# **Lübeck**
# WHERE EVERY STEP TELLS A STORY




Historic Zöllnerhaus in Lübeck's Old Town

## A CLOSER LOOK

Behind Lübeck's red-brick facades lies a city shaped by centuries of trade and maritime tradition. Narrow passages lead into hidden courtyards, while from above, the old town unfolds between church towers and the River Trave.

Food is part of that character too, from the city's famous marzipan to the hearty flavors of Northern Germany.

# **Step into the City –** in Lübeck

## WHAT TO DO

Here you'll find a handpicked selection of activities tailored to your interests – thoughtfully arranged with short distances across the city, recommended visit durations, and helpful links. This way, exploring becomes simple and seamless – leaving you free to enjoy the experience itself.

## CITY & STORIES

### Holsten Gate & Salt Storehouses | 0.5 h

Lübeck's iconic city gate alongside the historic warehouses that once stored one of the city's most valuable trading goods.

**Good to know:** The Holsten Gate Museum closes before your after-work hours and is listed separately in the museum section.

Google Maps Holsten Gate · Google Maps Salt Storehouses



Holsten Gate

## St. Petri Church & Lookout Tower | 1 h

For one of the best views over Lübeck, head up St. Petri's tower. From the viewing platform, you can look across the old town, its church towers and red rooftops, with the River Trave winding through the city.

Opening hours
Lookout Tower: Daily, 10 am – 7 pm
Church: Daily, 11 am – 4 pm
Café: Daily, 11 am – 6 pm

Price Lookout Tower: €5

Website & Tickets · Café · Google Maps

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## Lübeck Town Hall & St. Mary's Church | 2 h

Right in the heart of the old town, Lübeck's Town Hall and St. Mary's Church reflect the wealth and influence the city gained during its Hanseatic era. The Town Hall stands out with its distinctive dark-brick façade, while the nearby St. Mary's Church became a model for many Gothic brick churches across the Baltic region.

On Thursdays at 7 pm, St. Mary's Church also hosts organ concerts, offering a chance to experience the impressive church interior filled with music.

Just around the corner, you'll find Niederegger, the name most closely associated with Lübeck's famous marzipan. Make sure to visit the Marzipan Museum upstairs to learn more about the history of Lübeck's most famous sweet.

Opening hours Café Niederegger & Marzipan Museum inside
Mon–Fri: 9 am–7 pm · Sat: 9 am–6 pm · Sun: 10 am–6 pm
Price: free entry

Google Maps Lübeck Town Hall · Google Maps St. Mary´s Church

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## St. Annen Kunsthalle & Museum Quarter | 2 h

Set in the historic Aegidien Quarter, St. Annen combines a former monastery and the Kunsthalle with quiet streets, old brick buildings and St. Aegidien Church nearby. Even though the museum is closed during your after-work hours, the surrounding area is well worth exploring for its historic atmosphere and architecture.

I've mapped out a short walk through the area for you.

Google Maps · View Suggested Walk

# CULTURE & EXPERIENCES

## Drägerpark & Bootshaus Marli | 2 h

A green escape from the old town, with open lawns, tree-lined paths and views across the water. Take a relaxed walk through the park and stop at the laid-back Bootshaus Marli for a drink or something to eat by the river.

Opening hours: Mon–Sat, 11 am – 10 pm · Sun, 9 am – 10 pm
Price: free entry

Google Maps Drägerpark · Google Maps Bootshaus Marli

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## After Work at Konvent am Dom | 2 h

Spend a relaxed summer evening in the courtyard of Lübeck Cathedral, where Konvent opens its terrace for after-work drinks on Fridays and Saturdays. Enjoy an aperitif and a few small bites in the historic cathedral courtyard.

Opening hours: Fri & Sat, 6:30 pm – 10 pm
Price: free entry

Google Maps



Lübeck Cathedral reflected in the Mühlenteich

WHERE TO EAT

# **Taste the City –** in Lübeck

This page brings together cafés, restaurants, and bars within walking distance of your accommodation and the suggested activities – chosen to give you a taste of the city's local flavors and vibrant atmosphere.



## CAFÉS

- Mest – Lübecker Marzipan – Marzipan shop | handmade & local | ***must try:*** *Lübeck marzipan* | €
- UTER Café – Traditional café | pastries & cakes | ***must try:*** *Lübecker Nuss, a local nut cake specialty* | €
- Soulmates i scream & Café – Artisan ice cream | creative flavors | €
- CafeBar Hüxstraße – Café & bar | relaxed atmosphere | €€
- Café Camino – Cozy café | homemade cakes & international influences | ***must try:*** *Baklava Cheesecake* | €€

## RESTAUTANT

- Schiffergesellschaft – Traditional North German restaurant | historic setting | ***must try:*** *Labskaus, a traditional sailor's dish made with corned beef, potatoes and beetroot* | €€€
- Meersalz Lübeck – Seafood restaurant | seasonal & contemporary | €€
- Miera – Mediterranean restaurant | seasonal & modern | €€
- Ziegelei – Modern German cuisine | seasonal & creative | €€
- Simico Streetfood – Vegetarian street food | Mediterranean & Turkish-inspired | €
- Fischbrötchen at Drehbrückenvorplatz – Fish sandwich stand by Fangfrisch | ***must try:*** *Matjes or smoked salmon* | €

Price Guide:
€ = casual
€€ = mid-range
€€€ = upscale
€€€€ = fine dining