

Skoklosters slott

Visit Skokloster Castle – one of the best-preserved Baroque Palaces in the World

Welcome to Skokloster Castle – once the home of Carl Gustav Wrangel, renowned field marshal of the 30-years war.

Skokloster castle is one of the world's best preserved baroque palaces, with intact interiors from three centuries and vast collections of weapons, art and more. Its most sought-after possession is the painting Vertumnus by the 16th century Italian artist Giuseppe Arcimboldo. The castle is situated by the lake Mälaren in Håbo, about an hour's drive from central Stockholm.

Embark on an exciting journey back to the 17th century.

Opening hours

• 1st of June–31st of August: Every day 11–17.

• May and September: Weekends 11–16.

• Easter holiday: 11–16.

• All Saints holiday: 11–16.

Entrance fees

• All visitors under 19 years: free of charge.

• Adults: 190 SEK, 140 SEK without the guided tour.

We accept payment with vouchers. New customers that wish to use vouchers as a means of payment need to send a voucher sample to bokning@skoklostersslott.se for reference before the visit. For further information see our document on payment with vouchers.

Take a guided tour

With a personal guide:

- We offer guided tours of the castle in Swedish and English every day during the summer 1st of June–31st of August, and on special occasions during the year.
- During the winter season we offer private tours and package deals.
- Book a private tour. The starting price for a group of 15 people is 2 500 SEK daytime weekdays, and 3 500 SEK evenings from 17:00 and weekends and bank holidays. It is possible to add a maximum of 5 extras at 130 SEK each. The entrance fee is included in the above price.

With the audio guide:

• We offer audio guides in Swedish and English through the state apartments, and in Swedish, English, German and Spanish for the permanent exhibition on the ground floor. The audio guides are free of charge, and you listen to it in your own mobile.

For children and families

- Discover the glittering world of a genuine castle and all its treasures. Meet our international celebrity: The strange painting Vertumnus.
- Play in the castle park, a place we call Paradiset, paradise. Help the gardener in the greenhouse, play in the tool yard or the old-fashioned horse-drawn tram.
- Listen to our audio guide.

Filming and photography

Filming is allowed for private use, though not with a tri- or monopod. If you have any questions, feel free to contact us at bilder@shm.se.

The Museum shop

Bring home a memento from our museum shop – you'll find a wide range of gifts catering for all ages and often inspired by the castle's history or interior.

Telephone to the shop: +46 (0)8-402 30 77.

The Café

In the castle café you can enjoy freshly baked bread, buns, sandwiches and home-made meals. Sit indoors under the 17th century vaulted ceiling or outdoors in the shadow of the old lime trees overlooking the lake Mälaren.

Telephone to the café: 073-800 17 71, e-mail: info@schroders.nu

Bookings

Telephone: +46 (0)8-402 30 60.

E-mail: bokning@skoklostersslott.se



Find your way

Skokloster castle is found by the lake Mälaren on the Sko peninsula in Håbo, about an hour's drive from Stockholm. The address is Skoklostervägen 100, 746 96 Skokloster.

By communter traffic:

- From Stockholm: Take the commuter train from Stockholm to Bålsta. In Bålsta you take bus 311 to Skokloster. The journey will take about 1 hour and 15 minutes.
- From Uppsala: Take bus 895 towards Bålsta to Yttergrans kyrka. Change to bus 311 to Skokloster. The journey will take about 1 hour and 40 minutes.

By car:

- The carpark is situated by the church, 300 metres from the castle.
- 24 charging stations is found at the northern part of the carpark.
- Two parking lots for the disabled is found near the castle entrance.

By boat:

- During summer regular boat traffic is available from Uppsala and Stockholm to Skokloster castle.
- You can also visit the castle with your own boat. Moor at the jetty behind the church. It is free of charge, and you can stay up to 24 hours.

Accessibility

For the disabled:

- Skokloster castle has four floors, there is no lift.
- Folding chairs are available.
- Disabled toilet is found on the entrance floor, but without automatic door opener.
- Carers have free entrance to the castle.

For those with impaired sight or hearing:

• Assistance dogs are welcome.

For parents:

• Prams or pushchairs are not allowed in the castle but can be parked indoors by the entrance desk.

Ouestions?

Contact our booking through e-mail: <u>bokning@skoklostersslott.se</u>

Read more at: www.skoklostersslott.se

