



COPENHAGEN

Copenhagen is a compact big city packed with historic buildings lining its narrow cobbled streets. Here you will find a great mix of world-class gastronomy, beautiful architecture, award-winning design, clean harbor baths, the unique, free town of Christiania, and the seat of world's oldest monarchy. It has been named one of the best cities to live in several times, and it was the first city in the world to be named the 'Bike City' by the International Cycling Union – a title to which the several hundred bike lanes bear witness.



BARS & NIGHTLIFE



Whether you want to dance til the sun comes up or just have a beer or two with some friends, Copenhagen has plenty of establishments to choose from, ranging from laid-back bars to posh upscale clubs.

Copenhageners love to go out – especially on the weekends. Cocktails are popular, and you will find several bars where you can enjoy a skillfully crafted drink. If you are more of a beer person, Copenhagen offers various pubs, bars and breweries as well. Each neighborhood has its own favorite haunts, and (apart from downtown) Vesterbro and Nørrebro are the places to be after sundown.

K BAR

One of the top contenders for the title of best cocktail bar in Copenhagen, K Bar is a classy and trendy venue well-known to the capital dwellers. The vibe here is chill and laid-back, bartenders friendly and full house is to be expected on weekends.

Ved Stranden 20, Copenhagen
+45 33 91 92 22

www.k-bar.dk

Mon-Thurs 4pm-1am, Fri-Sat 4pm-2am

UNDERWOOD INK

Hanging out at Underwood Ink is like being invited to a sophisticated intellectual's living room - the place is full of books and paintings, and tons of deco items catch the eye. Serves food and drink, including an extensive wine list.

Ryesgade 30a, Copenhagen
+45 35 35 55 53
www.underwood-ink.dk
Wed-Sat 3pm - 2am

THE LOG LADY

Vinyl records are played in this Twin Peaks-inspired bar lit red inside. The place is very bohemian and cocktails are not served, which is made up for by other drinks on offer. Organic food options abound.

Studivestrate 27, Copenhagen
+45 26 27 93 62
Mon-Fri 1pm-11pm, Sat 2pm-11pm

VINHANEN

This low-key wine bar sells wines by the glass or bottle, and is known for the very affordable prices it offers. Cheeses and meat platters are available to order, and seating outside is set up during summer.

Baggesensgade 13, Copenhagen
www.vinhanen.dk
Tue-Wed 3pm-11pm, Thurs-Fri 3pm - Midnight

RUST

Spread over a few floors each with its own vibe and music genre played, Rust is a popular nightclub venue located in the upcoming area of Nørrebro. Expect to hear indie rock and pop, as well as hip hop and electronic music. Regular live shows are hosted here too.

Guldbergsgade 8, Copenhagen
+45 35 24 52 00
www.rust.dk
Fri-Sat 8.30pm - 5am

RUBY

Currently one of the trendiest bars in town with a prime location and extensive cocktail list, Ruby is very inviting venue on a night out. The interior is posh yet cozy.

Nybrogade 10, Copenhagen
+45 33 93 12 03
www.rby.dk
Mon–Sat 4pm–2am, Sun 4pm–Midnight

MIKKELLER BAR

Located in Vesterbro (Copenhagen's favorite night out area) Mikkeler is a bar and craft brewery that simply can't be missed. Craft beer lovers will have a fabulous time beer tasting, and the cozy atmosphere with lit candles and small tables creates a pleasantly intimate atmosphere.

Viktoriagade 8, Copenhagen
+45 33 31 04 15
www.mikkeller.dk
Mon–Wed, Sun 2pm–Midnight, Thu–Fri 2pm–2am,
Sat Noon–2am

KB18

Tucked away in a small inside yard, KB18 is worth the search - this underground venue is where you can catch some great electronica, techno and rock music (see show schedule). The venue is open late into the night, so prepare to party until the wee hours of the morning.

Kødboderne 18, Copenhagen
+45 33313933
www.kb18.net

JOLENE

By no means fancy, Jolene is a bar that consistently draws rowdy crowds. Do not expect mixologists concocting exquisite cocktails, but rather prepare to drink beer straight from the bottle. Jolene is open late into the night, which makes it an easy after-party choice.

Flæsketorvet 81, Copenhagen
+45 35 85 69 60
Fri, Sat 7pm–4am, Thurs 8pm–3am

1105

A tucked away bar with exquisite cocktails, 1105 is worth a visit despite the slightly pricey drinks. The unbeatable secluded location while still right next to Nyhavn and the bartenders' craftsmanship are patrons' magnets. Cucumber Yum Yum is the cocktail to go for.

Kristen Bernikows gade 4, Copenhagen
+45 33 93 11 05
www.1105.dk
Wed–Thu, Sat 8pm–2am, Fri 4pm–2am

JAZZHUS MONTMARTRE

Jazzhus Montmartre has a long history going back to the mid-20th century when it first opened its doors. It has since hosted some legendary jazz musicians, including Dexter Gordon, Ben Webster and Kenny Drew among others. World-class jazz is still to be heard here today, as accompaniment to a wonderful evening.

Store Regnegade 19a, Copenhagen
+45 33 32 96 66
www.jazzhusmontmartre.dk
Open on concert days from 5.30pm (Thurs–Sat
5.30pm - 11.30pm)

DROP INN

This off-the-beaten path bar truly deserves to be called a hidden gem. With regular outstanding live music performances and relaxed vibe, it is the nightlife connoisseurs' favorite spot. Open late on Mondays.

Kompagnistræde 34, Copenhagen
+45 33 11 24 04
www.drop-inn.dk
Mon, Thu 2pm–5am, Fri–Sat Noon–5am, Sun
2pm–1am

THE BARKING DOG

A laid-back cocktail venue with cozy seating and some creative cocktail recipes - don't be surprised to find breakfast serial on the list of ingredients (or sprinkled on top of your drink, for that matter).

