

Lillesand, Agder, Norway

One of Norway's best-preserved 18th-century harbor towns, Lillesand charms with its iconic white wooden houses, car-free quayside, and access to the royal playground of the Blindleia waterway.

 Tender (most ships) / Small ships dock

 Typical call: 5–8 hrs

 Cashless — cards everywhere (NOK)

 Norwegian (English widely spoken)

MY DAY IN PORT

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

Excursion: _____ Notes: _____

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Tender for most ships; small/expedition vessels dock at Dampskipskaien quay

Best For: Old-town strolling, boat tours, fresh shrimp on the quay

Walk to center: 0 min — tender dock is in the harbor center

Don't Miss: Blindleia boat tour or a bag of freshly boiled shrimp from a fishing boat

Getting around:  Taxi  NOK 470–600 (~€40–52) one way ·  Rideshare  Uber

TOP THINGS TO DO

- Blindleia Boat Tour** — A roughly 20-km inland waterway sheltered by a chain of skerries, Blindleia threads past summer cabins, tiny...
- Lillesand Town Museum (Carl Knudsengården)** — A merchant's house from 1827 preserves the town's shipbuilding golden age — with a historic pharmacy, tool exhibits...
- Kaldvell Nature Reserve Hike** — About 4 km from the port, Kaldvell offers river trails past ruins of historic pulp mills, stone bridges, and small...
- Old Town Stroll & Shrimp on the Quay** — Wander Strandgata and Nygata to admire the white Empire-style houses, then buy a bag of freshly boiled shrimp from a...
- Lillesand Church Visit** — A picturesque 1889 Swiss-style wooden church sitting on a hill 15 minutes from the harbor, with views over the town and...

BEST WALKS

- Old Town Heritage Walk** 1.5 km · 30–45 min · Easy — From the harbor, head into the old town streets (Strandgata, Nygata) to see the iconic white wooden houses, then loop up to Lillesand...
- Beach Walk to Bystranda** 1 km · 10–15 min · Easy — A short, flat walk south along the waterfront from the harbor to Bystranda town beach — a small sandy/rocky beach with a floating...

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

 **CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)**

Mon	High	Low	Rain
Apr	51°	37°	9d
Jun	67°	52°	11d
Aug	66°	54°	14d
Sep	61°	51°	14d
Oct	52°	44°	17d

 **DAYLIGHT &  MONEY**

Apr 6:15AM–8:39PM · Jun 4:21AM–10:33PM · Aug 5:49AM–9:11PM · Sep 6:56AM–7:45PM · Oct 8:02AM–6:20PM

KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

Lillesand, Agder, 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.



1 HKB 31./979 Explore WWII German coastal battery ruins on Justøen island.

P Cruise port / terminal

2 Kalvehageneset Hike scenic coastal trails with panoramic views at Kalvehageneset.