The Great Cycling Holiday at the North Sea

13 DAYS / 12 NIGHTS, APPROX. 530 KM BOOKING CODE: OS-NONH12

DAILY ROUTE LENGTH ••••

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Your tour

Your cycle tour starts in Niebüll. You don't have to worry about any particular climbs on this cycle route. The cycle path is beautifully flat. You will be accompanied by healthy North Sea air, beautiful landscapes, numerous sandy beaches and endless views of the sea. A visit to the North Sea coast includes a mudflat hike. Perhaps on a trip to St. Peter-Ording?

Itinerary

Day 1	Individual arrival in Niebüll
Day 2	Ausflug auf die Insel Föhr, approx. 50 km + ferry
Day 3	Schlüttsiel – Sylt – Havneby, approx. 60 km + train + ferry
Day 4	Havneby – Tønder, approx. 55 km
Day 5	Tønder – Dagebüll / Schlüttsiel, approx. 50 – 60 km
Day 6	Excursion to the island of Hooge, approx. 10 / 25 km + boat trip
Day 7	Schlüttsiel – Husum, approx. 45 km
Day 8	Husum – Tönning / Lunden, approx. 35 / 40 km
Day 9	Excursion to St. Peter-Ording, approx. 55 / 65 km + train trip
Day 10	Tönning – St. Michaelisdonn, approx. 60 / 70 km
Day 11	St. Michaelisdonn – Glückstadt, approx. 55 km
Day 12	Glückstadt – Hamburg, approx. 55 km
Day 13	Individual departure

Travel time

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Season A	28.04.	29.09.	
Season B	05.05.	08.09. – 22.09.	
Season C	12.05.	26.05. – 23.06.	25.08.
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Season D	19.05.	30.06. – 18.08.	

Arrival Sunday 28.04. – 29.09.2024 The season is dictated by the arrival date.

Services

- → 12 nights with breakfast, national 3*-level and traditional Danish inns
- → Train ride Niebüll Westerland (Sylt) incl. bike
- → Train ride Tönning St. Peter-Ording incl. bike
- → Ferry List (Sylt) Havneby (Rømø) incl. bike
- → Luggage transport from hotel to hotel to Hamburg, max. 20 kg / piece
- → Cycle route description with maps (1 x per room)
- → Boat trip Schlüttsiel Hallig Hooge and back incl. bike
- → Service-Hotline (7 days, 08.00 a.m. 08.00 p.m.)

Not included services

- → Ferry trip Dagebüll Föhr / Amrum and back, approx. 25 euros per person
- → Citys or visitors tax, if payable

Basic price per person

Doubleroom, Season A	1449,-
Doubleroom, Season B	1599,-
Doubleroom, Season C	1799,-
Doubleroom, Season D	1949,-
Price Surcharge Singleroom	499,-

Additional services per person

E-bike / Pedelec (freewheel)*	259,-
Teenager's bike*	49,-
Rental bike (27-gear)*	99,-

*including rental bike insurance

Exemplary hotel list

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Niebüll / Risum	Landhafen	https://www.landhafen.com/
	Insel-Pension	https://www.inselpension.de/
	Eichhorn's	https://www.eichhorns.de/
	Niebüller Hof	https://www.niebueller-hof.de/
Niebüll / Risum	Landhafen	https://www.landhafen.com/
	Insel-Pension	https://www.inselpension.de/
	Eichhorn's	https://www.eichhorns.de/
	Niebüller Hof	https://www.niebueller-hof.de/
Havneby	Havneby Kro	https://www.havneby-kro.dk/cms/de/start.php
	Kommandørgaarden	https://www.kommandoergaarden.dk/de/
Tønder / Højer	Tønderhus	http://www.hoteltoenderhus.dk/
Schlüttsiel / Dagebüll	Siel 59	https://www.siel59.de/
	Neuwarft	https://hotel-neuwarft.de/
	Dat Lütte Steak- und Burgerhaus	https://www.dat-luette.de/
Schlüttsiel / Dagebüll	Siel 59	https://www.siel59.de/
	Neuwarft	https://hotel-neuwarft.de/
	Dat Lütte Steak- und Burgerhaus	https://www.dat-luette.de/
Husum	Hinrichsen	https://www.nordsee-hotel-hinrichsen.de
	Theodor Storm	https://www.bestwestern. de/hotels/Husum-Nordsee/
		Best-Western-Plus-Theodor-Storm-Hotel
Tönning / Lunden	Gästehaus Lexow	https://lexow.sh/
	BeBio be active Hotel Miramar	https://be-bio-hotels.de/be-active-biohotel/
	BeBio be natural Hotel Fernsicht	https://be-bio-hotels.de/be-natural-biohotel/
	Lindenhof 1887	https://www.lindenhof1887.de/
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	BeBio be natural Hotel Fernsicht	https://be-bio-hotels.de/be-natural-biohotel/
	Lindenhof 1887	https://www.lindenhof1887.de/
St. Michaelisdonn	Ringhotel Landhaus Gardels	https://www.landhaus-gardels.de/
	Der Kleine Hans	https://www.kleiner-hans.de/
Glückstadt	Anno 1617 Glückstadt	https://www.anno1617.de
	Christian IV	https://www.christianivglueckstadt.de/
Hamburg	Raphael Hotel Wälderhaus	https://www.raphaelhotelwaelderhaus.de/
	Volksschule	https://www.hotel-volksschule.de/
	Egon Hotel Hamburg City	https://www.egonhotel.com/

