

Warnemünde, Mecklenburg-Vorpommern, Germany

Warnemünde puts you steps from a wide Baltic beach and a direct train line — to charming Rostock in 20 minutes or all the way to Berlin in under three hours.

Docked (cruise terminal)

Typical call: 8–12 hrs

Euro (€)

German

MY DAY IN PORT

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

Excursion: _____ Notes: _____

GETTING ASHORE

Docking: Warnemünde Cruise Center (berths P1–P8); pier is steps from town

Best For: Beach strolls, Rostock day trip, or ambitious Berlin excursion

Walk to Center: 10–15 min to Alter Strom canal & lighthouse on foot

Don't Miss: Alter Strom canal, Warnemünde Lighthouse, St. Mary's Church in Rostock

Getting around: Taxi €40–55 · Rideshare Uber

TOP THINGS TO DO

- Berlin in a Day** — The big ticket excursion: Brandenburg Gate, Reichstag, Checkpoint Charlie, Berlin Wall, and the Holocaust Memorial.
- Rostock Old Town & St. Mary's Church** — A 20-minute S-Bahn ride brings you to Rostock's Hanseatic old town.
- Warnemünde Beach & Lighthouse Stroll** — Walk straight off the ship to about 3 km of wide sandy Baltic beach.
- Schwerin Palace Day Trip** — About an hour by train from Rostock (with a connection), Schwerin's fairy-tale castle sits on an island in a lake.
- Lübeck & the Holstentor** — Lübeck's medieval old town is a UNESCO World Heritage Site.

BEST WALKS

- Alter Strom to the Lighthouse** 2 km · Easy · 45 min — From the cruise terminal, walk northwest along the Alter Strom canal past the colorful fishing boats and seafood shacks to the lighthouse and Teepott, then continue to...
- Rostock Old Town Loop** 3 km · Easy · 1–2 hrs in Rostock — Take the S-Bahn to Rostock Hauptbahnhof, then walk through Kröpeliner Strasse to Neuer Markt, St.
- Alter Strom & lighthouse loop** ~2.5 km · 1.5 hrs · easy — Along the picturesque Alter Strom canal of fishing boats and cafés, out to the lighthouse and Teepott, then onto the wide beach promenade.

WEATHER · DAYLIGHT · MONEY

CLIMATE (AVG °F · RAINY DAYS)

	Mon	High	Low	Rain
Apr		53°	40°	11d
Jun		69°	56°	11d
Aug		72°	59°	14d
Sep		66°	55°	11d
Oct		57°	48°	15d

DAYLIGHT & MONEY

Apr 6:10AM–8:14PM · Jun 4:38AM–9:46PM · Aug 5:49AM–8:41PM · Sep 6:45AM–7:27PM · Oct 7:40AM–6:13PM

Euro (€)

KNOW BEFORE YOU GO

- Train tickets at the station: Buy from machines at Warnemünde S-Bahn station right outside the terminal. Validate your ticket before boarding. A day ticket (~€7) covers all local trains, trams, and ferries in the Rostock area.
- Berlin is a full-day commitment: The round trip is 5–7 hours of travel alone. Only attempt it independently if your ship has a late all-aboard (8 PM+). Most cruisers use organized excursions for the guaranteed return.
- Baltic beach = Baltic weather: Even in summer (June–August) the water is chilly and sea breezes can be strong. Bring a light jacket even on sunny days.
- Eat smoked fish at the canal: The Alter Strom is lined with little smokehouses — a Räucherfischbrötchen (smoked fish roll) is the local street food and it's excellent.
- Cash and cards both work: Euro is the currency. ATMs are at the terminal and in town. Most restaurants and shops accept cards, but keep a few euros for small market stalls.
- Bikes available at the terminal: Some ships and the terminal area offer bicycle rentals — the flat coastal terrain makes cycling a great way to explore beyond the immediate pier area.

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Map

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



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| 1 Rostock Zoo | Rostock Zoo: See diverse animals and natural habitats. | 2 Brunnen der Lebensfreude | Brunnen der Lebensfreude: Iconic fountain sculpture in Rostock city center. |
| 3 Karl's Adventure Village Rövshagen | Karl's Adventure Village: Family-friendly farm park with shops and rides. | 4 Warnow-Personenschiffahrt OHG | Warnow-Personenschiffahrt: Enjoy scenic boat trips on the Warnow river. |
| 5 Warnemünde lighthouse | Warnemünde lighthouse: Historic landmark offering panoramic views of the coast. | 6 Hafenrundfahrt Warnemünde - Rostock - Fahrgastschiffahrt K. Schütt GmbH (Blaue Flotte) | Blaue Flotte: Take a harbor tour of Warnemünde and Rostock. |
| 7 Molenfeuer Westmole | Molenfeuer Westmole: Western pier light, a beacon at the harbor entrance. | 8 Sonnenblumenhaus | Sonnenblumenhaus: Residential building famous for its unique sunflower mosaic. |
| P Cruise port / terminal | | | |