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The heart of the city clearly beats on the Elbe. But where exactly? Here are the ten maritime highlights that you should definitely not miss

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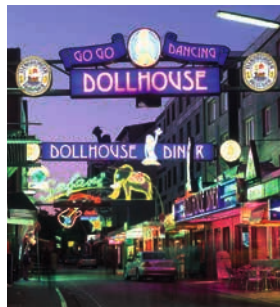
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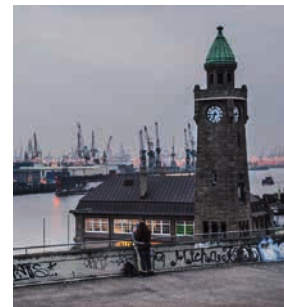
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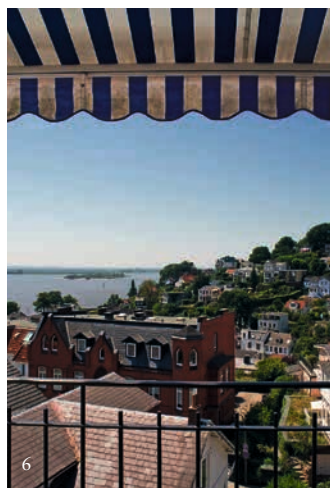
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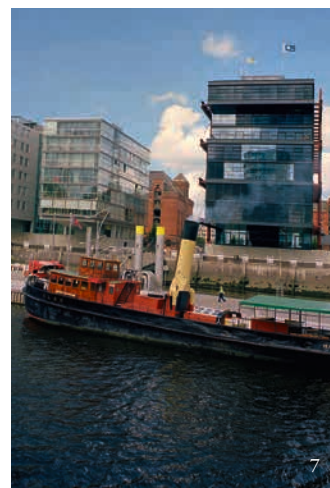
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HAMBURG FOR BEGINNERS

TOUR

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Place of yearning for sailors and landlubbers: St. Pauli Landungsbrücken



1 HafenCity, Speicherstadt, Landungsbrücken – everything important in one tour

Duration: from 2 to 6 hours

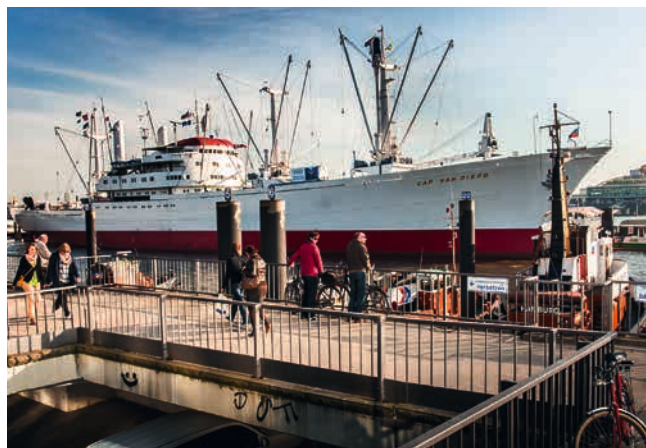
The highlights of this tour:

Michel | St. Pauli Landungsbrücken | Alter Elbtunnel | Speicherstadt | HafenCity | Elbphilharmonie

A first view of maritime Hamburg is offered by the underground line U3 leaving from the town hall towards Barmbek (left window seat in the direction of travel). Get off at Baumwall, passing the building of the Gruner+Jahr media company and on to the **Michel 1**.

The baroque church of St. Michaelis is the principal landmark of Hamburg. With a height of 132 meters, its tower is visible from afar for returning sailors and offers a magnificent panorama of the harbour from its observation deck (453 steps). Through the **Portuguese quarter 2**

Idyllic brick façades on the town canal: Speicherstadt



A maritime icon: the museum freighter “Cap San Diego”, one of the “white swans of the Atlantic”

with its bars and restaurants, we continue on to **St. Pauli Landungsbrücken 3** with the dome of the **Alter Elbtunnel 4**. In 1911 it was opened for wagons and port workers, with two tubes running 24 meters deep under the Elbe. It is also open for cars.

The waterfront, simultaneously a flood protection system, is Hamburg's busiest pedestrian area with the museum ships “**Rickmer Rickmers**” **5**, a tall ship built in 1896, and the general cargo vessel “**Cap San Diego**” **6**. Barges and ferries depart from here to their **harbour cruises 7** to the container terminals, to the **Koehlbrand Bridge 8** and to the shipyards or to the old warehouse district, **Speicherstadt 9**, which has been nominated as a World Heritage site. Anyone who is still curious to further explore it has not got far to go. Today these red-brick Gothic style warehouse buildings are no longer solely used for storage but have also been opened up for other purposes. Awesome is the **Miniatur Wunderland 10**, the largest model railway in the world: 930 trains on 13 kilometres of tracks. Visitors can marvel at 335,000 lights, 215,000 figures, the Grand Canyon, Las Vegas, Switzerland and Scandinavia, including the

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If you only have time for a short visit to Hamburg: Take a ride on bus 111! From HafenCity via Landungsbrücken to the Altonaer Balkon—a different sight can be admired every 111 seconds.

Car museum PROTOTYP 14



The fascinating world of motor sport becomes an experience: 50 rare sports and racing cars, stories about constructors and driver legends as well as a Porsche 356 driving simulator, model wind tunnel, cinema, audio box, glass workshop, and the "Erkönig" café, named after disguised pre-test vehicles.

Northern Lights. (Long waiting times! Booking in advance is advisable.) Still got some energy left? Directly next to the old warehouse district is the **HafenCity 11**, an experimental laboratory for innovative architecture: the cruise terminal, offices and apartments in prime location with a river view and an underground connection (U4). The glass structure of the **Elbphilharmonie 12** on the former Kaispeicher A: a concert hall of the superlative and Hamburg's most expensive construction site.

The HafenCity has come alive, trendy restaurants, bars, cafés cater for all wishes, ranging from Labskaus to champagne. The U4 provides fast access to downtown. But there is still one more challenge for explorers: The **International Maritime Museum 13** in Kaispeicher B fascinates with thousands of ship models, an abundance of uniforms and a real ship simulator. The new building of the Spiegel publishers is located at Ericusspitze and is the latest glass palace in the media hub Hamburg. It can be seen as a counterpoint to **Chilehaus 15**, which was built in 1924 as the office building of the architect Fritz Höger, with its imposing tip extending from a sharp angle in the façade.

For a final view of the world's most beautiful Hanseatic City, we recommend a trip in the **Highflyer tethered balloon 16** which reaches a height of 150 meters. Don't worry: It only lifts off in light winds. From here it is 200 meters to the U1 Steinstrasse station.

How to get there: **U3 Baumwall**. Then: **Bus 111**.

