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### **SVALBARD SUMMER MICRO CRUISE**

Set sail under the midnight sun, for unforgettable wildlife encounters in Europe 's last great wilderness.

See the High Arctic archipelago's famous wildlife against a pristine backdrop of fairytale fjords, calving glaciers, and snow-capped mountains. Witnessing this endlessly rich habitat home to reindeer, whales, Arctic foxes, polar bears, and much more - illuminated by the midnight sun is, simply, one of the greatest shows in nature.

See Svalbard come alive with wildlife.

On this summer expedition, explore the last stop before the North Pole, home to some of the most magnificent creatures and most stunning scenery on the planet, all lit up by the midnight sun.

The warmth of the sun invites migratory species back to Svalbard and encourages resident animals to come out from their wintery hiding places, making summer the best season to spot whales, seabirds, walruses, and polar bears in their natural habitat.

Summer is when Svalbard is at its most accessible, meaning we can adventure further north, marvelling at the glacial landscape of Northwest Spitsbergen and scouting the ice edge for unique wildlife encounters.

Head out on Zodiac cruises and hikes amid the Arctic majesty of

picturesque fjords, mountains, and icebergs. Search for walrus haulouts on remote beaches, and scour the sea ice for polar bears. This is the Arctic experience you've been searching for.



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### ITINERARY

### Day 1 Longyearbyen

Depart Longyearbyen at 4pm.

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Sail past striking Fuglefjella (Bird Mountain), a fine example of plateau mountainous landscape, as we leave Longyearbyen.

#### Day 2 Poolepynten

Explore Poolepynten, a headland on Prins Karls Forland, home to a walrus colony and burial site.

Take a Zodiac cruise of Fjortende Julbreen, a stunning glacier, and Fjortende Julibukta, a scenic bay in Krossfjord.

#### Days 3-8 Exploring Svalbard

Land at Sallyhamna, a hut built in 1937, rich in history and cultural remains from the 1600s whaling period.

Search the ice edge, a dynamic setting of texture and light, home to seals, seabirds, and polar bears.

Explore the island of Kvitøya, taking in the walrus colony and cultural remains of the Andreeneset headland.

Take a Zodiac cruise to see Storisstraumen and a ship cruise to Brasvellbreen of the Austfonna ice cap, Europe's third-largest glacier by volume and area.

Marvel at Alkefjellet, a stunning bird cliff, nesting location of Brunnich guillemot.

See the historical site at Bruceneset in beautiful Alicehamna bay, during a Zodiac cruise or hike.

Land at Hamburgbukta to view remains from the 1600s whaling industry.

Visit Ny-Ålesund Research Station, the world's northernmost year-round research facility, and Kongsfjorden, with landings and cruises to its two glaciers, Kronebreen and Kongsbreen.

Alkhornet showcases the change in geology from plateau to edge-dominated, alpine mountainous landscape.

#### Day 9 Isfjorden

Return to Isfjorden and Longyearbyen.

Day 10 Longyearbyen

Disembark in Longyearbyen at 9am.

#### Please Note:

The above itinerary is a guide only. A part of any Arctic adventure is the flexibility to take advantage of the weather and ice conditions. Our expedition leader will make sure you see as much a possible.



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## YOUR SHIP: FREYA

YOUR SHIP:	Freya
VESSEL TYPE:	Ice Class Small Ship
LENGTH:	45 meters
PASSENGER CAPACITY:	12
BUILT/REFURBISHED:	

Explore the Arctic in style aboard our small expedition ship, the MV Freya. With a recently upgraded interior and a solid ice strengthened hull, this vessel is perfect for traversing Arctic waters, whilst retaining first class comforts. Originally used as a lighthouse-building vessel, MV Freya boasts spacious cabins and multiple viewing decks to immerse yourself in the wonders of the Arctic.

What we love about Freya

\- The highest strength ice class hull ensures it is a go anywhere expedition ship.

\- Classic style expedition ship with lots of space.

\- All cabins have en-suite with comfortable beds.

\- Large bridge area where guests are welcome to observe.

\- On deck hot tub and sauna to warm up in after a day exploring.

 $\$  Multiple deck heights and viewing areas.

**Key Features** 

 $\-$  Accommodates 12 guests in 1 x double, 5 twin & 2 single cabins with windows and en-suite

\- All cabins are spacious and cosy

\- Large dining saloon with bar

\- Passenger lounge with sofas.

\- Equipped with 2 Zodiac landing crafts for shore landings

\- Ample deck space to enjoy the view

 $\backslash\textsc{-}$  Fully staffed with experienced captain, crew and expedition leaders

Exterior

\- On deck hot tub

\- Multiple decks for wildlife viewing and photography with great vantage points

- \- Semi enclosed decks at the stern
- \- Accessible bow area

\- Open bridge policy with seating area to observe operations Interior

- \- Guest lounge with comfortable sofas and library
- \- Large saloon with bar and dining area for 18 seated persons
- \- Classic style interior with a cosy charm
- \- Spacious cabins all above deck with ensuite



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# **INSIDE YOUR SHIP**



Signature Penthouse (Double)

Signature Single - Cabins 6-7



Signature Twin/Double



Signature Single



Signature Twin - Cabins 1-2 & 4-5



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### PRICING

06-Aug-2025 to 15-Aug-2025	
Signature Twin/Double	14150 EUR pp
Signature Penthouse (Double)	17050 EUR pp
Signature Single	17050 EUR pp
02-Jul-2026 to 11-Jul-2026	
Signature Twin/Double	18100 USD pp
Signature Penthouse (Double)	21000 USD pp
Signature Single	21000 USD pp
11-Jul-2026 to 20-Jul-2026	
Signature Twin/Double	18100 USD pp
Signature Single	21000 USD pp
Signature Penthouse (Double)	21000 USD pp
17-Jul-2026 to 26-Jul-2026	
Signature Twin - Cabins 1–2 &	
4–5	16500 USD pp
Signature Single - Cabins 6–7	19300 USD pp
20-Jul-2026 to 29-Jul-2026	
Signature Twin/Double	18100 USD pp
Signature Single	21000 USD pp
Signature Penthouse (Double)	21000 USD pp
29-Jul-2026 to 07-Aug-2026	
Signature Twin/Double	18100 USD pp
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Signature Single	21000 USD pp
Signature Single Signature Penthouse (Double)	21000 USD pp 21000 USD pp

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