

WELCOME TO TALLINN!

Besides our beautiful festival, there are plenty of sightseeing options and other activities to enjoy in Tallinn, but we do hope you'll mostly be dancing! To help you orientate and organize your stay, we have put together a list of useful information.

Tallinn official tourist information – www.visittallinn.ee

TRANSPORTATION

The locations of the festival are all in the old town where you can just walk around. The map for the venues can be found here: <https://bit.ly/2G65NQd>

Public transportation Public transport covers Tallinn well, most public transport network lines operate between 6AM and 11PM. There are bus and tram connections with airport and ferry terminals.

Paper ticket purchased directly in the vehicle from the driver costs 2 EUR per single ride.

You can also buy a **rechargeable Tallinn "Ühiskaart" (Public Transport Card)** for 2 EUR from the R-Kiosk at the Airport/any other R-Kiosk. You can either charge money or e-tickets to it. 1hr ride with the card costs 1.10EUR (no extra charge when connecting within the 60-minute period). Also available are day tickets (1-, 3-, 5-day tickets) priced between 3 to 6 EUR.

Detailed information about ticketing options is available at: <https://www.tallinn.ee/eng/pilet/Ticket-information-for-tourists>

To plan your trips, you can download Tallinn Transport app or visit website: <https://transport.tallinn.ee/index.html#en>

From Airport and Tallinn Port Terminals to City Centre

The modern **Lennart Meri Tallinn Airport**, located just 4 Km from the centre, can be reached within ca 10-15 minutes by public transport/taxi.

Tallinn Port Terminals A and D are within 5 minutes from the Old town by public transport/taxi, 10-15 minutes by foot.

Bus no. 2 or tram no. 4 It is possible to take the public transport bus number 2 (from airport and ferry ports) or the tram number 4 (from airport) directly to the centre.

With the bus: exit at the "Laikmaa" stop, located in front of Tallink City Hotel, at a 5-minute walking distance from the Old Town.

With the tram: exit at "Hobujaama" next to the Viru centre or Mere Puiestee for Old town.

Taxi The taxi rides in Tallinn are quite cheap IF YOU BOOK a taxi by calling or by ordering with an app! From the airport to the city centre the ride should cost no more than 6-8 EUR and from the ports no more than 4-5 euros. You should ask for the approximate price when entering the taxi and make sure the driver uses the taximeter.

Reasonably priced taxi companies are:

Sinu (<http://www.sinutakso.ee>) +372 6 606 060

Reval (<http://www.reval-takso.ee>) +372 6 014 600

Marabu (<http://www.marabu.ee>) +372 6 500 006

Other popular services via apps are:

Bolt

Uber

EATING OUT

Please see the festival map: <https://bit.ly/2G65NQ4>

OTHER PRACTICAL INFORMATION

Language Official language spoken in Estonia is called estonian. English and Russian is understood and spoken widely.

Calls The country code for Estonia is +372. Dial +372, then the subscriber's number.

Electricity The electricity supply in Estonia is 220 volts AC, 50 Hz. European-style 2-pin plugs are in use.

Currency From January 2011 the local currency is Euro. Foreign currencies can be easily exchanged in banks and exchange offices. Most banks are open from 9AM to 6PM on weekdays, and some offices are also open on Saturday mornings. There are exchange offices in several hotels, in the Port of Tallinn, at the airport, the railway station etc.

Credit cards Credit cards such as Visa, Mastercard/Eurocard, Diner's Club, American Express etc. are accepted in most of the major hotels, restaurants and shops, but ask first. Some taxi's take card payments, too.

Shopping Shops are usually open from 10AM until 6PM. Large department stores are open between 9AM and 10PM. Best shopping facilities in Tallinn can be found in the city centre: Stockmann, Tallinna Kaubamaja, Solaris Centre and Viru Keskus. Many nice boutiques and handicrafts gallerie are in the Old Town. Telliskivi area beyond train station Balti jaam has lots of design shops.

Medical care Health insurance is advisable. Over the counter medicaments are available in pharmacies ("Apteek"). However, for the convenience we suggest you bring along your own supply. **Pharmacies are usually open from 10AM to 7PM, longer in shopping centres.** Two pharmacies are open all night: Súdameapteek at Tõnismägi 5 (ph: +372 644 2282) and at Vikerlase 19 (ph: +372 638 4338).

Emergency Emergency number for any service is 112. Closest Police station is located at Lootsi 15 (B-3), ph +372 612 4210. Emergency health centre is at Ravi 18 (C-3), ph. +372 620 7040.