Skt. Hans gade 19 kld, Copenhagen
+45 35 36 16 00
www.thebarkingdog.dk
Mon–Thu 4pm–1am, Fri–Sat 4pm–2am, Sun
4pm–Midnight

THE LIVING ROOM

With its unbeatable downtown location next to the University and all the Copenhagen hot spots, The Living Room is the perfect casual hangout venue. Bringing together the best of both worlds - delicious cafe treats and great cocktails, it entices you to have a drink in the cozy, dimly-lit downstairs seating area.

Larsbjørnsstræde 17, Copenhagen
+45 33 32 66 10
Mon–Thu 9am–11pm, Fri 9am–2am, Sat
10am–2am, Sun 10am–7pm

ØRSTED ØLBAR

Recently renovated, Ørsted Ølbar has now again opened its doors to patrons and craft beer lovers. With its 20 on-tap varieties and countless bottled beer options, the bar is a perfect hangout spot to play table football or sit outside during the summer months.

Nørre Farimagsgade 13, Copenhagen
+45 33 93 65 75
www.oerstedoelbar.dk
Mon 4pm–Midnight, Tue–Thurs 3pm - 1am, Fri 3pm
- 3am, Sat 1.30pm - 3am, Sun 2pm–11pm

KIND OF BLUE

With its regular live jazz sessions, Kind of Blue is a great place to spend a pleasant night listening to quality music, and with the establishment's location on a lively street you won't be at a loss before or after your visit.

Ravnsborggade 17, Copenhagen
+45 26 35 10 56
www.kindofblue.dk
Mon–Wed 4pm–Midnight, Thurs–Sat 4pm–2am

LOPPEN

Loppen is a counter-cultural music venue located inside Freetown Christiania - Copenhagen's famous self-established territory. Check the schedule to see what's on when you're in town and expect to find plenty of alternative musicians.

Sydområde 4B, Copenhagen
+45 32 57 84 22
www.loppen.dk
Doors open: Sun–Thurs: 8.30pm, Fri–Sat: 9pm

CULTURE BOX

Culture Box is one of, if not the best electronic music venue in Denmark. Hosting some of the biggest DJs on the scene, Culture Box consistently draws electronic and techno-loving crowds.

Kronprinsessegade 54, Copenhagen
+45 33 32 50 50
www.culture-box.com
Opening nights Fri & Sat

BAKKEN

Located inside a former butchers' shop, Bakken is the hip place to be on a weekend night out in Copenhagen. Its laid-back, casual atmosphere and great music make for a wonderful time, and affordable beer options certainly help.

Flæsketorvet 19-21, Copenhagen
www.bakkenkbh.dk
Sat Noon–5am, Thurs, Fri 5pm–5am

CAFES



Curious about Danish cakes and pastry? When in Denmark you have to try a real Danish – or wienerbrød, as it is called in Denmark – they are sold in many varieties at bakeries and cafes all over. The oldest patisserie in Copenhagen is La Glace which was founded in 1870. Amongst many mouth-watering cakes and pastries you will find the classic Sports Cake, which mainly consists of whipped cream.

There is nothing better than to grab an ice cream cone to go on a nice day. Denmark is famous for its dairy products and you can taste why when you try local ice cream. Did you know that Danes are one of the most ice cream-eating people in the world? The average Dane eats 10 liters of ice cream a year!

GRØD

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Jægersborggade 50, 2200 Copenhagen
+45 50 58 55 79

www.groed.com

Mon–Fri 7.30am–9pm, Sat–Sun 10am–9pm

GRANOLA

A favorite local breakfast spot, Granola is open late into the night and offers a selection of dinner options, too. The trendy location comes with a bit of waiting time, but take a seat at the bar and you will be shown to a table as soon as one is free.

Værnedamsvej 5, Frederiksberg

+45 33 25 00 80

www.granola.dk

Mon–Fri 7am–Midnight, Sat 9am–Midnight, Sun 9am–4pm

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Larsbjørnsstræde 17, Copenhagen

+45 33 32 66 10

Mon–Thu 9am–11pm, Fri 9am–2am, Sat 10am–2am, Sun 10am–7pm

THE COFFEE COLLECTIVE

This local coffee shop chain is where Copenhagen city dwellers in the know go for a mean cappuccino (or any other kind of coffee, for that matter). Celebrated for its baristas' craftsmanship and high quality of the coffee itself, this chain's installments are conveniently located all over town.

Linnesgade 17, Copenhagen

+45 60 15 15 25

www.coffeecollective.dk

Mon–Fri 7am–8pm, Sat–Sun 8am–7pm

Inside Torvehallerne

CAFE DYREHAVEN

The cafe's location in the hip neighborhood of Vesterbro sets the tone for the cafe's vibe - a trendy mix of eatery and pub, this venue is known for its impeccable breakfast foods, and Morgenmadstallerken (Breakfast Plate) in particular. The cafe is open late into the night and serves not only coffee, but a selection of beer and wine.

Sønder Boulevard 72, Copenhagen

+45 40 11 77 85

www.dyrehavenkbh.dk

Mon–Fri 9am–2am, Sat 10am–2am, Sun
10am–Midnight

TOP 5 EVENTS



Copenhagen is renowned for being Northern Europe's largest festival city. Numerous events and festivals are held in the Danish capital during the year with themes ranging from rock and jazz to food, fashion, architecture, sports, film, ballet, design and visual arts.

ROSKILDE FESTIVAL

Roskilde Festival is one of the biggest rock events in the World and the biggest music festival in Northern Europe. It is held on a huge field near the city of Roskilde, half an hour's drive from Copenhagen City. The Festival has existed since 1971 but has not aged a bit. In fact, it just seems to become more and more popular. The 70,000 tickets available are usually sold out long before the programme is published. The festival is a huge party with guests from all around the world. Apart from the concerts, there are hundreds of stalls selling everything from jewellery and clothes to massages and tattoos.

www.roskilde-festival.dk

NIGHT OF CULTURE

The annual Night of Culture kicks off in Copenhagen and offers children and adults more than 500 cultural events in just one night. A total of more than 200 museums, churches, exhibition halls, galleries, political institutions, and many other institutions representing art and culture will keep their doors open during the evening.

www.kulturnatten.dk

CPH:DOX

CPH:DOX (Copenhagen International Documentary Festival) has become one of Europe's most important international documentary film festivals. It aims to break away from mainstream and present what's new & innovative. The serious and political, weird and unexpected, provocative and artistic- all is welcomed at the festival. It is based on wide, international and cross cultural collaboration involving a range of activities such as seminars, directors' sessions, lectures, debates, happenings, music- and club-events. CPH:DOX is held in Copenhagen every November.

www.cphdox.dk

COPENHAGEN COOKING

Copenhagen Cooking is the annual Nordic Food Festival. The week-long festival of mouth watering gastronomic experiences from Denmark and the other Nordic countries invites everyone to take a bite of the city. At this festival you get a taste of what it's all about. Whether you like gourmet food, traditional dishes or want to taste a little of everything there will be lots of things to try. Since 2005, Copenhagen Cooking has celebrated both Nordic and international cuisine. Copenhagen Cooking takes place in restaurants and public spaces across the centre of Copenhagen every August. It also has a winter edition in February as a part of the winterfestival Wondercool.

www.copenhagencooking.dk

COPENHAGEN JAZZ FESTIVAL

Copenhagen Jazz Festival takes place every July in the streets of Copenhagen. The city has a long tradition as a jazz metropolis and over the years, many of the great international jazz musicians have been based permanently in Copenhagen. During the Copenhagen Jazz Festival, jazz can be heard in every corner of the city featuring top international artists and local talent, traditional to experimental. The programme for the festival is normally published in May and can be obtained by visiting.

www.jazz.dk

DINING



Copenhagen is the leading gastronomy capital in Scandinavia. The city has more Michelin restaurants than any neighbouring country - 15 in total - and Copenhagen was until recently home to Noma, which was awarded as the World's Best Restaurant three years in a row. Whether you are into bistros or Michelin-starred restaurants there is plenty for you in Copenhagen. The restaurant scene is among the world's most distinct and innovative, and it caters to all budgets. When dining out try the much appraised Nordic kitchen at least once. It is known for being of high quality and with a focus on using local and seasonal produce.

WASCATOR

The list of dining options may be short, but packs a punch with some highlights such as coq-au-vin (made with white wine) or whitefish with egg salad. The inviting atmosphere will surely make you stay and enjoy the "bar" part of this establishment's focus.

Refsnæsgade 32, Copenhagen
+45 36 91 77 87
www.was-cator.dk
Mon-Sat Noon-3am, Sun Noon-7pm

BISTRO BOHEME

The Danish winner of "Best Bistro/Brasserie" in years 2009 and 2012, this restaurant is still going strong and offering top-notch French cuisine in a very Parisian-style cafe setting.

Esplanaden 8, Copenhagen
+45 33 93 98 44
www.bistroboheme.dk
Mon - Sat 11.30am - 00.30am

PAPIROEEN

Formerly a paper factory, this venue is now a bustling local attraction brimming with visitors. The building hosts multiple food trucks, each offering its unique twist on one of the world's beloved cuisines. Use the riverfront public space outside to sit in the sun on a warm day.

Trangravsvej 8, Copenhagen
www.copenhagenstreetfood.dk
Opening hours vary by season

MOTHER

This establishment's sourdough pizza is what keeps patrons coming back for more. The pizzas that come out of Mother's wood oven are superb, just as the outdoor seating area is. Make sure to come early - you may have to wait to be seated.

Høkerboderne 9-15, 1712 Copenhagen
+45 22 27 58 98
www.mother.dk
Mon-Wed, Sun 11am-11pm, Thu-Sat 11am-1am

TORVEHALLERNE

Torvehallerne is an upscale market and food court with everything from sandwiches to artisan chocolates to fresh seafood and produce on offer. The place has a nice vibe and is the perfect authentic spot for lunch in the city - try the duck confit sandwich at Ma Poule and finish off with your drink of choice at Coffee Collective.

Frederiksborggade, 1360 Copenhagen
+45 70 10 60 70
www.torvehallernekbh.dk
Mon-Thu 10am-7pm, Fri 10am-8pm, Sat 10am-6pm, Sun 11am-5pm

KOKKERIET

The seating area of this tiny fine dining restaurant might just as well have been someone's dining room. The coziness does not take away from the impeccable service and high quality of food served - the restaurant lives up to the status of having a Michelin star. Portions are very moderate, which is compensated for by the number of courses - up to 14 at a time.

Kronprinsessegade 64, Copenhagen

+45 33 15 27 77

www.kokkeriet.dk

Mon-Sat 6pm - 1am

WEDOFOOD

A wonderful place to make your salad dreams come true- the variety is impressive, and prices fair. This one is a local healthy lunch favorite that draws customers from even far-lying areas.

Halmtorvet 21, 1700 København

+45 35 36 93 36

www.wedofood.dk

Mon-Sat 11am-8pm

KØDBYENS FISKEBAR

Seafood is a natural first choice when dining in Copenhagen, and Kødbyens Fiskebar has a lot to offer on that front. Fresh oysters, raw seafood dishes and even the plainest Fish and Chips are well worth your attention here.

Flæsketorvet 100, Copenhagen

+45 32 15 56 56

www.fiskebaren.dk

Mon-Thurs 5.30pm-midnight, Fri 17.30pm-2am,
Sat 11.30am-2am, Sun 11.30am-midnight

MA POULE

The fabled duck confit sandwich served here is said to be life-changing and the place's location inside the trendy market of Torvehallerne allows you to browse through some amazing deli items and look at freaky sea monsters in the fish section after lunch.

Frederiksborggade 21, Copenhagen

+45 27 63 19 81

Tue-Thu 10am-7pm, Fri-Sat 10am-8pm, Sun
11am-5pm

KREBSEGAARDEN

If in search for an upscale dining experience while in Copenhagen, look no further - restaurant Krestegaarden brings art not only into its food, but also aligns its decor with the current exhibitions at the Krebsen Gallery nearby, which means patrons enjoy a new exposition at least 8 times a year. The quality of food and service is, naturally, superb.

Stuðiestraede 17, Copenhagen

+45 20 12 40 15

www.krestegaarden.dk

Tue-Sat 5pm - 10pm

UMAMI

Umami is the Japanese restaurant to be in Copenhagen. Winner of the "Most Creative Sushi Master" award at the World Sushi Championship in 2013, this place takes its Japanes-French fusion dishes very seriously. Oder the chef's set if you're serious about sushi.

Store Kongensgade 59, Copenhagen

+45 33 38 75 00

www.restaurantumami.dk

Mon-Thurs 6pm-10pm, Fri-Sat 6pm-11pm

GORILLA

A place popular among locals, where food is generously served in pre-set multiple-course menus. Order the 10 or 15 course one and get ready for a remarkable culinary adventure. Prices are fair.

Flæsketorvet 63, Copenhagen

+45 3333 8330

www.restaurantgorilla.dk

Mon-Thurs 5.30pm-midnight, Fri-Sat 5.30pm-2am

KIIN KIIN

Located in the trendy neighborhood of Nørrebro, Kiin Kiin is a Thai restaurant that was rightfully awarded a Michelin star. Thai classics with a twist are served as part of daliy menus and wine pairings are also recommended.

Guldbergsgade 21, Copenhagen
 +45 35 35 75 55
www.kiin.dk
 Mon–Sat 5.30pm–Midnight

BIOMIO

The large restaurant BioMio, in Copenhagen's fashionable meatpacking district, serves organic and tasty food suitable for kids in a laid back atmosphere. Vegans and vegetarians are also in for a treat.

Halmtorvet 19, Copenhagen
 +45 33 31 20 00
www.biomio.dk
 Mon-Sat Noon - 4pm & 5pm - 10pm, Sun Noon - 4pm & 5pm - 9pm

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Jægersborggade 50, Copenhagen
 +45 50 58 55 79
www.groed.com
 Mon–Fri 7.30am–9pm, Sat–Sun 10am–9pm

PEDER OXE

Restaurant Peder Oxe opened in 1978 and is therefore one of Copenhagen's oldest restaurants. Peder Oxe lies at the historical Gråbrødretorv, which makes your visit a big experience. Peder Oxe focuses on using the products of the shifting seasons, which gives the guest an unique exquisite meal beyond the usual. For lunch is it recommended to try the Danish specialty open sandwiches – in Danish called smørrebrød.

Gråbrødretorv 11, Copenhagen
 +45 33 11 99 77
www.pederoxe.dk
 Sun - Wed 10am - 11.30pm, Thurs - Sat 10am - midnight

GERANIUM

With Noma making an exit in early 2016, Geranium is a worthy replacement with its 2 Michelin stars and superb molecular cuisine. Enjoy the dining experience consisting of course upon course of exquisite dishes and do not miss the juice pairing.

Per Henrik Lings Allé 4, Copenhagen
 +45 69 96 00 20
www.geranium.dk
 Wed-Sat 18.30pm - 9pm (6.30pm - Midnight),
 Lunch: Thurs-Sat Noon - 1pm (Noon - 3.30pm)
 Parken - In Tower H

RETOUR STEAK

Heralded as one of the finest steakhouses in town, Retour is definitely a location any carnivore will enjoy immensely. Ribeye and lobster with Bearnaise seem to be on high demand among patrons.

Ny Østergade 21, Copenhagen
 +45 33 33 83 30
www.retoursteak.dk
 Sun-Wed 5pm-10pm, Thurs-Sat 5pm-11pm

HÖST

Höst is a cozy rustic restaurant specializing in Scandinavian cuisine, so if you're looking to see what Nordic cooking is all about - look no further. The pre-set menus are highly recommended by patrons and often include surprise dishes in between the set courses. Portions are small, but their abundance will make up for the modest size.

Nørre Farimagsgade 41, Copenhagen
 +45 89 93 84 09
www.newnorm.dk
 Daily 5.30pm-Midnight

MAVEN – RESTAURANT & WINE BAR

Maven offers quality wines and good beer at honest prices and classic dishes with an elegant twist, freshly made from the best ingredients. In the 19th Century this was the home of the city's butcher shops and thus referred to by the locals as 'Maven', meaning 'the Stomach'.

Nikolajplads 10, Copenhagen

+45 32 20 11 00

www.restaurantmaven.dk

Mon–Thu 11.30am–Midnight, Fri–Sat

11.30am–2am

DO & SEE



Copenhagen is an old city with historic buildings, royal castles, beautiful parks and harbours, and plenty of attractions and activities to keep even the most eager tourist busy. The city centre is characterized by charming architecture and narrow curving streets. But within recent years Copenhagen has supplemented its architectural heritage with new, world-class architecture. It is easy to explore the city and get around, and many sights are within walking distance from one another. You can always catch a bus, metro to get around or rent a bike - and travel the Danish way.

STATENS MUSEUM FOR KUNST (THE NATIONAL GALLERY)

Statens Museum for Kunst, the Danish national gallery, is the only place in Denmark that features 700 years of Western art and cultural history under one roof. Consequently a visit to the museum means an artistic encounter between classical, modern and contemporary art, just as the museum building in itself represents a fusion of new and old. In addition to the permanent exhibition the museum is also highly capable of delivering temporary exhibitions of international quality and outlook.

Sølvgade 48-50, Copenhagen
+45 3374 8494

www.smk.dk

Tue-Sun 10am-5pm, Wed 10am-8pm, Monday closed.

Admission to the collections is free.

DANISH MASTER PAINTERS IN THE HIRSCHSPRUNG COLLECTION

The Hirschsprung Collection displays a unique selection of Danish art from the 19th century. The collection gives an almost overwhelming view of the period's pictorial art, which is one of the most exciting and dynamic in Danish art. Here are works by masters such as Hammershøi, Eckersberg, Købke, Ancher and Krøyer. The museum is set in one of the most beautiful parks in the heart of Copenhagen.

Stockholmsgade 20, Copenhagen
+45 3542 0336

www.hirschsprung.dk

Daily except Tuesday, 11am-4pm

LOUISIANA MUSEUM OF MODERN ART

Louisiana Museum of Modern Art is located 35 km north of Copenhagen with a panoramic view across the Øresund. The interaction between world class art, nature and architecture is unique, and Louisiana is often hailed as "probably the most beautiful museum in the world". The collection includes significant chapters in 20th century art, and Louisiana is a dynamic framework for grand exhibitions, concerts, literature etc.

Gl. Strandvej 13, Humlebæk
+45 4919 0719

www.louisiana.dk

Tue-Fri 11am-10pm, Sat, Sun and public holidays 11am-6pm. Closed on Mondays.

KUNSTHAL CHARLOTTENBORG

Kunsthal Charlottenborg is the largest contemporary art venue in Copenhagen, presenting exhibitions by the most exciting artists from Denmark and around the world. You can also visit the great café with outdoor serving during summer and the bookshop – Motto Charlottenborg. Kunsthal Charlottenborg is situated on Nyhavn, next to the canal, just behind Kongens Nytorv.

Nyhavn 2, Copenhagen
+45 33 36 90 42

www.kunsthalcharlottenborg.dk

Tues-Sun 11am-5pm, Wednesday 11am-8pm, Monday closed

CHRISTIANIA

This city within a city is a self-proclaimed autonomous community, home to about 800 permanent residents who took over this abandoned military complex in 1971. The “freetown” they created was controversial at first, but with its heavy emphasis on tolerance, community and ecology it eventually gained recognition from the government and has since endured as a “social experiment.” The infamous “Pusher Street” can be a little intimidating, but beyond it lie the homes and gardens of the alternative and free-thinking residents.

Christiania, Copenhagen
www.christiania.org

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Trangravsvej 8, Copenhagen
www.copenhagenstreetfood.dk
 Opening hours vary by season

PALEIS CHRISTIANSBORG (CHRISTIANSBORG SLOT)

Whether you choose to go inside for the tour or opt for just walking around the area, this palace is worth a visit even if only to go up the tower to the observation deck and take in the panoramic view of the city. There is an elevator all the way to the top and admission to the deck is free.

Christiansborg Slotsplads, Copenhagen
 +45 33 92 64 92
www.kongeligeslotte.dk
 Tue-Sun 10am - 5pm

THE KAREN BLIXEN MUSEUM

The Karen Blixen Museum is located in the charming old estate of Rungstedlund where the world famous author was born and lived most of her life. Experience the unique atmosphere of the very rooms where books such as Out of Africa and Seven Gothic Tales were written. The museum has a park and many special exhibitions and events. Relax in the cozy café.

Rungsted Strandvej 111, Copenhagen
 +45 45 57 10 57
www.blixen.dk

1 May - 30 September: Tue-Sun 10am-5pm, Monday closed; 1 October - 30 April Wed-Fri 1pm-4pm, Sat&Sun 11am-4pm, Monday and Tuesday closed.

THE DANISH JEWISH MUSEUM

The Danish Jewish Museum presents 400 years of Danish Jewish history. It is a story about integration and difference, about peaceful coexistence and humanity. The spectacular exhibition space was designed by world renowned architect Daniel Libeskind.

Proviantspassagen 6, Copenhagen
 +45 33 11 22 18
www.jewmus.dk/en

Tue-Fri 1pm-4pm, Sat&Sun Noon-5pm, Monday closed.

NYHAVN

This iconic postcard-ready sight is somewhat of a sudden splash of color, and a definite must-visit when in town. Stroll along the harbor and sit down for an evening drink in one of the many enticing establishments, most of which offer heating and blankets to make for a cozy time even at low temperatures.

Nyhavn, Copenhagen
www.nyhavn.com

RIPLEYS ATTRACTIONS - GUINNESS WORLD RECORD MUSEUM

Visit our Ripley's attractions in the heart of Copenhagen – Guinness World Record Museum. The 1,000 m2 attraction is filled with exciting records in sport, art, nature, science, fashion and music. Meet the world's tallest man who measured 272 cm or the heaviest, see the sight of 1.382.101 dominoes topping over. The world of music featuring the king of pop Michael Jackson, and the world of fashion featuring Hollywood's queen of dresses Marilyn Monroe - just some of the many attractions providing entertainment for all the family.

Østergade 16, Copenhagen
+45 3332 3131
www.guinness.dk

THE NATIONAL MUSEUM - WHO ARE THE DANES?

Where can you learn about the history of the Danes from the first hunters of the Ice Age to the last hash stall from the 'free state' of Christiania? And where can you see one of the world's biggest collections of exhibits from cultures all over the planet? At the National Museum, Denmark's biggest museum, admission is free to all the exhibitions.

