

Arctic Norway

Spitsbergen, Bear Island, Jan Mayen - a journey through the arctic seasons

A live presentation by Rolf Stange







Spitsbergen, Norway's arctic archipelage between North Cape and North Pole, is well known from media coverage to-day, but still an unknown kingdom of mystery for most (including many of those who are privileged to have have been there for a trip or two). Only 1000 kilometres from the pole away and more than 60,000 square kilometres large - about the size of West Virginia or three times the size of Wales - most parts of Svalbard, as the Norwegians call the archipelago, are still largely inaccessible. There are as many polar bears as people, and as soon as you leave the settlements behind to hike across the tundra or along the shore, you will see more reindeer or walrus than people.

Ski or snow mobile are perfect means of transportation in the winter, and when the ice has broken up, then we will set sail to discover remote fjords and islands. We meet polar bears and whales, explore remote Bear Island and climb Beerenberg, the volcano on Jan Mayen.









Rolf Stange, expedition leader and lecturer, geographer, writer and photographer, has spent more than 20 years exploring the Arctic and he has made Spitsbergen his second home. In his presentation "Arctic Norway", he takes you on a trip through the arctic seasons, from the mysteries of polar night and northern lights to the arctic summer under the midnight sun.

The presentation is approximately one hour and 45 minutes long, including a break of 15 minutes. The balanced mixture of photos and videos, good structure, humorous narration and sequences with music in full HD quality and panoramic format (16:9 aspect ratio) makes sure that you will have a fascinating and entertaining evening.





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