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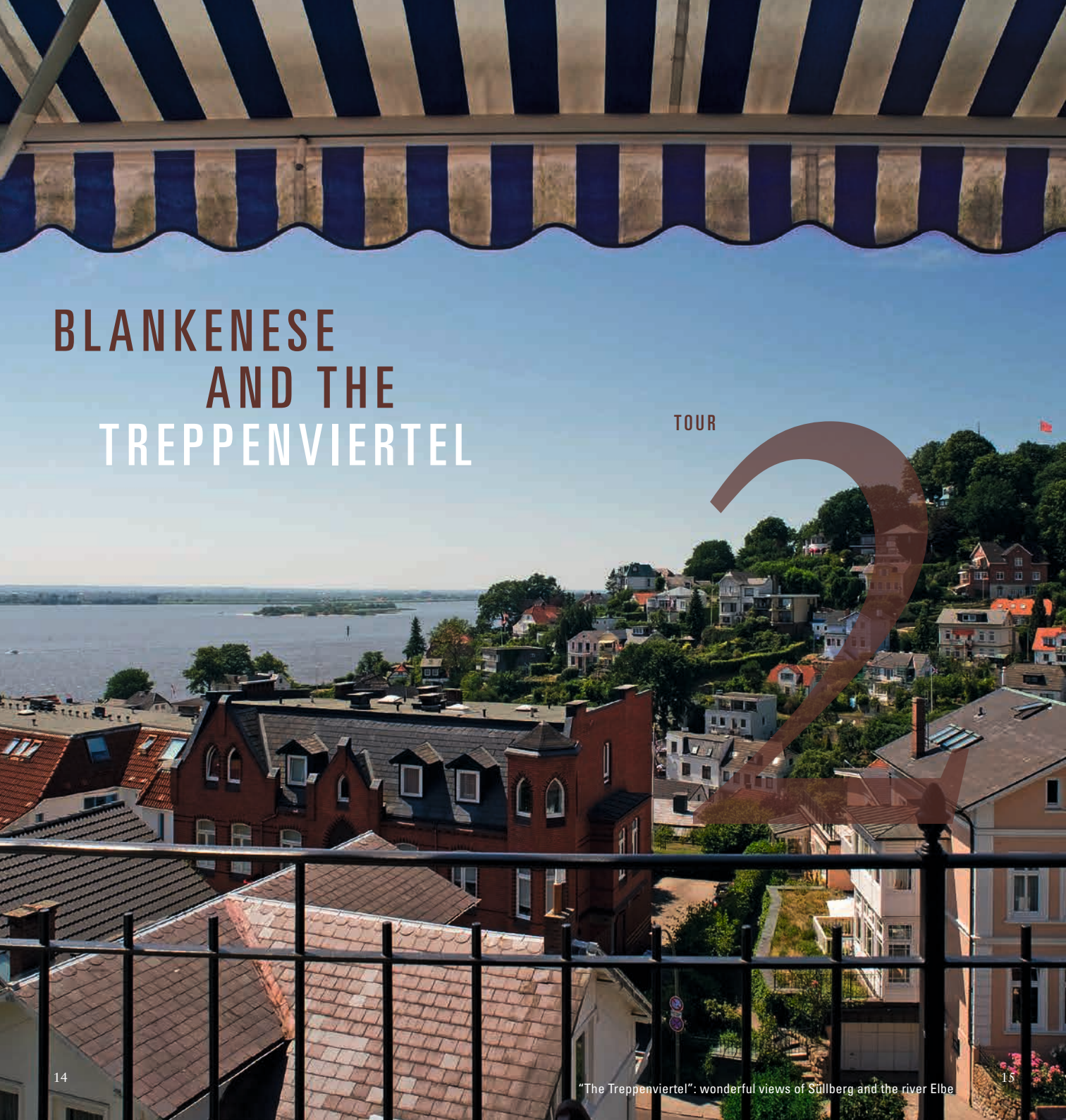
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BLANKENESE AND THE TREPPENVIERTEL

TOUR



2 Picturesque lanes, winding steps on the slope give Blankenese a flair of the Riviera

Duration: from 2 to 6 hours

The highlights of this tour:

Treppenviertel | Bours Weg | Bröers Treppe | Strandweg | Elbterrasse | Süllberg

The residents of Blankenese have a big heart. They are accustomed to climbing steps, to living in a closely knit neighbourhood in the *Treppenviertel* 17 and to car-free zones and no parking spaces and garages. The Blankeneser Hauptstrasse, the only road that winds down to the Elbe in sharp curves, is too narrow to park an SUV and even a four-wheel drive will not help you much on the steps.

The comfortable climbing tour with a moderate incline of 287 steps down and 182 steps up starts at Blankenese S-Bahn station. Get off in the direction of travel and go in

Living in Blankenese: popular as never before



Perfect for a break: the ferry station “Op ’n Bulln”

the direction of Blankeneser Bahnhofstrasse which is particularly lively on market days (Tuesdays, Fridays and Saturdays). After walking 700 metres along the Elbchaussee that now changes its name into Blankeneser Hauptstrasse, cross the street.

At *Bours Weg* 18 you get the first glimpse of the Elbe between the houses. The descent starts at *Bröers Treppe* 19 (102 steps) then to the right into Breckwoldtstrasse that is not really a street—there are no cars, no cyclists, but it provides a splendid view of the charming valley below (and 8 steps up at the end). To the left via the Strandtreppe there are only 96 steps left down to the river Elbe. On *Strandweg* 21 we go downstream past Tweehus No. 16/17, which boasts the most beautiful garden in Blankenese, to have a rest at the ferry station “Op ’n Bulln” 22. At this spot the Elbe is two kilometres wide, a maritime river for optimists, small open motor boats, yachts and mighty giant container ships. From time to time ferries arrive (Hadag-Niederelbe service or ferries to Cranz). Back to Strandweg, a few hundred metres westwards, between the houses No. 38 and 38a, we go up to Hans-Lange-Strasse (13 steps),

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Those in search of a Côte-d’Azur flair should visit the beach bar of the “*Strandhotel Blankenese*” 20 (Strandweg 13) in the warm season of the year. And with sunglasses and a cocktail you can almost breathe the Cannes air.

A Day Trip to Cuxhaven ²⁶



Cuxhaven offers a maritime flair, has endless beaches, unique mud flats and much more. From the port of Hamburg you sail downriver past Blankenese and the ship welcoming station Willkomm-Höft to Cuxhaven, the North Sea spa resort.

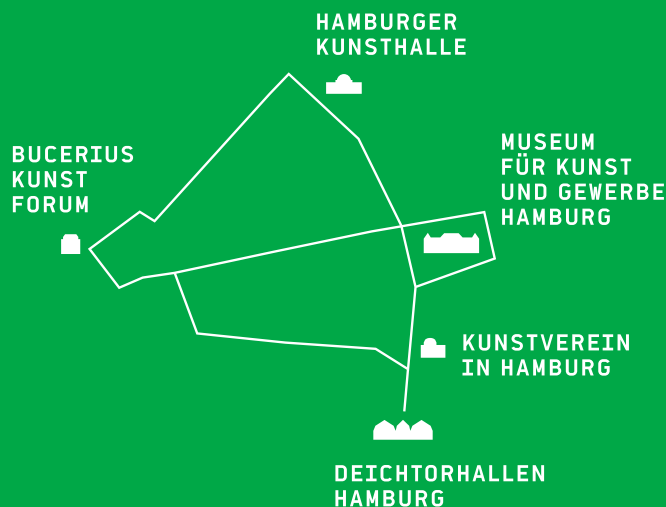
past the bistro, Treppenkrämer, and then left on the *Elbterrasse* 23 up to the fishermen's houses (17 steps).

