

## Guided walk in Old Royal Forest, Dyrehaven

Dear S22 students

We have arranged a guided walk in Dyrehaven:

- WHAT: A 3-3,5 hour walk in Dyrehaven where the guide will tell us stories about the history of the park Dyrehaven as well as Bakken. Hopefully we will see wild deer in the park/forest.  
See description from the guide below, and you can read about the park here:  
<https://www.visitcopenhagen.dk/koebenhavn/planlaeg-din-tur/dyrehaven-gdk414367>
- WHEN: October 2<sup>nd</sup> 2022
- WHAT TIME: From 10 to approx. 13/13:30  
There will be a lunch break (with toilet access) around 11:30/12 to eat the food **you bring!**
- MEETING POINT: S-train station Klampenborg – end of the platform by the café “Parforce”
- FOR WHOM: S22 students are invited, but there is room for up to 5-6 from host families to join. All must register – not just show up :-)

S22 students, you must:

- Sign up via the invitation which you will receive in the database system and via e-mail - **latest September 26<sup>th</sup> 2022.**  
Please note, that only if you support arranged events will we continue to plan more tours – so please join (even though it is not a mandatory event)
- Wear clothes & shoes that you can walk for 3,5 hours in – in a park/forest
- **Bring a packed lunch and drink** – it will not be possible to buy anything after we leave the station
- Discuss with your Host family how you can get there and back home – it is **important to be there latest at 10.**

If some from host families are interested to join, please contact Bodil directly as we can be a few extra.

*Any questions? – please reach out to us in the District*

(Please note, Bodil will be out of Denmark Sept 10<sup>th</sup> – 15<sup>th</sup> incl. and responses may be delayed until after that time)

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## Experience the Old Royal Forest, Dyrehaven

**Join a light guided hike through Jægersborg Dyrehave (The Deer Park) and hear stories and anecdotes about the old royal forest north of Copenhagen.**

350 years ago, the Danish absolute king, Christian 5, controlled the nature in what is now Jægersborg Dyrehave (The Deer Park) so he could practice his passion, the par force hunting. Today Christian 5's old hunting landscape is one of Denmark's seven UNESCO World Heritage sites and on this light hike you will explore the old paths and glades together with your local guide.

As we walk through The Deer Park, we will for sure meet some of the more than 2000 free-range wild deer who live here, many of them are descendants of the deer from the time of the par force hunting. In Sept.-Oct. it is the rutting season of the red deer so a visit to the forest is special as you will hear the stags roar all the time – and sometimes in the distance you will see them fight.

During the tour, your guide will tell you stories and anecdotes about the powerful absolute kings and the par force hunting. Also experience other fragments of Denmark's history up close: Denmark's first soccer match; a buried treasure; a duel over offended honour; the world's oldest amusement park Dyrehavsbakken and more. You will see places and hear stories that even many Danes do not know.