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This supplement contains amendments and corrections sent in by a number of cruising yachtsmen and women, in addition to those culled from official sources such as Notices to Mariners.

### Bearings and lights

Any bearings are given in degrees True and from seaward. The characteristics of lights may be changed during the lifetime of this book and they should be checked against the latest edition of the UK Admiralty List of Lights.

*Note* Where lights have been modified in the text do please remember to alter them on the appropriate plan(s).

This supplement is cumulative and the latest information is marked in **blue**.

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## I INTRODUCTION

### The place and the people

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#### Currency

Except in large towns or cities, there are now few banks or ATMs. Supermarkets etc will usually give cash back.

#### Credit cards

If a credit card is used for fuel, 1,500NOK may be locked (reserved by the operator) for up to several hours. This is usually freed the same day, but it can be a problem for later expenditure that day.

#### Telephone and internet

#### Add Mobile phones

Update on roaming From 1 June 2023, a cap on mobile roaming charges between Norway and the United Kingdom allows "Roam like Home" on UK and EU/EEA registered phones.

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#### Medical services

Post-Brexit, UK nationals cannot use a UK-issued European Health Insurance Card (EHIC) or Global Health Insurance Card (GHIC) to get medical treatment in Norway. For residents of the EU/EEA and Switzerland, the EHIC is valid for healthcare in Norway on the same terms as Norwegian nationals, but not in Svalbard. Residents of some other countries may have specific entitlements by agreement.

British nationals can however receive unplanned urgent or emergency medical care, as this is available to all visitors to the country, on the same terms as Norwegian nationals: free emergency ambulance or air ambulance transport to hospital; free hospital treatment including essential medication; charges when not in hospital for prescriptions, GP or specialist appointments (160-395NOK, February 2023), tests and some specialist treatments.

Emergency medical assistance: dial 113 and ask for an ambulance.

Non-emergency: call 116 117 to contact the closest Public Emergency Room (legevakt; 24 hours).

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### Fishing: permits for freshwater fishing

Anyone aged 18 or over who wishes to fish for salmon, sea trout or arctic char in rivers and lakes must pay the national fishing fee (free for those under 18 years).  
[environmentagency.no/areas-of-activity/hunting-and-fishing/rules-for-recreational-fishing-in-rivers-and-lakes/](http://environmentagency.no/areas-of-activity/hunting-and-fishing/rules-for-recreational-fishing-in-rivers-and-lakes/)

### Sea fishing

Free, subject to general regulations:

[www.fiskeridir.no](http://www.fiskeridir.no)

Last line: *blåsjell* should be *blåskjell*; *sjell* should be *skjell* (*kan spise skjell*)

## Cruising in Norway

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[Add For information about where to check in/out and have passports stamped: contact local police district.](#)

#### Police districts, with street addresses

**Agder:** ☎ +47 38 13 60 00;

[post.agder@politiet.no](mailto:post.agder@politiet.no)

Tollbodgata 45, 4614 Kristiansand S

**Finnmark:** ☎ +47 78 97 20 00

[post.finnmark@politiet.no](mailto:post.finnmark@politiet.no)

Rådhusvingen 1, 9900 Kirkenes

**Møre og Romsdal:** ☎ +47 70 11 87 00;

[post.moreogromsdal@politiet.no](mailto:post.moreogromsdal@politiet.no)

Nedre Strandgate 50, Ålesund

**Bodø:** ☎ +47 75 58 90 00

[post.nordland@politiet.no](mailto:post.nordland@politiet.no)

Kongensgate 81, 8006 Bodø

**Oslo:** ☎ +47 22 66 90 50

[post.oslo@politiet.no](mailto:post.oslo@politiet.no)

Grønlandsleiret 44, 0190 Oslo

**Southwestern:** ☎ +47 51 89 90 00

[post.sor-vest@politiet.no](mailto:post.sor-vest@politiet.no)

Lagårdsveien 6, 4010 Stavanger

**Southeastern:** ☎ +47 33 34 44 00

[post.sor-ost@politiet.no](mailto:post.sor-ost@politiet.no)

Tollbodgaten 9, 3111 Tønsberg

**Troms:** ☎ +47 77 79 60 00

[post.troms@politiet.no](mailto:post.troms@politiet.no)

Stakkevollvegen 9, 9010 Tromsø

**Trøndelag:** ☎ +47 73 89 90 90

[post.trondelag@politiet.no](mailto:post.trondelag@politiet.no)

Gryta 4, 7005 Trondheim

**Western:** ☎ +47 55 55 63 00

[post.vest@politiet.no](mailto:post.vest@politiet.no)

Allehelgens gate 6, 5016 Bergen

**Eastern:** ☎ +44 64 99 30 00

[post.ost@politiet.no](mailto:post.ost@politiet.no)

Vestveien 16, 1400 Ski

### Mainland approaches

Newcastle to Tananger: 310M (not 210M)

### Entry to Norway

*Add* As Norway is one of the Schengen countries, it is bound by Schengen entry and passport requirements, limiting visits to 90 out of 180 days (this time can be spent in one country, or shared between several, for instance 30 days in Norway, 60 days in one or more other Schengen countries). The 90-day limit currently (January 2024) applies to the UK and all EU countries.

The introduction of a new electronic ETIAS (European Travel Information and Authorisation System) visa for entry to Schengen and EU countries has again been delayed, most recently to 2025. For updates see <http://etias.com/>

An ETIAS visa or visa waiver will be compulsory for all non-Schengen/EU visitors to the area, including Norway. Until ETIAS is introduced, visas are not needed for residents of the UK, any Schengen or EU country, N and S America, Australia, New Zealand. Visitors from other countries can check whether a visa is needed on [udi.no/en/want-to-apply](http://udi.no/en/want-to-apply)

Unless coming from another Schengen country, non-Norwegians must check in on arrival and departure unless continuing to another country in Schengen. Passport 'date of issue' must be less than 10 years before entering and valid for at least 3 months after the date of leaving (which may mean 6 months from date of issue). Passport stamps are used to check compliance with the 90-day visa-free limit. For information about where passports can be stamped, contact the police district in the area of arrival (not all local police stations are able to do entry passport checks).

#### *Add Entering Norway by sea*

The following are listed as official entry ports. In some cases there are several places with the same name, and counties or area are not specified in the list. Police Districts will have more information.

Bergen, Kristiansand, Stavanger, Sandefjord, Langesund, Oslo, Larvik, Rosendal, Flesland, Flåm, Selje, Sogndal, Vardetangen, Mjømna, Sollibotn, Rysjedalsvika, Lavik, Nordeid, Vik, Balestrand, Leikanger, Askvoll, Florø, Smørhamn, Måløy, Aurland

### General customs information

[www.toll.no/en/](http://www.toll.no/en/) or KvoteAppen app.

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### Extended cruising in Norway

*Add* Storage undercover, especially in heated halls, needs to be booked well in advance. Some insurance companies may prefer a boat to be left out of the water, preferably in a hall, and to be regularly checked by someone responsible for it. Most of the websites are in Norwegian only: look for 'Vinterlagring' or 'Lagring'. An application form for temporary storage must be filled in requesting permission to leave a boat for one winter; permission will then usually be granted, on re-application, for a second winter, provided the boat is not used by the owner outside the official post-Brexit time scale (90 days, including total time in all Schengen and EU countries), and not at all by a Norwegian resident. Apply on form: [application-for-temporary-storage-of-vessel/](#)

The west and north coasts remain ice-free all winter, so boats can safely be left in the water, although inner waters in the fjords may freeze over. Opinions differ about whether a boat cover is necessary. If the boat is covered, the cover should be taut enough to prevent heavy deposits of snow collecting; if it is left uncovered, there should be someone available willing to shovel off heavy snow falls. In eastern Norway, along both the western and eastern coasts of the Skagerrak, and especially in the outer and inner Oslo Fjord, the water is likely to freeze (and the ice will often be thick enough for hiking and ski trails), and boats should only be left in the water where there is a bubbler or some other system to prevent the water close to the boat from freezing.

Places where winter layup is possible, either afloat or ashore or under cover, possibly in a heated hall, are marked with a snowflake (❄) in the text, and are also listed in this

supplement at the start of each chapter. It may also be possible to winter a boat in other yards or marinas, or even on a private dock by arrangement with the owner.

## Transport and crew changes

### International ferries

Add Eemshaven, Holland to Kristiansand.

This no longer operates

### Internal ferries

Add Internal ferries (not express boats) are part of the road system, with no charge for foot passengers, cars or car drivers, on routes carrying fewer than 100,000 passengers a year.

Replace *Norled express boats and ferries with*

#### Ferry companies

**Norled:** local and express (Hurtigbåt): Agder, Møre og Romsdal, Oslofjord, Rogaland, Troms, Vestland

(Hordaland, Sogn og Fjordane)

[www.norled.no/en/ferry/](http://www.norled.no/en/ferry/)

**Fjord 1:** Møre og Romsdal, Rogaland, Trondelåg, Vestland, Nordland

[www.fjord1.no/eng](http://www.fjord1.no/eng)

**Boreal:** Agder, Møre og Romsdal, Nordland, Troms,

Finnmark, Rogaland, Vestland

[www.boreal.no/home/](http://www.boreal.no/home/)

**Torghatten Nord:** N Norway, including Lofoten

[www.torghatten-nord.no](http://www.torghatten-nord.no)

**Bastø Fosen:** Oslofjord (Horten-Moss)

[basto-fosen.no/schedules/](http://basto-fosen.no/schedules/)

### Speed limits

Add On some stretches of motorway the speed limit is 120km/h.

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### International and internal air travel

Correction Widerøe

[www.wideroe.no](http://www.wideroe.no)

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### Bottled gas

Add A single ring electric hob is recommended for use when on shore power when gas is not available.

### Spares and repairs

Add: Boat equipment

MarineShop båtutstyr: Swedish company; online; more than 60 stores in Norway.

[marineshop.no](http://marineshop.no)

Biltema: online or in store

[www.biltema.no/en-no](http://www.biltema.no/en-no)

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### Navigation

[Kystverket.no](http://Kystverket.no) (Norwegian); English: [Kystverket.no/en](http://Kystverket.no/en)

Scroll down to 'Recreational craft' for laws on maritime traffic. For information relating to recreational craft, go to the Sjøfartdirektoret (Norwegian Maritime Authority)

website: [sdir.no](http://sdir.no) (English: [sdir.no/en](http://sdir.no/en)). 'Certificate of boatmanship' is not currently required for visiting skippers or crews.

### Speed at sea

Add Local and national speed limits may be monitored. The Norwegian Coastal Administration's recommended local speed limit is 5 knots at a distance of 100m to 500m from land. This is subject to local variation. Local speed limits can be checked on a free app, BåtFart ([batfart](http://batfart); Google Play or apple.com App Store).

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### NORWAY'S 11 COUNTIES

Correction Trondelåg is not splitting back into Sør and Nord Trondelåg in 2024

### Spelling of place names

Correction Aa/aa, Aa/aa should be Aa/aa, Ae/ae, Oe/oe.