In its grandest era, Blankenese was Danish and had one of the largest fishing fleets in Scandinavia. The fishermen lived in thatched, half-timbered houses. Elbterrasse No. 2: Schuback's house built in 1698, is the oldest in the Treppenviertel, but no longer has a thatched roof. But No. 4–6, a Dreehus from 1709 built for three families still has a thatched roof and is now a lovingly cherished *Heimatmuseum* 24 showcasing its original entrance hall, kitchen and alcoves. After a further climb (31 steps, well spread out) and a magnificent view down the river, we pass the white mansion with turrets and go up to the right to Süllbergs-terrasse (55 steps), and after a few steps in the direction of the city centre (48 steps down!) we are rewarded with a wonderful panorama of the Elbe and the Treppenviertel. Time to storm the summit, *Süllberg* 25 (58 steps), the landmark of Blankenese, 75 metres above sea level, once the fortress of robber barons, then fallow land with a milk bar, now a luxury hotel with a gourmet restaurant and a shaded beer garden with a view of the river, a paradise where you completely lose track of time. The way back leads downwards (41 steps) and uphill to the Waseberg bus stop of the bus line 48. The "mountain goat", as the minibus is called here, has already had its worst climb behind it and with flying colours takes the last slope and reaches Blankenese station in six minutes. —————

How to get there: S1 Blankenese. **Then:** (Mini)Bus 48 from/to S1 Blankenese. **(Web)addresses, opening times, information:** pages 38–43. **Advice, Booking, Service:** www.hamburg-travel.com



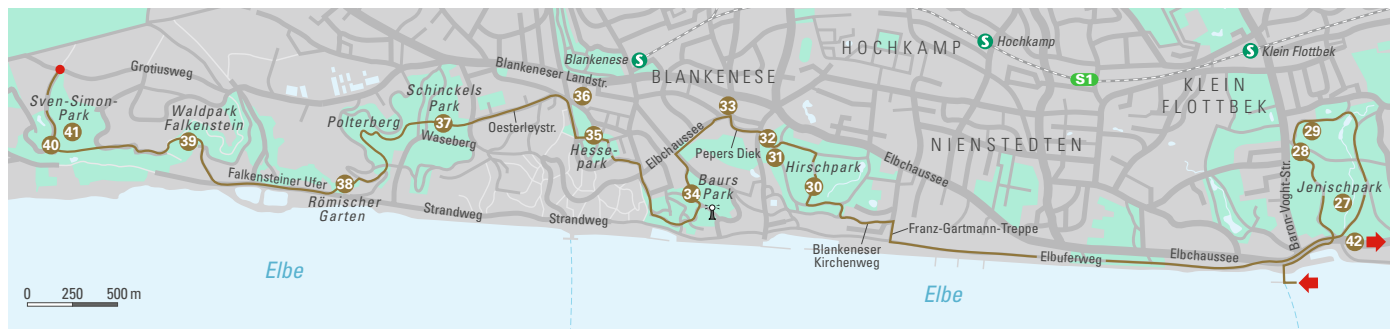
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ALONG THE ELBE SLOPES

TOUR



3 With ships in view—the tour along the Elbe slopes comprises parks, mansions and a maritime flair

Duration: from 2 to 4 hours

The highlights of this tour:

**Jenisch Park | Hirsch Park | Godeffroy Mansion |
Elbchaussee | Schinckel's Park | Roman Garden**

Start the round tour through the 42 hectares of *Jenisch Park 27*, at Teufelsbrück (station of the ferry line 62, bus 36). The park originated in Baron Voght's vast estates around 1800, comprising 600-year-old oaks, a riparian forest and marsh area in the valley of Flottbek, with a regal view of the river from *Jenisch House 28*. The snow-white neo-classical country house, designed by the architects Forsmann and Schinkel for the Hamburg Senator Martin Johann Jenisch in 1834, exhibits cultivated grandeur.

An imposing stage for the Elbe: stairs in the Roman Garden



As a simple counterpoint in the background: the *Ernst Barlach House 29*, a functional low rise building (1961) built by the architect Kallmorgen, exhibits works of Barlach and is the venue of changing exhibitions. Stroll back to the Elbe, along the banks, downriver to the Franz Gartmann Treppe. At the top go left along Blankeneser Kirchenweg into *Hirsch Park 30*, once owned by the merchant ship-owner Johan Cesar VI. Godeffroy, with its rhododendron forests, fallow deer in an enclosure, peacocks and waterfowl. Keep right and go past the duck pond over to the sycamore tree (Hamburg's most beautiful tree!) and through the double linden avenue to the neo-classical *Godeffroy Mansion 31*, built around 1800, now home to the Lola Rogge School for dance and performance. The *"Witthüs" tea-room 32*, a thatched cavalier's house welcomes with its cake creation "jellyfish on sand". From here take the road Pepers Diek, go left into the *Elbchaussee 33*, then left past the White House, built for the Godeffroy family. Go left into Mühlenberger Weg and on to the country house Katharinenhof where you have reached *Baur's Park 34*. A lighthouse looms above Kanonenberg, giving off a remote controlled signal every four seconds. The Elbe slope tour also offers a picturesque water backdrop behind ma-

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In "*Lübmans Teestube*" 36 (Blankeneser Landstrasse 29) with its grandmotherly, living room charm, they not only serve good tea to boost your strength on the tour, but also serve the best breakfast buffet in town. Be sure to try "Cream Tea" with scones and clotted cream!

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gnificent mansions. Next we continue into Blankeneser Bahnhofstrasse and then go left Am Kiekeberg into *Hesse Park 35* with a magnificent view of Süllberg. Continue into Oesterleystrasse heading west, then turn left into Richard-Dehmel-Strasse and turn right into the forest shortly before Waseberg.

The Elbe slope path continues through *Schinckel's Park 37* across the Große Wiese (famous as a toboggan run) on to Polterberg. Glimpses of the picturesque Elbe flash forth between the pines and mighty deciduous trees. The *Roman Garden 38* interrupts the natural forest with a perfectly cut lawn and a hedge theatre looming thirty metres above the river. Next we go into *Falkenstein forest park 39*, a shadowy realm of unspoilt deciduous trees with precipices and gorges.

High above the Elbe is the *Doll Museum 40*, a mansion built in the 1920s by Bauhaus architect Karl Schneider, the former residence of the publisher Axel Springer. Today it is home to a magnificent collection of dolls. From here we go through the *Sven-Simon-Park 41* to Grotiusweg and left to the 189 bus stop at Tinsdaler Kirchenweg. —

How to get there: Teufelsbrück, ferry line 62, bus 36. **Then:** Bus 189. (Web)addresses, opening times, information: pages 38–43.
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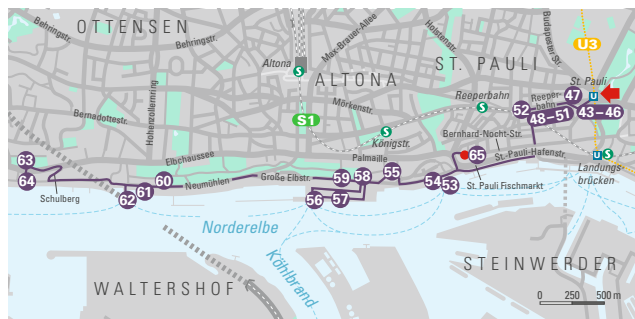
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ST. PAULI, ALTONA, ÖVELGÖNNE

TOUR





4 Hamburg's fish mile and most beautiful beaches – a stroll for gourmets

Duration: from 2 to 4 hours

The highlights of this tour:

**Reeperbahn | Altona Fish Auction Hall |
Dockland | Museum Harbour Oevelgönne**

Begin your tour from the underground station St. Pauli and walk over to the *Dancing Towers* 43 designed by Hamburg's star architect Hadi Teherani, at Reeperbahn No. 1, with Hamburg's highest restaurant towering at 105 metres: *"Clouds – Heaven's Bar & Kitchen"* 44. This prime address is now once more the domicile of the *"Mojo Club"* 45, Hamburg's legendary jazz club.

