



## Halmstad Tourist Guide

### The four “Must See and Do’s” when visiting Halmstad

- ▶ Hiking in beautiful Halmstad
- ▶ Trönninge Meadows
- ▶ Mjellby Art Gallery
- ▶ Halmstads Adventure Land

### Municipality Facts 01

**Population**  
89 727

**Area**  
1 705,90 km²

**Regional Center**  
Halmstad

**County**  
Halland

### More Information 02

**Internet**  
[www.halmstad.se](http://www.halmstad.se)  
[www.halmstad.se/turist](http://www.halmstad.se/turist)

**Newspapers**  
Hallandsposten  
[www.hallandsposten.se](http://www.hallandsposten.se)

#### Tourist Bureaus

**Halmstad & Co AB**  
Halmstad  
+46 35-13 23 20  
[info@tourist.halmstad.se](mailto:info@tourist.halmstad.se)  
[www.halmstad.se/turist](http://www.halmstad.se/turist)

### Notes 03

<b>Emergency</b>	<b>112</b>
<b>Police</b>	<b>114 14</b>
<b>Country Code</b>	<b>+46</b>
<b>Area Code</b>	<b>035</b>



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## Welcome to Halmstad!

Halmstad is Sweden's 20th largest urban area, and is located along the west coast of Sweden at mouth of the Nissan River. Many tourists come each year to enjoy the vast array of activities.

Halmstad offers miles of beaches and golf courses of world-class. In the city center there is much to do such as, go shopping, or to the restaurants and galleries. Then in the

evenings, enjoy the dance and music settings offered by the hometown of Roxette and Gyllene Tiders. Halmstad can also offer you to take part in the museum and attractions that are available such as, the Mjellby Art Museum, Garrison Museum and the Open Air Museum.

For more outside activities, there are fine opportunities for fishing and other outdoor adventures.



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### See and Do

#### Swimming

##### Bathing

There are many fine beaches along Halmstad's long coast, and also one of the most famous beaches called Tylösand. If you follow the coast, you will go from Tylösand to Frösakull, Ringenäs, Vilshäräd, Haverdal, Särda and Steninge. On the other side of town is the Eastern shore, Påarp, Laxvik, Gullbranna and Tönnersa. Please visit our website for more information.

[www.halmstad.se/prod/halmstad/turist/dalis2.nsf/535e371e7fd657aec1256a5c0045675f/419f07a20b2319a7c1256c60004cf3cc!OpenDocument](http://www.halmstad.se/prod/halmstad/turist/dalis2.nsf/535e371e7fd657aec1256a5c0045675f/419f07a20b2319a7c1256c60004cf3cc!OpenDocument)

##### Swimming Pools

Outside Swimming Pools:

Simstadion "Brottet"  
**+46 35-21 50 66.**

Getinge friluftsbad  
**+46 35-546 23**

Furulundsbadet i Oskarström  
**+46 35-605 92**

Inside Swimming Pools:  
Sannarpsbadet, Halmstad  
**+46 35-13 96 50, 13 96 55**

Nautilus Gym & Bathing  
**+46 35-12 84 90**  
Karlbergsvägen 2A (old bathing house)



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#### Family Activities

##### Busfabriken (Childrens Play Center)

With its 2000 m<sup>2</sup>, Busfabriken is one of Scandinavia's largest playgrounds for children. The children can play by themselves in the inflatable castle, jungle gyms jätte, slides, pool of balls, car racing sets and trampolines. There is also airshooting, airhockey, football / hockey and "baby corner." For adults, there is a relaxing corner with newspapers, TV and computers. There is also a cafe that serves coffee and simple dishes.

Snöstorpsvägen 105, Halmstad  
**+46 35-10 15 30**

##### Halmstads Adventure Land

There are many different theme parks inside the park such as the Indian & Pirate Land which has boats and a tree fort, along with the Dinosaur Park. There is a Story Park where you can become a part of the saga and a Mini Land where you can see famous

Swedish castles and buildings in a scale of 1:25. You can also visit Lådbilslandet (Car Land), Carousal Park, Water Land and Hop Land.

Gamla Tylösandsv. 1, Halmstad  
**+46 35-10 84 60**

##### Medieval Village Primus Vicus

The Medieval Village was intended as a temporary addition for Halmstad's 700 year anniversary, but has been continued.

**+46 709-68 74 14**  
[erland@primusvicus.se](mailto:erland@primusvicus.se)  
[www.primusvicus.se](http://www.primusvicus.se)

##### Tropic Center

At the Tropic Center, you can meet everything from Sloths to reptiles.