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### Nautical publications

#### Den norske los

Volumes 1 – 7 PDF downloads are all 2018 and are not being updated. Chart extracts included in Vol.9, *Svalbard and Jan Mayen* (the only one in English), were updated in 2020. The printed books are no longer published, but the PDFs can still be downloaded: scroll down to 'Historical editions of den norske los'. Den norske los Norwegian; for English, select 'Language' in 'Meny'

#### DNL digital version

All except Volumes 1 (Alminnelige opplysninger - General information, PDF 2028) and 7 (Svalbard and Jan Mayen, PDF 2018, plans 2020, English) have been replaced by a new digital version of Farvannsbeskrivelsen (sailing directions), which does not yet include all information included in the books. There may eventually be an English version. [dnl.kartverket.no](http://dnl.kartverket.no)

### Tide tables and water level forecasts

Updated [kartverket](http://kartverket.no) PDF for the whole set of tide tables is no longer available. Tidal information is available as PDFs for individual places for a year and can be downloaded at [www.kartverket.no/en/at-sea/se-havniva](http://www.kartverket.no/en/at-sea/se-havniva).

Tide charts can also be found on

[www.tide-forecast.com](http://www.tide-forecast.com)

(1, 7 and 30 days for named places)

## Page 23

Add **Paying mooring fees** There are now fewer harbours with honesty boxes for cash payments, and more now use electronic systems, which may temporarily block an additional sum on credit or debit cards.

**GoMarina App** Widely used for marina bookings and payment (double check port selection). Sends a PIN code for facilities and for parking meter electricity points.

**VIPP app** Increasingly the default berth booking and mooring app but requires a Norwegian bank account. This may change and should not be an excuse for not paying. In harbours where it is the only way to pay electronically, it is usually possible to pay in cash in a local shop, or by asking a Norwegian to take cash in return for paying on Vipp. Bank transfer payments are possible in some places.

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### Mobile apps and websites

[yr.no](http://yr.no) now does not give coastal forecasts.

### BarentsWatch

Add **Wave forecasts:** pictorial (click and hover) and marinogram wave forecasts for the Norwegian coast (but not Svalbard)

[barentswatch.no/bolgevarsel/?lang=en](http://barentswatch.no/bolgevarsel/?lang=en)

**ArcticInfo:** click and hover on Ice and Weather for Svalbard Login; subscribe to receive Polar Lows Alerts by text (sms) or email.

[barentswatch.no/arcticinfo/](http://barentswatch.no/arcticinfo/)

## Kystradio

*Add:* If a scheduled VHF weather forecast broadcast from Norwegian Coast Radio Nord/Sor is missed, it is possible to ask for the current forecast on Ch 16 or relevant working channel. This can usually also be given in English.

*Add Text forecast in English:*

[met.no/en/weather-and-climate/text-forecast-for-sea-areas](http://met.no/en/weather-and-climate/text-forecast-for-sea-areas)

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### VHF, MF/HF and Navtex

To download annually updated VHF, MF and Navtex plans [kystradio.no/s/article/Nødprosedyrer-og-kanalplaner](http://kystradio.no/s/article/Nødprosedyrer-og-kanalplaner). Go to the bottom of the page to 'bestill nødprosedyre / kanalplan'.

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### Safety at Sea

To join RS (Redningsselskapet – Norwegian Lifeboat Association) apply online (Norwegian only)

[rs.no/medlemskap](http://rs.no/medlemskap)

*Email:* Vis e-post or by phone.

## II OSLO FJORD

### Oslo Fjord - Swedish Border To Larvik

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*Add to info box*

Oslo police district:

☎ +47 22 66 90 50

[post.oslo@politiet.no](mailto:post.oslo@politiet.no)

Grønlandsleiret 44, 0190 Oslo

Eastern police district:

☎ +44 64 99 30 00

[post.ost@politiet.no](mailto:post.ost@politiet.no)

Vestveien 16, 1400 Ski

\*Winter layup: Grimsøy marina, Sjeberg; Onsøy Båthavn; Fredrikstad; Kambo Marina, Mossesund; Son; Hero Marina, NW Drøkaksund; Sætre; Asker Marina & Hvile Havn, Leangbukta; Holmen Slipp, Nesbru; Sjøsenderet Vallø & Vallø Marina, Valløybukta.

## II.1 Hvaler

### Page 41

#### I URDAL

There is now no 25m cable charted S of Røsholm.

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*Plan:* HVALER ISLANDS WEST OF KIRKØY

29m cable half way up Skelsbusund; 25m bridge and 17m cable near north end.

## II.2 Halden to Fredrikstad

### Page 45

*Add GRIMSØY MARINA, SJEBERG*

59°08'.6N 11°10'.9E

\*Between Halden and Fredrikstad. N coast of peninsula 4M N of Swedish border, E side of Skjebergkilen. 2M from E6. Winter layup under cover or outside, boats to 50ft. Yachts can be stored with mast-up. Boat collection from eastern Norway. Service and maintenance.

☎ +47 468 39 722, [post@omarine.no](mailto:post@omarine.no),  
[opplag@omarine.no](mailto:opplag@omarine.no), [omarine.no](http://omarine.no)

*Add ONSØY BÅTHAVN* 59°12.43N 10°53'.86E

\*Winter berths on W side of N end of Vesterelva, opposite Utholmen 1.5M W of Fredrikstad. Afloat with bubbles on Pier D, depth 1.8m; electricity.

☎ +47 920 20 883, [onsoy-bathavn@havneweb.no](mailto:onsoy-bathavn@havneweb.no),  
[www.havneweb.no/onsoy-bathavn/](http://www.havneweb.no/onsoy-bathavn/)

*FREDRIKSTAD GJESTEHAVN (see Dokka 3A Marina)*

\*Indoor and outdoor winter storage.

☎ +47 906 74 616, [Eivind@fredrikstadmarina.no](mailto:Eivind@fredrikstadmarina.no),  
[www.fredrikstadmarina.no/innelagring](http://www.fredrikstadmarina.no/innelagring)

## II.4 Hankø to Moss and Horten

### Page 49

*KAMBO MARINA, MOSESUND* 59°28'.57N 10°41'.1E

\*Between Moss and Son, E side of Oslo Fjord; halfway up E side of Mossesund, approached from N. Winter afloat or ashore. Yachts lifted to 35 tons/ 48ft. Covered storage to 20ft. Service. Experts in salvage and disposal.

☎ +47 69 25 88 65 or ☎ +47 909 11 859  
[post@kambomarina.no](mailto:post@kambomarina.no), [www.kambomarina.no](http://www.kambomarina.no)



## CENTRAL AND INNER FJORD

### II.5 Horten and Moss to Drammen and Son

#### Page 51

##### G SON

Son now has a vinmonopol.

Add Code to holding tank disposal station. Train to Oslo. Express ferry to Oslo on summer holiday weekends.

\* Winter layup and service outside or indoors, mainly for motor boats to 28ft.

☎ +47 64 958 738 post@sonhavn.no; www.sonhavn.no

### II.6 Approach to Oslo via Drøbakund

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##### D KAHOLMEN, OSCARSBORG

Add Marked length restrictions on some berths. Water and electricity on pontoons. Payment by GoMarina app or machine (360NOK for a 12.6m yacht in 2023). A good place to stop en route to Oslo (2–3 hours away). Free access to military museum in and around the fort, relating the sinking of Germany's SMS Blücher in April 1940 amongst other facts. Hotel with bar / restaurant. Café with toilet in opening hours near pontoons.

### II.7 Vestford and Inner Oslo Fjord approach to Oslo

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##### HERO MARIN 59°39'.5N 10°36'.2E

\* Winter layup ashore, under cover or outside, in former quarry, 2.5M SW of Sætre near N end of W side of Drøbakund.

☎ +47 970 77 543, atle@heromarin.no, www.heromarin.no.

##### B SÆTRE

Add \* Winter afloat on pontoon booths for boats up to 42ft, breadth 3–5m. Marina facilities and chandlery closed during winter.

☎ +47 480 66 111, post@saetrehavnmarina.no, saetrehavnmarina.no.

### II.8 Greater Oslo

#### Page 56

##### C LEANGBUKTA

Add Easy access from Oslo by bus.

\* Asker Marina Heated and unheated winter storage hall.

☎ +47 66 90 08 60, ☎ +47 39 54 84, askermarina.no, marina@askermarina.no

\* Hvide Havn E end of Leangbukta, where a stream flowing downhill has prevented ice formation and yachts (including the author's and those of other family members) have safely wintered in the water.

☎ +47 900 82 291, mh@hamstad.no, hvilehavn.no

##### New HOLMEN, NESBRU

\* Holmen Slipp 59°51'.34N 10°29'.8E

Large marina with extensive layup facilities, on W side of inner Oslo Fjord, on site of medieval salt extraction site Holmsbodir, later a farm with a 300m shoreline where there was first a slip in the 1920s, enlarged by 1940 to a yard and 30-berth marina.

Shock absorbers required on all marina mooring lines.

Winter storage ashore (c.330 boats), and under cover (c.450boats, to 40ft); crane: 2.5 tons; truck 20 tons. Winter covers can be provided for outside storage. Mast storage.

Night watchman. Empty water and holding tanks before storage. No electrical or other heat sources allowed during winter storage.

All wooden boats repairs and maintenance. Other work carried out by motor and fibreglass partners.

☎ +47 66 84 50 04, bente@holmenslipp.no,

holmenslipp.com, Contact form on website.

Holmen Brygge Motor, Engine and electrical service and repairs ☎ +47 66 84 50 04, post@hbmotor.no, Bærum Plastservice, Fibreglass repairs and osmosis treatment

☎ +47 66 84 50 00, Mob. ☎ +47 97 54 50 00

post@bplast.no, www.bplast.no

### II.9 Oslo

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Oslo Opera house *Judy Lomax*

#### Page 59

##### A AKKERBRYGGE

Closed October to mid-April. ☎+47 22 83 19 90 (the number in the book is the private number of the marina's previous owner).

Add Substantial concrete or wooden finger pontoons. 580NOK a night (2023) for a 12m yacht. Launderette included in the price (3 WM, 3 TD). Co-Op supermarket and *vinmonopol* 5 mins. Summer B9 ferry from F quay: 10 minutes to Polar, Maritime and Kon Tiki museums.

www.akerbrygge.no/marina (in Norwegian)

Email post@abmarina.no

### OUTER FJORD, WEST SIDE

### II.10 Tønsberg and Tønsbergfjord

#### Page 60

##### A VALLØY (VALLØYBUKTA)

Add Marinas in large bay N of E approach to Tønsberg.

\* Sjøseneteret Vallø 59°15'.63N 10°29'.23E

Boats to 55ft wintered afloat. Water bubbler keeps moorings ice-free. Electricity. Year-round access to facilities. ☎ +47 333 69 788 / ☎ +47 915 54 012 post@svaneforvaltning.no, www.båtplassvallø.no/

\* Vallø Marina 59°15'.75N 10°29'.29E

Heated hall (Båthotell), c.200 boats, 16–50ft.