The *Reeperbahn* 47, Hamburg's world-famous Sunset Strip with sex shops, eros-centre and a casino also has another side to it, Spielbudenplatz with a good selec-

Sand galore: Övelgönne is Hamburg's favourite beach



Ship with a view: the Dockland office building rises up like the bow of a ship across the water

tion of stage entertainment: *TUI-Operettenhaus* 48, *Schmidt Theater* 49, *Schmidts Tivoli* 50 and *St. Pauli Theater* 51. At the *Davidwache* 52, Hamburg's legendary police station 15, we go to the left towards the Elbe, where the glass dome of the *Altona Fish Auction Hall* 53 can already be seen downstream. This architectural jewel has been restored but is often flooded during storms and is located at the start of the Große Elbstrasse. Every Sunday starting at 5 am in the summer and at 7 am in the winter, the *Fischmarkt* 54, is held here, an outing for night owls and early risers. This district is now booming—office buildings and glass palaces are being built on abandoned sites and run down areas of the old harbour. Like a glass speed boat, the *Dockland* 56, a building designed by the architect Hadi Teherani towers six floors above the water. The *Cruise Center Altona* 57, Hamburg's second cruise terminal, in addition to the one located in the HafenCity, offers 360 metres of quay for mega cruise liners. (A third one is presently in the minds of the planners, to be erected across the river, opposite the Elbe Philharmonic Hall.)

Hotspot of the in-crowd: *"Henssler & Henssler"* 58 (Große Elbstrasse No. 160)

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Kuno, the singing host of the *"Elbblick"* 55 (Olbersweg 49), had to slow down and handed his restaurant over to a friend. "But as a boxer can't be knocked out easily", Kuno still likes to pop in to sing a shanty for the guests.

Panoptikum – The Wax Museum 46



This has been a real Hamburg original for more than 130 years. Here you find more than 120 celebrities from history, art and politics as well as megastars, as life-size wax figures, waiting for you to take a snapshot.

with an open sushi kitchen. The *“Frischeparadies”* 59 (No. 210) caters for gourmet cooks supplying them with products ranging from black-feathered chicken to green Masago caviar. Further downriver past the warehouses of the fishmongers and exclusive office blocks, we find the exhibition centre *Lawaetz House* 60 (Neumühlen No. 16–20) built in 1802, formerly a textile factory with its own pier and from here you can already see the former *Neumühlen cold storage building* 61, a high landmark at the entrance to the harbour which after extensive conversion has been turned into a luxury senior citizens’ residence. Right next door is the picturesque *Museum Harbour Oevelgönne* 62 with the lightship “Elbe 3” and other historical watercraft. The waterfront in Övelgönne with its beautiful old *captain’s and pilot’s houses* 63 arouses an urge to go for a stroll. The *“Strandperle”* 64 located on a dream beach on the banks of the Elbe is waiting with beer and barbeque and the light show of the container terminal on the opposite side of the Elbe.

Because the nights are long in Hamburg, it’s time to get back, walking along the river Elbe. In the bars there they have a saying: keep dancing and drinking until the tugboat comes. Or keep going through the night until you reach St. Pauli, and pop into the trendy *“Golden Pudel Club”* 65 at the Fischmarkt.

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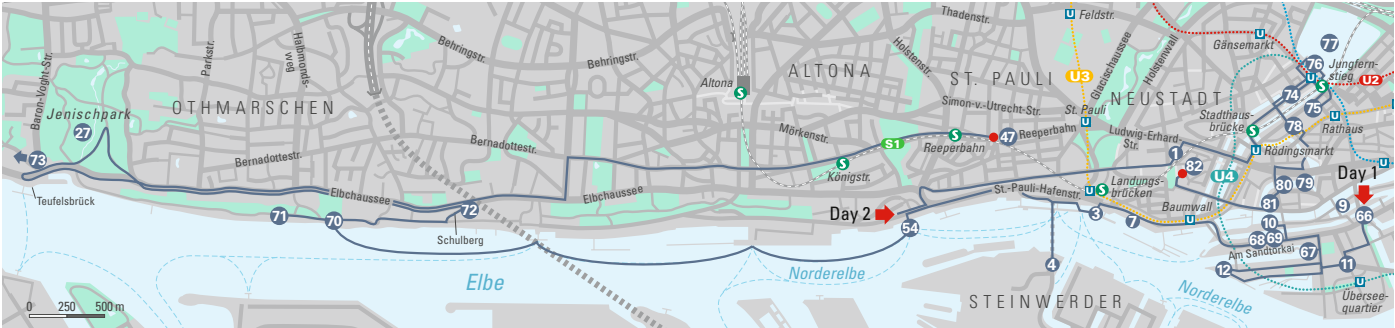
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THE NAVY BLUE WEEKEND

TOUR





5 Saturday and Sunday in the city?

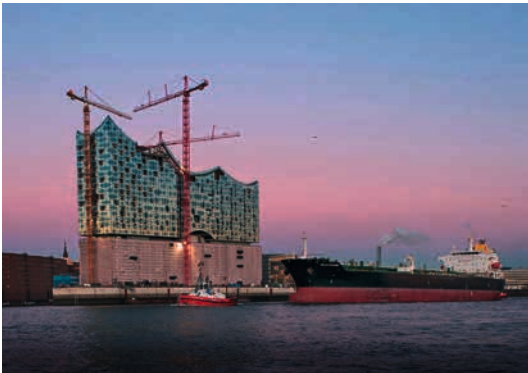
Our suggestions for a perfect maritime weekend

Duration: 4 hours per day

The highlights of this tour:
**HafenCity | Miniatur Wunderland | Harbour Cruises |
Övelgönne | Michel | Binnenalster**

We begin the navy blue weekend in the old warehouse district—at “*Fleetschlösschen*” 66 on Brooktorkai. The small café with a view of a town canal is housed in a former fire station, a very quaint spot for breakfast. From here it is only a few steps to the *HafenCity* 11. The first thing that catches your eye is the *Elbphilharmonie* 12. As tours are often sold out on Sundays, we suggest as an alternative that you visit the pavilion on the *Magellanterrassen* 67, which has an acoustic model of

Landmark of the future: the Elbphilharmonie



the Elbphilharmonie. Then, pay a visit to the *Speicherstadtmuseum* 68 or to the *Spicy's Gewürzmuseum* 69, which conveniently are almost neighbours on Sandtorkai. On the other side of the canal you will find the *Miniatur Wunderland* 10, the largest model railway in the world with 930 trains. There you can also find miniatures of the HafenCity and the Elbphilharmonie. Tip: Make a reservation ahead to avoid long waiting times.

