


Day excursions to Balestrand

BALESTRAND



ACTIVITIES AND ATTRACTIONS: The Sognefjord Aquarium, Balestrand art village – galleries and exhibitions, the Golden House gallery, The Haukaas enamel workshop at Dragsvik, The Norwegian Museum of Travel and Tourism, hiking, biking, St Olaf’s Church, heritage walk along the fjord and dragon style villas, Viking burial mounds and King Bele statue, The Ciderhouse – cider cellar with cider tasting.

SIGHTSEEING TOURS: Balestrand Adventure Rib sighthseeing tours to Kvinnafossen waterfall and around Balestrand, Fjord Angling with fishing trips on the fjord, Balestrandtour to Utsikten view point.

DEPARTURE SOLVORN

Dep Solvorn	08.35	13.50	
Arr Sogndal	08.55	14.25	
Dep Sogndal	08.55	14.50	
Arr Balestrand	10.05	16.05	

Visit Balestrand

Dep Balestrand	20.25	
Arr Sogndal	21.20	
Dep Sogndal	22.30	
Arr Solvorn	22.47	

DEPARTURE SOGDAL

Dep Sogndal	07.05	
Dep Leikanger	07.30	
Arr Balestrand	07.50	

Visit Balestrand




Dep Balestrand	11.55	
Arr Leikanger	12.20	
Dep Leikanger	12.20	
Arr Sogndal	12.45	








DEPARTURE LÆRDAL

Dep Lærdal	07.45	13.45	
Arr Sogndal	08.35	14.35	
Dep Sogndal	08.55	14.50	
Dep Hermansverk	09.15	15.15	
Dep Leikanger	09.20	15.20	
Dep Dragsvik	09.50	15.50	
Arr Balestrand	10.05	16.05	







Visit Balestrand

Alt1 Dep Balestrand	13.10	
Dep Dragsvik	13.25	
Dep Leikanger	13.50	
Dep Hermansverk	13.55	
Arr Sogndal	14.20	
Dep Sogndal	14.30	
Arr Lærdal	15.25	
Alt2 Dep Balestrand	20.20	
Arr Leikanger	20.45	
Arr Sogndal	21.20	
(5 min to bus station)		
Dep Sogndal	22.30	
Arr Lærdal	23.25	





DEPARTURE FJÆRLAND

Alt1 Dep Fjærland	09.45	2) 15.20	
Arr Balestrand	11.25	16.50	
Alt2 Dep Fjærland	13.45xx		
Arr Sogndal	14.15		
Dep Sogndal	14.50		
Arr Balestrand	16.05		
Visit Balestrand			
Alt1 Dep Balestrand	13.10	18.15	
Arr Sogndal	14.20	19.25	
Dep Sogndal	16.25	20.20	
Arr Fjærland	16.50xx	20.45xx	
Alt2 Dep Balestrand	20.20		
Arr Sogndal	21.20		
(5 min walk to busstation)			
Dep Sogndal	22.00		
Arr Fjærland	22.25		



DEP GUDVANGEN/AURLAND/FLÅM

Dep Flåm	06.00	1)	
Dep Aurland	06.15		
Dep Leikanger	07.30		
Arr Balestrand	08.00		
Visit Balestrand			
Alt1 Dep Balestrand	11.55		
Arr Leikanger	12.20		
Arr Aurland	13.15		
Arr Flåm	13.25		
Alt2 Dep Balestrand	13.10		
Arr Sogndal	14.20		
Dep Sogndal	14.25	2)	
Arr Kaupanger	14.51		
Dep Kaupanger	15.00	2)	
Arr Gudvangen	17.30		
Dep Gudvangen	18.10x		
Arr Flåm	18.30		
Arr Aurland	18.43		
Alt3 Dep Balestrand	16.55		
Arr Vik	17.10		
Dep Vik	17.50		
Arr Vinje	18.40		
Dep Vinje	19.35		
Arr Gudvangen	20.00x		
Arr Flåm	20.20		
Arr Aurland	20.30		

DEPARTURE LAVIK

Alt1 Dep Lavik	10.20		
Dep Nordeide	10.50		
Dep Vik	11.35		
Arr Balestrand	11.50		
Visit Balestrand			
Dep Balestrand	16.55		
Arr Vik	17.10		
Arr Nordeide	17.50		
Arr Lavik	18.15		
Alt2 Dep Lavik	10.20		
Arr Vadheim	10.45		
Dep Vadheim	11.45		
Dep Høyanger	12.15		
Arr Balestrand	13.05		
Visit Balestrand			
Dep Balestrand	17.35		
Arr Høyanger	18.20		
Arr Vadheim	18.45		
Dep Vadheim	19.00		
Arr Lavik	19.30		