Child reduction on basic price

12 - 17 Years 25%

Due to the more demanding stages, we recommend this trip only for young people with good stamina.

Children's discount applies for accommodation in a room with two full-paying guests, no discount from the age of 18. A multi-bed room is usually a double room with an extra bed or folding sofa. No four-bed rooms possible.

Additional night prices per person

Hamburg DBL / BB	79,-
Hamburg SGL / BB	129,–
other places DBL / BB	69,–
other places SGL / BB	109,-

Languages Travel documents

→ German, English, Dutch, French

Additional note

- → All bookings are on request.
- → Return to Niebüll: On your own by train from Hamburg, direct connection, duration approx. 2.5 hours.
- → Twin / double rooms / separate beds are only occasionally available. We treat requests as non-binding customer requests, if above mentioned room types are a booking condition, it must be mentioned as a condition at the time of booking.

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Equipment of our rental bikes

- → Comfortable saddle
- → Bike lock
- → Luggage rack
- → Odometer
- → Air pump
- → Hub dynamo
- → Breakdown kit (1 x per booking)
- → Unflat Schwalbe Marathon Plus tyres or comparable
- → Waterproof pannier
- → Waterproof handlebar bag with map holder
- → Further information and photos of the rental bikes are available: www.cycling-holiday.com/rental-bikes

Journey to Niebüll / Risum

→ Closest airports: Hamburg, Billund

→ Train station: Niebüll

Parking in Niebüll / Risum

- → Public car parks, costs approx. 7 EUR / day.
- → Hotel parking spaces (available in individual hotels, chargeable, details in the travel documents).

Bike handover

→ Arrival: Guests' rental bikes will be available at the arrival hotel.

Departure: The guests leave the bikes at the last hotel. If an e-bike has been rented, the battery, charger and key must be returned to the reception.

Luggage transport

→ Luggage pick-up from 09.00 a.m., delivery to the next hotel by 06.00 p.m. at the latest, labeling of luggage is 1 x for the whole tour. No restriction on the number of pieces of luggage, but max. 20 kg per piece of luggage.

Travel documents

- → 1 set (per booked room) consists of: hotel list and voucher, travel information with details on daily stages, short travel guides and route descriptions, maps, luggage tags
- → Dispatched up to four weeks before arrival. For short-term bookings, delivery to the start hotel, hotel list and arrival information will be sent by email

Stages description

Day 1: Individual arrival in Niebüll

Niebüll, Danish Nibøl, lies on the edge of the historical Danish and Frisian settlement area and means "new settlement". From Niebüll, the islands of Sylt, Föhr, Amrum as well as the Halligen and many other places can be reached in a very short time.

Day 2: Ausflug auf die Insel Föhr, approx. 50 km + ferry

On today's excursion day of your cycle tour across the Halligen you are spoilt for choice. You can choose to visit the island of Föhr or the island of Amrum. First you cycle to Dagebüll. From there you can reach the respective island comfortably by ferry (not included). With Föhr you get to know the green island. Thanks to its protected location, it has particularly lush vegetation. Explore the island by bike or enjoy the sound of the North Sea on the southern beach. On Amrum you can also enjoy a kilometre-long sandy beach, the so-called Kniepsand. Or how about a guided mudflat hike? In the evening you return to Dagebüll by ferry (not included).

Day 3: Schlüttsiel – Sylt – Havneby, approx. 60 km + train + ferry

First of all, you and your bikes will board the train today and travel over the Hindenburg Dam to the Queen of the North Sea. The cycling tour on Sylt can be arranged according to your wishes. The Hörnum lighthouse awaits you in the south of the island. But Sylt is also perfect for a relaxing day at the beach. If you haven't treated yourself to a fish sandwich or a slice of Frisian cake yet, you should use today to do so! Then take the ferry to the Danish island of Rømø.

