

OLDERØ FLY FISHING LODGE

PRE-TRIP INFO



HOW TO GET HERE

The airport in Lakselv is Banak (LKL). You'll have to book domestic flights in Norway and clear customs as you enter the country, even though your luggage is checked in to your final destination, Lakselv. We recommend you to have 1 ½ hour at Gardermoen (Oslo). Our guides will meet you as you arrive at Lakselv airport. Olderø lodge is located 10 min from the airport. Recommended domestic airlines:

[Norwegian](#) • [Scandinavian Airlines](#) • [Widerøe](#)



WHAT TO BRING

Rods: Bring 7- to 9-weights from 12 to 14 feet long. Lighter switch or single handed rods can be useful in low water conditions. **Reels:** Choose a quality reel with a powerful, adjustable drag. Reels should have capacity for your line and 150+ yards of 30-pound backing.

Fly lines: Floating lines are most useful during low-water conditions in the early morning and in evening hours. Integrated sinking- tip lines work great, while intermediate/sinking lines are effective in some conditions. **Leaders:** Tapered leaders from 9 to 15 feet, 0,30-0,45 or strong poly leaders. Tippets should vary from 0,30-0,45.

Flies: Bring a good selection of tube- and hook flies. Flies like Sunray shadow, Frances, Monkeys and Frødings flies work well. Dry flies and hitch flies work well in low water.

Clothes: We recommend chest waders for warmth, to get to that occasionally shed cut bank, and to manage deeper water when/if crossing the river. Bring a good pair of wading boots with felt or rubber soles (with cleats). Use gravel guards and be sure to bring a wading belt. A wading staff can come in handy if you need support wading the river.

Our fly shop offers a variety of flies, rods, reels, lines, leaders, tippet and hooks.



DESINFECTION & STATE LICENSE

All used fishing tackle must be disinfected before entering Lakselva river. We have all the equipments needed to disinfect your gear at the lodge.

You need to pay an individual fee to the state for fishing (272.- NOK). [Click here to pay.](#)



WEATHER CONDITIONS

The weather in Lakselv varies a lot and changes several times a day. Early in the season we can experience frost during the night. In July & August the temperature can be up to 30°C degrees. Bring sunscreen lotion (SPF 30+) and bug repellents for mosquito protection. Permethrin can be applied to clothing for added protection.

[Click here to check the latest weather forecast.](#)



SEA TROUT SEASON

1st of September to 15th of September, the following equipment limitations apply:

- Leaders may have a max. breaking strength of 0.25 mm
- It's only allowed to use unweighted hook flies (max. hook-size 10)
 - Sink tips / sinking polyleaders are not allowed
 - It's only allowed to use floating lines

Gratuities: 30-50 € per day for all house staff. 50-75 € per guest per day for your guides.