Workshop. Engine service, hull repair, equipment installation. Lift out to 47 tons. ☎ +47 333 28 800, marina@vallomarina.no, vallomarina.no.

### II.11 Bolærne, Nøtterøy and Tjøme

#### Page 62

##### D ÅRØYSUND

Good holding in mud at the N end of Arøysund at 59°10'.97N 10°27'.74E in bight on E side of sound. Better swinging room than further down the sound. Sheltered from all except N.

### III SOUTH NORWAY

#### Larviksfjord to Tananger

*Add*: ❄️ Winter layup: Stathelle; Mandal; Åmøyhamn, Vestre Åmøy

##### Page 68

*Add* Agder police district:

☎ +47 38 13 60 00

post.agder@politiet.no

Tollbodgata 45, Kristiansand S

#### III.1 Larviksfjord to Langesund and Telemark Canal

##### Page 70

##### B HELGEROA

Standard port designation no longer used.

##### F STATHELLE

*Position correction* 59°02'.7N 9°42'.E

*Add* ❄️ Indoor (heated or unheated) and outdoor winter storage for c.230 boats. Travelhoist. Service, repairs, maintenance. Volvo agent. Can often provide transport from/ to Torp airport.

☎ +47 35 96 78 70 or ☎ +47 901 69 019,

stathellemarina.no/opplag

##### Page 71

**Plan correction: H (WECTOR YACHTING) should be further W, just N of Frier**

##### I PORSGRUNN

Small boats are not allowed through the bridges at the hours stated on weekdays (0730-0830 and 0300-0400). Outside these hours they operate every half hour on weekdays. There are no regulations at weekend.

#### III.4 Kragerø Town and Skjærgård

##### Page 79

##### P PORTØR

Mooring is popular alongside rock or bows-to with stern anchor using mooring bolts on islands. Larger yachts may be able to moor bows-to at the ferry quay west of Styrmannsholmen or further into the Portørhavn inlet. Summer ferry between Kragerø and Portør. Anchoring space tends to fill quickly during the official Norwegian summer holiday period.

Portør, which dates back to Viking times, still had a pilot and custom station until the mid 60s. It is part of the Jomfruland National Park.



At anchor in Portør, looking NE *Hamish Wilson*

#### III.5 Risør Town, Skjærgård and Fjords

##### Page 80

##### E RISØR

Holmen yard and workshop have gone. New apartment buildings. Outer berths on guest pontoons subject to swell during the day from small boat traffic passing outside the harbour. Marina exposed to S and SW. Music festival.

#### III.6 Risør to Sandnesfjord, Lyngør and Lyngør fjord

##### Page 82

##### I STENSKILDEN

It may be possible to use one of two private moorings when the owner is away.

##### K VESTRE ASKEROYA

Avoid 'No Anchoring' signs (charted pipelines; underwater cable to E)

#### III.10 Grimstad to Lillesand and Blindleia

##### Page 90

##### E LILLESAND

Pontoons now extend beyond the old wave breaker, which visiting yachts can no longer lie alongside. There are now normal 3-pin connections.

*Add* Self-service diesel on some pontoons on E side of harbour. Credit card must be reinserted after c.80 litres. The bars may be noisy until 2am on Saturday nights.



Lillesand marina visitors' pontoon *John Sadd*

#### III.11 Blindleia to Ulvøysund

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*New* LUSEKILEN 58°11'.65N, 8°16'.99E

Anchorage N of the Blindleia, SSE of Ingridnes. Anchor near head in 10m; **mud**. Good view from top of Videheia to N.



View S over Lusekilen from the top of Videheia to its N *Hamish Wilson*

#### III.14 Mandal to Lindesnes

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Most southerly town, on river (Mandal)

*Add* WWII gun emplacements on the headland Hobdeodden, E tip of the peninsula SW of Mandal river entry above long sandy beach. Marked footpaths.

## A MANDAL

Add Maximum depth in harbour 4m. holding tank emptying at Nautic Marine.

\*Ice-free wintering afloat. For electricity etc contact the Harbour Master.

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Mandal visitors' pontoons in foreground, looking SE to entrance  
*John Sadd*

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#### C HÆKHOLM (HEKKEHOLM)

Chartered Hekkeholm or HE. Two wrecks charted to its WNW, another WSW between Øya and Landehobde. It is possible to continue NW to anchor in Landekilen, eg at 58°01'·1N 7°24'·1; good holding in mud.

#### New HILLEVÅGEN, HILLE 58°00'·3N 7°22'·3E

Anchorage in bight on E side of island Hille. Open to SE. Anchoring depths near the head. Best shelter in S bay N of Kammershammen. Concrete jetty and some habitation and jetties at head.

New TJØMSHAVN (SØVRINSKILEN) 58°01'·9N 7°18'·14E  
Enclosed mainland anchorage NW of Hille. Charted depth 3–6m. Good holding in mud. It might be possible to continue NW into Tjømsvåg, lagoon approached either side of Tommodshalmen (charted TO, or not named) (1·9m to its W, unmarked 0·6 and 0·9m rocks off its NW coast; 1·4m in channel to its E). S pool has 4m, mud; N pool 7m. Both Tjømshavn and Tjømsvåg are completely sheltered.

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*Chart correction* Letter B (Snig) should be E and N, to W side of river mouth. Bridge height (currently to E, but should be to W): 3·5m

## III.16 Lista to Egersund

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#### B FLEKKEFJORD

The bridge at the head of the harbour no longer opens.

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#### E KIRKEHAMN

Electricity (domestic wall socket) on the outside of the café; a long cable is needed from the outer berths.

## IV FJORD NORWAY Tananger to Statt

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Add Southwestern police district:

☎ +47 51 89 90 00

post.sor-vest@politiet.no

Lagårdsveien 6, 4010 Stavanger

Add \*Winter layup: Åmøyhavn; Stavanger Seiforening; Norheimsund; Bergen Seilforening, Kviturspollen; Askøy Sailing Club, Hardbakke, Florø

### IV.1 Tananger to Boknafjord and Stavanger

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#### Add NORDBØVÅGEN, KVITSØY 59°04'·4N 5°24'·97E

N coast alternative to Ystabøhamn mooring. Good shelter from N to W except in unsettled N conditions. Anchor in 7m, sand, on W side, avoiding charted underwater cable.

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#### H VÅGHOLMEN, ÅMØY

Amend position to 59°02'·13N 5°45'·1E

#### ÅMØYHAVN, VESTRE ÅMØY

\*Winter layup. In two heated halls, boats 17–80ft (mainly for boats under 34ft), or outside (water & electricity) ashore. Maintenance and repair. Rigging. Early booking advisable.

☎ +47 932 59 300, post@amoyhavn.no, www.amoyhavn.no



Åmøyhavn, Vestre Åmøy, winter storage halls *John Sadd*

#### Plan Corrections

H (Vågholmen, Åmøy) should be at S tip of E part of island.

Letters I (Rossnesvika) and J (Rossnesvågen) should swap places.

### IV.2 Stavanger and Gandsfjord

### Page 114

#### Communications and navigation

The Hurtigbåt high speed ferry to Bergen is no longer running.

For Stavanger Bergen ferry (c.5hrs, twice daily) fjordline.com/en/bergen-stavanger

#### A VÅGEN

Two new pontoons with water and electricity, one on each side, have increased available berths.

#### D STAVANGER SEILFORENING

\*Guest berths to 40ft. Book and pay through Go Marina app. Winter layup afloat. To winter ashore, in the open, preferably with mast down, dates of layup and relaunch must be booked in advance. Stavanger Båtsenter and fuel were not there in summer 2022.

www.stavangerseilforening.no/gjester-guest/





Vågen, Stavanger, new visitors' pontoons *John Sadd*

### IV.3 Ryfylke, south part

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#### Lysefjord

The ferry quay on the N side below Preikestollen is for dis/embarkation only. Although it might be possible to tie up to stakes in the rocks on either side of the ferry, it is not advisable to leave a yacht unattended there to do the climb up to Preikestolen. On summer weekends, this can be done by taking an early ferry from Forsand and a return ferry in the evening.

#### F BERGEVIK, FORSAND

Change name to **FORSAND (BERGEVIK)**.

Shower and toilet. Washing machine.

☎ +47 51 70 39 00.

Email [post@lysefjorden.no](mailto:post@lysefjorden.no)

[lysefjorden-marina](http://lysefjorden-marina)

Useful panoramic view: <https://lysefjorden.no>

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#### N LANGØYA

Water and electricity, but no fuel. Pontoons exposed in strong N–SW winds. Payment by GoMarina.

### IV.4 Ryfylke central and north

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#### B STUVIKHOLM

Delete last line 'Shoals 12m beyond quay.'

Add **SKÅTAHOLMEN (KJOLAVÅGEN), SANDSFJORD**  
59°23'.55N 6°00'.9E

Idyllic bays N of the entrance of Sandsfjord. Small quay, rubbish disposal, toilet. Mooring bolts and space to anchor in N bay; 13.5m. Another charted anchorage in 17m 700m to S in Bjørnavågen.

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New **OMBO** 59°13'.8N 5°55'.75E

Inlet and ferry port on SW corner of Ombo. Enter at position given, between port light and lit starboard marker leaving 2m and drying rock to starboard. Pontoon; room for 3-4 boats; electricity, water. Supermarket with WiFi. Two charted anchorages.

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Add **SELEN** 59°15'.93N 5°21'.84E

Anchorage in bay on W coast S of N end of island S of Fosenøy, halfway up E side of Karmsund. Surrounded by low rock shores. 7m in outer (N) bay; mud; mooring bolts. Inner bay 2.2m; private jetty.

**D JONEVIKA, SELEN** *position correction* 59°16'N 5°22'E

Anchorage given as Jonevika (not named on chart) is to NE, between Selen and Sauøya

#### E KOPERVIK

Add Chandlery: Maritim Båtutsyr Karmøy.

Bøyågen 58, 4262 Avaldsnes. ☎+47 70 31 00 47.

[karmoy@maritim.no](mailto:karmoy@maritim.no) [www.maritim.no/maritim-karmoy](http://www.maritim.no/maritim-karmoy)

#### H SKUDENESHAVN

Washing machines and driers need 10/20 NOK pieces (August '23). In an almost 'cashless society' and banks which don't handle cash, coins can be hard to come by. Supermarkets are about the only source



Skudeneshavn looking SE past visitors' berths *John Sadd*

#### I UTSIRA

One combined supermarket/PO in S harbour.

### IV.7 Bømlafjord to Hardangerfjord

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*Photo caption* Halsnøy (not Holsnøy)

#### MØRKEVÅGEN, STORE LYKELSØYA

59°48'.73N 5°40'.56E

Attractive northerly bay on E side of island. Surrounded by pine trees. Shelter except from SE. Anchor in 10m in W of bay, or as charted in 14–15m.

#### N LYKELSØYVÅGEN 59°48'.4N 5°40'.3E

Jetty (40–50m long; uncharted on some formats) protruding from E side of bay to SW, at position given in book.

### IV.8 Outer Hardangerfjord

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#### M SUNNDAL

Campsite jetty. If this is full, berth on old quay under semi-derelict white building c.100m to its west. Pay at the hotel. No water. Electricity on sauna building wall just across the slip (long lead).



