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# Norway, Stjördal Austkil 24.-31.7.2027



**Fly fishing for salmon on Stjördal River in Mid-Norway on 24th-31st July 2027.** A good private 2 km long and double sided Austkil beat is located on middle Stjördal River. The best year over 100 salmon and seatrout has been caught at Austkil beat.

**Stjördal River.** Stjördalselva is one of the best salmon rivers in Norway and flows into the Trondheimsfjorden close Stjördal town. The average size of salmon is about 4 kg but biggest Stjördal salmon are around 20 kilos. The annual catch from the river varies between 1500-2500 salmon.



**Fly Fishing.** The guests are fishing beautiful, private Austkil beat situated middle Stjördal river about 20 km from the Atlantic Ocean. The beat is 2 km long and consists of 3 different pools that can fished from both sides of the river. There will be 8 fishermen at the same time on this beat. The pools are divided in two beats. Beat 1: Austkilskogen pool, length 1300 m will be available every day. Beat 2: Sonoset, length 500 m or Holmene pool, length 700 m (these 2 pools will be fished one at a time, changing every day).



**Fishing Rules.** Only fly fishing is allowed. We recommend all salmon to be released. Bag limit is one salmon under 65 cm per person per day. If fisherman kills a salmon, he must stop fishing until midnight. The season bag limit is 2 salmon under 65 cm per person, all salmon over 3 kg (65 cm) must be released. All seatrout must be released.

**Fly Fishing Tackle.** For fly fishing for salmon on Stjördal River we recommend 12-15 ' foot double handed rods for lines #8-10 and suitable fly reels with good quality brakes. Single handed rod of for example 9' for lines 7-8 will be also fine. Floating, sink tip or intermediate shooting heads are most used fly lines but please bring also medium sinking shooting head for high water conditions. Before fly fishing everyone must buy a Norwegian state license and Stjördal Card in internet and disinfect fishing gear at Austkil lodge.



**Flies.** Good salmon fly patterns for Stjördal are: Thunder & Lightning, Black Sheep, Green Butt, Red Butt, Greenlander, Black & Yellow, Willie Gunn and Silver & Black.



**Accomodation** for guests at Austkil Lodge is in the two nice charming buildings. The Austkil Lodge is located close to Austkil fishing beat and it has been restored for fishermens needs. There is a big living room, a well equipped kitchen and 7 bedrooms divided into 2 houses, there is single bedroom for every guest. Two toilets and two showers are in the red Annekset house. Guests can cook their own meals in the well-equipped self catering kitchen.

**Travel Arrangements.** Anglers will take a flights and/ or car transport to Norway. It is about 20 minutes drive from Trondheim airport to the Austkil Lodge. The owner of Austkil Lodge shows the accomodation and beat for guests on arrival.

**Dates:** At 15.00 on Saturday 24th July 2027 - at 10.00 on Saturday 31st July 2027

**Fishing trip includes:** Fly fishing – Self catering accomodation in single rooms - Showing pools on arrival - Disinfection of fishing gear

**Fishing trip does not include:** Flights/transports to Norway - Norwegian state fishing license (338 NOK = 30 eur) – Stjördal Card (90 NOK = 8 eur) - Food/drinks

**Address:** Austkil Gjestegård, Mellomriksvegen 1917, 7520 Hegra, Norge

## Stjördal - Austkil Lodge



**Masstu**

* Well-equipped kitchen
* Living room
* Dining room
* 3 x Single bedrooms
* 1 x Double bedroom








**Annekset**

* 3 x Double bedrooms
* 2 x Shower
* 2 x Toilet
* Drying room





# Stjördal - Austkil Beat

Beautiful, private Austkil beat is situated middle Stjördal River about 20 km from the Atlantic Ocean and Trondheimsfjorden. Total of 2 kilometres of double bank of the famous Stjördal river. Beat fishes well in all different water levels and consists of three different pools: Austkilskogen, Sonoset and Holmene. Austkilskogen pool can be fished every day. Sonoset or Holmene will be fished one pool at a time changing every day. From accomodation to Sonoset it's about 500 metres, to Holmene about 1 km and to Austkilskogen about 2 km.

