

# TRAVEL, ACTIVITIES & ACCOMMODATION

## RIG 2020 SWIMMING REYKJAVIK, ICELAND

**Iceland** – *the land of Ice and Fire* – The place to visit. Among the popular tourist attractions is the *Blue Lagoon*, which is on the way to/from Keflavik International airport. *Reykjavík City* combines the qualities and comforts of modern urbanity and intimate connection to amazingly beautiful nature. The city is both vibrant in cultural life and boasts short distances to natural surroundings.

The world's northernmost capital is framed by the majestic *Mt. Esja*, which keeps a watchful eye on the city, and the blue waters of *Faxaflói Bay*. On a sunny day, the mystical *Snæfellsjökull* glacier appears crystal-like and baby-blue on the western horizon, while mountainous moonscapes spread to the southeast.

To learn more visit: <http://www.iceland.is>

## Accommodation

We can assist you to book your accommodation at:

### GRAND HOTEL REYKJAVÍK

The hotel is in walking distance from the pool. Breakfast is included in the prices.

<https://www.islandshotel.is/hotels-in-iceland/grand-hotel-reykjavik>

Prices in ISK:

Room type:	Prices in ISK per person
Single room	21.900 ISK
Double room	12.450 ISK
Triple room	9.700 ISK



Please contact the Icelandic Swimming Association for more info or booking regarding this hotel.

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Other accommodation options nearby:

Hilton Reykjavík Nordica

Info:

[www.hilton.is](http://www.hilton.is)

City Park Hotel

Info:

<http://cityparkhotel.is/>

Hótel Ísland

Info:

[www.hotelisland.is](http://www.hotelisland.is)

Reykjavík Lights Hotel

Info:

[www.keahotels.is](http://www.keahotels.is)

Hótel Cabin

Info:

[www.hotelcabin.is](http://www.hotelcabin.is)

## Trips and travel

In Iceland you will find multiple trips and activities in and around the capital area. Here you will find a guide for the most popular activities, whether you want to stay in or around the city or take a slightly longer trip outside of the city limits.

### **Blue Lagoon (book timely in advance)**

<https://www.bluelagoon.com/>

### **Gullfoss and Geysir - The Golden Circle**

<http://gullfoss.is/>

<https://www.re.is/tour/golden-circle-direct/>

*Take the tours or drive there by yourself in your rent-a-car. The scenes are amazing.*

### **Pingvellir – national park**

<https://www.thingvellir.is/en>

### **Northern Lights**

<https://visitreykjavik.is/northern-lights-reykjavik-0>

<https://aurorareykjavik.is/aurora-forecast/>

### **City Walk Reykjavík**

<https://citywalk.is/>

*One of the most famous walking tours around the city's most historic sites. Highly recommended!*

### **Sightseeing in Reykjavík**

<https://guidetoiceland.is/reykjavik-guide/sightseeing-in-reykjavik>

### **Hop on – hop off Reykjavík**

[https://www.re.is/tour/hop-on-hop-off/?gclid=Cj0KCQjw3uboBRDCARIsAO2XcYAcNnlo-UfCLU9RCibr9Vtgnz1AlkrNyJON0y\\_4Jv7pOaHnnOsJxfcaAn\\_YEALw\\_wcB](https://www.re.is/tour/hop-on-hop-off/?gclid=Cj0KCQjw3uboBRDCARIsAO2XcYAcNnlo-UfCLU9RCibr9Vtgnz1AlkrNyJON0y_4Jv7pOaHnnOsJxfcaAn_YEALw_wcB)

<https://www.re.is/tour/city-sightseeing-and-northern-lights-planetarium-show/>

### **Whale Watching**

<https://elding.is/>

<https://adventures.is/iceland/day-tours/whale-watching/>

<https://guidetoiceland.is/nature-info/whale-watching-in-iceland>

### **Things to do for older kids**

<https://guidetoiceland.is/reykjavik-guide/what-to-do-with-older-kids-in-the-reykjavik-area>