## IV. 9 INNER HARDANGERFJORD

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### D NORHEIMSUND

\* Wintering afloat; berths assumed to be kept ice-free. Some liveabords. Foreign yachts welcome.

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## IV.10 Bømlafjord to Korsfjord

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### A ESPEVÆR

Concrete jetty with tyres 150m S of the ferry quay with space for several boats. Water, electricity, toilet, shower. Electricity from wall socket. Payment by VIPPs (Norwegian credit card only in 2022) or cash in an honesty box.

Add No water or electricity on green quay. Water and electricity on Biekrona Quay, S of ferry berth and W of NW tip of Dørøy. Honesty box. 28m cable between W side of Dørøy and Espevær main island.

No bank. Restaurant in former post office open weekends and some weekdays (mid June to mid August).



Espevær looking NW; visitors' berths alongside white-painted tyres *John Sadd*

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### J FITJAR

Marina exposed to NW through N to NE.

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### A LEIRVIK

Add Guest harbour at SW end of harbour: 4 long quays.



Leirvik: guest berths looking NE *John Sadd*

### F LANDRØYVÅG, TYSNES

Correction Enter from W, NW through Bårdsund, turning SE before 16m bridge, or from E through Leiasund then S under 16m bridge.

New KVALVÅG 60° 7'N 5°05E

Narrow inlet on N side of Stolmen. Stiffelsen Kvalvåg Seilsenter (Kvalvåg Sailing Centre Foundation) quays on NW side of wharf at S end: 2–2.6m on most southerly, 3–3.5m on northern one. Former trading post where whales

used to be trapped and killed. From 1963, owned by Bergen Seilforening. Supermarket. Evening concerts in church 100m from quay. Hiking trail to Våge at S end of island, 3km. Road S then E across 30m bridge to Selbjørn, then E along N side of Selbjørn to Bekkjarvik and across 27m bridge over Bekkjarviksund to Huftarøy.

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Plan: Add 16m bridge over Bårdsund (NB spelling: not Bardsund), between E side of SW peninsula of Reksteren and W peninsula of Tysnes.

Plan correction: P (Storholm, Reksteren) should be on N end of E-facing coast, in inlet N of L of Storholm.

### P STORHOLM, REKSTEREN

Correction Confusingly, there are two places named Storholm less than 1M apart. Page 135 gives the position of one and description of the other. Replace with the two entries below:

### STORHOLM, HAMRAVIKA, REKSTEREN

60°03'.8N 5°25'.6E

NE corner of Reksteren. Enter S from Bjørnafjord, turning N round S tip of Vernøya towards Hopsund (dries; 10m cable) between Vernøya and Reksteren, avoiding charted fish farm. Anchor, avoiding charted underwater cables, in 14–17m halfway up sound off Sagvågen, or in 6–7m off Storholm, island near N end. Sheltered E through N to W. Flanked by trees. A few private properties, two private jetties, N of island.

### STORHOLM, KVERNVIKA, REKSTEREN

60°04'.7N 5°24'.3E

Anchorage charted 1M NW of Storholm, Hamravika, in small inlet NW of bay, Kvernrika, on N coast of Reksteren. Enter from Bjørnafjord. Protected from N through W to S. Anchor in 7m as shown on chart, good shelter, sand; or in Kvernrika in 11m, exposed to N. A few properties visible, mainly to W round landlocked lagoon Nedravatnet.

## IV.11 Korsfjord to Bergen

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### E LYSØYVÅG, LYSØY

Neither visitor's mooring nor 20m overhead cable were seen in 2023. The shallowest part, just through the narrows, was observed as approximately 3m.

### K KVITURSPOLLEN

#### Bergen Seilforening

\* Payment for guest berths by VIPPS. Mainly club yachts. Wintering for non-club members possible, mostly afloat. ☎+47 971 67 953 www.bergens-seilforening.no

New STORE BRATTHOLMEN 60°13'.11N 5°20'.44E

Island WNW of Lysevågen. Along the S shore of its E end, it is possible to lie between two mooring bolts c.20m apart in c.2.5m

## IV.12 Bergen and Byfjord

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#### Transport

There is now no hydrofoil to Stavanger. Fjord Line is the only company with ferries between Bergen and Stavanger. fjordline.com/en/bergen-stavanger

The Rica Hotel at the NW end of Bryggen is now Radisson Blu Royal Hotel, and the Rica Hotel S of the fish market is now Scandic Bergen Hotel.

### Berthing in Bergen

*Add Access to showers, toilets and launderette now provided by a pin code when paying harbour dues by GoMarina app.* Mooring fees are now mainly paid through the GoMarina app. There is still one payment machine on the pier (Torgutstikkeren).

#### Add Bergen Harbour:

[www.bergenhavn.no/en/docks/leisureboats](http://www.bergenhavn.no/en/docks/leisureboats)

Detailed information with a useful detailed plan showing moorings, water, electricity etc.

[www.bergenhavn.no/en/docks/leisureboats](http://www.bergenhavn.no/en/docks/leisureboats)

## IV.13 Bergen to Fensfjord

### Page 140

A ANGLAVIKA, LITLESOTRA (not Litla Sotra)

C ASKOY SAILING CLUB

\* Good shelter. A new pontoon was being installed in 2022. Keen to encourage visitors. Good place to leave a yacht for a few months. Access card for showers from harbourmaster. Payment by VIPPs (Norwegian only in 2022), or bank transfer. *Run by club members, who welcome foreign yachts but are all volunteers. Winter ashore or on mooring buoy.* Over-wintering is not encouraged as there are no staff on site, although locals say that this is safe.

1.5 hours on two buses to Bergen airport.

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[www.askoy-seilforening.no](http://www.askoy-seilforening.no)

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C VESTRE VÅGEN, FEDJE

Mooring fees could only be paid by Vipps (with a Norwegian credit card) in 2022.

## IV.14 Fensfjord to Sognesjøen

### Page 146

G SKJERJEHAMN

Also now has hotel & restaurant. Fast ferry to Bergen.

J EIVINDVIK (GULEN)

Domestic electric socket outlets on the wall beyond the toilets need a very long lead.

Eivindvik brygge (Gulating Hotel). 2 pontoons, 40m & 35m. Alongside for larger boats. Electricity, sanitary facilities, washing facilities. Sheltered. Payment via GoMarina and Vipps.

☎+47 91 90 98 04 [booking@eivindvikbrygge.no](mailto:booking@eivindvikbrygge.no)

[www.eivindvikbrygge.no/gjestehamn](http://www.eivindvikbrygge.no/gjestehamn)

The Gulating, one of Norway's earliest assemblies (here initially mainly of farmers) which met in Gulen/Eivindvik 900-1300AD is mentioned in Snorri Sturluson's Heimskringla and is said to have produced Norway's first organised system of defence. Gulen heritage trail with guided walks by mobile or pre-booked with a personal guide. 10th and 11th-century stone crosses. In spite of its historical significance, Eivindvik's village population in 2022 was 315. Gulen is now the wider area (2022 population 2,230).

## IV.15 Sognefjord

### Page 150

M BALESTRAND, SOGNEFJORD/ESEFJORD

On the corner of Sognefjord's junction with the short (2M) Esefjord; 2M S of its junction with Fjærlandsfjord. Wooden guest quay, N of Kviknes Hotel (hotel guest berths).

Visitors' berths in small boat marina. Water, electricity; toilet, shower, washing machine. Unusually for a Norwegian fjord, Esefjord has reasonable anchoring depths (mainly 12-14m, less as it narrows towards its NE end).

Museum of Tourism. Sognefjord Aquarium. 'English Church' (St Olaf's), built in 1897 in the style of a stave church, is dedicated to the English wife of Knut Kviknes, owner of the Kviknes Hotel.



The English church in Balestrand John Sadd



Esefjord, Balestrand small boat harbour and fjord anchorage John Sadd

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V FLÅM

*2nd. par., line 4:* The Flåmsbana is 20km (not 14km).

Myrdal railway station at the top is 660m above fjord level, not 900m.

*Add at end:* Walk or cycle back down from Myrdal train station to the fjord (19km walking; bicycle hire in Flåm village, or at Vatnahalsen Hotel near the top). NB In June this may not be possible if there is still snow on the high ground. Round trips can be made from Bergen by train via Myrdal and ferry.

[flam-railway/round-trip](http://flam-railway/round-trip) or [rail.ninja/route/flam-to-myrdal](http://rail.ninja/route/flam-to-myrdal)  
[hike-or-bike-the-flam-valley/vatnahalsen.no/en/](http://hike-or-bike-the-flam-valley/vatnahalsen.no/en/)

## IV.16 Sognesjøen to Buefjord and Åfjord

### Page 153

H SOLNES, STEINSUNDØY

**Correction 1.4: Hardbakke (not Hardebakke)**

The yard name has changed, but its website is not accessible so it may have closed. Most recent website: [www.marinemultiservice.no](http://www.marinemultiservice.no) (website still unavailable – 'not secure' – in early 2024) Solnes Multiservice (website [solnesmultiservice.no](http://solnesmultiservice.no)) now seems to be a large excavation and building company.

## J HARDBAKKE, SULA

\*Solund Verft shipyard. Indoor winter storage for private customers in heated boat hotels; maintenance, cleaning, hull treatment. To 65m length, 20m width; lifting capacity to 64 toms.

+47 57 78 60 10; post@solundverft.no; solundverft.no

## New SELVÅGEN NATURHAVN, OSPA

61°12'.17N 4°45'.44E

Anchorage with good protection. with no visible habitation. Intricate approach from just S of Nordre Kvernane on Ospa's W coast, through Djupesundet, turning N towards Resevågen then E into Selvågen. The entry is just E of a narrow shallow sound, Søre Ospesund. Selen, an island not named on some charts, is at the SE entry of the main lagoon. Good anchoring depths.

## IV.17 Buefjord and Åfjord to Svanøy

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### A NIKKØY, BULANDET

Add Ferry to Hardbakke. From Hardbakke, bus to Krakhella, then fast ferry to Bergen (see p.153, H Solnes).



Nikkøy, Bulandet: visitors' pontoon near supermarket and café John Sadd

### C HAMNEN, VÆRØY

Add Toilets, showers, launderette. No fuel. Ferry to Askvol from ferry terminal near supermarket, c.20mins walk to S.



Værøyhamn looking past visitors' pontoon in NW corner of harbour John Sadd

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## L KORSSUND

Change l.5: 'deep water pontoons' to 'outer pontoon'.



Korssund looking SE to 8m bridge John Sadd

## IV.18 Svanøy to Frøysjøen

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### A ESPESET

2nd & 3rd lines up should be 'winds S through W to N' (not S through N to W).

### E ROGNALDSVÅGEN, REKSTA

Facilities in the NW harbour greatly improved. 40+m pontoon (power & water) from red/white building next to well-stocked shop. Shower/toilet/laundry facilities during shop opening hours.

### H FLORØ

Add Harbour berths operated by Florø Parkering, with ticketless payment from a parking meter.