**Austkilskogen** is the uppermost of Austkil pools and is about 1300 metres long. It is a brilliant pool and almost entire pool fishes well. It has a nice current which suits great for fishing. It's every year one of the most prolific of Austkil salmon pools. In this pool there are plenty of deeper places and big stones, where salmon tend to stop for rest even longer period. Austkilskogen is easy pool to cover well. Also on the tail of the pool there is a good spot for catching salmon. The pool ends to short rapids which has deeper places and big stones too. In the middle of pool on riverbank we have a shelter.








**Sonoset** is a long and prolific pool, about 500 metres. It starts from a short rapids. In the middle of pool there runs a small side river called Sona into Stjördal. This place is therefore a good taking place where salmon stops for a rest even for a longer periods because salmon stops here before running into Sona. From there towards the end of pool it is good water all the way and it fishes well all water levels. Sonoset is an easy pool to wade and cover well. When fishing the upper part of pool, you need to wade over the Sona and walk upstream 200 m. Also by this pool we have a nice shelter.





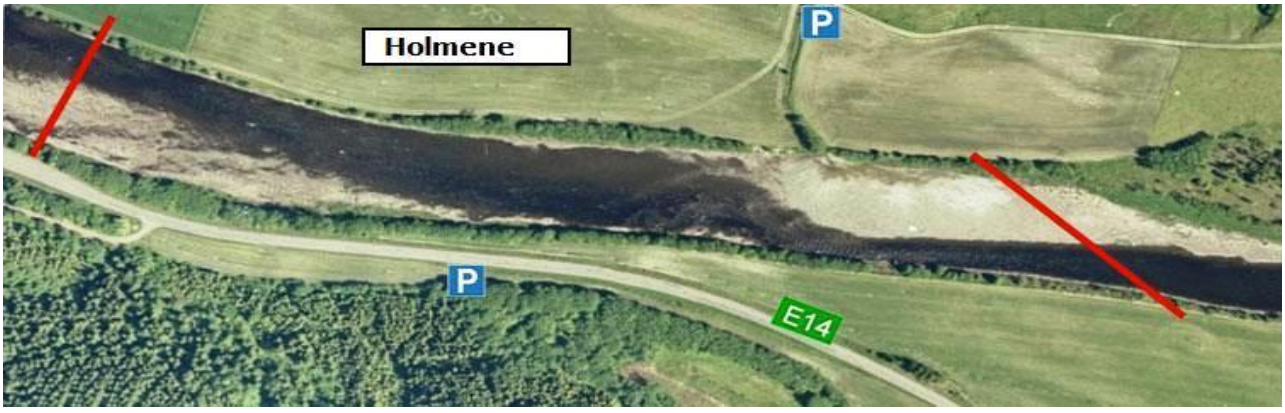




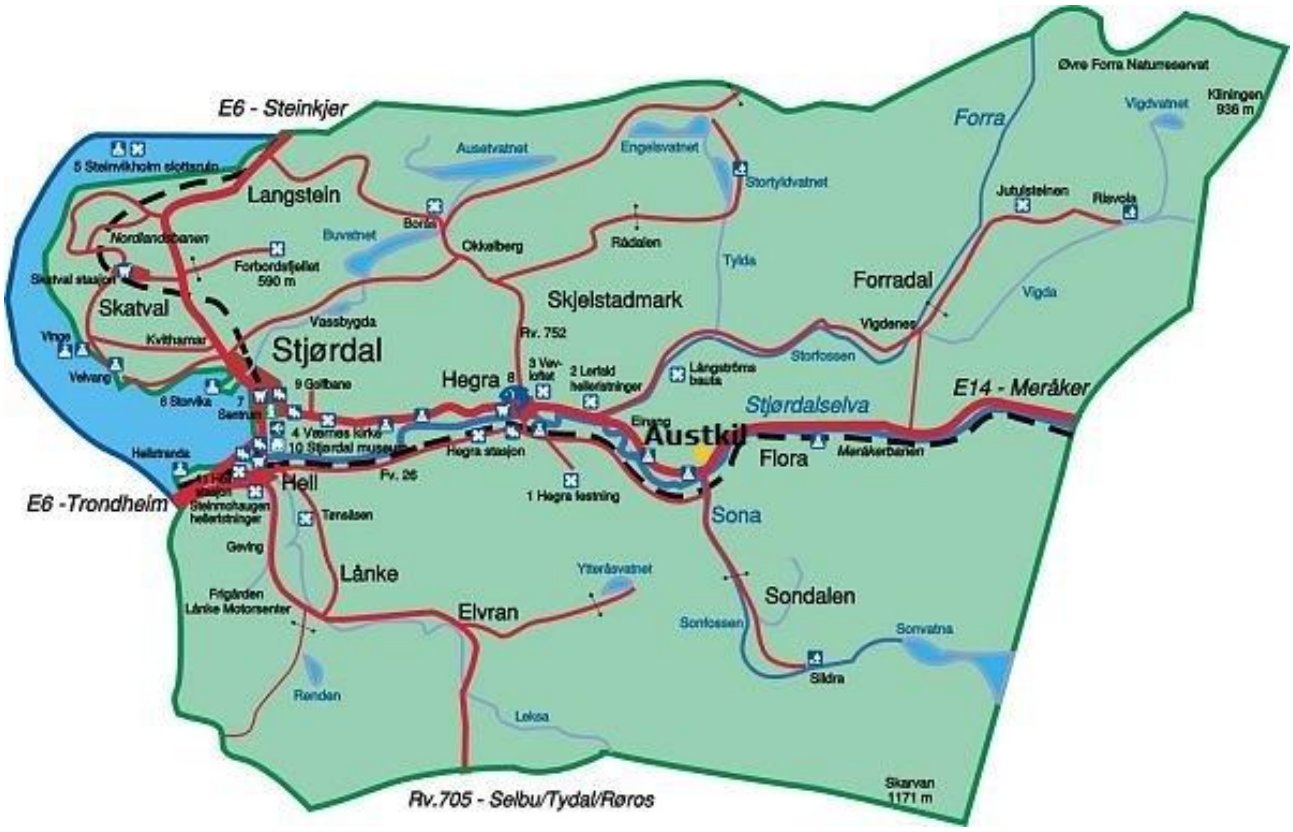
**Holmene** is about 700 metres long and a quite fast flowing pool. In the beginning its quite narrow and fastest. The deepest places of this pool are in the middle of pool. Holmene has a nice current for fly fishing all the way and is very easy pool to cover well with fly. It is easy to wade. There is no need for deep wading here because the river is quite narrow.

