# **ECKERÖ**GLINE

# WELCOME ON BOARD MS FINLANDIA!

We want you to enjoy your time on board MS Finlandia, so we have gathered here some information that might be useful!



#### **CHECK-IN**

In Helsinki, you will find the Eckerö Line check-in counter in Länsiterminaali T2 (or Western Harbour T2) and in Tallinn, in Terminal-A. Check-in begins 2 hours before the departure and closes 45 minutes prior to the scheduled departure time. Please arrive to check-in no later than 1 hour before the departure! Eckerö Line offers a variety of check-in options. Please click here for more information.

Please present your passport/ID card and the booking number or voucher to our check-in clerk and you will receive a boarding card. You need a boarding card or QR-code to go through the boarding gates to access the main waiting area. The boarding gates will be opened 1,5 hours before the departure.

#### **TO THE SHIP!**

When the boarding to the ship is announced, please move from the waiting area to the ship. You will enter MS Finlandia on **deck 6**. Welcome on board!





## **INFORMATION DESK**

Information desk on **deck 6** gives you information about our ship and our destinations (for example city maps of Tallinn and Helsinki). You can also buy a cabin here to have

your own private space on board. Information desk also sells some magazines and soft drinks as well as tobacco products.

#### **TOILETS ON BOARD**

You can find toilets and hand washing possibilities on **decks 7, 8, 9**. See the ship's plan available on every floor next to the stairs.

#### CABINS

MS Finlandia offers travelling in a comfortable and private cabin. You can prebook your cabin, but you can also purchase it from the information desk. On board MS Finlandia, there are many different types of cabins – there are



inside cabins and cabins with sea-view, cabins for two or for four persons, special cabins for allergy sufferers and for passengers with reduced mobility, cabins for passengers with pets. All cabins have a private shower and WC. In the cabin you can rest after long day or early wake-up, or you can leave there your luggage and belongings and go to dine at the ship's restaurants or do some shopping at the Eckerö Market.

#### **SEATING ON BOARD**

You can choose any free place to sit down and relax. Keep in mind that during the summertime, there is also **about 450 seats** upstairs, on our lovely sun deck! For a more comfortable and private journey, you can buy a cabin at the information desk.



### LUGGAGE

If you have luggage that you do not need during your voyage, you can store it free of charge in our **luggage rooms** on **decks 6 & 7**. Luggage rooms are locked during the crossing and you cannot access them. You can also use the paid **storage lockers** on **decks 6 & 7**, the storage fee of which is paid by payment card. The QR code on your boarding pass serves as the key to the locker. You can also book a cabin where you can rest during the journey and store your luggage and other belongings.



#### **BUSINESS LOUNGE**

Next to our information desk, you can find our Business

Lounge. For an additional fee, you can use the services of the Lounge: a personal seat in a quiet lounge with fast WIFI, fresh fruits, sweet and savoury snacks as well as drinks: tea, fresh coffee, juices, soft drinks, draft beer, and wine. Once you have paid the entrance fee, you can freely enter and leave the lounge during the voyage.



#### **SHOWTIME!**

You can enjoy live Finnish music in **Bar Nosturi** or in **Pub Telakka** on **deck 8** and during the summertime also in **Bar Laituri** on **deck 9**. The cruise programme is available in our information desk.

#### DRINKS

You can buy a drink in any of our bars on **deck 8** and during the summertime also on **deck 9**. If you long for a glass of champagne, then head for **Bar Naissaar**, if you wish to experience pub feeling and taste new products of



Finnish and Estonian small breweries, then head for **Pub Telakka** – both located on **deck 8**!

#### **COFFEE, TEA, AND SNACKS**

- The best choice of fresh coffee and tea can be found in
- Bistro & Cafe Satama on deck 8. The cafe also offers
- sandwiches, salads, snacks, burgers, and other hot meals.
- The ship's most popular light meal the shrimp sandwich can also be bought here!



#### **IT TASTES SO GOOD!**

**Buffet Eckerö**, the main restaurant of the ship, offers the season's best Finnish and Nordic ingredients and delicacies, which taste deliciously home-made. Buffet Eckerö, on **deck 8**, serves breakfast, lunch, and dinner. Meal at Buffet Eckerö is

the best place to have a real feast on the sea and to start your acquaintance with Finnish cuisine! Our cold and hot buffet are sumptuous and offer great tastes from the Baltic Sea, Finnish forests, and gardens, always fresh and tasty! The price also includes soft drinks, coffee, tea, juices, draft beer, and wine. Come and check about the availability and rates!



#### SHOPPING

Yes, this is the best entertainment! **Eckerö Market** on **deck 6**, offers the most popular brands of fragrances, cosmetics, and skin care products. Also, Finnish brands like Lumene can be found there! In addition to perfumery products, Eckerö Market has an extensive choice of sweets and chocolates and a wide selection of various beverages. **PopUp Shop** on **deck 8** always offers exciting fashion news from quality brands. PopUp Shop has a wide range of accessories, such as jewellery and watches, as well as clothing items, which are perfect for gifts and souvenirs!

#### OUTDOORS

#### The ship's upper deck (deck 9)

is a wonderful place to have a small walk and to see the most wonderful sea views. If you want to make pictures of arriving to Helsinki or Tallinn, the best time would be about 30 minutes before arriving to the port. **The bar** 



**Laituri** on **deck 9** is opened only during the summertime. Come and breath in the true air of the Baltic Sea!

# CHILDREN'S PLAYGROUND

In our cafe on **deck 8**, you can find the playground area for kids. During the summertime, some of our conference rooms on **deck 6** will be turned into a kids play area!

#### SMOKING

Please keep in mind that our ship (including cabins and toilets) is a non-smoking area. Smoking is allowed only in the open air in specially designated areas for smoking.

#### **TRY YOUR LUCK!**

We do not have a casino on board, but we sure do have some slot machines on **deck 8**, right next to Pub Telakka and Bar Nosturi.

# **TRAVELLING WITH VEHICLE**

If you travel with a vehicle, then please be in the port at least **1,5 hours** before the departure. Follow the traffic signs and after the check-in also the guidance of our traffic regulators both on land and in the ship. Please remember that you cannot stay in car or visit the vehicle during the voyage. The car check-in closes 45 minutes before the departure.



#### DISEMBARKATION

Leaving the ship in the destination is easy. It happens from the same place on **deck 6** that you entered the ship. 10 minutes prior to arriving to the destination, the corresponding announcement will be



heard in the ship's loudspeakers. Another announcement is made when the exit starts. Now you can leave the ship.

# THANK YOU! KIITOS! AITÄH!

We thank you very much for travelling with us and hope you enjoyed the voyage on board the MS Finlandia. You are always welcome back!

You can find more information about MS Finlandia and Eckerö Line on our website <u>www.eckeroline.com/welcomeeng</u>

