90 Open daily 9am–7pm



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Borgmästargatan	 D4	Kon
Brahegatan	C1	Kor
Brunkebergstorg	B2	Kru
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Brännkyrkagatan	A4	Kun
Centralbron	A2 A3 B3	Kva
Centralplan	A2	Köp
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Drottninggatan	A1 A2	Lun
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Engelbrektsplan	B1	Läst
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Folkungagatan	C4 D4	Maı
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Grev Magnigatan	D1 D2	Mee
Grev Turegatan	B1 C1	Mos
Grevgatan	C1 D1	Muı
Guldfjärdsplan	B4	Muı
Gustav Adolfs torg	B2	Myr
Götgatan	B4	Mäs
Hamngatan	B2	Nar
Herkulesgatan	A2 B2	Nor
Holländargatan	A1	Nor
Holmamiralens torg	C3 D3	Nor
Hornsgatan	A4 B4	Nor
Humlegårdsgatan	B1 C1	Nyb
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C4	Saltmätargatan	A1
A1 A2	Sankt Paulsgatan	B4
A2	Sergels torg	A2 B2
A2	Sibyllegatan	C1
C4	Sjöbergsplan	B3
C1	Skeppargatan	C1 D1
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A4	Skeppsbron	C3
A2	Slottskajen	B2 B3
A1 B1	Slussen	B4
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B4	Slussterrassen	B3
B3 C3	Slöjdgatan	A1 A2
C1 D1	Smålandsgatan	B2
A1	Stadsgårdshamnen	D4
D1	Stadsgårdsleden	C4
B1	Stadshusbron	A2
B1	Stallgatan	C2
B2	Stigbergsgatan	C4 D4
A4	Stora Nygatan	B3
A4	Storgatan	D1 D2
A4 B4	Stortorget	B3
B4	Strandvägen	C2 D2
B4 C4	Strömbron	B2
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B3	Sturegatan	B1 C1
B3	Stureplan	B1
A2 B1	Styrmansgatan	C2 D1
D1	Sveavägen	A1 B2
A1	Svensksundsvägen	C3
B2	Swedenborgsgatan	A4 B4
B1 B2	Söder Mälarstrand	A4
B2	Söderledstunneln	B4
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Tyghusplan	C3	Värtavägen	D1	Åsögatan	D4
Upplandsgatan	A1	Västerlånggatan	B3	Österlånggatan	B3
Valhallavägen	D1	Västra Trädgårdsgatan	B2	Östermalmstorg	C1
Vasabron	A2 B3	Wallingatan	A1	Östgötagatan	C4
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