Tullhuset Strandgatan, Halmstad  
**+46 35-12 33 33**

[roland@tropikcenter.se](mailto:roland@tropikcenter.se)  
[www.tropikcenter.se](http://www.tropikcenter.se)

##### Ulvered Deer Preservation

On the farm, we offer conference and party





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catering and services, a farm shop that sells processed deer products, cafe-bistro, and slaughterhouse.

*Ulvered, Veinge, Laholm*

**+46 35-10 06 76**

[ulvered@swipnet.se](mailto:ulvered@swipnet.se)

[www.ulvereds.com](http://www.ulvereds.com)

#### **Wapnö - the farm where you are always welcome!**

Children can see what it is like to work on a farm. Window's are at children's height, so they can easily see how to milk a cow, the small calves, milking in the Carousel, the dairy work and packaging of milk.

Wapnö produces milk, cream, sour milk, sour cream, yogurt, cheese, wheat and wheat flour.

*Wapnö, Halmstad*

**+46 35-12 55 00**

[wapno@wapno.se](mailto:wapno@wapno.se)

[www.wapno.se](http://www.wapno.se)

### Fishing

#### **Fishing**

There are plenty of opportunities for sports fishing in the rivers (especially Nissan) and the lakes in Halmstad municipality.

<http://www.halmstad.se/prod/halmstad/turist/dalis2.nsf/535e371e7fd657aec1256a5c0045675f/ebc5e3d1bc78525fc1256c6000413f37!OpenDocument>

### Museum

#### **Förbandsmuseum (Military Museum)**

The museum displays everyday life in a military unit, including illnesses, dining room and weather reports. You can also see a Saab A 32 Lansén.

*Flottiljområdet Halmstad*

**+46 35-266 20 37**

[exp-fmts@mil.se](mailto:exp-fmts@mil.se)

[www.halmstad.mil.se](http://www.halmstad.mil.se)

#### **Garnisonsmuseet (Military Museum)**

The museum has a special exhibition on Sweden's most famous soldier "91: an Karlsson" (Mandel Karlsson). It also shows objects that reflect the defense of Halland.

*Göteborgsvägen/Noréens väg, Halmstad*

**+46 35-266 31 01, +46 70-600 47 48**

[www.halmstad.mil.se](http://www.halmstad.mil.se)

#### **Halmstads Sport Museum**

Local Sport History.

[butik.hemslojden@telia.com](mailto:butik.hemslojden@telia.com)

#### **Länsmuseet Halmstad (County Museum)**

The museum exhibits art and cultural history.

*Tollsgatan, Halmstad*

**+46 35-16 23 00**

[info@hallmus.se](mailto:info@hallmus.se)

[www.hallmus.se](http://www.hallmus.se)





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#### Mjellby Art Museum

Here is a large and permanent treasure exhibiting the Halmstadgruppens (The Halmstad Group) art. There is also an art gallery showing exhibitions of other artists.

*Mjällby 1361, Halmstad*

**+46 35-13 71 95, 316 19**

[www.mjellbykonstmuseum.se](http://www.mjellbykonstmuseum.se)

#### Open Air Museum Hallandsgården

Here are buildings such as Krafsgården from Valinge, a windmill from Morup, water saw for timber from Vessige, a school from Eldsberga and a cottage from Getinge.

*Galgberget, Halmstad*

**+46 35-16 23 02**

[info@hallmus.se](mailto:info@hallmus.se)

[www.hallmus.se](http://www.hallmus.se)

### Nature

#### Haverdals Nature Reserve and Large Sand Hill

A staircase leads you to the top of the large Sand hill which is about 36 meters high. It is

probably Sweden's highest sand dunes and when you reach the top, you have a lovely view of the sea and the thick beach forests. Directions: Drive from Halmstad towards Steninge. After about 10 km, you drive through Gullbrandstorp. After an additional 2 km, exit on the left towards Lynga & Nature Reserve. Just follow the signs.

[www.halmstad.se/turist](http://www.halmstad.se/turist)

#### Prins Bertils Path

Prince Bertils path is a 13 km long coastal trail going from Halmstad's castle to Tylösand. The Tourist Office has brochures and the attractions available along the trail.

#### Skallen - Nature Site

Directions: From Halmstad center drive towards Steninge, exit towards Haverdal N, after about 15 k. -- turn on Särðalsvägen. Take the road to its end. Half way up, there is a parking lot available on the right side. Follow the path to reach the lookout point.

*Haverdal, Halmstad*

#### Tolarpsfallen (Waterfalls)

Directions: From Halmstad, drive towards Kalmar - Route 25. In Skedala, turn right

towards Årnarp. Follow the signs to Tolarp and then to Marbäck.

#### Virsehätt - Nature Reserve

A mountain in the nature reserve. Beautiful views over Halmstad.

### Worth Seeing

#### 91:an (Statue)

"91: an", Mandel, built in bronze (1993) and stands at attention on Main Street.

#### Antiques and Ostrich Farm

*Spånstad Gård, Åled*

**+46 35-396 53**

[roza.struts@telia.com](mailto:roza.struts@telia.com)

#### Enslövs Church

*Kyrkvägen 34, Åled*

**+46 35-391 33**

#### Europe and the Bull (Fountain)

"Europe and the Bull" is the name of Carl Milles fountain located at the large square in Halmstad. The fountain was built in 1926. The motivation was taken from Greek



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mythology when Zeus, in a bull shape, abducted the princess of Europe

#### Halland Handicrafts

A must for those interested in handicrafts.  
*Storgatan 48, Halmstad*  
**+46 35-21 64 30**

[butik.hemslojden@telia.com](mailto:butik.hemslojden@telia.com)  
[www.hemslojd.org/halland](http://www.hemslojd.org/halland)

#### Harplinge Windmill

Harplinge Windmill was built in 1895 and is one of Europe's largest "Dutchman". It has a structure with a dome that will automatically turn off after the wind.

*Kvarnliden 8, Harplinge*  
**+46 35-500 37, 570 61**  
[info@harplingekvarn.se](mailto:info@harplingekvarn.se)  
[www.harplingekvarn.se/main/index.asp](http://www.harplingekvarn.se/main/index.asp)

#### Heagård Art & Crafts

Heagård has a unique environment and provides a pleasant atmosphere for activities. We display different exhibitions, please see our website for more information.

*Heagård, Halmstad*  
**+46 35-347 57**  
[info@heagard.nu](mailto:info@heagard.nu)  
[www.heagard.nu](http://www.heagard.nu)

#### Immanuelskyrkan (Church)

*Strandgatan 20, Halmstad*  
**+46 35-508 04, +46 701-12 41 15**  
[lars.fredman@glocalnet.net](mailto:lars.fredman@glocalnet.net)  
[www.immanuelskyrkan.org](http://www.immanuelskyrkan.org)

#### Klockspelet (Carillon)

Listen and watch the Carillon (Klockspelet) at the Town Hall.  
*Rådhuset, Halmstad*

#### Kvinnohuvud (Statue)

Kvinnohuvud, the statue by Pablo Picasso is situated between the bridges along the Nissan River. The 15-meter high sculpture is made of sandblasted concrete and was placed in 1971. It is the Norwegian artist Carl Nejsar who made the sculpture according to Picasso's instructions.

#### Lookout at Galgberget

Here is a beautiful view over Halmstad. If you enjoy walking, there are good hiking trails and even playgrounds for the children. The Hallandsgården Open Air Museum and Landalsjön (lake) are also worth a visit.  
*Galgberget, Halmstad*  
**+46 706-99 97 94**

#### Passage Graves in Tolarp

Graves from the Stone Age.

#### Påarps Burial Grounds

*Påarp, Halmstad*

#### S:t Olofs Chapel

St. Olofs Chapel is beautifully situated on a hill in Tylösand and is very popular for weddings.

*Tylösandsvägen 31, Halmstad*  
**+46 35-300 11**

#### Sculptures

Halmstad has many beautiful sculptures for your enjoyment:

Hertig Knut - sculpture located on Köpmansgatan (street)  
Kungamötet - sculpture at the town hall.  
Neptunus - sculpture at the Norre Torg (Square)

#### Särdals Mill

*Särdal, Haverdal*  
**+46 35-520 29 , +46 709-32 60 6**  
[kajsa@sardalskvarn.se](mailto:kajsa@sardalskvarn.se)  
[www.sardalskvarn.se](http://www.sardalskvarn.se)

#### The New City Gallery

*Axel Olsons gata 3, Halmstad*  
**+46 35-13 94 44**  
[nyastadsgalleriet@halmstad.se](mailto:nyastadsgalleriet@halmstad.se)  
[www.halmstad.se/nyastadsgalleriet](http://www.halmstad.se/nyastadsgalleriet)

#### Verkstan (Boutique) in Mjöalt

*Mjöalt*  
**+46 35-780 93**  
[info@verkstanimjoalt.se](mailto:info@verkstanimjoalt.se)

#### Övraby kyrkoruin (Church Ruins)

*Övraby, Halmstad*

#### SOURCES

[www.halmstad.se](http://www.halmstad.se)  
[www.kommunernaskalender.com](http://www.kommunernaskalender.com)  
[www.eurotourism.com](http://www.eurotourism.com)  
[www.dagspress.se](http://www.dagspress.se)

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