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DENMARK - SWEDEN - FINLAND - NORWAY

Our White Nights is a two week rally to the Arctic Circle and beyond which brings together the best of Scandinavia including Denmark, Sweden, Finland and the Norwegian fjords

What are White Nights?

In the north of Europe in some countries the midnight sun period is known as White Nights and we travel as far north in Europe as we can go, crossing the Arctic Circle before arriving in Kirkenes, the most northerly town in Norway.

For 2023 we are ringing the changes by starting in Roskilde, one of Denmark's oldest cities and its capital until 1443. Developed as a trading hub by the Vikings there is evidence it has been inhabited since the 6th century. Rich in history the town has several well-preserved 1000-year-old Viking ships. It also boasts a UNESCO Gothic cathedral which is the burial site for most Danish monarchs since the 15th century.

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From Roskilde we rally to the Swedish town of Vaxjo known as 'The Greenest City in Europe' due to its eco-friendly ambitions. Then onto the old industrial town of Vasteras where we will be staying in a beautifully themed hotel built inside an old coal powerstation. The town hosted Sweden's largest all-American car meet for more than 30 years, at its peak attracting more than 20,000 cars!

After an interesting drive we arrive in Mora, famous for the Witch Trials of 1669, and more recently for the production of Dala Horses and Mora knives. We have built in time to visit the respective factories. Afterwards we head for Ostersund on Lake Storsjon where the residents have focused on the quality of life rather than industry.

From Ostersund we continue north to Lycksele, the oldest continuous settlement built by the Sami people. Despite only having a small population it is classed as a city. Our next stop is Arjeplog, where, in the winter months the lake freezes and it welcomes most of the world's car companies for the automotive winter testing season. Very close to the Arctic Circle it has long days and short nights in the summer.

From Arjeplog to a small resort near Kittila with the journey taking us through the Arctic Circle into Swedish Lapland and on to Finland.

From there we head on through Reindeer country where the trees begin to thin out and there's a biting wind all winter. Our destination on this day is Kirkenes, the most northerly port in Norway (and interestingly it is also further east than Istanbul).

The following day we join the MS Nordkapp, our floating hotel for the next few days, and from which we can admire the crinkly edged fjords from land and see our way south.

MS NORDKAPP

Your Ship: We will be on the MS Nordkapp, one of the latest renovated and most luxurious on the fleet. Its more cruise than ferry and has comprehensive facilities on board including a couple of bars, two dining rooms, a grill a food court and even an outside Jacuzzi. The dining is exceptional and if you choose a suite you won't be disappointed despite the extra cost.

INCLUDED IN THE RALLY

- Twin or double room in all hotels
- Breakfasts
- 5 nights on MS Nordkapp
- Full board on the ship
- Evening meals on other days
- The crinkly edged fjords of Norway
- Incredible scenery
- Fabulous roads
- Our experienced team
- Mechanical support
- GPS and Roadbook
- Rally Plates
- A unique experience

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DAY	DATE	FROM	TO	KMS	HOTEL	COUNTRY
Day 1	16th	Arrive	Roskilde	-	Comwell Hotel	Denmark
Day 2	17th	Roskilde	Vaxjo	302	Elite Stadshotellet	Sweden
Day 3	18th	Vaxjo	Vasteras	431	Steam Hotel	
Day 4	19th	Vasteras	Vasteras	-	Steam Hotel	
Day 5	20th	Vasteras	Mora	296	Mora Hotell and Spa	
Day 6	21st	Mora	Ostersund	405	Hotel Gamla Teatern	
Day 7	22nd	Ostersund	Lycksele	352	Hotel Lappland	
Day 8	23rd	Lycksele	Arjeplog	240	Simloc Hotel	
Day 9	24th	Arjeplog	Akaslompolo	503	Hotel Yllashumina	Finland
Day 10	25th	Akaslompolo	Kirkenes	443	Thon Hotel	Norway
Day 11	26th	Kirkenes	Board ship	-	MS Nordkapp	
Day 12	27th	Hammerfest	Skjervoy	394	MS Nordkapp	
Day 13	28th	Harstad	Stokmarknes	295	MS Nordkapp	
Day 14	29th	Sandnessjoen	Rorvik	363	MS Nordkapp	
Day 15	30th	Trondheim	Kristiansund	429	MS Nordkapp	
Day 16	1st	Floro	Oslo	500	The Grand	
Day 17	2nd	Depart				
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ACCOMODATION
Starting in Denmark we find great accommodation all the way to Kirkenes where we board the ferry for six days and five nights which means you don't have to unpack your bags for nearly a week – simply unique on any rally.

BACK-UP
We will provide mechanical back-up and, of course, the services of our great team to make it all as smooth as possible.

THE ROADS
All roads have been checked and the route is completely open. It is a mix of tarmac and a some dirt, mainly in Sweden, so is suitable for all types of vehicles.

CARS
Bring a car with reasonable ground clearance and not too highly tuned as we cover a reasonable distance overall.

Details correct at time of going to print. Please be aware that hotels and route may vary.

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Join us

OCT 18TH TO NOV 18TH, 2023

In 2023 we will celebrate the 75th anniversary of this event with the second Grand Prix of South America which follows the original route where possible. Where the roads are new we find the old and where they have been covered in tarmac we look for dirt.

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