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## Organisation Details

### Spòrsnis

Spòrsnis is a community-owned leisure centre based in Ness at the north end of the Isle of Lewis. Their staff have a wealth of knowledge about the local area and are the perfect story tellers about our islands and its precious history.



# Connecting our Past with our Present

## Excursion Details

### Outline

Meet the characters of our community and discover their stories, full of humour, resilience, and heart, as you explore the iconic landmarks of Ness: St Moluag's Church, the Butt of Lewis Lighthouse, Dùn Èistean, Port of Ness beach, and the Cunndal memorial. For centuries our people, who have saltwater running through their veins, have been deeply connected to the sea, supplying skilled seafarers and naval manpower, at home and around the world. The captivating tales of a life at sea will mesmerise you, giving you a glimpse into the true character of these welcoming, dedicated and hardy members of our community. Life on the edge of the North Atlantic has always brought challenge and adventure, and shapes a community that draws strength from one another. Our deep spirituality is reflected in the churches nestled among our homes, where psalm singing echoes as a timeless expression of hope, unity, grief and faith. This is an island community with a strong identity, a proud heritage, and a spirit as steadfast as the sea itself. For preview, [watch this video.](#)

### Timing

2 hours 30 minutes

### Capacity

Min 2 - max 20

### Price

2 - 4 people - £70 per person  
 5-8 people - £52 per person  
 8-12 people - £32 per person  
 13 - 20 people - £25 per person

### Availability

Mon - Sat, 9am - 7pm

### Facilities

Toilets and refreshments available

### Accessibility

Requires own transport. Please enquire for accessibility requirements.