\*Winter alongside with a monthly rental agreement with Florø Parkering. No out-of-season water or electricity.

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hamn@kinn.kommune.no

florohamn.no/floro-hamn/gjestehamn/

www.floroparkering.no

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## O KALVÅG, FRØYA

The berths on outer side of the two long pontoons on the N side of the harbour are exposed to the E. Delete '60-berth'. In 2023, there was only one craft shop.

### P SMORHAMN

UK Visa now accepted for fuel (possibly also other debit/credit cards).

## IV.19 Frøysjøen to Nordfjord and Sildagapet

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### K MÅLØY

Guest marina on W side, at 61°55'.97N 6°06'.8E. Bridge 40m (not 41m).

Add Express boat to Bergen, express bus to Oslo.





Måløy visitors' marina looking SE towards 40m bridge *John Sadd*

## O SILDA

*Correction* The Måløy/Florø hurtigbåt does not call at Silda. Daily ferry four times daily from/to Måløy N harbour hurtigbåtterminal, journey time 20 minutes. The S harbour restaurant was not open during the summers of 2022 or 2023.



Silda N harbour guest pontoons, looking NE towards Stattlandet *John Sadd*

## IV.20 Stattlandet (Statt)

### Page 160

#### Notorious passage and headland

*Add at end:* Construction of the inshore tunnel bypassing the exposed outer route is being put for tender in 2024. The tunnel is expected to become a major tourist attraction as well as giving safe passage inshore of the notorious Statt headland.

[kystverket.no/en/stad-ship-tunnel/](http://kystverket.no/en/stad-ship-tunnel/)

## V. THE WAY NORTH Statt to Trondheim

### Page 162

#### Forecasts

*Change* 'Florø radio Ch.2; see VHF chart' to 'coastal radio south; see p.33 VHF chart'

Navtex area is N, Florø to Rørvik (not B, Bodø).

*Add* Trondelag police district:

☎+47 73 89 90 90;

post.trondelag@politiet.no

Gryta 4, 7005 Trondheim

Møre og Romsdal police district:

☎+47 70 11 87 00

post.moreogromsdal@politiet.no

Nedre Strandgate 50, 6005 Ålesund.

Check-in and passport control police stations at Strandgata 2, 6415 Molde; and Storgata 43, 6508 Kristiansund.

#### TRANSPORT

*Ferries: Hurtigrute stops:* Torvik (not Tørvik)

*Photo caption:* Svartisen, from Holandsford

It should be on page 230, VI.12 Svartisen detour.

*Photo caption:* Harøyfjord (not Herøyfjord)

*Add \*Winter layup:* Ulsteinvik Marina; Trondheim

## V.1 Statt to Ålesund routes – outer islands

### Page 164

#### Route choices

*1st par., 4th & 5th lines up:* Steinsfjord should be Bøfjord. Breidsund in the next line should be Breisund.

#### A BORGUNDVÅG

Moor alongside wooden pontoons: S side, W of mole; 6–8m; guest pontoon in NW corner. Electricity, water.

#### Outer islands

*3rd l. up and last line:* Remøya, not Rimøy

### Page 165

#### Plan

*Changes* Steinsfjord should be Bøfjord. Breidsund should be Breisund. Voldafjord should be Voldsfjord.

#### Rosenlund Marina

Harbour refurbishment is now finished. Pub, restaurant and new hotel connected to the marina.

*2nd par. last line:* Åram (not Aram)

#### D FLÅVÆR

Private quays: permission may be given for short stay.

#### E FOSNAVÅG

Swing bridge across harbour entrance; mainly open but closes for pedestrians. Marked by flashing orange lights. Electricity and water on guest pontoons. Fuel (diesel, petrol) on first pontoon to starboard after mole. Rimøy should be Remøya.



Pedestrian swing bridge, Fosnavåg, *John Sadd*

## F RUNDE

1st para., line 2: Remøya (not Rimøy),  
Miljøsester summer café/restaurant.

## V.2 Middle route - Ulsteinvik

### Page 166

#### Main route to Ulsteinvik

Add A more straightforward and direct route: after going under the 30m bridge S of Leinøy, it is 2.5M into Ulsteinvik: cross the sound to continue ENE past Dimnaset, Dimna's NW point, and through Teigesund N of Dimna and islets into Ulsteinvik.

## A STORENESET, GURSKØY (not HERØY)

### C ULSTEINVIK Ulsteinvik Marina

\*\*Large heated hall and outside storage. Lift to 50 tonnes. Maintenance and repairs.

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## B STORE HATLØY: change to HATLØY/BORGARØYA

Anchor in bay on S side of Hatløya. Or moor alongside concrete pontoons 0.25M SW on N side of Borgarøya at 62°10'4N5°46'76E; water, electricity, toilet. Weekend summer café. Good walks.

Lines 5/6: the unnamed islands are, from W: Stegleholm, Smedhom, Fugleholm, Petterholm, and Jensholm (marina and road linking to islands N and S).

### Page 168

Photo of lighthouse: incorrectly captioned - it is not at the entry to the Green Corridor.

## V.3 Green Corridor

### Page 169

#### New LANTERNEN, JENSHOLM 62°18'75N 5°42'2E

Marina on SW corner of island linked by road S across Nautøya to Gurskøya, N across Blankholm N over 30m bridge to Leinøya. Visitors' jetty with access to sanitary facilities. Restaurant (seats 100), holiday cabins, small boat hire, camping. The land map also shows a breakwater and pontoon on the NE corner.

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lanternen.no/EN/

#### New DRAGSUND 62°16'97N 5°49'7E

Marina just W and N of the Dragsund 20m bridge. Pontoon for 2-4 boats. 6m. Electricity and water. 1km to food shop and fuel.

## V.4 Inner Route

### Page 170

#### B RAUDØYNA

Pontoon on N side of E end of island; no charge. Shelter, fireplaces, wood all also free. Half the island is state owned. Raudøyholm, small island to its N, is state owned with free access.

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Plan: as page 165 Bøfjord (not Steinsund), Breisund (not Breidsund), Storfjord (not Størfjord)

### C SÆTRE (VARTDAL), VARTDALSFJORD

The village is Sætre. The marina is Vartdals Småbåtlag. N/S concrete pontoon. Moor on E and N sides. Toilet in service



Sætre (Vartdal) Hans-Petter Sandseth

#### New NORDRE VARTDAL 62°19'57N 6°08'7E

Mainland mole harbour. Moor alongside. 2m. No facilities. Near church. 1.7M NE of Vartdals Båtlag (E39 road along the coast). Good start for walk into mountains.

#### Plan

Letter E (Hareid) should be in bay N of letter D. Changes as plan p.165. Add Nordre Vartdal. (Steinsfjord should be Bøfjord. Breidsund should be Breisund. Voldafjord should be Voldsfjord.)

#### E HAREID

Arctic museum (Ishavsmuseet) at Brandal (62°24'E 6°00'6E), at the current position of E on the chart, 2M N of Hareid (3.5km by coast road: Norwegian sealing and winter hunting) ('Ships of wood, crew made of iron'). Mole harbour with bows-to small boat berths. www.ishavsmuseet.no/english-summery/ ☎+47 70 09 20 04, Mob. ☎+47 951 17 644 post@ishavsmuseet.no; ishavsmuseet.no

#### Add Langevågsholmene

Small archipelago off N side of Sula, on S side of Borgundfjord, S of E end of Hessa, SSE of Ålesund. Langevåg is a bay and small town on Sula's N coast. There are several anchoring and mooring possibilities in the islands.

#### F FYLLINGEN, LANGEVÅGSHOLMENE

Incorrectly named. It should be Svinholm, Langevågsholmene.

It is between Svinholm (N, not named on chart) and Hattholm (S, charted Ha). 5-6m, SE of the Svinholm light (Iso 4s) at the island's E end.

#### New STORHOLM, LANGEVÅGSHOLMENE

62°27N 6°11'27E

Bay NW of Svinholm light. Two free pontoons, toilet shed, BBQ areas. Keep gate to pontoons shut as there may be grazing sheep or goats.

#### New GÅSHOLM, LANGEVÅGSHOLMENE

62°27'1N 6°12'3E

E side of largest and furthest NE of the islands. Seilerhytte marina belonging to Ålesunds Seilforening. Visitors welcome. SW/NE guest pontoon (at position given). 6m. Water. Electricity. Mooring buoys. Former trading post. Footpaths. Beach. At low water it is possible to walk to Flatholm.

c.40 short-term guest berths.

https://aasf.no/ dagligleder@aasf.no



Gåsholm, Ålesund Seilforening Seilerhytte marina *Hans-Petter Sandseth*

**New FLATHOLM/GÅSHOLM, LANGEVÅGSHOLMENE** 62°27'N 6°12'E

Sheltered lagoon S of Flatholm and Gåsholm to N, entered from S between Tennholm and Bukholm (neither named on chart). Anchor, avoiding charted wreck and underwater cable to E between Gåsholm and Sula N coast; 3–14m. Moor alongside Flatøya. Mooring buoy (10 ton).



Gåsholm/Flatholm lagoon *Hans-Petter Sandseth*

**New STADNESHAMNA** 62°26'.5-N 6°11'.2E

New guest harbour, near Langevåg/Ålesund fast catamaran ferry dock. Electricity and water on concrete pontoon. Mainly for small boats, but space for yachts on both sides of outer pontoon. Electricity and water.

**G VEGSUNDSTRANDA, VEGSUND**

Guest pontoon, S side of sound, belonging to Fole festig pub/restaurant. E side of bridge. Live music at weekend.

**V.5 Voldsfjord to Geirangerfjord**

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**Voldsfjord and Ørstafjord**

**B VOLDA**

Diesel. Municipal 30m guest pier (new in 2020); electricity, water. Dalsfjord Lighthouse Museum on the other side of the fjord.

**New ØRSTA, ØRSTAFJORD** 62°11'.88N ·N 6°07'.2E

At head of 5M Ørstafjord. Stone mole. Pontoons. Depth to 2·2m, greater than it seems on chart (two 1m spots on small boat pontoons). Yachts to 40ft, depth to 2·2m, on NW pontoon. Water, electricity. Launderette. Fuel (diesel, petrol). Small town with shops, restaurants, hotels; Ørsta-Volda airport 3km. Spectacular mountain surroundings.



Ørsta guest pontoon, boats to 40ft *Hans-Petter Sandseth*

**Hjørundfjord and Norangsfjord**

**New URKE, NORANGSFJORD** 62°12'.6N 6°34'.6E

Pontoons at W end of Urkebukta bay on N side of Norangsfjord, 1·3M E of junction with Hjørundfjord. Depth 10m. Electricity, water. Pub/café. In summer, local produce can be bought at a local farm. Good day mountain hikes.



Urke Norangsfjord *Hans-Petter Sandseth*

**New INDRE TRANDAL, HJØRUNDEFJORD**

62°15'.18N 6°30'.2E

E side, 5M up fjord. Christian Gaard guest marina. In calm weather, boats can moor along outer pontoon. Electricity. Toilet, shower. WiFi. Fuel to N; credit and debit cards. Restaurant/hotel water taxis. Summer guests include international artists. Weekend music festivals. Christian Gaard is only accessible by boat and is still owned by the same family as 500 years ago.

