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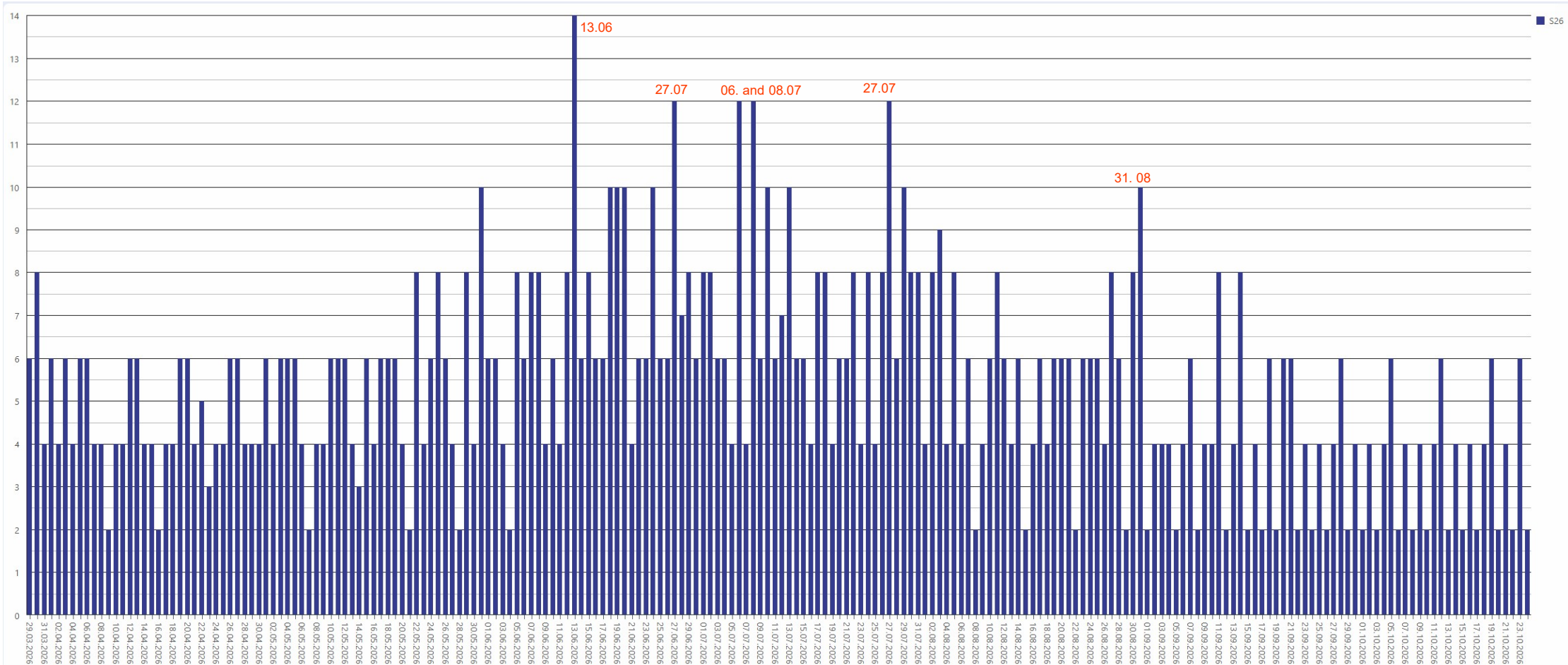
Ambition: To be an efficient and friendly start and end point for an arctic adventure

- Flying to & from Svalbard
 - Preparations and requirements
- Summer Season 2026
 - Capacity and traffic volumes by now

Information – Flying to & from Svalbard Airport

 Prerequisites	 Arrival Airport	  	Departure Airport 
<p>For Airlines: SLOTS must be confirmed from ACN</p> <p><i>Applications after Feb 01 will be allocated according to the «first-come, first-serve» principle and only for times with available capacity and resources</i></p>	<p>Passengers: Might experience “Passenger and goods control” upon arrival</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - <i>Not active for all flights, but applies to scheduled flights, charter and GA</i> - <i>Identity verification (Police):</i> passengers are led through dedicated area for "personal control" before picking up luggage - <i>Customs check (Customs):</i> passengers are selected for control after having collected their luggage 	<p>For groups: Bus transport between airport and harbor must be booked well in advance</p>	<p>The terminal is only open 2 hours before any scheduled departure (not open 24/7)</p> <p> Svalbard is not part of the Schengen Area, and travel to/from Svalbard is considered travel outside Schengen.</p> <p>Please note: EU Entry/Exit System (EES)</p> <p> Valid Schengen entry clearance is required for all passengers departing from Svalbard Airport</p> <p> <i>Passengers without valid entry will be denied boarding to the aircraft</i></p>
<p>For Airlines: Traffic Permit – must be obtained from CAA</p>	<p>Luggage: alternative transport to the harbor must be agreed well in advance</p>		<p>Luggage: alternative transport from the harbor must be agreed in advance</p>
<p>For Airlines: Passenger lists must be sent to Police 2 workdays /48 hours ahead of arrival</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Aircraft cleaning is not available • Garbage disposal is not possible • No water & toilet services available 		<p>Spare lithium ion and lithium metal batteries, including power banks are NOT allowed in check-in bags. <i>Must be carried in carry-on bags !!</i></p>
<p>For Airlines: Handling services must be requested & confirmed from Avinor/Airport</p>	<p>Not allowed to hand out clothes, food or other equipment in the terminal</p>		<p>Not allowed to hand out food and beverages in the terminal (even for waiting in terminal before flight)</p>

Summer 2026 | Busy days in the airport | Scheduled & Charter



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And help your guests
to remember....





No drone zone

Unauthorized drone flying is prohibited in Longyearbyen, Svalbard airport and the surrounding mountains.

The prohibited area is a 5 km radius from the airport.

Drone flying in prohibited area can lead to:

- Criminal prosecution
- Confiscation of drone

For more information,
scan QR-kode





When travelling from Svalbard Airport

 Bring lithium batteries in hand luggage

 Do NOT send any
lithium batteries in
checked-in luggage

 They will be removed and destroyed



Travel from Svalbard to Norway / Schengen

SVALBARD



Svalbard is not part of Schengen.



NORWAY / SCHENGEN



**Valid Schengen
Visa or ETIAS**



**Passport
Required**



Biometric Registration
EU Entry/Exit System (EES)

Passengers without valid entry will be denied boarding.

An aerial photograph of an airport terminal and hangars. The terminal is a long, dark building with a central tower. To the right, there are several large hangars and smaller service buildings. A white aircraft is parked on the tarmac. The background shows a wide expanse of water and snow-capped mountains under a blue sky with light clouds.

Thanks for listening

if you have any questions, please contact the airport administration:
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