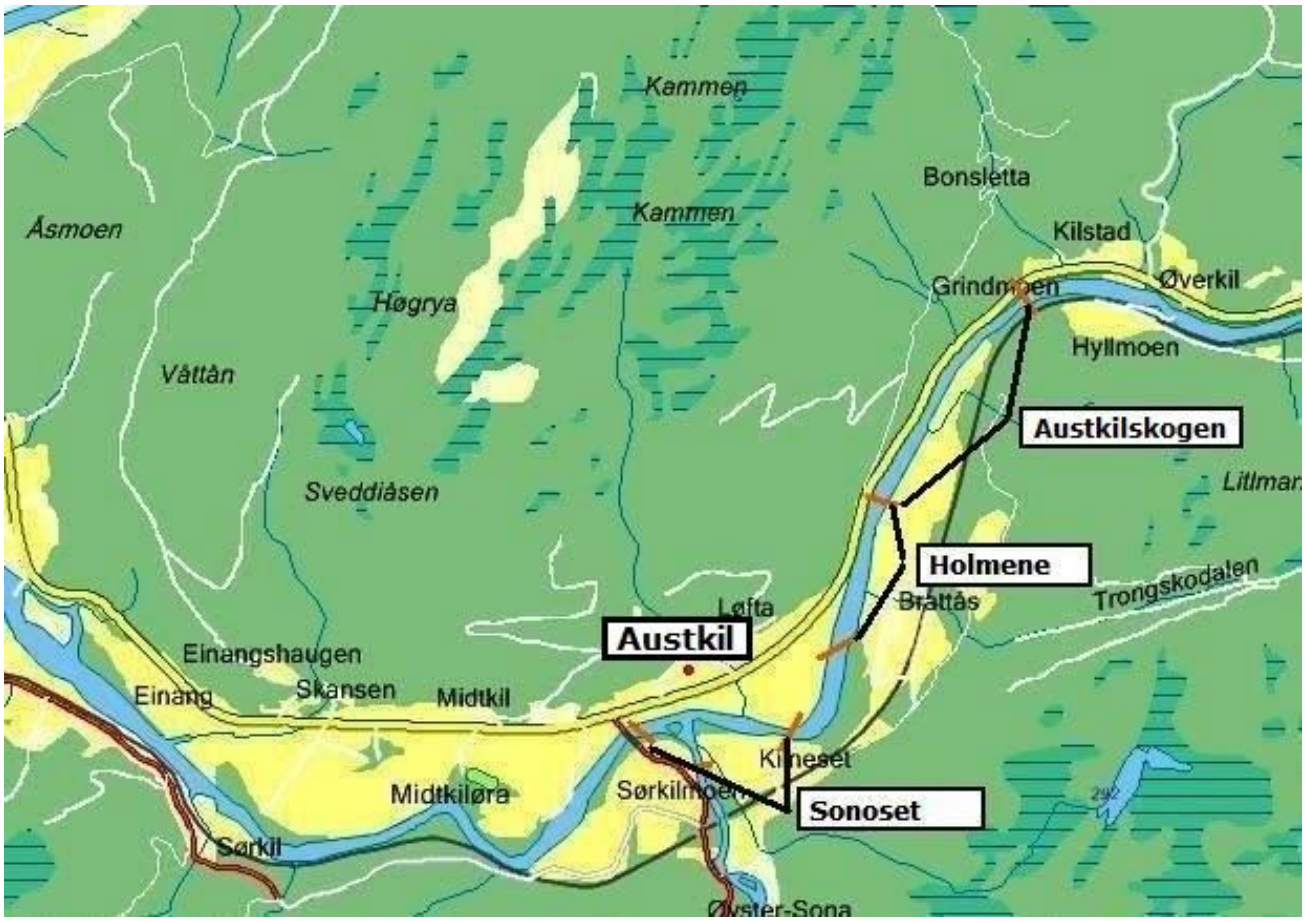




# Stjördal – Austkil Map



# Stjördal - Flies

**Black Sheep**
Tag: Red
Butt: Red
Body: Black floss
Rib: Silver
Hackle: Blue
Wing: Black and Yellow arctic fox or temple dog
Head: Red or black



**Green Butt**
Tag: Silver
Tail: Fluorescent green
Body: Black floss
Rib: Silver
Hackle: Yellow and black
Wing: Black arctic fox or temple dog
Head: Black



**Greenlander**
Tag: Fluorescent green
Butt: Fluorescent green
Body: Pearly ice-dubbing
Rib: Silver
Body hackle: Olive green
Front hackle: Black and white (badger cock)
Wing: 1/3 yellow arctic fox or temple dog
1/3 light green arctic fox or temple dog
1/3 black arctic fox or temple dog
Head: Light green conehead



**Willie Gunn**
Body: Black floss
Rib: Silver
Front hackle: Blue
Wing: 1/3 yellow arctic fox
1/3 light orange arctic fox
1/3 black arctic fox
Head: Black



**Black & Yellow**

Body: Gold
Wing: Yellow and Black arctic fox
Yellow angel hair between yellow and black hair



# Stjördal - Tackle List

**General**
Hat with bill
Polarized sunglasses
Long sleeve shirts, sweaters, fleeces
Short sleeve shirts, t-shirts (several)
Underwear
Warm, long underwear to use under waders
Fleece pants, fleece shirt
Long pants
Warm socks, several
Shorts
Sandals or camp shoes
Raingear or wading jacket
Sunscreen
Insect repellent
Camera, memory cards, extra batteries, battery charger
Backpack (to carry camera & other gear )
Small flashlight
Mobile phone
Water bottle, thermos bottle
Garbage bags or waterproof bags for laundry and wading boots.
Books, magazines
Passport (If you come outside EU) or proof of citizenship
Airline tickets and other travel documents
Pre-trip information, maps, address
Credit card, cash
Notebook and pen
Liquor
Food (Best to buy in Norway)
Toiletries; Razor, tooth brush, shampoo, hand lotion, bandages
Pain killers, Prescription medications

**Fishing Equipment**
Rods, rod tubes
Reels, reel covers
Spare spools
Fly lines, leaders
Fly boxes, flies
Waders, wading belt, repair kit for waders
Wading boots
Reel lube/oil
Pliers (rustproof)
Hook hone/file
Extra spools monofilament: 0.35, 0.40
Needle clippers
Hemostats
Fly tying gear
Tape measure, Scale
Rod rack for car