Visitors also throng to the *harbour cruises* 7, which are mandatory for a maritime weekend! A round trip either through the old warehouse district, *Speicherstadt* 9, or along the shipyards takes about an hour. Just take a stroll along the *St. Pauli Landungsbrücken* 3—the captains will definitely find you, guaranteed.

When you've docked on land again, take a stroll through the *Alter Elbtunnel* 4 to the south side of the Elbe. From there you have a magnificent view of Hamburg's skyline. Back again, we go further downriver along the banks of the Elbe.

At the *Fischmarkt* 54 take the ferry to *Övelgönne* 70. The magnificent *Elbstrand* 71 starts there. If you manage to tear yourself away, go up *Schulberg* 72. There you will find picturesque old captain's houses. Stroll along until you reach Teufelsbrück.

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A luxury in every respect is a short detour from Teufelsbrück to the famous “*Lindenterrasse*” of the *Hotel “Louis C. Jacob”* 73, the magical garden, immortalized by the painter Max Liebermann, offers an insurmountable front seat view of the comings and goings of the ships below.

Theatre "DAS SCHIFF" ⁸⁰



Hamburg's Theatre Ship offers political cabaret, literature, music and plays at the highest level. Whether its their own ensemble or guest appearances, the ship's motto is: fast, bold and with music.

Jenisch Park ²⁷ is located there, a jewel of a garden with a beautiful mansion built around 1800, a truly idyllic spot. You get back to the centre by taking bus 36 from Teufelsbrück along the Elbchaussee. Anyone who has any energy left in the evening can visit the theatres, clubs and pubs on the *Reeperbahn* ⁴⁷.

If you want to start off a Sunday morning in style in Hamburg, get yourself a pickled herring sandwich at the Fischmarkt. Between 5 am (in winter 7 am) and 9:30 am you can hear Dieter the eel monger at his stall on the Fischmarkt screaming at the top of his voice to sell his eels. About 30 minutes walk away, St Michaelis (*Michel* ¹) the

Baroque church, a symbol of the Hanseatic city is located on Englische Planke No. 1. From the viewing platform at a dizzying height you will be overwhelmed by the view of the city, the harbour and St. Pauli. Next stop is the Alster. Follow one of the canals and walk along *Neuer Wall* ⁷⁴ and you will inevitably arrive at *Rathausmarkt* ⁷⁵, *Jungfernstieg* ⁷⁶ or the *Binnenalster* ⁷⁷, Hamburg's showpiece promenades. From here it is only a few minutes walk to the Aussenalster with its lush greens and posh cafés. Return to the magnificent *Town Hall* ⁷⁸, from the late 19th century, seat of Hamburg's Senate and Parliament. Those looking for unusual walks should go back towards the Elbe via Börsenbrücke and Hopfendamm to the historical *Nikolaifleet* ⁷⁹. Then continue into *Deichstrasse* ⁸¹ with its picturesque assembly of old Hamburg patrician homes that have survived the Great Fire of 1842, wars and demolition frenzy.


The grand finale: Labskaus. Real Hamburger home cooking with potatoes, beetroot, pickled herring and fried egg in the "*Old Commercial Room*" ⁸² at the Michel. You arrive back at the HafenCity via the Niederbaumbrücke. A last glimpse of the harbour—and then: tschüs! As they say in Hamburg.

How to get there: to café "*Fleetschlösschen*", *Brooktorkai* No. 17: *U1 Messberg*. (Web)addresses, opening times, information: pages 38–43. Advice, Booking, Service: www.hamburg-travel.com

Very close to the sea: Hamburg's waterfront at sunset



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Detailed information for all items can be found at www.hamburg-travel.com. The attractions with  offer the advantages of the Hamburg CARD (see fold-up map).


1 Michel

Magnificent baroque church, Hamburg's landmark. Englische Planke 1. Bus 6 Michaeliskirche.

Tel. 040/376780.

May–Oct daily 9 am to 7.30 pm,

Nov–Apr daily 10 am to 5.30 pm.

www.st-michaelis.de 

2 Portuguese quarter

Southern flair in the Portuguese restaurants. Around Ditmar-Koel-Str.; U3 Landungsbrücken

3 St. Pauli Landungsbrücken

Floating jetty with 10 bridges, the starting point for boat tours.

Bei den St. Pauli Landungsbrücken.

U3 Landungsbrücken

4 Alter Elbtunnel

A nostalgic short cut under the river.

At bridge 6. Open round the clock for pedestrians and cyclists.


U3 Landungsbrücken

5 "Rickmer Rickmers"

Museum ship dating back to the time of the tall ships. At bridge 1a.

U3 Landungsbrücken.


Tel. 040/3195959. 10 am to 6 pm daily, in the summer Fri–Sat until 8 pm.

www.rickmer-rickmers.de 

6 "Cap San Diego"


The largest seaworthy museum's cargo vessel in the world with overnight accommodation. Überseebrücke. U3 Baumwall.

Tel. 040/364209. 10 am to 6 pm daily.

www.capsandiego.de 

7 Harbour cruises

Whether with Meyer, Ehlers or Prüsse—their barges run all day from Landungsbrücken to docks and canals.

U3 Landungsbrücken. 

8 Koehlbrand Bridge

Fantastic view of the container port. Only accessible by car. A7 exit HH-Waltershof

9 Speicherstadt

Unique old warehouse complex from the late 19th century, interspersed with canals. U1 Messberg


10 Miniatur Wunderland

The world's largest model railway.

Kehrwieder 2. U3 Baumwall. Tel. 040/3006800. Mon, Wed, Thu 9.30 am to

6 pm, Tue 9.30 am to 9 pm, Fri 9.30 am to

7 pm, Sat 8 am to 9 pm, Sun 8.30 am to

8 pm. www.miniatur-wunderland.de 

11 HafenCity

Innovative architecture in Hamburg's new residential and business district.

U4 Überseequartier

12 Elbphilharmonie

Spectacular concert hall on the Elbe.

Am Kaiserkai. U3 Baumwall.

Tel. 040/35766666. Construction site

tours on Sundays, reservation necessary.

www.elbphilharmonie.de

13 International Maritime Museum

3000 years seafaring. Koreastr. 1.

U4 Überseequartier. Tel. 040/30092300.

Tue–Sun 10 am to 6 pm. www.internationales-maritimes-museum.de




14 Car museum PROTOTYP

Exhibition of rare sports and racing cars.

Shanghaiallee 7. U4 HafenCity Universität, U1 Messberg. Tel. 040/39996970.

