

Traveling to our farm on Lyø-island (Denmark)



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If you would like to organize and share traveling and accommodation planning with other participants, please see the PDF:

www.hempfling.com/commune_planning.pdf.

1. Traveling to Faaborg



Arriving by airplane/train:

A good on-line journey-planner is www.rejseplanen.dk. Here you can plan any journey with public transport just by entering your starting point and your destination. On the bottom of the page you choose language (English/German/Danish).

From Copenhagen airport (Kastrup): you can take the train directly to Odense centre, and from there continue to Faaborg by bus, but it is shorter to get off the train in Nyborg and take the bus from there to Faaborg.

There is a train ticket sales counter, also an automatic ticket vending machine, in the København (Copenhagen) Airport, Terminal 3, above the train station. The ticket seller speaks English very well.



Tell the ticket salesman that you want to go to Nyborg on the train, then by bus #920 from Nyborg to Faaborg - you can buy the one ticket for both journeys all inclusive, which is the easiest way to go. You can also buy your return ticket at the same time if you want.

Take the elevator down to the platform. There are trains departing every ten minutes from platform 2 to Copenhagen City Central which is about three station stops away, (that is if you are staying in the city overnight or something and you may need a different ticket to get off there).

The train to Nyborg departs every forty minutes past the hour eg.: 10:40 am, 11:40 am, 12:40 pm etc. from platform 2.

This is the train that continues on to Odense. You will know when you are at Nyborg because it is the very first stop on the next island of Funen after the very long, long, long bridge over the sea, approx 1½ hour journey all up.

Pick up some food at the airport before you get on the train as the train food is very limited and expensive. Also there is a small shop at Nyborg train station. There's nothing much else at the train station and the bus stop is right outside in the carpark, so it is really easy to see.

It is about a twenty-thirty minute wait for the bus. Take bus number #920 from Nyborg to Faaborg. You will know you are in Faaborg because it is the end of the bus journey (about an hour) and you will see the harbour boats etc. You will also see clearly from the bus stop where the ferry terminal is. It is the little tin shed and the small building just on the other side of the carpark right on the jetty and just a 5 min. walk from where you are.

If you have spare time, you are able to leave your luggage locked in the little shed at the ferry port, just ask at their office (open on weekdays from 8:00 to 16:00 – closed on weekends), then you are free to walk up the hill to the shopping area.



2. The ferry from Faaborg to Lyø-island

To reach the island Lyø, a ferry is sailing on route Faaborg-Lyø-Avernakø-Faaborg.

Timetable:

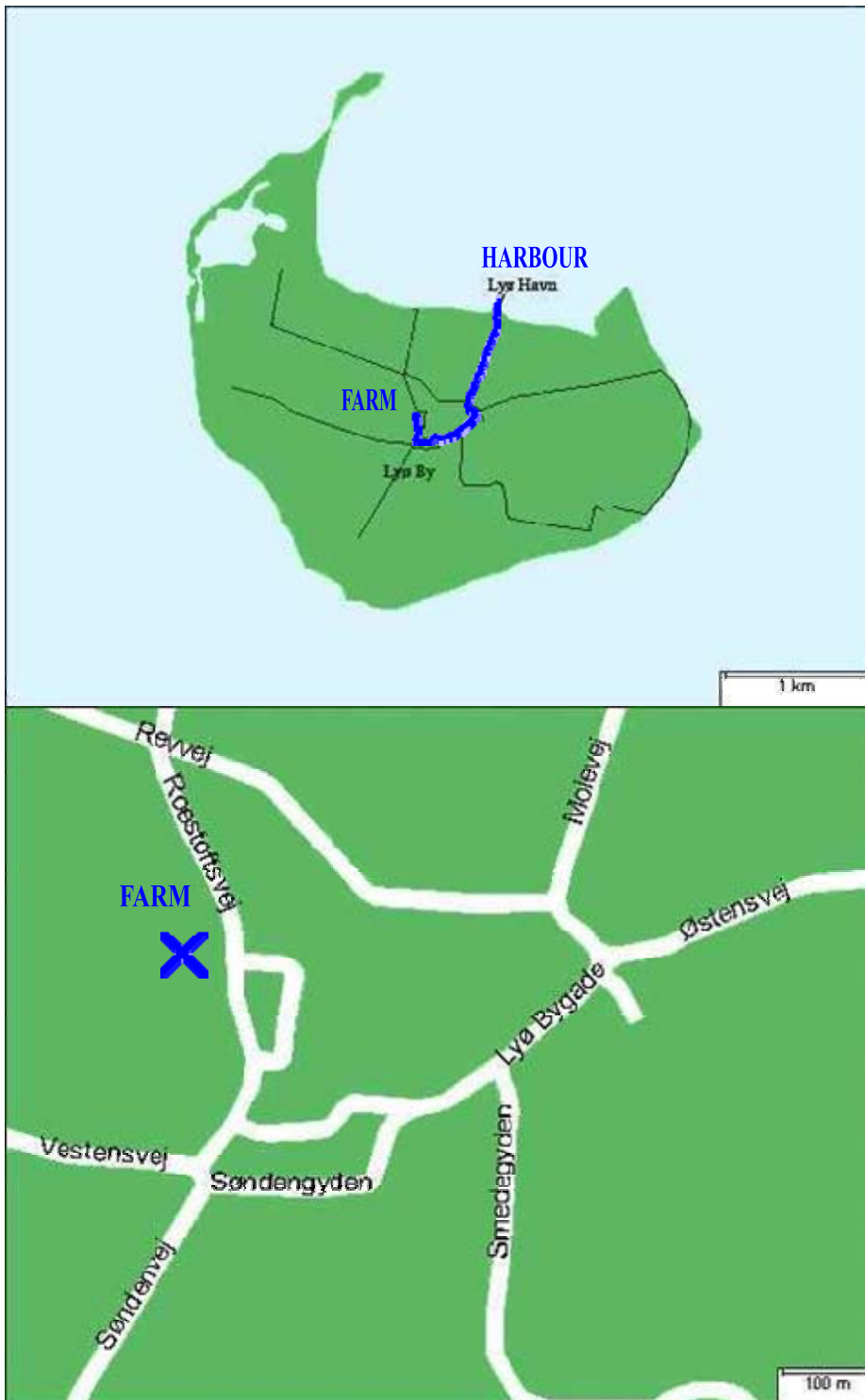
SAILING SCHEDULE: Valid from 01/04-2013 up to and incl. 31/03-2014									
WEEKDAYS									
		A			B			C	D
Faaborg	Departure	05.50	08.00	10.00	12.00	14.00	16.00	18.00	20.00
Lyø	Arrival/Depart.	06.30		10.40	12.40	14.40		18.30	20.30
Avernakø	Arrival/Depart.	07.00	08.30	11.10	13.10	15.10	16.30	19.00	21.00
Lyø	Arrival/Depart.		09.00				17.00		
Faaborg	Arrival	07.30	09.40	11.40	13.40	15.40	17.40	19.30	21.30
SUNDAYS AND HOLIDAYS									
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Faaborg	Departure		08.00	10.00	13.00	15.00	17.00	19.00	
Lyø	Arrival/Depart.			10.40	13.40			19.30	
Avernakø	Arrival/Depart.		08.30	11.10	14.10	15.30	17.30	20.00	
Lyø	Arrival/Depart.		09.00			16.00	18.00		
Faaborg	Arrival		09.40	11.40	14.40	16.40	18.40	20.40	

You will find more information about the ferry and extra tours on www.oe-faergen.dk

Please park your cars by the harbor in Faaborg – the island Lyø is very small and everything can be done easily by feet. If you would like to come by car or with a horse trailer, you have to make a reservation for the ferry. To reserve for the car or horse trailer phone the ferry office on: ++45 62 61 23 07.

If you do not reach the last ferry in the evening before the course starts, you can find an accommodation in Faaborg under www.visitfaaborg.dk and take the ferry to Lyø in the morning on the first course day.

3. From Lyø harbour to the farm



We wish you a safe and comfortable journey.

4. Shopping in Faaborg

There is no real shopping centre in Faaborg but there are several supermarkets and a shopping street.



The shopping area of Faaborg is just a couple of streets away from the ferry terminal in the direction of the slight hill directly away from the port. It is easy to find: look for the high old yellow church steeple towards the left, the shops start just another street or two past there. Keep following the road the shops are on and you will eventually come to one of the supermarkets in town. Ask someone in the street for directions to the supermarket if you can't find it – most Danish people speak English. You have to pay for all shopping bags at the supermarket unless you have your own.

Food supplies are quite limited in variety on Lyø. There are most of the basic fruit and vegetable, dairy, some meat and packet foods, wine and bread etc. at the tiny store; enough to get by on and it is perfectly fine, but a little more expensive than at Faaborg.

The supermarkets in Faaborg:

