

Itinerary Inspiration  
5 days | 2023/24

Sweden  
**STOCKHOLM**  
& The Archipelago



## Summer Love in Stockholm

Welcome to our beloved blue and green city, made up of islands, surrounded by parks, palaces, romantic gardens and water. Swedish Summers are all about the outdoors and good vibes all around. Let our Midsummer night's sweep you off your feet, while archipelago life brings you right back down to earth. Välkommen.

### Day 1 – Arrival to a Royal City

We'll be ready and waiting as you touch down, in whatever way you wish, escort you to an exclusive VIP lounge for a stress-free arrival after a long flight or simply reserve your taxi, speed train tickets or private car transfer approx. 40 minutes into the city.

Stay at **Hotel Kung Carl** - A vibrant, family-owned, art nouveau gem in the very heart of the city, located close to everything you need. Pet friendly and *the* perfect location for Stockholm Pride celebrations. See *the list of LGBT+ partner hotels for more options*. Explore the city with a private guide or on your own. A visit to the **Royal Palace** for stunning interiors, jewels, dramatic royal history and Swedish style and discover the charming Old Town. Lunch at **Hotel Skeppsholmen** is always a good idea, set on a city island and surrounded by a captivating culture scene. In the evening, go high up, dinner or drinks at Arc the rooftop bar at hotel **Blique by Nobis**, is a great way to start your trip with dreamy views overlooking the city rooftops.



### Day 2 - Lush Djurgården & ABBA



Bike or walk to the island of Royal Djurgården, a former royal hunting ground, now a lush, fun, national city park and culture scene. Home to romantic picnic spots, and stunning nature paths like the Love Trail; a wedding gift to Crown Princess Victoria and Prince Daniel (proud supporters of the LGBT+ community). Lunch or fika (coffee break) on the open-air terrace of **Hotel Hasselbacken**, they have the prettiest space for intimate love celebrations. A must-visit to the **ABBA Museum**, for a mood boost, will turn you into Dancing Queens all day and seeing the unbelievable **Vasa Ship Museum** will blow your mind. Visit traditional **Skansen** or see a concert or simply have fun at

the Gröna lund amusement park. Cocktails and a show at the legendary **Cirkus** and dinner at the delectable **Villa Dagmar** restaurant.

### Day 3 - Stylish SoFo & Södermalm

For a change of scenery, check in to the **Hotel Rival** (or other), located on the island of Södermalm. Owned by one of the ABBA members, and a stone's throw from the romantic viewpoint; Monteliusvägen. See *the list of partner LGBT+ hotels for more options*. Shop for Scandinavian style and fashion at the gallery-mall, **Bruno Gallerian** and enjoy a break on the rooftop. For an insider's look into the local lifestyle of trendy Swedes visit SoFo, once voted by Vogue as "one of the coolest neighborhoods in the world". End the day with drinks at the equally cool, **Hellsten's Glashus**, followed by a superb culinary experience nearby at **The Hills**, where you'll be well looked after.

### Day 4 - Sailing the Stockholm Archipelago

*The archipelago is nature's food for the soul. Explorable all year round but to experience its true magic, visit between May & September for those long summer nights.*



Enjoy a daytrip or an overnight in the archipelago. Discover a few of the many islands by public ferry or privately. Fjäderholmarna is only 20 minutes from the city. Explore the quaint island art village or island brewery. Grinda for a swim, walks and lunch at the inn. The Allemansrätten law "Right for All" allows everyone to pick berries, mushrooms etc. anywhere. For exclusivity and privacy, rent a private vessel, sail to Harö or an archipelago spa day in Sandhamn or Små



Dalarö. Overnight or "glamp" on an island. Back in the city, enjoy sunset cocktails and dinner, lakeside at an iconic LGBT+ favorite, **Mälarpaviljongen** and if you're still hungry **The Green Queen** has delish organic food.

### Day 5 – Departure Day

If you are traveling later in the day, enjoy a walk along the waterfront, last minute shopping and lunch on the terrace overlooking the waterfront at the **Hotel Diplomat** restaurant.

We look forward to welcoming you.