Ny Vestergade 10, Copenhagen
+45 33 13 44 11
www.natmus.dk
Tue-Sun 10am-5pm, Monday closed

THE LITTLE MERMAID (DEN LILLE HAVFRUE)

The Little Mermaid has become Copenhagen's most recognizable symbol, and visiting to snap a quick shot is certainly worth the detour from the city's core. This commemoration of Andersen's genius is conveniently located right next to the historic fortress of Kastellet, so make sure to walk through the green star-shaped area on your way back.

Langelinie, Copenhagen

BATHS AND BEACHES

In Copenhagen you are never far from a beach and during summer you can go for a swim in the many centrally located harbor baths.

Amager Strandpark offers 4.6 kilometers of white sand beach, Islands Brygge Harbour Bath has five basins and Urban Beach offers sand, sweaty beats and drinks.

STRØGET

Start getting to know the Danish capital strolling down Stroet - Europe's longest pedestrian street lined with stores, cafes and nightlife venues. Grab a bite from one of the food trucks you come across, and make sure to venture out onto the side streets to really feel the old city vibe.

Stroget, Copenhagen

TIVOLI GARDENS

Tivoli Gardens combines the best of both worlds - home to multiple roller coaster rides that will easily keep adventure-seekers occupied for at least a day, it is simultaneously a great location for a relaxing stroll amongst the beautiful gardens and public spaces. Christmas and Halloween are great times to visit - Tivoli goes all out on the decor, which will surely help you catch the holiday spirit.

Vesterbrogade 3, Copenhagen
+45 33 15 10 01
www.tivoli.dk
Sun-Thu 11am-11pm, Fri Noon-12:30am, Fri - Sat 11am-Midnight
Day and seasonal passes available.

DANISH ARCHITECTURE CENTRE

Danish Architecture Centre (DAC) is Denmark's leading exhibition venue for new architecture and urban development located in an old warehouse by the waterfront. DAC is offering changing exhibitions, talks, debates and cultural events. Enjoy lunch in the café and visit the bookshop with the finest selection of books on architecture and design.

Strandgade 27B, Copenhagen
+45 32571930
www.dac.dk
Daily 10am-5pm, Wed until 9pm.

DANSK DESIGN CENTER

It presents varying exhibitions of Danish and international design. The Danish Design Centre has a nice shop with Danish and Scandinavian design products. At the Danish Design Centre, visitors also find Café DANSK with a cuisine that is based on the New Nordic Kitchen.

H.C. Andersens Boulevard 27, Copenhagen
+45 3369 3369

www.ddc.dk

Mon-Fri 9 am-5pm, Sat&Sun closed.

THE ROUND TOWER

Observatory – Platform – Concert and Exhibition Hall

The Round Tower is one of the best known and most popular structures in Denmark. It is the oldest functioning observatory in Europe, and the platform that runs around the Observatory on the top of the tower affords views over the old Latin Quarter of Copenhagen. The road leading to the top takes the form of a white-washed spiral walk, passing the old Library which is the forum of exhibitions and concerts.

Købmagergade 52a, Copenhagen
+45 3373 0373

www.rundetaarn.dk

21 May–20 September: Daily 10am–8pm, 21

September–20 May: Daily 10am–6pm.

Mid–October to mid-March, Tuesday and Wednesday, both the Tower and the Observatory are open 6pm-9pm. The Tower is shut on 24 and 25 December and 1 January.

post@rundetaarn.dk

THE DAVID COLLECTION

Experience an atmospheric museum with elegant 19th-century interiors, fine collections of furniture, porcelain and silver, and work by renowned Danish painters, from Jens Juel and Christen Købke to the internationally acclaimed, Vilhelm Hammershøi. Then, enter a completely different cultural sphere through one of the world's largest collections of Islamic art. The museum is located in the center of Copenhagen, across from the King's Gardens. Admission is free.

Kronprinsessegade 30, Copenhagen

+45 3373 4949

www.davidmus.dk

Tues-Sun 10am-5pm, Wed 10am-9pm. Monday closed. Also closed December 23, 24, 25, and 31.

Entrance: free

GUIDED TOURS

Copenhagen is small enough for you to experience it by foot. But if you do not know where the good sights are then what good does it do? Luckily for you there are lots of great guided tours.

www.copenhagenfreewalkingtours.dk

ESSENTIAL INFORMATION



AIRPORT

Copenhagen has the shortest distance from airport to city in Europe. It only takes 15 minutes by metro from the airport to Kongens Nytorv and 12 minutes by train to the Central Station in the city centre next to Tivoli.

The train station is located in Terminal 3, and the metro station is right above it. Tickets may be purchased directly in Terminal 3 from self-service machines or a DSB ticket sales counter.

Lufthavnsboulevarden 6, Kastrup
www.cph.dk

PUBLIC TRANSPORT

The Copenhagen Metro, which has been ranked the best in the world for several years running, runs between the airport and the city centre - useful for both tourists and locals. It takes just 15 minutes to get from the airport to Kongens Nytorv in the heart of Copenhagen, but you can also get off at Christianshavn or Nørreport. Web: www.m.dk

S-trains - The bright red regional "S" trains connect the suburbs and the surrounding towns with the city. Web: www.dsb.dk

Buses are efficient and use the same ticketing and pricing system as the S trains and the metro. www.moviatrafik.dk

To make itineraries www.rejseplanen.dk is very helpful.

TAXI

Taxa 4x35
 +45 35 35 35 35

Dantaxi
 +45 70 25 25 25

TaxiNord
 +45 48 48 48 48

BIKE CITY COPENHAGEN

While in Copenhagen, why not get around the Danish way?

In Copenhagen practically everybody rides a bike – it is an easy way to get around and it is good for the environment. Rent a bike from your hotel or at one of the many bike rental shops in the city.

POST

Red post boxes to drop off your mail are scattered all over the city.