DEPARTURE HØYANGER

Dep Høyanger	09.15	12.15	
Arr Balestrand	10.05	13.05	
Visit Balestrand			
Dep Balestrand	17.35	23.15	
Arr Høyanger	18.20	00.00	







DEPARTURE ØVRE ÅRDAL

Dep Ø Årdal	07.08		
Dep Årdalstangen	07.25		
Arr Sogndal	08.35		
Dep Sogndal	08.55		
Dep Hermansverk	09.15		
Dep Leikanger	09.20		
Dep Dragsvik	09.50		
Arr Balestrand	10.05		
Visit Balestrand			
Dep Balestrand	13.10	15.45	18.15
Dep Dragsvik	13.25	16.00	18.30
Dep Leikanger	13.50	16.25	18.55
Dep Hermansverk	13.55	16.30	19.00
Arr Sogndal	14.20	16.50	19.25
Dep Sogndal	14.30	17.10	20.35
Arr Årdalstangen	15.40	18.20	21.40
Arr Ø Årdal	15.57	18.37	21.57

DEPARTURE VIK

Alt1 Dep Vik	11.35		
Arr Balestrand	11.50		
Visit Balestrand			
Dep Balestrand	16.55		
Arr Vik	17.10		
Alt2 Dep Vik	08.25	13.55	
Arr Balestrand	10.10	16.05	
Visit Balestrand			
Dep Balestrand	18.15		
Arr Vik	20.20		

DEPARTURE SKJOLDEN

Dep Skjolden	06.15	12.50	
Dep Gaupne	06.55	13.30	
Dep Marifjøra	06.58	13.33	
Dep Hafslø	07.15	13.55	
Arr Sogndal	07.45	14.25	
Dep Sogndal	08.55	14.50	
Arr Balestrand	10.05	16.05	
Visit Balestrand			
Alt1 Dep. Balestrand	11.55		
Arr. Leikanger	12.20		
Dep. Leikanger	12.20		
Arr. Sogndal	12.45		
Dep. Sogndal	13.45		
Arr. Hafslø	14.05		
Arr. Marifjøra	14.20		
Arr. Gaupne	14.25		
Arr. Skjolden	15.00		
Alt2 Dep Balestrand	20.25		
Arr Sogndal	21.20		
(5 min walk to bus station)			
Dep Sogndal	22.30		
Arr Hafslø	22.55		
Arr Marifjøra	23.10		
Arr Gaupne	23.15		
Arr Skjolden	—		

DEPARTURE SOGNDAL

Alt1	Dep Sogndal	08.55	14.50	🚌
	Dep Hermansverk	09.15	15.15	
	Dep Leikanger	09.20	15.20	
	Dep Dragsvik	09.50	15.50	
	Arr Balestrand	10.05	16.05	
Alt2	Dep Sogndal	07.05		🚢
	Dep Leikanger	07.30		
	Arr Balestrand	07.50		

Visit Balestrand

Alt1	Dep Balestrand	13.10	15.45	18.15	21.20	🚌
	Arr Dragsvik	13.25	16.00	18.30	21.40	
	Arr Leikanger	13.50	16.25	18.55	22.00	
	Arr Hermansverk	13.55	16.30	19.00	22.05	
	Arr Sogndal	14.20	16.50	19.25	22.25	
Alt2	Dep Balestrand	11.50				🚢
	Arr Leikanger	12.20				
	Dep Leikanger	12.20				🚌
	Arr Sogndal	12.45				
Alt3	Dep Balestrand	20.25				🚢
	Arr Leikanger	20.45				
	Arr Sogndal	21.20				

TRAVEL INFO

For a day excursion to Balestrand take the bus from Sogndal bus terminal. There are connecting buses from other places along the Sognefjord. An alternative from Flåm, Aurland and Leikanger is to take the early morning boat, Flåmsekspresen. From Lavik and Vik, Balestrand can be easily reached by taking the main express boat.

- 1) Only 19/6-18/8
- 2) Only 1/6-31/8
- x Busstop, main road E16
- xx Busstop, main road by Glacier Centre



HIKING TIP

From the centre of Balestrand village, hike up to the mountain Raudmelen or walk the easy Kreklingen nature trail. A heritage trail starts by the Norwegian Museum of Travel and continues along the shoreside of Balestrand village. An alternative is to get off the bus at Dragsvik and do the hike to the mountain Tjuatoten, Klibberg nature trail or walk the path at Lunde arboretum close by, in combination with a visit to the Enamel Workshop. Maps at the tourist office in Balestrand.

BUS

Dep Balestrand	10.05	13.10	15.45	Dep Dragsvik	09.05	15.50	17.20
Arr Dragsvik	10.30	13.25	16.00	Arr Balestrand	10.05	16.05	17.35

