

Kalvåg, Bremanger, Norway

One of Norway's most atmospheric fishing villages, Kalvåg packs century-old rorbuer cabins, world-class seafood, and dramatic coastal scenery into a tiny harbour on Bremanger's outer coast.

 Quay (small vessels)  Typical call: 6–8 hrs  Cashless — cards only (NOK)  Norwegian  Seafood destination

👉 MY DAY IN PORT

Ship/Date: _____	Arrive: _____	All aboard: _____
Excursion: _____	Notes: _____	

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Public quay for smaller vessels; large ships may tender

Walk to centre: Quay is in the village — everything within 5 min on foot

Best For: Seafood, coastal atmosphere, hiking, floating sauna

Don't Miss: Lunch at Knutholmen restaurant overlooking the harbour

 Getting around:  Taxi  Varies (contact ahead)

TOP THINGS TO DO

- **Knutholmen Seafood Experience** — The Knutholmen complex is Kalvåg's centrepiece — a cluster of restored 19th-century sea-houses turned into a restaurant and pub.
- **Flona Coastal Walk** — An easy loop from the village giving panoramic views over the open sea and breaking Atlantic waves.
- **Mount Hornelen Hike** — Europe's highest sea cliff (860 m) rises dramatically from the Frøysjøen strait near Kalvåg.
- **Floating Sauna — Kok og Bad** — Step into a traditional Norwegian sauna moored in Kalvåg harbour, then plunge into the sea for a bracing dip.
- **Vingen Rock Carvings** — One of Scandinavia's largest concentrations of Stone Age rock carvings sits in dramatic fjord scenery near Bremanger.

BEST WALKS

- **Harbour Waterfront Stroll** 30 min · Flat · All abilities — Walk the full length of Kalvåg's harbour past restored rorbuer cabins, the Knutholmen complex, and local boathouses.
- **Flona Coastal Loop** 1.5–2 hrs · Easy · Panoramic sea views — Follow the Flona trail from the village edge out to the open coast for sweeping Atlantic views, crashing waves, and possible sea eagle sightings.

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

 CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)				 DAYLIGHT &  MONEY	
Mon	High	Low	Rain	Apr 6:17AM–9:04PM · Aug 5:46AM–9:41PM · Sep 7:07AM–8:02PM · Oct 8:24AM–6:26PM	
Apr	46°	39°	15d		
Jun	59°	51°	16d		
Aug	61°	54°	20d		
Sep	58°	51°	20d		
Oct	51°	45°	21d		

KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Go cashless: Norway is virtually a cash-free society. Cards (Visa/Mastercard) are accepted everywhere in the village — even for a coffee or postcard.
- Eat at Knutholmen: This is one of the best seafood restaurants on the Norwegian coast. Book ahead if possible — the outdoor deck fills fast when cruise ships are in.
- Layer up: Kalvåg sits on Norway's exposed outer coast. Weather can shift from sunny to cold and windy within an hour. A windproof jacket is essential year-round.
- Hire a bike: The surrounding roads are hilly but rideable for fit cyclists. Bike hire in the village gives access to beaches and viewpoints beyond walking range.
- Respect private rorbuer: Many of the photogenic cabins lining the harbour are private holiday homes or hotel rooms. Admire from the walkway — don't peer into windows.
- Shops open for ships: Local galleries and small shops typically open when a cruise ship is in port, even in shoulder season.

Kalvåg, Bremanger, Norway — Port Map

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Red = walkable sights · Amber = excursions farther out · P = cruise terminal. Numbers match the order you'd typically visit.



P Cruise port / terminal