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[christian-gaard.no/en/](http://christian-gaard.no/en/)



Christian Gaard, hotel/restaurant marina and outer pontoon *Hans-Petter Sandseth*

**New BJØRKE, STORFJORD** 62°06'.3N 6°33'E

At the head of the S continuation of Hjørundfjord, which changes its name to Storfjord S of its junction with Norangsfjord (confusingly, as Storfjord is also the name of the fjord to the N, S of Uksenøya and E of Sulafjord). Pontoon: 5 guest berths at W end. Toilet, shower. Good base for walking, cycling, mountain hiking and climbing. Indiefjord August weekend music festival ('bringing indiepop to the fjords'). Bakketunet, in Bjørke village: museum with restored farm building dating back to the 16th century, food, exhibitions including arts and crafts.

**Add SYKKYLVSEFJORD**

Most Norwegian furniture is made near the mouth of this relatively short fjord (5M), E of Hjørundfjord, in two harbours with furniture manufacture, export and museums. 16m bridge to their S. Good walks into the hills from both harbours

**Add IKORNNES, SYKKELSEFJORD** 62°23'.4N 6°33'.4E

Marina with easy entrance and guest pontoons, W side of fjord. Water and electricity. Ekornes Stressless furniture manufactured S of marina. Restaurant. Aqualand.



**New SYKKYLVEN, SYKKLESFJORD** 62°23'·9N 6°34'·7E  
Marina with easy entrance. Protected by stone mole. Two guest pontoons at N end. Service building with all facilities. Short walk to town centre for shops, cafés, restaurants. Good overview of Storfjorden from the top of hill to the S.

### Storfjord, Norddalsfjord, Sunnlyvsfjord

#### F STRANDA

Ferry wash and traffic can make this uncomfortable. Locals recommend instead Stordal, to its N on the E side of the fjord

#### New STORDAL

 62°22'·8N 6°58'·9E

Marina. Pontoons with electricity and water. Service building with toilet, shower and kitchen. Sandy beach to S at mouth of Stordalselva salmon river. Diesel and petrol at petrol station to N in the bay. Restaurant with local food, minimarket. 1.5km to unusual 'Rose church', built on the site of a 12<sup>th</sup>-13<sup>th</sup>-century stave church and decorated with rose painting in 1799 by travelling craftsmen. Museum with parson's house from 1850, turf-roofed storehouse from 1750, and Løsetstova, a farmhouse from the 1790s lived in by the Løset family until 1942. Open late June through to end of first week in August)  
rosekyrkja.com

#### New VALLDAL, NORDDALSFJORD

 62°17'·8N 7°15'·8E  
Preferred by locals to Geiranger

**New NORDDAL, NORDDALSFJORD** 62°15'·2N 7°13'·7E  
Marina. Water and electricity. Quiet. Tonga local brewery and pub in barn. For brewery tour and beer tasting  
Email post@tongabrygg.no  
breweryvisits.eu/norway/norrdal/brewery/tonga

**New VIKEN, NORDDALSFJORD** 62°17'·6N 7°17'·8E  
Walk into the mountains from the fjord. 1km to Valldal centre, through tunnel (reflective clothing and lights needed).

#### Geirangerfjord

This is now very busy and touristy. Valldal, Norddal and Viken, in Norddalsfjord N of and parallel to Geirangerfjord, are all quieter, and preferred by locals.

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*Plan:* Letters F and G should be further N, just next to and below the 'd' in Storfjord.

### V. 6 Ålesund and routes to Kristiansund

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##### Art nouveau architecture

*Lines 3 and 4:* Heissa and Heissafjord are now Hessa and Hessafjord.

**Add VOLDSEFJORD (VOLDAFJORD)** 62°28'·2N 6°10'·8  
Mooring but no facilities; payment by GoMarina app. Wheelchair friendly walk 1.5km into town centre.

#### A ÅLESUND

**Vågen** 3<sup>rd</sup> line and **Brosund (Brusund)** 3<sup>rd</sup> line: now no payment meters. Payment by GoMarina app; includes WiFi, electricity and water. Self-operated sewage disposal pump S of most northerly pontoons.

**Harbour wall:** the harbour walls now not consisting of pontoons are reserved for large vessels.

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alesund.havn.no



Ålesund harbour looking SW towards bridge at far end of Brosund John Sadd

#### B NØRVEVIKA

Petrol and diesel at Bunker Oil pontoon. Most protected marina. New clubhouse and facilities, but no specific guest berths. When a boat is away and the club chairman has been notified of owner's permission, visitors may use an empty space.  
Email dagligleder@aasf.no

#### Fuel in Ålesund

**Hessa:** three fuel stations, for boats; pumps on pontoons. South: Bunker Oil 62°27'·7N 6°07'·8N; only diesel. West: MH Service 62°27'·9N 6°07'·3E; diesel and petrol; under 17m bridge  
Skarbøvik. Tankanlegg (Shell) 62°28'·3N 6°07'·4N; diesel; petrol; under construction 2022  
Nørvevika 62°28'·2'N 6°12'·4'E: Bunker Oil, diesel and petrol. There is also fuel on Hessa at Osholmen W of 17m bridge.

### V.7 Ålesund to Molde, Åndalsnes and Julsund-Ålesund to Midfjord

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Small harbours near Ålesund not checked out but recommended by a local: some may only be suitable for small boats.

**New ALNES, GODØYA** 62°29'·2N 5°58'·8E  
Mole harbour, E side of NW promontory with light on N tip; harbour charted 2m S, 7m N.

**New SVINØYA WEST** 62°28'·77N 6°16'·16E

**New SVINØYA SOUTH** 62°28'·6N 6°16'·5E

**New LILLE KALVØY** 62°28'·84N 6°18'·4E  
Small harbour, rental fishing boats, island's S side.  
lille-kalvoy.com

**New TERØYA** 62°33N 6°16'E

Marina on SE side of island.

**New SØVIKA** 62°32'·6N 6°17'E

Mole harbour, 4m; probably small boats only.

**New LEPSØYHAMNA, LEPSØYA** 62°36'N 6°13'·5E  
NW of low bridge across islets. 3–5m in outer harbour. Small boat inner harbour.

**New AUSTNES, HARAMSØYA** 62°38'·4N 6°16'·4E  
Near S end of island's E coast. Possible mooring for moderately sized yachts at Haramsøy Småbåtlag. Larger harbour to S. Quays and development along S part of E coast. No exit to N between Haramsøya and Flemsøya to its E.

**New KROKSHOLMANE, HRAMSØYA** 65°40'·2N 6°13'·4E  
Charted anchorage S of small islets off NE coast. Sand.

New **FLEM, FLEMSØYA** 62°40'·8N 6°14'·26E  
Mole harbour, NE corner of island, SE of 8m bridge to Haramsøya. Small boat harbour N of entry.

New **BRATTVÅG, SAMFJORD** 62°35'·7N 6°27'E  
No marina, but it may be possible to tie up alongside W shore. Brattvåg population c.2,500. Sports club and stadium. Factories, including winch manufacture.

## V.8 Outer islands to Bud

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**G NORDRE and H SØRE BJØRNSUND**

There is no longer a public ferry service.

*Replace text deleting confusing references to Nordre and Midtre Hammarøy (not named on charts).*

**G NORDRE BJØRNSUND**

**NE approach** From SW of Støresund light on Oddane islets W of Bud, line up 2 *varder* with stone bear.

**SE approach** Leaving marked drying rocks and light to their N to port.

**Entry** Between Hammarøya (W) and Nordøya (E) NNW under 22m cable, leaving marked rocks under cable to starboard and next marker to port.

**H (SØRE) BJØRNSUND**

Name on land map is Bjørnsund. Between Kuholmen (W; not named on chart) and Sørøya (E).

New **STEINSHAMN, HARØYA** 62°47'·25N 6°28'·7E  
Harbour on NE side of N tip of island at the top of Harøyfjord. Protected by breakwaters either side of entrance at position given. Small marina in NW corner, 2·3–3·1m alongside 80m-long NE visitors' quay, but possibly only 1·8m on approach past northernmost small boat pontoon; water and electricity. Small boat pontoons have less depth. Commercial harbour on W side of outer harbour, S of entry; anchoring would impede manoeuvring. Shops in Steinshamn village ½ mile away.



Steinshamn NE Harøya, guest pontoons *John Sadd*

New **FINNØYA** 62°48'·24N 6°30'·6E  
Mole harbour on NE corner of Finnøya at the top of Harøyfjord, connected by causeway to larger Harøya to its SW. Entered from N. Long guest pontoon and small boat marina in sheltered SW end; water, electricity; honesty box. Although this is charted as drying, 4m minimum has been experienced on the guest pontoon. Hostel. Clubhouse. Hotel. Marine engine museum (there was formerly a fishing boat engine factory on Finnøy).



Finnøya, Harøyfjord guest pontoon *John Sadd*

**E HAMNEVÅGEN**

New concrete pontoon; c.120m long, to W on port side after mole. Electricity and water.



Pontoon at Hamnevågen, Sandøy *Hans-Petter Sandseth*

*Add Bjørnsund anchorage*

Not advised, although in settled weather this might be possible N of Nordre Bjørnsund in the bay between Måøya to its NW and the causeways lining it to Maøya (11m; open to NE).



Bjørnsund. Narrow entry. Yacht alongside on guest quay *John Sadd*

## V.9 Hustadvika

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**Hustadvika**

*Add Dubla shortcut, Bud to Stoplan*

Proceeding from Bud to the Stoplan passage, a shorter route, weather permitting, heads NNW through Storsund (not named on plan) between inshore and offshore groups of islands, E of the light on the largest island (Nordre Odden; not named on plan). Then turn ENE parallel to the shore to pass N of Dubla light (62°55'·15N 6°55'·21E) and between markers offshore of skinny Ersholmen (not named on plan) before turning NNE between islands charted Grønhl and those off the W end of Dråga, continuing past the Stabbeflua light to join the Stoplan passage.



Stoplan, approaching NE exit *John Lancaster-Smith*



Ersholmen behind Dubla light and marker John Lancaster-Smith

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### A ERS HOLMEN, LANGØY

*Correction Delete 'Langøy'. Ersholmen (2.2M long) and Langøya (0.31M long) are separate skinny islands just off mainland. Anchor S of light (Fl R 3s) on the SE tip of Ersholmen, 200m SW of the S tip of Langøya. Charted fish farms between mainland and Ersholmen, just W of anchorage, and S of W end of Ersholmen*

### D EAHOLM/LANGHOLM

Position incorrect on plan, page 180. D should be c.2M WNW, SSW of Kvitholm Light.

### E SMØRHOLM

Position should be 63°00'·4"E 7°16'·5"E (at charted anchorage).

## V.12 Talgsløen to Edøyfjord, Grip and Smøla

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### D RINGHOLM

#### Add Ringholmen Sjøhus

This has now re-opened as a restaurant, hotel, conference centre and music venue. Ferry connections from Kristiansund 08:30, returning 15:20. Fishing boat and paddleboard rental; rib trips (minimum age 8yrs).