Tue–Sun 10 am to 6 pm.


www.prototyp-hamburg.de 

15 Chilehaus

Architectural brick masterpiece of the 1920s. Fischertwiete 2. U1 Messberg

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16 Highflyer tethered balloon

150 meters high in the firmly anchored balloon. Deichtorstr. 1–2. U1 Steinstrasse. Tel. 040/30086969. Daily 10 am to 10 pm, flights are dependent on the weather. www.highflyer-hamburg.de 

17 Treppenviertel

Winding lanes, steep stairs—mediterranean atmosphere in Hamburg. S1 Blankenese

18 Baur's Weg

Beautiful view of the Elbe between the houses of the Treppenviertel. S1 Blankenese

19 Bröers Treppe

Descent to the Elbe, great views. S1 Blankenese


20 Beach bar “Strandhotel Blankenese”

Stylish Elbe terrace on the beach. Strandweg 13. S1 Blankenese. Tel. 040/861344. In good weather, Tue–Fri 1 pm to 9 pm, Sat/Sun 9 am to 9 pm. www.strandhotel-blankenese.de

21 Strandweg

Blankenese Promenade. Bus 48 Blankenese (Fähre)

22 “Ponton Op’n Bulln”

Snack bar at the ferry station. Strandweg 30. Bus 48 Blankenese (Fähre). Tel. 040/86645127. Opening times vary. <http://pontonopnbulln.kajuetesb12.de> 

23 Elbterrasse

A path in the Treppenviertel with magnificent views. Bus 48 Krögers Treppe (Fischerhaus)


24 Local museum at the Dreebus

A lovingly preserved old fisherman's house. Elbterrasse 4–6. Bus 48 Krögers Treppe (Fischerhaus). Tel. 040/864053. First Sunday of the month 2 pm to 5 pm and by appointment

25 Süllberg

75-meter-high slope with gastronomy and fantastic river view. Süllbergsterrasse 12. Bus 48 Krögers Treppe (Fischerhaus). Tel. 040/8662520. Beer garden Mon–Fri 11.30 am to 10 pm, Sat/Sun 11 am to 10 pm. www.suellberg-hamburg.de


26 Cuxhaven ferry

With the “Halunder Jet” of the FRS to Cuxhaven (and Helgoland). 4th Apr to 2nd Nov daily 9 am from Landungsbrücke 4. U3 Landungsbrücken. Tel. 0461/86444. www.helgoline.de 

27 Jenisch Park

The most beautiful English garden of Hamburg. Baron-Voght- Str./Elbchaussee. S1 Klein Flottbek

28 Jenisch House

Classicist country house in Jenisch Park with a magnificent view of the Elbe. Baron-Voght-Str. 50. S1 Klein Flottbek. Tel. 040/828790. Tue–Sun 11 am to 6 pm. www.jenischhaus.org 

29 Ernst Barlach House

Outstanding collection of the expressionist artist in Jenisch Park. Baron-Voght-Str. 50. S1 Klein Flottbek. Tel. 040/826085. Tue–Sun 11 am to 6 pm. www.barlach-haus.de

30 Hirsch Park

Stately park close to the Elbe, with deer, waterfowl and peacocks. Bus 36 Mühlenberg

31 Godeffroy Mansion

Imposing classicist building in Hirsch Park. Elbchaussee 499b. Bus 36 Mühlenberg

32 “Witthüs”

Thatched roof tea room in Hirsch Park, perfect for a break. Elbchaussee 499a. Bus 36 Mühlenberg.

Tel. 040/860173. Tue–Sat 2 pm to 11 pm, Sun 10 am to 11 pm. www.witthues.com

33 Elbchaussee

Impressive boulevard along the Elbe, lined with manor houses

34 Baur's Park

Serpentine paths on the slopes with picturesque views of the Elbe. Mühlenberger Weg. S1 Blankenese

35 Hesse Park

Beautiful park with Elbe views. Am Kiekeberg. S1 Blankenese

36 “Lühmanns Teestube”

Tea room with a cozy English atmosphere. Blankeneser Landstr. 29. S1 Blankenese. Tel. 040/863442. Mon–Fri 9 am to 11 pm, Sat 9 am to 6 pm, Sun 10 am to 11 pm. www.luehmanns-teestube.de

37 Schinckel's Park

Forest in Blankenese, ideal for short hikes. Falkentaler Weg. Bus 48 Elbhöhenweg

38 Roman Garden

Idyllic clearing in the forest, 30 meters above the Elbe with an open-air theatre. Falkensteiner Ufer 45. Bus 48 Falkentaler Weg

39 Falkenstein forest park

Ancient trees, ravines and steep slopes. Bus 286 Falkenstein

40 Doll Museum Falkenstein


Impressive collection of dolls in a mansion above the Elbe. Grotiusweg 79. Bus 189 Tinsdaler Kirchenweg. Tel. 040/810582. Tue–Sun 11 am to 5 pm. www.elke-droescher.de

41 Sven-Simon-Park

Former private garden with a river view. Grotiusweg. Bus 286 Grotiusweg (Mitte)

42 Line A

The Red Double Deckers

Landungsbrücken 1–2 (waterside, opposite S-Bahn Station). Tickets and information at Tel. 040/7928979 or info@die-roten-doppeldecker.de 

43 Dancing Towers

Twin high-rise building designed by star architect Hadi Teherani. Reeperbahn 1. U3 St. Pauli


44 “Clouds – Heaven's Bar & Kitchen”

Restaurant with a roof terrace, 105 metres high in the Dancing Towers. Reeperbahn 1. U3 St. Pauli. Tel. 040/30993280. Food served Sun–Thu 6 pm to 11 pm, Fri/Sat 6 pm to midnight. www.clouds-hamburg.com

45 “Mojo Club”

Cult music club in the Dancing Towers. Reeperbahn 1. U3 St. Pauli. Tel. 040/3191999. Fri/Sat from 6 pm Jazz Café, from 11 pm Club. www.mojo.de

46 Panoptikum

Germany's oldest waxworks. Spielbudenplatz 3. U3 St. Pauli. Tel. 040/310317. Mon–Fri 11 am to 9 pm, Sat 11 am to midnight, Sun 10 am to 9 pm. www.panoptikum.de 

47 Reeperbahn

Hamburg's legendary night life mile, once sinful, now more culty. U3 St. Pauli

48 TUI-Operettenhaus


Venue of famous musicals. Spielbudenplatz 1. U3 St. Pauli. Tel. 040/311170. www.stage-entertainment.de

49 Schmidt Theater


Theatre with a trendy midnight show. Spielbudenplatz 24. S1 Reeperbahn. Tel. 040/31778899. www.tivoli.de 

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50 *Schmidts Tivoli*

Finest variety theatre, next to the Schmidt Theater. Spielbudenplatz 27–28. S1 Reeperbahn. Tel. 040/31778899. www.tivoli.de 

51 *St. Pauli Theater*

Oldest theatre in Hamburg. Spielbudenplatz 29–30. S1 Reeperbahn. Tel. 040/47110666. www.st-pauli-theater.de 

52 *Davidwache*

Historical police station in St. Pauli, well-known from film and TV. Spielbudenplatz 31. S1 Reeperbahn

53 *Fish Auction Hall*

Originally built for trade on the border between Altona and Hamburg, now a famous venue on the Elbe. Große Elbstr. 9. Bus 111 Fischauktionhalle. Tel. 040/570105200. www.fischauktionshalle.de

54 *Fischmarkt*

Legendary folk festival, stage for market criers. St. Pauli Fischmarkt 2. Bus 112 Fischmarkt. Every Sunday morning, Apr–Oct 5 am to 9.30 am, Nov–Mar 7 am to 9.30 am

55 *“Zum Elbblick”*

Pub with “Kuno, the singing host.” Olbersweg 49. Bus 111 Große Elbstrasse. Tel. 040/3806298

