



# LILJENÄS NATURE & LEISURE

The first people arrived at the lake Bolmen from the north. They wandered up along the systems of streams from Nissan. Liljenäs is situated at the northern tip of Bolmen, a historical place dating back from the stone ages and where the fishing has been of great importance over the years. During the 14th century Liljenäs was owned by Vadstena convent and was later on confiscated by Gustav Vasa. In 1564 the Danes burned down the farm. Now the Danes are back but this time for peaceful reasons.

Carita and Christian Iversen have totally 30 beds in the various buildings at the estate and in one cottage 2 km away from the main farm. The heart of the estate is located 400 m from the shore of Bolmen. Here are very good fishing possibilities in the 10 the biggest lake in Sweden, known for its pike, perch and another 20 species.



## FISHING WATERS

Bolmen is the 10th largest lake in Sweden with an area of 184 km<sup>2</sup>. The lake is also the source of the drinking-water supply for parts of southern Sweden. The sea is 37 m deep at the deepest part. The northern part of the lake is relatively shallow and a good habitat for the zander, especially in the spring there are really large amounts. 6 km of the feeder stream in Storån is available for fishing.

## FISH

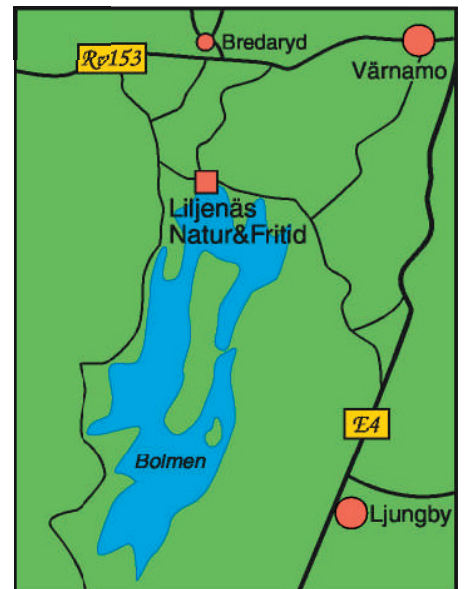
In Bolmen there are 24 species of fish with very good stock of zander, pike and perch. In 2002 a pike weighing 19.1 kg was caught close to Liljenäs. You may also fly-fish for pike and perch. Spring and autumn are the traditional periods for pike fishing but most of the other species can be caught all the year round. Bream, tench, eel and bur-bot also attract anglers to Bolmen. There is also a stock of brown trout but it has proven to be

## FISHING

It is possible to fish from the shores but the variations increase with a boat. Trolling, spinning or angling can be used for pike, zander, perch and brown trout. Fly-fishing can be used for pike and perch. Spring and autumn are the traditional pike periods while most other species can be caught all year round. Bream, tench and other whitefish are best to catch with an angling-rod. Traditional winter fishing for pikes from the ice or jigging for burbot, perch, pike and zander is a great experience. Record: Pike 13,5 kg, Zander 6,4 kg. Astrid Lindgren's World and Smålands Glasriks. Above Liljenäs is one of Sweden's most intense migration bird area for e.g. cranes and geese.

## FISHING RULES

The same fishing permit is valid for all of Bolmen. There are minimum measures for zander, eel and brown trout. Complete





## BOATS AND TACKLE

Boat with oars and life jackets are included in the price for a whole house. Engine can be rented separately. Canoe, floating ring for fishing and fishing tackle can also be rented. Local fishing guide, who guarantees catch, can be booked. There is a detailed map of Bolmen.

## ACCOMMODATION

**The East Wing** at Liljenäs has 8 bedrooms with 16 beds, a large well-equipped kitchen, dining room, a couple of living rooms, two bathrooms, 3 WC, refrigerator/freezer, pantry, washing machine and airing cupboard. There are outdoor furniture and barbecue, comfortable lounge with fire stove and satellite TV. As an alternative to self-catering accommodation we can offer partial board and packed lunch.

**Jaktvilan** at Liljenäs has 2–3 bedrooms, 4–6 beds, large modern farmhouse kitchen, shower, WC, pleasant living room and a large furnaced terrace with garden umbrella and grill.



The cottage **Fiskarhultet**, a couple of km east of

Liljenäs, has 3 bedrooms with 6 beds, large living room with stove and satellite TV, kitchen with refrigerator/freezer, dining room and bathroom with WC.

## OTHER SERVICE

There is a country shop 6 km from Liljenäs. Within 20 km there are several restaurants. In Värnamo, 27 km away, you will find doctor, bank and other service.

## OTHER ACTIVITIES

At Liljenäs we can arrange pentathlon, various games and other activities. There are beautiful biking and walking routes in the vicinity. In a day's outing you can reach the Wild West establishment High Chaparral, the national park Stora Mosse, bird's sanctuary Draven,

## PRICES 2007

Price examples: Liljenäs east wing (16 beds) 8,500SEK/week (£654/w = £41 per person based on 16 sharing)

Liljenäs Jaktvillan (4(6) beds) 3,300SEK/week £254/w = £63 per person based on 4 sharing) Fiskarhultet cottage (6 (8)beds) 4,000SEK/week (£308/w = £51 per person based on 6 sharing)

Extra bed 500SEK/week (£38/w) Fishing permit for Bolmen 200SEK/week (£15/w) (free for children under 16 years)

Fishing guide with trolling boat 500SEK/hour (£38/h) Small engine SEK 600/week (£46/w) Larger boats and engines are available for rent at the fishing camp.

Bed linen, towels and personal equipment are not included in the basic price.



## HOW TO REACH LILJENÄS

At E4 from the south take the exit at Lagan north of Ljungby towards Vittaryd. From there towards Dannäs, and then towards Bolmsö, after 500 m towards Ås and after 7 km there is a sign for Liljenäs. By train to Forsheda on the Halmstad–Nässjö line. Nearest airport is Axamo in Jönköping.

## FISHING HOSTS

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