



VÆLKOMIN TIL WELCOME TO

SANDEVÁGUR

THE FIRST OFFICIAL RESIDENCE OF THE LEADER OF THE FAROESE PARLIAMENT WAS IN SANDEVÁGUR - A HISTORIC AND WELL-KEPT VILLAGE; TODAY, HOME TO 925 PEOPLE (2020)



SANDEVÁGS KIRKJA - The church and the runic stone 1

Sandavágs kirkja er bygd í 1917. Rúnasteinurinn (frá 1200-áratalinum), ið varð funnin í Sandavági, stendur nú í kirkjunni
The church in Sandavágur was built in 1917. A famous rune stone from the late Viking Age is kept in the church



STANDMYNDIR - Memorial statues 2

V. U. Hammershaimb (1819-1909)
Jens Pauli Heinesen (1932-2011)



PAKKHÚSINI ÚTI Á BAKKA - Old ware houses 3

Í pakkhúsunum úti á Bakka varð fiskur arbeiddur. Í einum teirra var fyrsti handil í Sandavági. Eisini er fiskastykki, ið er umvælt
The warehouses were used for work with fisheries; there's also a stone-paved ground for drying fish



VIÐARLUNDIN OG FOSSÁHYLURIN - The plantation and pond 4

Við viðarlundina í Sandavági liggur Fossáhylurin, har til ber at svimja
Á vegnum er gamli Løgmansgarðurin og myllan
*By the plantation there is a small pond where it is possible to swim
Løgmansgarðurin is also near the plantation*



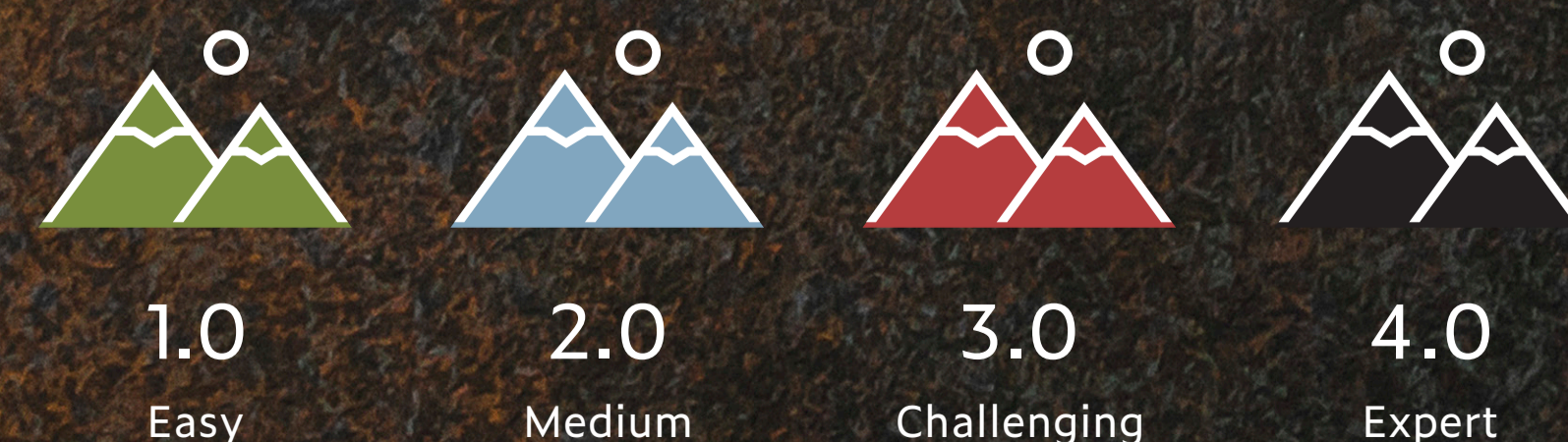
ÚTSÝNISSTAÐUR - Viewpoint 5

Trøllkonufingur (1.0) follow the gravel road ▲▲▲

UM ATBURÐ / PATH GUIDELINE

- ▶ Gakk altíð eftir gøtum og rásum
- ▶ Tak altíð burturkast heim við tær
- ▶ Ver varin við sjóvarmálan, tí rákið kann bráðliga taka seg upp
- ▶ Lat altíð portrið aftur eftir teg
- ▶ Hav fyrilit fyrri teimum, ið bógva her
- ▶ Flúgv ikki við dronu
- ▶ Stay on designated paths at all times
- ▶ Do not litter
- ▶ Beware! Sea currents can change suddenly
- ▶ Please close gates behind you
- ▶ Be thoughtful and respect local people's privacy
- ▶ The use of drones is prohibited

TORLEIKASTIG / TRAIL DIFFICULTY RATING SYSTEM



4.0 Expert

3.0 Challenging

2.0 Medium

1.0 Easy



Please have respect for the privacy of homeowners in this neighbourhood



Please respect the forces of the ocean by minding changing sea levels

TÓRSHAVN 35min drive
KLAKSVÍK 65min drive



GÁSADALUR 27min drive



AIRPORT 14min drive



SANDEVÁGUR

Sandavágur er landnámsbygd, og fleiri fornir bústaðir eru funnin. Á Eingjartoftum varð Rúnasteinur funnin. Hann stendur nú í Sandavágs kirkju.

Eystan fyrri Sandavág er Trøllkonufingur. Søgningin sigur, at hetta er fingurinn á einari trøllkonu, sum ætlaði at blaka Føroyar til Íslands. Fyrsta løgmansembætti var í Sandavági. Hetta var avtikið í 1816, tá Føroyar vóru skipaðar sum danskt amt.

Sandavágur hevur fostrað fleiri kend fólk. Nevnst kunnu V. U. Hammershaimb, próvstur og faðir at føroyska skriftmálinum og Jens Pauli Heinesen, rithøvundur.

Sandavágur hevur eisini vunnið heiðurin sum best røkta bygd fleiri ferðir.

SANDEVÁGUR

Sandavágur has an ancient history. Excavations in the town have uncovered ruins from the Middle Ages, including a runestone. The stone can be seen in Sandavágur Church.

In Sandavágur, Løgmansgarður was the residence of the leader of the Faroese parliament, until 1816, when the office was abolished and the islands became a Danish administrative district.

V. U. Hammershaimb, the father of the Faroese written language, was from Sandavágur.

Trøllkonufingur is a tall monolith on the south-east side of Sandavágur. Legend has it, that Trøllkonufingur is the finger of a witch that came to throw the Faroe Islands to Iceland.

Sandavágur has been voted the most well-kept village numerous times.