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### New ÅRSUND, ÅRSUNDØYA 65°05'·7N 7°58'·5E

Add 7M E of Kristiansund via Ormsund S of Nordlandet (18m bridges), or slightly further going N of Nordlandet (28m bridge) then SE. Convenient anchorage in bay on E side of Årsundøya, at SW end of Årsundfjord on NE corner of junction with Freifjord. Sheltered from NW through to S but open to NE. Anchor in 5-6m in sand. Pontoon on N shore, depth unknown and there don't appear to be any facilities.

Add 24m cable from middle S of island to mainland, 0.75M WSW of a charted anchorage also called Årsund, in Langøysund on the N shore of the peninsula between Freifjord and Halsafjord. (NB Another Årsund in Samford, page 176)

### New STOKKBUKTA, VALSØYA 63°08'·78N 8°32'·51E

Anchorage in bight on E side of low-lying tree-lined island of Valsøya, S of Ertvågøya. Sheltered except from anything with E in it. Anchor in 12m in sand/mud.

### New MÅGERØYA, TRONDHEIMSLEIA

63°27'·13N 8°59'·05E

Island on S side of Trondheimsleia. Mågerøya Gjestgiveri, a former trading station, has berths for 10-15 boats alongside or bows-to. Toilet, shower. Guest house with summer restaurant and museum. Charted anchorage on NE coast is limited by underwater cables and 'No anchoring signs'.

### New VÅGAUNET (AUNBUKTA) 63°25'·07N 8°56'·28E

Beautiful mainland anchorage 2M S of the Trondheimsleia, S of E end of Røstøya, SW of Magerøya. Good shelter from

NW to SSE. Anchor in 7m; shelves to 2m. Some smart but modest looking properties to N and S of bay have private landing stages or pontoons. Chiff chaffs.

Add The 16m bridge near the N end of Aursund can be avoided by passing W of the island Røttøya. 28m bridge. The passage S of the island is narrow (27m), depth charted 2·5m.



Narrow passage S of Remøya to avoid Aursund 16m bridge John Lancaster-Smith

## V.14 Edøyfjord to Trondheim

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### New VALHOLMEN, RØSTØYA, TRONDHEIMSLEIA

63°26'·57N 8°55'·05E

A choice of two beautiful anchorages either side of Valholmen, small island in bay on E side of Røstøya. Both in approximately 10m with sand/rock bottom. Surrounded by the tree covered, low lying main island.

### New BYSTINGHOLM 63°32'·9N 9°21'·12 E

Pleasant anchorage on S side of Trondheimsleia, SE of Hitra, on E side of small island. NE of a small-boat harbour at 63°32'·7N 9°20'·8"E. Shallows between anchorage and small boat harbour. Anchor in 6m clear of local moorings. Shelter from ENE through to WNW.

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### N KONGENSVOLL

Marina and campsite were up for sale in 2022, and no longer had a travel lift or catered for yachts over-wintering. The 10-T boat hoist was not set up for boats with masts.

## V.15 Trondheim

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### Add Harbours and berths

✳️ Winter layup: enquiry form on [trondheimhavn.no/en](http://trondheimhavn.no/en)

Useful website with information and aerial views of Skansen, Fosenkai and Brattørbassenger marinas: [trondheimhavn.no/en/tjeneste/guest-harbor-in-trondheim/](http://trondheimhavn.no/en/tjeneste/guest-harbor-in-trondheim/)

**Payment for Skansen, Fosenkai, and Brattørbassenget Go Marina App** (for Brattørbassenget, Trondheim Brattøra Gjestehavn and not Trondheim Brattøra Næringbrygge, which is for the middle pontoon and is not for visitors); payment machine; envelopes in info box. Payment gives a 4-digit code for access to facilities. Skansen facilities now in Trondheim Sailing Association building.

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**Fosenkai and Brattørbassenget (Brattøra Guest Harbour) in Shell building.**



BRATTØRBASSENGET 63°26'.33N 10°23'.92E

Replace text in book with Brattøra Guest Harbour guest pontoons in inner Brattøra harbour, SW of highspeed ferry berths. Three pontoons. The first and third are available for guests. Electricity. Facilities (including laundry), 12 minutes walk in the lorry park for the docks. 50NOK for five days access and usage.

Plan: Brattørbassenget, E, is between C and D.

## VI. ACROSS THE ARCTIC CIRCLE

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Add Police districts for check-in and passport control

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Add Kongensgate 81, 8006 Bodø

\*Winter layup: Skarsvåg Marina, Fjellværsøya; Rørvik Marina AS, Marøya; Bodø

### VI.1 Trondheimsleai to Frohavet

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New FJELLVÆRSØYA 63°39'.16N 09°02'.6E

\*Skarsvåg Marina off the NE corner of Hitra, S of E end of road linking Hitra and Fjellværsøya. Formerly called Båthotellet Hitra. Main business building aluminium workboats, but keen to attract sailing yachts, as well as motorboats. Layup under cover or outside. 35-T travel lift. Riggmaster A/S from Trondheim helps with unstepping masts. Bus stop outside yard for first of two buses and fast ferry direct to Trondheim train station. skarsvaag.com

## J VÅGEN, STORFOSNA

Ferry to mainland.

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#### E SANDNES

Guest pontoon in first marina on SE side of inlet. 25m hammerhead. 8m. Water, electricity. Most other berths occupied by locals. Supermarket. Fuel (petrol, diesel) on Coop pontoon. Exposed to N.



Sandnes hammerhead guest berths Wave-breaker port hand on entry. Fuel berth extreme right *John Sadd*

### VI.3 Frohavet to Bessaker

#### Page 206

#### C KURINGVÅGEN

Fuel dock at Harsvik, 0.5M W of 30m bridge.



Kuringvågen, Stokksund. Visitors' pontoon left of centre *John Sadd*

## E ANSTEINSUND

The cables mentioned in the book are no longer there. There is a 1.3M underwater cable from SW Kvinnøya, on the E side of the sound, W side of Værøya, to Allmenningen to its SW. Charted 10m and 7m overhead cables link the small islands N of Ansteinsund.

## H BESSAKER

Two pontoons suitable for shorts stays for shopping or fuelling. Bessaker Båtforening at Vikbukta (I; 20 minute walk into town) is better for overnight stays.

### VI.4 Bessaker to Folda

#### Page 210

#### P UTVORDA

Not yacht-friendly. Hammerhead nearest harbour entrance is exposed. Unlikely to be space on the three main pontoons. Short (6m) pontoon off quay.

Utvorda hammerhead seen from exposed entrance

*John Sadd*

### VI.5 Otterøy and Folda to Rørvik

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New BRAKSTADHAMN, JØA (correct spelling, not Joa)

64°40'·4N 11°11'·7E

NW corner of JØA. Marked entry (position given) E of skerry. 40m pontoon, 8m. Better shelter than older pontoon below pub/restaurant. Water, electricity. Good cycling/walking. Supermarket in Dun, centre of island (5km).

#### G SØRGJÆSLINGAN

The guest pontoon is 50m long, with water but no electricity. Pay mooring fee at part-time shop/museum (Buttik). Generator providing the island's electricity in NE corner of guest harbour runs 0730–2300. Between mid-September and mid-May, the island has no electricity and is closed.

*Last paragraph* Showers and toilets near ferry terminal.



Sørgjæslingan looking NE. Guest pontoon on left, between Nakken (Na) & Lyngnesholm *John Sadd*

### VI.6 Rørvik

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#### RØRVIK

Guest berths both sides of first pontoon and S side of second pontoon. No WiFi in harbour. Clubhouse open 0700–2400.



Rørvik. Guest berths on the first pontoon and right side of second *John Sadd*

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New RØRVIK MARINA AS, MARØYA 64°50'·8N 11°15'·8E

\*NE corner of Marøya island (N of 16m bridge). Winter storage (boats to 70ft/50T) ashore inside 2 modern large heated (15°C) halls or outside on hard standing. 400-T lift. Full engineering and repair services. For winter layup, select 'Vinterlagring' from website drop-down menu.

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### VI.7 Rørvik to Brønnøysund

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#### D SOLSEMVÅG, LEKA

Access to cave only in guided tours. Schedule of tours for next few days posted in shelter by car park.

#### E SKEISHAMNA, LEKA

North Harbour: the pontoon has been extended well beyond 40m.

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*Correction to caption of Skeishamna, Leka:* Photo should be attributed to James Yarrow (not John Sadd)



Rørvik Marina AS yard, Marøya. Maintenance and winter storage under cover or outside *James Yarrow*

### VI.8 Brønnøysund to Alsta

#### Page 220

Grandiose views, low flat islands

*Correction 4th line up:* population c.1,200 (not 12,000)

### VI.9 Alsta to Mo i Rana and inner islands

#### Page 223

#### E MO I RANA

No public transport to Swedish shopping centre. Moholm marina. Pontoon ends exposed to wind funnelling up the fjord, and may be untenable in F 6–7 winds between S through SW to W. Max. 4m between pontoons. Shower, toilet, washing machine. More convenient for town than Toranes.

F NESNA  
Now no bank

### VI.10 Outer islands: Lovund and Træne

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#### A SOLFJELLSJØEN

Guest pontoon protected by a wave breaker. Open from W through N to NE. Water, electricity, fuel, clubhouse.

### VI.11 Inner lead: Sjona to Skarsfjord

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#### K SELVÅG, RODØY

Add Three long concrete pontoons for visitors; no mooring buoys. Still possible to anchor. Showers and laundry facilities included in the mooring fees (no need for coins).

### VI.12 Svartisen detour

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#### D ENGEN

See photo of pontoon which has replaced the one shown in the book. Electricity on pontoon, water at head of pontoon. Root end of pontoon on S side reserved for tripper boats.



Engen pontoon, Holandsfjord, and Engelbreen arm of Svartisen  
*John Sadd*

### VI.13 Skarsfjord to Statt

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*Caption:* Bolga (not Bolgo)

### VI.14 Støtt to Saltfjord and Bodø

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#### A INNDYR

Now only one (Co-Op) supermarket with PO. Supermarket at head of jetty closed.

### Brønnøysund to Bodø

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#### BODØ

Add Northern Norwegian Maritime Center

\*On Burøya, narrow peninsula forming NW side of harbour. Boat lift to 50 tons. Outdoor winter storage for c.20 boats. Good cradles provided. Masts can be left stepped. Maintenance. Hull repairs. Volvo Penta, Suzuki Marine, Yanmar agents.

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marinesenter.no

#### Add RØNVIKLEIRA, BODØ HAVN

\*Yachts can be wintered afloat on visitors' pontoons at the head of the harbour (ice-free). ☎+47 75 55 10 80  
www.bodohavn.no/ firmapost@bodohavn.no

## VII. THE NORTH

### Bodø to Lofoten and Tromsø

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Add Police districts for check-in and passport control

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\*Winter layup Rødskjær (Raudskjær), Sandtorg; Gisund Båthavn, Finnsnes; Tromsø city centre marina; Skattøra Marina, Tromsøy; Eidkjosen

### VII.1 Vestfjord, mainland side

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#### C LEIRVIKA

Single 15m long pontoon, room for 1 yacht each side.