Day 4: Havneby – Tønder, approx. 55 km

Discover the beauty and tranquillity of Denmark's southernmost and largest North Sea island today. On the popular holiday island of Rømø, one thing is particularly impressive: the beach! The sandy beach is the longest and widest of its kind in all of Northern Europe and is also easily

accessible by bike. You then reach the mainland via an approximately ten-kilometre-long causeway. Once in Tønder, enjoy the evening in the town with its well-preserved patrician houses in Baroque and Rococo style.

Day 5: Tønder – Dagebüll / Schlüttsiel, approx. 50 – 60 km

You leave Denmark on the North Sea Coast Cycle Route. Just over the border, it is worth visiting the Emil Nolde Museum in Neukirchen. The exhibition offers insights into the life and work of one of the most important Expressionist painters. You cycle on quiet paths through meadows and fields to Niebüll. Once there, we recommend a visit to the Natural History Museum. You will spend the night in Dagebüll or Schlüttsiel.

Day 6: Excursion to the island of Hooge, approx. 10 / 25 km + boat trip

The Halligen are small marshland islands in the Wadden Sea that are completely flooded several times a year. Thanks to the terps - artificial embankments - the islands can be inhabited all year round. You and your bike take the ferry to Hallig Hooge, the largest Hallig in the North Sea. In the storm tide cinema you can experience a typical landfall on a large screen in an impressive way. Enjoy the unique landscape before taking the ferry back to the mainland.

Day 7: Schlüttsiel – Husum, approx. 45 km

You cycle directly along the coast. On the way, make a detour to the Hamburger Hallig. The small peninsula is very easy to reach by bike. At the end of the Hallig, an inn invites you to a longer and more scenic stay. In your destination for the day, Husum, the town's most famous son, Theodor Storm, is commemorated at every turn. The writer once described Husum as a gray town by the sea. Far from it, because the colorful and lively harbor town is neither gray nor drab.

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Day 8: Husum - Tönning / Lunden, approx. 35 / 40 km

Before you continue cycling, stay a little longer in Husum. Stroll through the old town with its narrow streets and harbor. Back in the saddle, you'll ride through nature. Situated between the rivers Eider and Treene is Friedrichstadt, the so-called Dutch town with its canals. Take advantage of the shortness of your today's stage for an extensive walk, lunch and perhaps a canal ride. Then cycle to Tönning with its historic harbor and the Multimar Wattforum, the largest visitor center for the Wadden Sea National Park in Schleswig-Holstein.

Day 9: Excursion to St. Peter-Ording, approx. 55 / 65 km + train trip

In the morning you will take the train to Sankt Peter-Ording, the famous seaside resort with the huge beach and the pile dwellings. You should not miss the lighthouse Westerhever, the most famous lighthouse in Germany. Across the Eiderstedt peninsula you will reach the famous Eider barrage shortly before Tönning.

Day 10: Tönning - St. Michaelisdonn, approx. 60 / 70 km

From Tönning, the route returns to the North Sea. A first stop is worthwhile at the Eidersperrwerk, Germany's largest coastal protection structure. Your next stop is Büsum. The town has a green beach that stretches for miles, where you can enjoy a wonderful roll topped with Büsum crabs. From the sea you cycle into the Dithmarschen. You will pass Meldorf with its cathedral, which can be seen from afar and is typical for northern Germany in brick Gothic style.

Here you can shorten your stage by 15 km by train (not included). With St. Michaelisdonn you reach your destination of the day. The landmark of the village is Edda, a Dutch windmill.

Day 11: St. Michaelisdonn - Glückstadt, approx. 55 km

Today's stage takes you through the Dithmarschen region to Brunsbüttel. There you will reach the Kiel Canal. In operation since 1895, it is one of the busiest artificial waterways in the world. At the canal locks, you will observe small and large ships as they impressively pass through the canal. Your destination for the day, Glückstadt, was built in the 17th century according to designs on the drawing board. A culinary specialty is the Glückstädter Matjes. Known beyond the borders of Schleswig-Holstein, it is traditionally produced according to old recipes.

Day 12: Glückstadt - Hamburg, approx. 55 km

Today you cycle along the Elbe towards your destination Hamburg. In Wedel, you will encounter the Willkomm-Höft ship welcoming facility. Large ships arriving at or departing from the Port of Hamburg are greeted or bidden farewell with the Hamburg flag hoisted or lowered including the national anthem of the home country. Once in Hamburg, there is much to see and discover. Take a boat trip through the port of Hamburg, walk through the Speicherstadt and watch the traders haggling at the legendary fish market.

Day 13: Individual departure

After breakfast you start your individual return journey home or extend your stay.

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