56 *Dockland*

Building shaped like a ship with free access to the roof terrace. Van-der-Smissen-Str. 9. Bus 111 Kreuzfahrtterminal Altona

57 *Cruise Center Altona*

New embarkation point for large ships. Van-der-Smissen-Str. 5. Bus 111 Kreuzfahrtterminal Altona. www.hamburgcruisecenter.eu

58 *“Henssler & Henssler”*

Sushi bar of celebrity chef Steffen Henssler. Große Elbstr. 160. Bus 111 Große Elbstrasse. Tel. 040/38699000. Mon–Sat noon to 3 pm, 6 pm to 11 pm. www.hensslerhenssler.de

59 *“Frischeparadies”*

Top gourmet supermarket. Große Elbstr. 210. Bus 111 Große Elbstrasse. Tel. 040/389080. Mon–Fri 9 am to 7 pm, Sat 9 am to 4 pm. www.frischeparadies.de

60 *Lawaetz House*

Former textile factory with jetty, today the venue of exhibitions and parties. Neumühlen 16–20. Bus 112 Lawaetzhaus. Tel. 040/3999360

61 *Neumühlen cold storage building*

Excellent example of how a cold storage building can be transformed into a stylish residence for senior citizens. Neumühlen 37. Bus 112 Neumühlen

62 *Museum Harbour Oevelgönne*

Berth for historical ships. Neumühlen 1. Bus 112 Neumühlen. Tel. 040/41912761. Visit the berth at any time. Visits inside by appointment. www.museumshafen-oevelgoenne.de

63 *Captain's and pilot's houses*

Beautiful ensemble from the 18th and 19th century. Övelgönne. Bus 112 Neumühlen


64 *“Strandperle”*

Hamburg's most casual beach bar. Övelgönne 60. Bus 112 Neumühlen. Tel. 040/8801112. Nov–Apr Sat/Sun and in good weather, Apr–Oct 10 am to 11 pm daily. www.strandperle-hamburg.de

65 *“Golden Pudel Club”*

A wooden hut on the Elbe, run by two well-known Punk musicians. St. Pauli Fischmarkt 27. Bus 112 Hafentreppe. Tel. 040/31979930. Daily from 10 pm. www.pudel.com


66 *“Fleetschlösschen”*

Cozy café in an old fire station in the Speicherstadt. Brooktorkai 17. U1 Messberg. Tel. 040/30393210. Daily 8 am to 10 pm 

67 *Magellanterassen*

Beautiful spot with a view of the traditional harbour (cf. no. 42). U4 Überseequartier

68 *Speicherstadtmuseum*

The history of the old warehouse district. Am Sandtorkai 36. U3 Baumwall. Tel. 040/321191. Mon–Fri 10 am to 5 pm, Sat/Sun 10 am to 6 pm, Nov–Mar Tue–Sun 10 am to 5 pm. www.speicherstadtmuseum.de 

69 *Spicy's Gewürzmuseum*

Raw spices to smell, taste and touch in the world's only spice museum. Am Sandtorkai 34. U3 Baumwall. Tel. 040/367989. Tue–Sun 10 am to 5 pm, July–Oct Mon 10 am to 5 pm. www.spicys.de

70 *Övelgönne*

Picturesque district between the Elbe and the Elbchaussee. Bus 112 Neumühlen

71 *Elbstrand*

Fine sandy beach, very close to the ships. Övelgönne/Schulberg. Bus 112 Neumühlen

72 *Schulberg*

Down to the Elbe on one of the steepest streets in Hamburg. Bus 112 Neumühlen

73 *Lindenterrasse, Hotel “Louis C. Jacob”*

Luxury gastronomy with a magnificent

view. Elbchaussee 401–403. Bus 36 Sieberlingstr.; Tel. 040/822550. www.hotel-jacob.de

74 *Neuer Wall*

Hamburg's upmarket shopping precinct. U1 Jungfernstieg

75 *Rathausmarkt*

Square in front of the Town Hall. U3 Rathausmarkt


76 *Jungfernstieg*

Famous promenade and point of departure for the Alster pleasure boats. U1 Jungfernstieg

77 *Binnenalster*

In the middle of the city—the smaller southern part of the Alster Lake (which is really a river). U1 Jungfernstieg


78 *Town Hall*

Stately seat of the Senate and the City Parliament. Rathausmarkt 1. U3 Rathausmarkt. Mon–Fri 10 am to 7 pm. Information about the tours: Tel. 040/428312470 

79 *Nikolaifleet*

Former main estuary of the Alster, the nucleus of the Port of Hamburg. U3 Baumwall

80 *Theatre “DAS SCHIFF”*

Cabaret on a floating stage. Holzbrücke 2. U3 Rödingsmarkt. Tel. 040/69650560. www.theaterschiff.de 

81 *Deichstrasse*

Half timbered houses dating back to the early 18th century—the last part of old Hamburg that is still in existence. U3 Rödingsmarkt

82 *“Old Commercial Room”*

Original Hamburg Labskaus dish. Englische Planke 10. Bus 6 Michaeliskirche. Tel. 040/366319. Daily 12 noon to midnight. www.oldcommercialroom.de

Up 'n Swutsch*

"Christiansen's"

Bartender, Uwe Christiansen, previously worked on the MS "Europe" and the "Queen Elizabeth 2", always as head bartender. Pinnasberg 60; S1 Reeperbahn; Tel. 040/3172863; Mon–Thu 8 pm to 3 am, Fri 8 pm to 4 am, Sat 8 pm to 5 am; www.christiansens.de

"Blaues Barhaus"

The outer wall of this oasis as blue as the ocean. Große Brunnenstr. 55; Bus 1 Große Brunnenstr.; Tel. 040/7810200; daily from 6 pm; www.blaues-barhaus.de

"Café Kaltehohe"

Historic villa in an old waterworks complex. Idyllic location on an island on the Elbe. Elbinsel Kaltehohe, Hauptdeich 6–7; Bus 120 Zollvereinsstr.; Mar–Oct Mon–Sun 10 am to 6 pm, Nov–Feb Tue–Sun 10 am to 6 pm; Tel. 040/788849992; www.wasserkunst-hamburg.de

"Comon"

This sushi restaurant the size of a living room is also popular with the Japanese. Kaiser-Wilhelm-Str. 89; U2 Gänsemarkt; Tel. 040/30703777; Mon–Sat 6 pm to 11 pm; www.comoncomon.com

"Daniel Wischer"

A Hamburg institution. Since 1924, fried fish, fish cakes and perch are served freshly cooked. Steinstr. 15a; U1 Steinstrasse; Tel. 040/32525795; Mon–Sat 11 am to 4 pm; www.danielwischer.de

"Docks"

Concerts and parties have been held here daily for more than 20 years. Spielbudenplatz 19; U3 St. Pauli; Tel. 040/3178830; www.docks.de

"Eisenstein"

An up-market pizzeria and more in the former ship propeller factory Zeise. Friedensallee 9; S1/3 Altona; Tel. 040/3904606; 11 am to 1 am daily; www.restaurant-eisenstein.de

"Feuerschiff"

In the past the "LV13" was anchored off the coast of England, but today you come here to listen to jazz and drink white wine. City Sporthafen, Vorsetzen; U3 Baumwall; Tel. 040/362553; Mon–Sat 11 am to 1 am, Sun 9 am to 11 pm; www.das-feuerschiff.de

