



# WELCOME

*To experience a piece of  
real living archipelago!*

## NÄSBY, HOUTSKÄR

### *Näsby information*

Näsby is located in Houtskär, which consists of approx. 700 islands of varying sizes, approx. 500 people live on the main island all year round and the majority speak Swedish. The port is only a few hundred meters from the village center and if you want to experience Näsby, you can walk a "ring road" around the village and then return to the port. Houtskär is a living archipelago community where togetherness, helpfulness and old-fashioned as we call it talkoanda (voluntary work together) are keywords for life this far out in the sea. But with that said, we still keep up with the times and keep up to date with what's happening outside of our little world. A certain basic service is available on the island, as daycare, school, care for the elderly and health care as well as shops, restaurants and other things.

**For tall ships race boats, we have reserved some docks, or part of them, and Houtskär's volunteer fire brigade will take care of you and guide you to the right place during the evening of 21.7 between 20-22 and during the day on 22.7 at 10-14, there will be no port charge.**



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## PROGRAM ON MONDAY 22.7 IN NÄSBY

9-21 The church is open to visitors

12.30-17 **Market sale**

12-12.30 **Traditional folk music** and presentation of **Houtskär's costumes**

12.30-17 **Archipelago Museum open**  
At 12.30, 13.15 and 16.30 English guided tour

12.30 **English guided tour along the culture path**, if necessary a guided tour also 16.30

12-17.00 **Shooting simulator**, both game and target shooting for up to two people at the same time, price 2€ only cash **payment**

14.00 **Playful relay** between teams from the Tall ships race  
Take the chance to have some fun together and get to know each other  
Winning boat team receive glory and fame as well as a small prize

**Note! Advance notification to the small harbour shop before 1 pm.**  
**A team = 5 people**

18.00 **Evening prayer** in the church

20-24 **Meeting point for young people** aged 15-25 at Skärgårdsskolan  
Opportunity to meet and socialize freely

16-21 **Sauna/Bastu**

4 saunas available for the Tall Ships Race

21.00 **Movie: Stormskärsmaja**

Subtitled in English

Maja and her husband Janne move their family to a barren and remote island of Stormskär (storm Island). Their everyday life on the island is relentless hard work for survival. Maja, who has grown in a world of old values, becomes aware of the advent of a new era: a woman can have agency instead of being a mere bystander. Stormskärs Maja is a life story of an extraordinary woman who experiences the kind of love that every human being should have. A love that transcends the boundaries of death.

The film is based on Anni Blomqvist's novels from the 1970s and the popular tv-series based on them, that was produced at the time.

This film gives you an idea how the people lived in the archipelago about 200-years ago.

This new film is filmed in the Åland archipelago and premiered in January 2024.

8-10 **Restaurant Sybarit** breakfast €12

11-15 Lunch: fish soup or baked potato €14

15-21 Bistro meny och pizza

8-24 Harbour **restaurant Skagen** open

11-22 The kitchen is open

17-21 Barbecue evening

21-24 **Live music**