Post Office at Central Station

Opening hours: Monday - Friday: 9am - 7pm,
 Saturday: Noon-4pm, Sunday closed.

PHARMACY

Steno Apotek
 Vesterbrogade 6C
 +45 33 14 82 66
 Open 24/7

Nørrebro Apotek v/Majid Sairafianpour
 Pharmacy

Nørrebrogade 8
 +45 35 39 83 82
 Open daily 8am-8pm

Vesterbrogade 6C, Copenhagen
www.stenoapotek.dk

TELEPHONE

Country code +45

ELECTRICITY

220V / 50Hz

SHOPPING



Copenhagen is great for shopping, both because of the variety of the shops and because the city is compact. Start your shopping trip in the inner city. On Strøget, you will find most of the big chain stores and more exclusive shops.

Stroll down the small streets parallel to Strøget and Købmagergade where you will find vintage shops, Danish designers such as Wood Wood, Malene Birger and Henrik Vibskov, and small jewelry and ceramics shops.

Streets outside the inner city that are worth checking out are Istedgade, Gl. Kongevej, Elmegade, Jægersborggade and Østerbrogade. Enjoy, and remember your walking shoes.

PLAYTYPE

The best way to describe this unique little store is as a "typography playground" that far not only graphic designers will find entertaining. What's on display here is the result of experimenting with all sorts of prints, and the items on sale are products created by a Danish brand and design agency e-Types.

Værnedamsvej 6, Copenhagen
+45 6040 6914

www.playtype.com

Tue - Fr: Noon - 6 pm, Sat 11am - 3pm

STORM

A name not unfamiliar to fashionistas worldwide, Storm is a high-end boutique that features clothing and accessories by Céline, Adam Kimmel, Maison Kitsuné, Comme des Garçons, Peter Pilotto, Common Affairs and Katy Eary (to name just a few). Books, music and even mini in-store exhibitions are to be found here, too.

Store Regnegade 1, Copenhagen
+45 33 93 00 14

www.stormfashion.dk

Mon–Thu 11am–5.30pm, Fri 11am–7pm, Sat 10am–5pm

TORVEHALLERNE

Torvehallerne is an upscale market and food court with everything from sandwiches to artisan chocolates to fresh seafood and produce on offer. The place has a nice vibe and is the perfect authentic spot for lunch in the city - try the duck confit sandwich at Ma Poule and finish off with your drink of choice at Coffee Collective.

Frederiksborggade, 1360 Copenhagen
+45 70 10 60 70

www.torvehallernekbh.dk

Mon–Thu 10am–7pm, Fri 10am–8pm, Sat 10am–6pm, Sun 11am–5pm

NORMANN COPENHAGEN

Even if you're not looking to buy furnishings, it might still be worth to stop by this iconic Danish home store to look around and marvel at the cleverly designed items a stylish Danish home may contain - you might not be able to resist the temptation to make a purchase.

Østerbrogade 70, Copenhagen
+45 35 55 44 59

www.normann-copenhagen.com

HENRIK VIBSKOV BOUTIQUE

If outrageous and extravagant clothing is something you dare to wear, Henrik Vibskov's boutique is the right place for you. Those whose tastes lean into a slightly more conservative direction will still enjoy browsing through this store's one-of-kind clothing items, even if for entertainment only.

Krystalgade 6, Copenhagen
+45 31 14 61 00
www.henrikvibskovboutique.com

NORSE PROJECTS

If the men's look you see on Danish streets is something you see yourself pulling off, drop by Norse Projects and browse through some incredibly hip menswear styles. The store sells items of its own label.

Pilestræde 41, Copenhagen
+45 33 93 26 26
www.norsestore.com
Mon–Thu 9am–6pm, Fri 9am–7pm, Sat 9am–4pm

ILLUM

One of the few big shopping malls in Copenhagen, Illum is an upmarket shopping venue with stores and boutiques representing both Scandinavian and international brands. There is a grocery store in the basement which is rumored to offer a nice selection of wines and cheeses.

Østergade 52, Copenhagen
+45 33 14 40 02
www.illum.dk
Mon–Sat 10am–8pm, Sun 11am–6pm

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MAGASIN DU NORD

Magasin du Nord is an iconic, long-standing upscale shopping venue. Multiple Scandinavian and international brands are represented at this department store, and items range from household goods to clothing and cosmetics.

Kongens Nytorv 13, Copenhagen
+45 33 11 44 33
www.magasin.dk
Mon–Sun 10am–8pm

JUUL'S VIN OG SPIRITUS

Spirits connoisseurs shouldn't miss this Copenhagen mix of showroom and liquor shop that sells high-quality wines and boasts an incredible selection of whiskeys. This establishment even hosts events, so take a look at their website if interested.

Værnedamsvej 15, Copenhagen
+45 33 31 13 29
www.juuls.dk
Mon–Thurs 9am–5.30pm, Fri 9am–7pm, Sat 9am–5pm

WOOD WOOD

Looking to shop for local fashion of the upper price range do stop by Wood Wood - a Danish brand that produces clothing and accessories. The store also features a few hop brands from the USA and Japan.

Grønnegade 1, Copenhagen
+45 35 35 62 64
www.woodwood.dk
Mon–Thurs 10.30am–6pm, Fri 10.30am–7pm, Sat 10.30am–5pm, Sun Noon–4pm

BOGHALLEN

If browsing through books sounds like a great time to you, make sure to check out this bookstore with an impressive selection of literature in both Danish and English. Literary readings are also held here regularly.

Rådhuspladsen 37, Copenhagen
+45 33 47 25 60
www.politikensforlag.dk
Mon, Tues, Thurs, Fri 9am–7pm, Wed 9am–9pm, Sat 10am–4pm, Sun 11am–4pm

FIELD'S

Field's is the largest shopping center in Denmark and is placed with excellent accessibility for all. In Field's you get everything under one roof. It is Copenhagen's ultimate shopping and leisure destination and the perfect place to shop, eat and meet.

