

**International Soccer Tour 2025 Itinerary
Colorado Rush U12 Girls Academy Pre-ECNL
Norway – The Norway Cup**

Travel dates:

July 24-August 3, 2025.

Itinerary:

- July 24 Departure from Denver airport.
- July 25 Arrival Oslo airport. Transfer to your accommodation at the Norway Cup.
- July 26 Day at leisure. Evening opening ceremony and parade.
- July 27 Tournament starts.
- July 28 Tournament. Leisure time option: visit the Oslo City center.
Coaches' reception Oslo City Hall.
- July 29 Tournament. Leisure time option: boat tour of the Oslo Fjord. Evening Norway Cup Festival.
- July 30 Tournament - playoff games. Leisure time option: visit the Oslo City Museum.
- July 31 Tournament - quarter and semi-finals. Leisure time option: visit the Akershus Fortress. Leisure time option: visit the Norwegian Museum of Cultural History. Evening farewell show and BBQ.
- August 1 Tournament - quarter and semi-finals. Leisure time option: visit the Much art museum in the city center. Activities during the whole day.
- August 2 Tournament - finals. Leisure time option: visit the beach in the Oslo Bay. Prize giving ceremony.
- August 3 Transfer to Oslo airport and return flight.

[Click here](#) to see a recap of the 2023 Norway Cup with more pictures.

Price estimate per person*: \$2,700.00

* Price estimates are based on contracted group airline fares for 2024. We will know more about fares for 2025 approx. 11 months prior to departure date, when airlines publish group fares and can confirm tour pricing then.



Price inclusions:

- Round trip airfare, including airport taxes and fuel surcharges. Prices are always subject to availability of flights and fares at time of booking.
- Accommodations and meals as specified in this proposal – see below. Hotel options and room types (triples, doubles, etc.) are subject to availability at the time of tour booking.
- Ground transportation – see below.
- Costs for arranging the sport program – see below.
- Services of a local tour assistant – see below.

Sport program included:

Norway: Participation at the Norway Cup.

Accommodation and meals included:

Accommodation in schools/Full board - daily breakfast, lunch and dinner are included.

- Accommodation in schools in Oslo.
- Each team will receive one classroom for its own use. The Norway Cup will arrange bedding for all participants.
- Breakfast will be served in the school and lunches and dinners will be served at the Norway Cup tournament center. The first meal is evening dinner July 26 and last meal is lunch August 2.

Ground transportation included:

Norway: During the Norway Cup the tournament organizer has included special shuttle transportation or free public transportation. On free days, we can arrange a private chartered bus for excursions (at an additional charge). We have included airport transfers as well.

Local guide services included:

Norway: During your stay at the Norway Cup, you can get information or address any questions/concerns with the local tournament staff, who are readily available, and they will provide you with assistance when necessary, and help plan/amend your daily schedule as needed.

Options available (not included in prices)

Three-star hotel accommodation in Oslo instead of school accommodation.

- Daily breakfast, lunch and dinner included. Daily breakfast at the hotel. Lunches and dinners at the tournament cafeteria starting with evening July 26 and ending with lunch August 2.
- Includes accommodation in rooms with 2-4 people sharing a room, all with private facilities. Supplement per person per night \$50.00 for sharing triple or quad, \$55.00 per person per night for sharing a double and \$85.00 per night for having a single.
- Be aware that rooms in Europe are smaller than in the USA.
- The hotel has a lounge and restaurant.

Travel insurance option:

Your participants have the option to purchase accident, illness and trip cancellation/interruption insurance, including Cancel for Any Reason Coverage (CFAR) – more information about this insurance is included on your team website page.

Not included in prices:

- Beverages (soda) with meals.
- Gratuities for representatives and bus drivers.
- Admission fees to attractions.
- Single rooms in hotels. Single rooms are available at a supplement of \$40.00 per person per night on top of the double room supplements outlined in the accommodation description.



Tournament Information

NORWAY CUP – OSLO/NORWAY

Ever since the start, the NORWAY CUP has been the biggest tournament in the world. More than 1,700 teams from many different countries will participate at the 2025 edition. All games will be played on grass fields! Some Norway Cup facts: 1,700 teams, 32,000 participants, 50 nations, 80 fields, 3,810 games and 350 referees.



Norway Cup facts:

- 1,700+ international youth soccer teams
- 32,000 participants from 52 different countries
- Norway Cup always starts with a spectacular parade through Oslo, where participants wear their team-kits and wave the various country flags.
- Approx. 60 well maintained grass and artificial fields in and around the center of Oslo.

Touristic information:

- **Oslo:** Oslo, the oldest of the Scandinavian Capitals, was founded by Harald Hadrade in the 11th Century and is surrounded by Mountains at the head of a 70-mile fjord. Oslo is an easy-going city where history meets modernity. The city boasts world-class museums, a lively nightlife and plenty of outdoor activities and many locals are keen hikers, skiers, or sailors.
- **The Nobel Peace Center:** this museum tells the story about the Nobel Peace Prize, Peace Prize winners and their work, and the story about Alfred Nobel. The peace center is also a place for debates regarding social questions.
- **The Astrup Fearnley Museum:** Visit Astrup Fearnley museum and see exciting, modern art at the museum. You'll get to meet many different artists with many different expressions.
- **Vikingship house:** Here you can find a unique collection of objects and ships from the Vikings.
- **Akershus fortress:** To Oslo, Akershus Fortress is an important part of the city's identity. The city centre was established within the walls of the fortress during 1624. The area around the fortress is popular amongst tourists during summer.

For more information about the tournament including age groups, rules and regulations and touristic/sightseeing information please visit the tournament website:

<https://norwaycup.no/en>.