Depth greater than 3m, water, electricity.

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#### T LEIRVIKBOGEN

Add Passage under the bridges across Flagsund S of Engeløy is between islands Ålstadøy (Ål) and Bogøya (bridge 25m). Although bridge clearance S of Bogøya is 25m, there is also a 6m cable and only 1 m depth. N of Ålstadøy the bridge is low (1.3m) curving NW/NE to Engeløy.

Showers and launderette in club house. Supermarket. Fast ferries to Bodø and Svolvær.



Leirvikbogen looking NW past guest pontoon and fish factory  
*John Sadd*

### VII.7 Flakstadøy

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#### B NUSFJORD

Diesel no longer for general sale. Ballstad is the nearest alternative.

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*Flakstadøy plan:* Bridge clearance N Moskenesøy is 18m (not 1m).



## VII.8 Vestvågøy and Gimsøy

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### A BALLSTAD

Two 25m hammerheads for visitors in SW arm of harbour yacht marina. 2.5–3m, water and electricity, hotel with restaurant.



Ballstad: guest berths on pontoon hammerheads in SW corner of harbour *John Sadd*

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### F STAMSUND

Add 23m cable between Tørnholm and Smiholm on S approach. Pontoon connected to restaurant/pub on Skjæret, E side of Stamneset on W side of main approach, has been shortened to 18m to make way for a new public pontoon. A second public pontoon has been installed to the SW of Skæret. Mooring fees on hotel pontoon are lower than on public pontoons.

#### Buohavn (Buohamna)

Enter N of Stor Buøya. No access between Buohavn and main Stamsund harbour. Pontoon.



Stamsund: guest berths SW of pub and restaurant *John Sadd*

## VII.9 Austvågøy

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### A HENNINGSVÆR

Add position: Anchorage to NE: 60°09'.9E 14°14'E



Henningsvær looking NE; main guest berths in foreground *John Sadd*

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### F SVOLVÆR

More room for visitors with new pontoons NE of bridge to Lamholmen Island. Deeper (3+m) and quieter than outer end of the old longer pontoon near town square. Water and electricity.



Svolvær: guest berths NE of bridge to Lamholm, looking across bridge to town centre berths *John Sadd*

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### G RISVÆR

Add Permission will usually be given to moor alongside a vacant private dock.

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F SKIPØY, BROTTØY should be SKIPØYA, BROTTØYA

## VII.13 Andøya, and Raftsund to Risøysund

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### E STOKMARKNES

The chandlery is now closed.

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### I SORTLAND

New large concrete guest pontoon, 500m S of bridge. Water and electricity.



Sortland: new guest pontoon looking SE *John Sadd*

## VII.14 Islands north of Hinnøy and Harstad

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Viking and mining heritage

Iron is now no longer mined in the area.

## Bjarkøy

Ferry between Bjarkøy and Harstad takes 1hr 25m and runs 3 times a day.

### Page 275

#### K HARSTAD

Fast ferries to Tromsø via Engenes, Brøstadbotn, Finnsnes, and Senja via Flakstadsvåg, Skrolsvik, Grøttøy, Bjarkøy. [www.visittromso.no/travel/getting-around/express-boat-and-ferries](http://www.visittromso.no/travel/getting-around/express-boat-and-ferries)

Express Boats Tromsø–Finnsnes; Tromsø–Skjervøy;

Tromsø–Lysnes, Senja

Ferries Lyngen; Brensholm, Kvaløya–Botnham, Senja;

Gryllefjord, Senja–Andenes, Vesterålen: end May to start

Sept

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#### Add RØDSKJÆR (RAUDSKJÆR), SANDTORG

68°34'.65N 16°31'.54E

\*Boat yard and ship builder on N side of Raudskjær peninsula. Boat lift to 80 tons, boats to 21m. Year-round heated hall. Maintenance. Fibreglass repairs. Engine service. Selfa Arctic contact details are for Trondheim (no over-wintering facilities) and Rødskjær/Harstad. +47 469 73 300 [www.selfa.no](http://www.selfa.no)

## VII.18 Gisundet

### Page 284

#### A FINNSNES

\*Gisund Båthavn Add: Over-wintering on boat club visitors' pontoon. Reasonable price; run by club members with no employed staff. Contact the club to enquire about a local contact to look after your boat (this is a club requirement).

☎+47 90 67 37 47 [gisunds.baathavn@gmail.com](mailto:gisunds.baathavn@gmail.com)

[www.gisund-bathavn.no](http://www.gisund-bathavn.no)

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#### F GIBOSTAD

New pontoons on E side of harbour; water and electricity. Pontoon on W side; no water or electricity. Ship repair yard appears to be permanently closed.

Correction RH, par.2: Nickel mines employed (not explored)

## VII.19 Senja outer coast and Sommarøy

### Page 287

#### H BOTNHAMN, STØNESBOTN

Correction: delete Starboard entry marker to N. Second starboard entry marker to houses on island.

#### K SOMMARØY

SOMMARØY (SOMMARØYA) is the correct spelling (not SOMMERØY).

## VII.21 Tromsø

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#### A TROMSØ, TOWN HARBOUR (INDREHAMNA)

##### \*City centre guest marina

Just S of W end of 36.5m bridge to mainland from Tromsøya. Winter afloat, on town side of inner harbour, by agreement with Harbour Office. No supervision, so it is advisable to find someone local to keep an eye on your boat, clear snow etc.

☎+47 911 07 444 [havnevakta@tromso.havn.no](mailto:havnevakta@tromso.havn.no)

[tromso.havn.no/en/services/small-craft-harbour](http://tromso.havn.no/en/services/small-craft-harbour)

#### B SKATTØRA MARINA

\*2.5M N of bridge and town centre marina. Bus service to town centre. Winter afloat (ice free) or ashore, possibly with mast up. Possible storage ashore for bedding etc.

☎+47 480 44 909 [post@skattoramarina.no](mailto:post@skattoramarina.no)

[velihavn.no/gjestehavner/troms/skattora-marina](http://velihavn.no/gjestehavner/troms/skattora-marina)

#### C EIDKJOSEN

Pontoons used by charter companies for weekend changeovers, with space for visitors on weekdays. 15m, on W side at 69°40'.4N 18°44'.8E. Max. length 60m, draught 5m. Water and electricity.

\*Overwintering. ☎+47 900 16 571

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[velihavn.no/gjestehavner/eidkjosen-havneservice](http://velihavn.no/gjestehavner/eidkjosen-havneservice)

## VIII. THE FAR NORTH Tromsø to Nordkapp and the Russian border

### VIII.1 Islands west and north of Tromsø

#### Page 302

**RØSNESHAMN** 69°48'·3N 19°15'·9E

Lunchtime or settled weather anchorage, S end of Ringvassøya. Anchor in 10-12m of water just N of the islet. Metal floating pontoon projecting from the shore suitable for dinghy landing. Anchor chains projecting S from the pontoon prevent coming alongside. A good spot to drop skiers for an ascent of Nordfjellet.

#### C FINNKROKEN ISLANDS

Good holding at 69°49'·7N 19°25'·4E in 6-8m. Patchy holding at 69°49'·5N 19°25'·2E in 8m. Shelving further out between the islands. No noteworthy currents.

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*Plan correction:* Letter I should be on E side of W peninsula

**New SANDNESET, NORD LENANGEN** 69°54'N 20°10'·3E

Pontoon with water and electricity on S side of wooden fishing pier on point halfway up fjord. Depth on outer side c.10m. Anchor in 8m.



Pontoon halfway up Nord Lenangen *Will Eaton*

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#### N FOLLESØYAN

W into the channel it narrows quickly but the depth holds making it hard to lay enough scope. It would also be possible to anchor in the bay SW of the cable, entering from the S; depth 1·9m W of the cable, 16m further W, otherwise 2-2·5m. The 12m cable between the islands is thought to be further E than charted.

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#### A AKKARVIK

Good holding in 4-10m at 7°03'·3'N 20°30'·2E

NW of anchor symbol on chart, S of Akkarvik harbour (Slettnes). Community bar.



Akkarvik *Will Eaton*

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#### C SKJERVØY

The first inner harbour pontoon on the starboard side is a visitor pontoon with water and electricity. The second pontoon has cheaper guest access on the hammerhead. In 2022 there was still an honesty box for payment at the end of the gangway. Access phone number for showers on the clubhouse door.

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#### Jøkelfjord

Good holding off Vika at 70°04'·3N 21°59'·2E; 8-10m. Local moorings and steep shelving make access to the anchorage marked 'J' tricky for more than 1 yacht. 'Ecopod' style hotel on the beach at Jøkelfjordeidet (position given in the book).



Jøkelfjord at midnight in early July *Will Eaton*

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#### A BERLEVÅG

Showers may be possible at tourist information near museum E of the pontoons on the point.



## IX FARTHEST NORTH

### Bjørnøya, Svalbard and Jan Mayen

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##### Sailing in Svalbard

##### Cruising permits and regulations

Add Svalbard, including Bjørnøya, is not a member of Schengen. However, foreign citizens with a visa requirement for the Schengen Area must have a Schengen visa when travelling to and from Svalbard via mainland Norway. It's important to ensure that you get a double-entry visa so you can return to the Schengen Area (mainland Norway) after your stay in Svalbard. The electronic visa-waiver ETIAS (European Travel Information and Authorisation System) due to be introduced in 2024 will be required for any non-Schengen or EU residents who travel to or from Svalbard via Norway.

[etias.com](https://etias.com)

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##### Pilot books and useful guides

The Cruise Handbook for Svalbard Norwegian Polar Institutt. Online free download; order form for printed book in links on website:

[cruise-handbook.npolar.no/en](https://cruise-handbook.npolar.no/en)

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##### A FARMHAMNA

[spitsbergen-panoramas/farmhamna.html](https://spitsbergen-panoramas/farmhamna.html)

#### Page 359

##### A NY ÅLESUND

Add: [en.visitsvalbard.com/visitor-information/destinations/ny-alesund](https://en.visitsvalbard.com/visitor-information/destinations/ny-alesund)

[nyalesundresearch.no](https://nyalesundresearch.no)

[harbour@kingsbay.no](mailto:harbour@kingsbay.no)

## IX 11 Hinlopen Strait and Nordaustland west coast

#### Page 367

New CLARAVÅGEN 80°05'·16 N 18°05'E

Just north of Murchisonfjord, a large almost landlocked lagoon with strong tidal stream (6+kts; slack water c.3hr 45min after HW Longyearbyen). Narrow entrance (at position given): c.20m wide, 25m long and 6m deep. 1·3m shallow patch and 2m rock W of entrance. The actual channel is clean and straightforward. Some shallow patches in the lagoon. Mainly good holding, but kelp in some bays. Attractive, spacious and useful anchorage from which to visit the science base of Kinnvika (2km S) in S wind, when Kinnvika itself is exposed.