Arne Jacobsens Allé 12, Copenhagen

+45 70 208 505

www.fields.dk

Weekdays 10am-8pm, Weekends 10am-6pm

STILLEBEN

Copenhagen is known for its amazing design boutiques, and the downtown Stilleben is a good place to start exploring the products of Danish creativity. Unique designs, ceramics and prints along with a huge variety of items for the home occupy 2 floors of this centrally located design wonderland.

Niels Hemmingsens Gade 3, Copenhagen

+45 27 11 31 91

www.stilleben.dk

Mon-Fri 10-6pm, Sat 10am-5pm

LEGO STORE

Located right in the heart of Old Town, the LEGO store is hard to miss. It was recently re-opened after renovation, and now brings even more joy to its visitors. Come here to stock up on Lego or just look at the mini-Nyhavn made up completely of these colorful building blocks.

Vimmelskaftet 37, Copenhagen

+45 52 15 91 58

www.stores.lego.com/da-dk/stores/dk/copenhagen

Mon-Thu, Sat 10am-6pm, Fri 10am-7pm, Sun 11am-5pm

BREDGADE

Bredgade is Copenhagen's prime location for art-lovers and collectors, as this is where most auction houses are concentrated. Antiques, paintings, vintage items and collectibles, as well as modern art and design products are to be found here in abundance.

Bredgade, Copenhagen

FARAOS CIGARER

This comic book shop has all a nerd's heart desires - an enormous collection of comics and graphic novels, along with action figures and all sorts of comic memorabilia.

Skindergade 27, Copenhagen

+45 33 32 22 11

www.faraos.dk

Mon-Thurs 11am-5.30pm, Fri 11am-6pm, Sat 10am-4pm

LATIN QUARTER

Copenhagen's very own Latin Quarter is made up of 4 main streets (Studiestræde, Skt. Pedersstræde, Larsbjørnsstræde and Teglgårdsstræde), and is known for the variety of creative avantgarde boutiques, as well as second-hand shops and food take-outs. The proximity to the University means the area is always flooded with hip, in-style youngsters.

Larsbjørnsstræde, Copenhagen

VESTERBRO

The neighborhood of Vesterbro isn't only home to Copenhagen's red light district and some of the best eateries in town, but also quite a few vintage shops and clothing boutiques that will surely make a fashionista's heart beat faster. Do not miss Istedgade street, the hippest of them all.

Vesterbro, Copenhagen

JÆGERSBORGGADE

Jægersborggade is a street that has managed to shed its reputation of being somewhat dodgy and has recently turned into one of Copenhagen's hippest. The street runs through the upcoming neighborhood of Nørrebro and is lined with vintage boutiques, cafes and even Michelin-starred restaurants.

Jægersborggade, Copenhagen

THE CITY



Copenhagen is an old city with beautiful historic buildings and attractions. The ramparts and walls, which surrounded the inner city, were taken down in the middle of the 1800s. This has given the city charming architecture with narrow curving streets in the center combined with a pulsating shopping and café scene.

Over the past few years, Copenhagen has supplemented its architectural heritage with new, world-class architecture. Star architects both Danish such as Bjarke Ingels and international have built imposing buildings which look to the future. New districts and architecture have sprung up to mix well with the past.

Copenhagen is characterized by its relaxed spirit and Copenhageners bike to work, relax with their families in parks, jump in the harbor pools in the summer, and actively participate in the many events held in the city.

VESTERBRO

Once Vesterbro was mostly known for its infamous red light district. Today it is one of the hippest places around. The district is situated within walking distance from the city centre, right behind the Central Station. It is one of the most fashionable places in the city - not just to live, but to shop, eat, drink and have a great night out.

NØRREBRO

Vibrant, colorful, casual and young at heart. Nørrebro is a lively area of Copenhagen.

You will find trendy bars and fashionable designer shops next door to dodgy dive bars and cheap kebab places.

If you are into small design shops head for Elmegade or Jægersborggade, and if you like antiques Ravensborggade is the place to go. At Sankt Hans Torv and the streets around it you have several choices for dinner and drinks. And at Assistens Cemetery you can visit the grave of famous Danes or do like the Nørrebro citizens and relax in the park

FREDERIKSBERG

Frederiksberg is a fashionable part of Copenhagen with excellent shopping opportunities and green spaces.

It is more posh than Nørrebro and Vesterbro, and the people living here are usually older and more established.

Main street through Frederiksberg is Gammel Kongevej - 'Kings Road'. Shopping is great here with many clothing shops as well as sushi restaurants, cafes and deli's. The same is true for street Værnedamsvej, which is both cosy and cool. Frederiksberg is also a green oasis with Frederiksberg Gardens, the romantic Garden of the Faculty of Life Sciences and Søndermarken.

INNER CITY

Inner City is the heart of Copenhagen. It includes Copenhagen's oldest neighborhood with small, narrow streets and crooked houses. In the center you will find a myriad of great shopping streets, cozy cafes, restaurants, as well as green areas, parks, charming canals and a modern waterfront. The main artery of Inner City is the pedestrian street Strøget, that runs from City Hall Square to Kongens Nytorv. Strøget is always packed with people and street artists, but be sure to move down the numerous exciting side streets.

ØSTERBRO

Broad boulevards, parks, delicacies, design shops. The neighborhood of Østerbro is somewhat posh and at the same time completely down to earth. Østerbro is located north of Copenhagen city centre. It is one of Copenhagen's most attractive and expensive living areas with the shops to match. Shop design at Normann Copenhagen, sip a glass of wine at Panzon or chill in Fælledparken – Denmark's largest public park.

CITY CARD