



**Nordic Arboretum Committee**  
**Annual meeting and trip to Iceland**  
**(Reykjavík - West Iceland (Havneyri) - South Iceland (Hella/Hvolsvöllur)**  
**August 2018**

<u>Day 1</u> <u>Monday,</u> <u>Aug 6</u>	<u>Arrival – Reykjavík</u> Botanical garden Trial garden and Arboretum in Fossvogur (Reykjavík) Hvaleyrarvatn Arboretum (Hafnarfjörður) (Short meeting?)	Accommodation: Fosshótel Reykjavík. Breakfast, Wi-Fi - to be confirmed
<u>Day 2</u> <u>Tuesday,</u> <u>Aug 7</u>	<u>Excursion – West Iceland</u> Mógilsá Arboretum (Forestry commission) Hvanneyri – “Arboretum” and trial garden	Accommodation in the Agricultural University campus at Hvanneyri (2 nights) (Cheap, not a hotel)
<u>Day 3</u> <u>Wednesday,</u> <u>Aug 8</u>	<u>West Iceland</u> Forest and Arboretum of Skorradalur (Reykholt??) Meeting - conference at the Agricultural University Gala-dinner at the campus cantina	
<u>Day 4</u> <u>Thursday,</u> <u>Aug 9</u>	<u>West Iceland – South Iceland, excursion</u> <u>Uxahryggjaleið</u> <u>Þingvellir</u> National park Lyngdalsheiði, Geysir, Gullfoss	Accommodation, hótél near Hella/Hvolsvöllur (Hótel Vos, Þykkvabær) (2 nights) – to be confirmed
<u>Day 5</u> <u>Friday,</u> <u>Aug 10</u>	<u>South Iceland</u> Arboretum forest station in Tumastaðir Arboretum at Múlakot Gunnarsholt Soil Conservation Service – museum	
<u>Day 6</u> <u>Saturday,</u> <u>Aug 11</u>	<u>South Iceland – return to Reykjavík</u> Tour to Þjórsárdalur Heklu vikur (pumice gravel) and Forest	Accommodation: Fosshótel Reykjavík. Breakfast, Wi-Fi - to be confirmed

### **Estimated cost:**

Iceland is expensive. We try to find best deals, jet with some comfort such as breakfast and some nice atmosphere with a cosy traditional experience. Hotels are more expensive but we have a good deal on the accommodation at Hvanneyri, the university campus (rooms for staff and guest with limited service). We also get some very nice food (local and traditional) served at the university cantina. Most of Iceland attraction and our activities are free of charge.

### **Accommodation:**

Hotel in Reykjavík and south Iceland is about 210-240 EUR/night for a double room.

University Campus, Hvanneyri: 50 EUR / person for both nights.

Total cost for accommodation around 500 EUR / person sharing a double room.

### **Transport (bus for 17 people + fuel):**

Depending on no of participants 100-200 EUR/person for the week.

### **Food:**

Lunch/dinner at a restaurant can be around 20-50 EUR/person

Breakfast is included at the hotel.

Breakfast, lunch and dinner for the 2 days at Hvanneyri appr. 60 EUR/person

Estimated total cost of food: 200-300 EUR

To confirm the accommodation, we must get the final number of participants. Also, please let us know if you want a private room or if you can share a room (sometimes possible to share a room for 3 persons at a lower cost).

**Please let us know before 10<sup>th</sup> of May by e-mail: [steinunn@lbhi.is](mailto:steinunn@lbhi.is)**

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