"Fischereihafenrestaurant"

Don't be fooled by the rather plain façade: Here you will find one of the best restaurants in Hamburg. Große Elbstr. 143; Bus 112 Elbberg; Tel. 040/381816; Mon–Thu, Sun 11.30 am to 10 pm, Fri, Sat 11.30 am to 10.30 pm; www.fischereihafenrestaurant.de

"Frau Hedis Tanzkaffee"

Hamburg's party barge. Bridge 10 at Landungsbrücken; U3 Landungsbrücken; Tel. 0176/83061071; departure dates/times www.frauhedi.de

"Golem"

According to a self-description, a place for "sophisticated binge drinking and discussions". Readings and movie nights. Große Elbstr. 14, Bus 112 Fischmarkt; Tue–Sun from 8 pm; www.golem.kr

"Grill of Arabia"

Elias Hanna Saliba came to Hamburg to trains to be a ship's captain more than 40 years ago but then moved on to offering Syrian specialties. Heußweg 48; U2 Osterstraße; Tel. 040/43272743; ➤

from 12 noon to 12 midnight daily;
www.grill-of-arabia.de

“Hafenklang”

Electro, reggae, soul and rock in the basement, movies and readings in the “Golden Salon”. Große Elbstr. 84; Bus 111 Fischauktionshalle; Tel. 040/388744; daily from 4 pm, concerts from 8.30 pm; www.hafenklang.org

“Haifischbar”

Sailors used to pay here with souvenirs from their travels. Even sharks can be found among the souvenirs on the wall. Große Elbstr. 128; S1 Königstr.; Tel. 040/3809342; daily from 11 am, food served from 3 pm to 11 pm; www.haifischbar.net

“Konditorei & Patisserie Herr Max”

In this old fashioned pastry shop you can even order pirate ship tarts. Schulterblatt 12; U3 Feldstrasse; Tel. 040/69219951; daily from 10 am to 9 pm; www.herrmax.de

“Pastalozzi”

The hangout of **mare**-editors. Premium pasta and the best bream in the city. Reimarusstr. 10; U3 Landungsbrücken; Tel. 040/31791709; Mon–Fri 11 am to 3 pm, 6 pm to 11 pm, Sat 5 pm to 11 pm; www.pastalozzi-hamburg.de

“Schifferbörse”

A glass to toast the contract was a must for ship owners in the past. The rustic “Schifferbörse” still exists with North German, down to earth cuisine. Kirchenallee 46; U Hauptbahnhof; Tel. 040/245240; 11.30 am to 11 pm daily; www.schifferboerse-hamburg.de

“Schulauer Fährhaus” with ship welcoming station Willkomm-Höft

With the ship welcoming station Willkomm-Höft. Eat cake while you listen to the “Welcoming Captain” who greets every passing ship with its national anthem, hoisting its national flag to salute it. Parnaßstrasse 29; Bus 594 Schulau, Fähre; Tel. 04103/92000; 11 am to 11 pm daily; www.schulauer-faehrhaus.de

“Ti Breizh”

Boutique for French maritime fashion and Crêperie in one. Deichstr. 39; U3 Baumwall; Tel. 040/37517815; 12 noon to 10 pm daily; Boutique Mon–Sat 11 am to 8 pm; www.tibreizh.de

“Tide”

The owner exhibits his finest driftwood findings in his neat two-room café. Rotheistr. 53; S1/S3 Bahnhof Altona; Tel. 040/41111499; Mon–Fri, 8 am to 6 pm, Sat 10 am to 6 pm; www.tide.dk

“Veddeler Fischgaststätte”

Here you get the best fried fish in Hamburg. Plain low rise building but the visitors all have their own local flair e.g. truckers, customs officials and dockers. Tunnelstr. 70; Bus 256 Sachsenbrücke; Tel. 040/786389; www.veddeler-fischgaststaette.de

“Vlet”

Located on the first floor of an old coffee store, you look on to the canal at Kibbelsteg and the Speicherstadt. Am Sandtorkai 23/24, access by the stairs at the Kibbelstegbrücke; Bus 6 Bei St. Annen; Tel. 040/334753750; Mon–Fri 12 noon to 3 pm, 6 pm to midnight, Sat 6 pm to midnight; www.vlet.de

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
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Alster-Touristik, Jungfernstieg (Neustadt), Tel. 040/357 4240.

www.alstertouristik.de 

Barges

A traditional barge or „Elbe convertible“ for a perfect tour of the harbour.

Barkassen-Meyer, Bei den St. Pauli Landungsbrücken, Bridges 2/6 (St. Pauli), Tel. 040/317 73 70.

www.barkassen-meyer.de 

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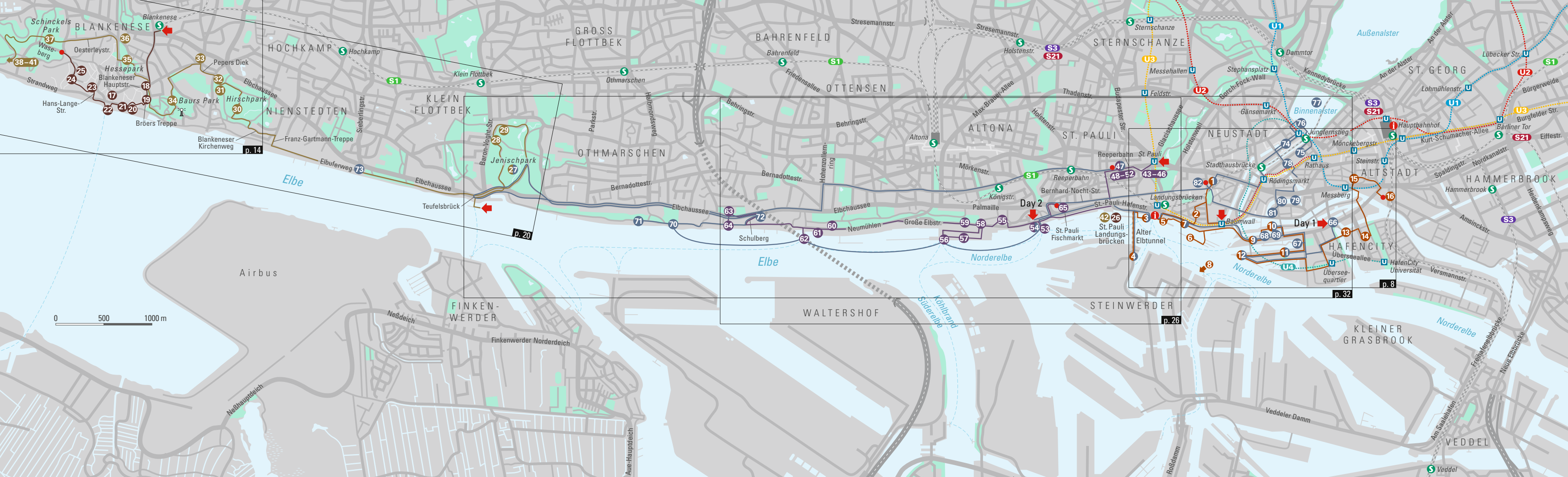
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